

PREHN DENTAL OFFICE

CEMENT APPOINTMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Today we are cementing your restoration in place. Normal chewing can occur immediately.

1. Gentle circular motions while brushing and flossing the area is recommended, especially where the crowns or inlays meet the gum line. Rinse with warm salt water. (1/2 tsp salt dissolved in warm water).
2. Cheek biting is common and speech may be temporarily affected. It may take a few weeks for the new crown or bridge to really feel “a part of you!”
3. It is very important to care for your new crowns. This means regular home care and routine visits with us to properly clean and evaluate your dental condition. Please do not take a “vacation” from us. We need to continually care for your investment together!

If the tooth is still vital (meaning it has not been root canaled), the following can occur:

1. Sensitivity to cold is normal for many weeks.
2. Pulp death is a possibility when the decay is extensive. Please let Dr. Prehn know if you develop a throbbing or constant pain. Root canal therapy may be necessary.

If you feel the “bite” is high, please contact the office for a follow-up adjustment appointment. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call

Thank you for the trust and confidence you have placed in myself and my staff.

Medication: _____

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