

Patient information on
the aftercare in
periodontal treatment

Notes on
follow-up treatment
Straumann® Emdogain®

How to proceed after the surgery

After treatment with Straumann® Emdogain®, a number of processes take place in the gum which should be left as undisturbed as possible.

You should follow some general rules during the healing period. To avoid disturbing the healing process, do not clean the teeth in the area of the wound for the first few days after the operation.

THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS LEAD YOU THROUGH THE FIRST FEW WEEKS AFTER TREATMENT.

Week 1–3

- Use an antiseptic mouthwash several times a day
- Do not clean the treated area with a toothbrush
- Do not clean the interdental spaces in the treated area
- Avoid alcohol, nicotine, coffee, black tea and fresh dairy products
- Avoid the treated area when chewing
- Avoid hard and chewy foods
- Sutures will be removed after 2–3 weeks

Week 4–6

- Continue to use an antiseptic mouthwash several times a day
- Carefully clean the treated area with a toothbrush





- Do not clean the interdental spaces in the treated area
- Cleaning of teeth by dental professional

Week 7 onwards

- Clean teeth carefully in the treated area, including the interdental spaces
- Regular checkups and teeth cleaning by dental professional

The procedure in the first few weeks after treatment may vary depending on the individual patient. The treating dentist must therefore inform the patient of what to do during this period and it is important that the patient follows these instructions. The treating dentist will schedule regular checkups to evaluate the progress of the healing. We recommend continuing oral hygiene and regular dental checkups after the regenerative treatment.

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