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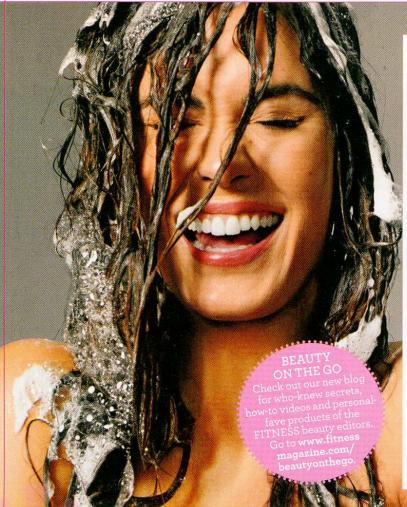
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# Wash and Oh!

Give dandruff, dryness and product buildup the brush-off with this weekly scalp "facial."

# STEP 1: Fight Flakes

The same scrub you use on your body will also remove residue on your scalp, says Nick Penna Jr., the owner of SalonCapri in Newton, Massachusetts.

Massage a tablespoon of a sea-salt-based product, like **Ahava Uplifting Butter Salt scrub** (\$24, ahavaus.com), into your roots. Then wash with a clarifying shampoo to rev up your circulation.

## STEP 2: Lock In Moisture

If you have fine hair, use a deep conditioner, like Paul Mitchell Tea Tree Hair and Scalp Treatment (\$14.50, paul mitchell.com for salons), which is pumped with invigorating tea tree oil. For

coarse strands, use a leave-in conditioner, such as

Nioxin Scalp Renew Density Restoration Treatment
(\$29.99, pioxin com for salons)

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### ASK ELEANOR, FITNESS BEAUTY DIRECTOR

Q If I'm allergic to an ingredient in food, like nuts or milk, should I avoid it in my beauty products?

It's a smart idea, docs say. While there aren't significant studies on this topic, assume you're allergic until proved wrong, says Marsha Gordon, M.D., a St. Ives dermatologist in New York City. Check labels for your allergens. If the ingredients aren't clearly listed, apply a small amount to your inner arm twice daily for about 10 days before you use it on your face. That is how long it takes for some hypersensitivity

develops, avoid the product.

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Gym Dandy

Stroke of Genius

Whether they're buried at the bottom of your gym bag or resting on the locker-room counter, makeup brushes can become germ magnets. Leave it to an architect-French-born Philippe Di Méo-to design a practical set for active girls. Each brush in the Sephora I.T. **Makeup Brush Collection** (\$14 to \$40, sephora.com) comes with a protective cap that shields bristles from dirt and debris. The wands are color coded, so you can pack what you need and eave the rest at home.





**Fresh Protection** Snacking on antioxidant-rich broccoli may help lower your risk for skin cancer by reducing inflammation, researchers at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore found. Eat the veggie raw for the highest concentration of cell-protecting sulforaphane.

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