



## POST-TREATMENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR PULPECTOMY

Congratulations on completing your child's pulpectomy procedure. Proper care following the treatment is crucial for their oral health and comfort. Below are essential instructions to ensure the best recovery:

- Pain Management: Your child may experience some discomfort or mild pain after the procedure. Please make sure to have the medicine prescribed on time.
- Avoid Chewing on the Treated Tooth: Encourage your child to avoid chewing on the treated tooth or consuming hard or sticky foods for the first few days. This will prevent any damage to the tooth and allow it to heal properly.
- Maintain Oral Hygiene: It's essential to continue with regular oral hygiene practices, such as brushing and flossing. However, be gentle around the treated tooth to avoid irritation. Use a softbristled toothbrush and toothpaste.
- Watch for Signs of Infection: Monitor your child for any signs of infection, such as persistent pain, swelling, or fever. If you notice any of these symptoms, contact our dental office immediately for further evaluation and treatment.
- Follow-Up Appointment: Your child will need a follow-up appointment to monitor the healing process and determine the next steps in their dental treatment plan.
- Dietary Recommendations: Offer your child soft and easy-to-chew foods for the first few days following the pulpectomy. Avoid giving them extremely hot or cold foods and beverages, as sensitivity may be present.
- Limit Physical Activity: Encourage your child to avoid vigorous physical activities or rough play for a few days after the procedure. This will help prevent any trauma to the treated tooth and promote faster healing.
- Continue Medications as Prescribed: If your child has been prescribed antibiotics or any other medications following the pulpectomy, ensure they take them as directed by our dental team. Finish the entire course of antibiotics, even if symptoms improve.



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