

INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR AMALGAM FILLING

After you have had an amalgam (silver colored) filling restoration, it takes 24 hours for the material to reach its maximum hardness.

Here are some precautions that should be taken:

- For the first hour, please do not chew at all.
- After that, any chewing for the remainder of the day should be done on the opposite side of our mouth.
- You may experience some cold sensitivity. This is normal and may last a couple of weeks. If you experience any severe pain, please notify our office immediately.
- If your tooth feels like it is too high after the anesthetic wears off, please notify our office. We will adjust the restoration to make it more comfortable for you and to prevent it from fracturing.

If you have any questions about your restoration, please feel free to call our office.

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