

# >>Post-op Care Instructions

for patient:

## Dentures

> Adjusting to new dentures takes time. The gum tissue supporting the denture may develop sore spots. When this occurs, call for an appointment right away to have your dentures adjusted. Dentures often require a re-line to improve the fit and retention.

> Dentures placed immediately after the extraction of remaining teeth act as large band-aids, helping the tissue heal. Immediate dentures will definitely require additional re-lines as the extraction sites heal and the gums reduce in size.

> Dentures must be brushed twice daily to remove plaque and prevent tarter from accumulating. Be sure to take your dentures out at night to help the gums stay healthy. Store in a container or cup with water. All denture wearers must have regular check-ups.



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