



QUEEN·ANNE FAMILY DENTAL

Medications for Dental Surgery

1. **Antibiotics:** reduces post-operative infection

_____ Amoxicillin (875 mg) : Take 2 tabs the day of surgery, then 1 tab twice daily until gone.

_____ Cefuroxime (500 mg) : Take 1 tab twice daily until gone.

2. **Anti-Inflammatory:** reduces inflammation and discomfort

_____ Decadron (4.0 mg) : Take 1 tab the day of surgery, then 1 tab daily in the **morning** until gone.

_____ Ibuprofen (800 mg): Take 1 tab every 4 hours with food for six days.

_____ Acetaminophen (500 mg): Take 2 tabs three times per day every 6 hours for six days.
Recommended to take with the ibuprofen dose.

3. **Anti-Microbial Mouth Rinse:** heals tissue and reduces chance of infection

_____ Salt Water Rinse: Place ½ tsp of table salt into warm water. Rinse for 60 seconds 3 times a day **starting 24 hours after the surgery**. Continue for 1 week.

4. **Sedation Medication:** Only if you have chosen oral sedation for your dental surgery

_____ Halcion(0.25 mg): Bring this medication to our office 1hr prior to your scheduled appointment time and do not take it until instructed. **NO DRIVING** for 24hrs!!