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Composite Fillings

If composite (tooth colored) fillings were placed in your teeth today:

This type of filling material is cured in the mouth by using a special state-of the art LED curing light. This means the fillings are completely hardened and you will be able to chew on them and floss around them right away. You may notice small pieces of clear or tooth colored material in your mouth afterwards. This is excess bonding material and does not mean you have damaged your new fillings. It is normal for new fillings to be sensitive for a period of weeks. Deeper fillings may be especially achy the first day requiring 400-600 mg ibuprofen (for adults).

Anesthetic

If you were given local anesthetic today for work done on the lower jaw, please do not try to chew anything until the numbness has worn off (usually 3 - 4 hours). If you chew during this time, you may accidentally bite your lip and/or tongue and not be aware of it. This may create additional soreness once the anesthetic has worn off.

If you have any issues with your restoration(s) or have questions about your treatment, please call **406-656-6100**

Composite Fillings information is also available on our website at www.BrewerDentalCenter.com.