



Home Care Instructions – Crowns

These instructions are meant to help answer any questions you may have after treatment is over. They are not meant to guarantee prevention of complications or pain after treatment. These are general guidelines that should be closely adhered to unless otherwise notified by your doctor.

1. Sensitivity and soreness can be normal following a crown (cap) appointment. If sensitivity is impeding your life style and the sensitivity does not appear to be getting better with time call our office for an evaluation.
2. Numbness will last for anywhere between 2-4 hours after treatment is over. Please be very careful when eating anything during this time as you may injure you lip, tongue, cheek, gums, or teeth.
3. Please be careful when eating on the side with the temporary crown. Although the crown is made from a strong material it is not the same strength as your permanent crown and can crack or come off. Please call our office during business hours if the temporary crown comes off or breaks.
4. Your permanent crown usually comes back within 2-3 weeks following your impression appointment and will be adjusted to fit at your next appointment.
5. Brush and floss your teeth as instructed by your doctor.

Feel free to call with any questions or concerns. A member of our team would be more than happy to address your needs. **PHONE #: 314-638-2121**