The Paris Lip is a term which is used to describe a particular technique for enhancing the lips. During the Paris Lip procedure, dermal filling substances are used to sculpture the lips with the aim to create a pouty, well-defined voluptuous set of lips.

The vermillion border (perimeter of the lips) actually contains a small space or tunnel within the tissue. This “tunnel” which borders the edge of the lips can be filled with dermal filler to enhance the outer edges of the lips. This initial part of the procedure creates crisp lip edges and gives a nicely defined cupid’s bow. A small quantity of product is also injected into the columns of skin which run vertically from the cupids bow region in the centre of the upper lip toward the nose. This phase of the technique helps to provide a little pout to the upper lip. Finally dermal fillers are injected into the vermillion or body of the both upper and lower lips. The quantity and distribution of product within the lips is tailored to each individual depending on the look that is required. For example, often more product is placed in the middle of the bottom lip and tapered toward the edges of the lip so that the desirable pout in the bottom lip is achieved.

All this talk of injections can be daunting. Most people are worried about the pain factor. The good news is that a local anaesthetic block is used prior to the procedure so that injection of the lips is totally pain-free. Dr Kylie has mastered a method to perform an anaesthetic block which most people can barely feel.

Every person has different shaped lips and, of course, the initial anatomy of the lips will dictate the type of result which can be achieved. Some people also suit more volume in their lips than others, and Dr Kylie can guide people in the amount of product required to give the look they are seeking. The price of the procedure depends on the amount of dermal filler used and can vary between $400 and $680. The whole procedure takes less than 30 minutes and the results are instantaneous. If your lips have flattened with age and lost their youthful fullness and pout, or you would just like to enhance the lip shape you already have, then Dr Kylie Regli can help you. Dr Regli performs all consultations and procedures herself, so rest assured you will always see a doctor for your cosmetic needs.
A Schematic drawing of the Paris Lip Technique