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IV Sedation

Before and After Care

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IV SEDATION

Your care guide

IV sedation uses a medicine given through a small cannula in your hand or arm to help you feel deeply relaxed during dental treatment. You stay awake and able to respond, but many people remember little afterwards.

> Please read this leaflet before your appointment and keep it for afterwards. If anything here is different from what your dentist has told you, follow your dentist's advice.

PREPARING

Before your appointment

- Arrange a responsible adult escort to bring you, wait or be contactable, take you home by car or taxi (not public transport) and stay with you for 24 hours.
- Have a light meal about two hours before your appointment and drink clear fluids as normal, unless we have told you otherwise.
- Take your usual medicines unless we advise otherwise. Do not stop any blood thinner unless your doctor or our team has agreed this with you.
- Do not drink alcohol for 24 hours before your appointment and do not take recreational drugs.
- Tell us if you are or might be pregnant, are breastfeeding, or have become unwell, as we may need to rearrange.
- Wear loose clothing with sleeves that roll up easily, and remove nail varnish or false nails from at least one finger.
- Arrange care for children or dependants for the rest of the day.

On the day

- Arrive with your escort. We will check their name and contact number.
- We will confirm your fasting, medicines and consent and take your blood pressure, pulse and oxygen level.
- After treatment you will rest in recovery until you are safe to leave.
- Your escort will be given written aftercare instructions, as you may not remember what we say.

RECOVERY TIMELINE

After your treatment

WHEN	WHAT TO EXPECT AND DO
Going home	Go home with your escort by car or taxi. Rest quietly for the rest of the day.
First 24 hours	Do not drive, cycle, drink alcohol, use machinery, cook, sign documents, make important decisions, use social media for important messages, or care for others alone. Your escort should stay with you.
That evening	Eat light meals and drink plenty of fluids. Take care on stairs. Follow the aftercare advice for your dental treatment.
Day 2	Most people feel back to normal. Return to your usual activities when you feel well.
Next week	Any bruise at the cannula site should fade. Contact us if the area becomes red, hot or more painful.

Please do

- Rest at home with your escort for the rest of the day.
- Take your usual medicines as normal unless told otherwise.
- Take pain relief for your dental treatment as advised, following the pack instructions.
- Keep the cannula site clean and dry.

Please avoid

- Do not drive or ride a bike for 24 hours.
- Do not drink alcohol or take sleeping tablets or recreational drugs for 24 hours.
- Do not use machinery, cook on a hob or use sharp tools for 24 hours.
- Do not sign legal documents, make important decisions or post on social media for 24 hours.
- Do not be solely responsible for children or dependants for 24 hours.

WARNING SIGNS

When to contact us

- Contact us if you feel unusually drowsy many hours after your appointment, or you are worried about how you feel.
- Contact us if the cannula site becomes red, hot, swollen or increasingly painful.
- Contact us if you have problems related to your dental treatment, such as bleeding or swelling.
- Call 999 if you have difficulty breathing, chest pain, or you cannot be woken easily. For urgent advice out of hours, call NHS 111.

Need us? Call 01932 507650 or WhatsApp 07835 798 611 in opening hours, or email hello@lusso.dental. Out of hours, call **NHS 111**. If you have difficulty breathing or swallowing, heavy bleeding that will not stop, or swelling spreading to your eye or neck, call **999** or go to A&E.

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