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Bone Graft Post Operative Instructions

Do Not:

- Rinse for 24 hours
- ❖ Spit for 2-5 Days
- ❖ Smoke or drink from a straw for 5-7 days
- ❖ Apply pressure with your tongue or fingers. The bone graft can move during the initial healing period.
- ❖ Lift or pull on your lips to look at the sutures.

Notify the office is any of the following occur:

- Suture falls out within 3 days
- ❖ Large amount of bone graft particles are lost from the surgical site
- ❖ Medication **does not** relieve your discomfort

IMPORTANT

Please notify the office if you have any questions, we are concerned with your recover. Most often a single explanation can resolve the situation and free you of any worry. Any questions please contact the **emergency number at 810-333-2576**, and leave a message and someone will get back with you shortly.

^{*}You may expect to find small granules in your mouth for the first several days*