

Sugar or Wax?

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"Jeez honey -- wax much?" ...The *Sex and the City* line spoken by Samantha and directed at Miranda must have spurred countless women to brave the pain and head to their nearest [hair removal](#) salon! That said, I just got back from [Shobha](#), a small, upscale chain of hair-removal salons in NYC and tried sugaring for the first time -- I can't even describe how much better than waxing it is!! The sugar gel is made in-house from only sugar and lemon juice, and has a honey-like consistency. It works just like wax, but doesn't stick to your skin, so while it's still not the most pleasant experience, trust me, it's A LOT less painful than waxing. Shobha's staff is also super-friendly and patient, which is always important for me when I'm trying things I'm nervous about!



If you get a chance to go to Shobha ask for Promila. She was the specialist that helped me and she's incredibly sweet and amazingly efficient (I got a perfect full-bikini sugaring in only 15 minutes), and for any questions ask to speak to Alexis! Shobha also offers an [array of products](#) including some that they make themselves. They're in the processing of expanding so check-out their [website](#) for more info!

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I just visited the website and I DEFINITELY will be visiting this place....looks amazing. which of the 3 locations did you go to? i will let you know how it goes with me.