



## Important information

Despite great care and the use of latest methods and materials, the treatment itself and the local anesthesia (infiltration anesthesia, regional nerve block) might rarely cause following problems:

- Intolerability reactions, very rarely strong allergic reactions with life-threatening circulatory collapse
- Nerve damage with persisting numbness of lips and tongue
- Swallowing or inhalation of foreign bodies
- Injuries of the skin, mucous membranes, lips, tongue, teeth and bones
- Bleeding and secondary hemorrhage
- Very rarely: spreading of bacteria through the blood to the inner layer of the heart with consequent endocarditis, particularly with preexisting cardiac defects

For the time of anesthesia, bite injuries of the tongue and cheeks and burns might occur. You or your child should thus avoid eating and drinking hot beverages.

The anesthetic agent used might impair your responsiveness and therefore your fitness to drive.

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Date

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Signature of patient or legal guardian