

Pediatric Post Operative Instructions – After a Dental Filling

Local anesthesia	Your child's tooth will be numb for a few hours after the procedure. Close monitoring of your young child is necessary to ensure they do not bite their cheek or tongue.
Pain	Mild soreness of the teeth or gums is possible following a dental filling. Children's Motrin (ibuprofen) can be given for pain.
Adjustment	Occasionally a filling may need to be adjusted if it feels "high" when biting down.
Sensitivity	Some fillings may be sensitive to cold or chewing for a few weeks after a filling is placed. Call our office if this feeling persists.

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One of our doctors is on-call for after hours emergencies