

Patient Information Form for Dental / Jaw Surgery

Name: _____ Date of birth: _____

Information FDOJ/NICO/Cavitation Surgery and (Wisdom) Tooth Extraction provided on: _____

Local Anesthesia

informed &
consented

The procedure is performed under local anesthesia. You remain awake but do not feel any pain in the treatment area. EFFECT: Numbness of tooth, lip, cheek, or tongue for approx. 1-4 hours. POSSIBLE RISKS: Bruising, swelling, infection or pain at the injection site, (temporary) sensory disturbance, circulatory reactions (e.g. palpitations), very rarely allergic reactions and needle injuries to nerve structures. IMPORTANT AFTER THE PROCEDURE: Do not bite your lip or tongue; avoid hot food/drinks until the numbness has worn off. Please inform us about allergies, pre-existing conditions, or medications.

Information about the Surgery

By the procedure, chronic inflammatory and chronically toxic foci/interference fields are removed	
Infected teeth/wisdom teeth, cysts, foreign bodies, sinus infections, maxillary sinus cysts (opening of the maxillary sinus) are removed, possibly with antibiotic therapy	
If the maxillary sinus is opened, it is covered with a membrane and sutured (no nose-blowing, no flying, no diving, no heavy lifting, no sports for 2 weeks)	
To improve wound healing, the wound is treated with ozone and PRF (platelet-rich fibrin) and sutured	
The removed tissue is examined histologically and immunobiochemically (RANTES / CCL5); additional costs are billed directly by the laboratory	
The required medications are prepared by a pharmacy (additional costs are billed directly by the pharmacy)	
You will receive infusions over a period of three days (see infusion information sheet)	
Sick leave: 3 days or individualized as required	
Suture removal after 14-16 days	

Other Procedures and Alternatives

Alternative to tooth removal: renewal of root canal filling or apicoectomy - does not eliminate the focus / neuralgia permanently or sustainably	
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Side Effects and Complications

Swelling (usually greatest on day 3 after surgery), bruising	
Wound infection is possible (severely restricted mouth opening, difficulty swallowing, fever → please contact the practice or emergency dental service)	
In the upper jaw, associated sinus infection is possible	
In the lower jaw, associated nerve damage is possible (temporary numbness of lower lip and tongue, cheek, chin; very rarely: permanent numbness of lower lip and tongue, cheek, chin)	
Removal of a tooth and surgery on the jawbone may lead to a reduction of bone and soft tissue volume - this may later require bone and soft tissue augmentation	
Temporary bleeding from the wound and / or nose, packing / a tamponade may be required	

Tooth Loss and Subsequent Prosthetic Treatment – Possible Complications of New Prosthetic Work

Intolerance	
Bite / occlusal problems	
Speech problems	
Aesthetic issues	
Pulpitis / pulpal necrosis of new abutment teeth	

Important Notes

A therapeutic success for local, neuralgic, and systemic symptoms cannot be guaranteed.	
Measures within the scope of so-called interference field surgery are classified by health insurers as not medically necessary in dentistry - therefore, coverage of costs by insurers (statutory / private health insurance / aid schemes) cannot be guaranteed.	

Confirmation of the Consultation

- ☐ A detailed consultation between the dental practitioner and myself took place on _____.
I have read and understood the information and documentation form, which reflects the content of the consultation.
I was able to ask all questions during the consultation, e.g. about specific risks, possible complications, and alternative treatments. All questions were answered completely and in an understandable way by the dental practitioner.
- ☐ I have received, or have been sent, a copy of this form for my own records.

Dentist's / Dental assistant's signature: _____

Patient's signature: _____