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Where to score hard-to-find beauty products that have  
cult-like followings by Judy Sutton Taylor

MANY OF US HAVE LEARNED the hard way that beauty comes at a price, but sometimes it's unattainable even when you're willing to pay. Once a beauty product achieves must-have cult status (it's the latest and greatest but it's manufactured in a faraway place, produced in small quantities, or—heaven forbid—has received a celebrity's seal of approval), getting your hands on it can be next to impossible. We've got the scoop on scoring some of the hottest, most hard-to-find goods in the city.

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INTERVENTION EYELASH

When local eyelash and brow guru Rashida B. of The B Spot (1471 N. Milwaukee Ave., 773-256-9799) discovered this gel treatment that she says dramatically lengthens and thickens lashes, she knew she was on to something big. "It's like eyelash crack for people with short, thin lashes," she says. It's been impossible to keep in stock since The B Spot began carrying the product in November 2005, and there's a constant waiting list, according to Rashida. A fresh case is delivered every three weeks, but she says your best bet is to pre-order it through the store's Web site ([www.thebspot-chicago.com](http://www.thebspot-chicago.com)) so you're guaranteed a tube. Whatever's left—never more than a handful—goes on the shelves. \$160

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