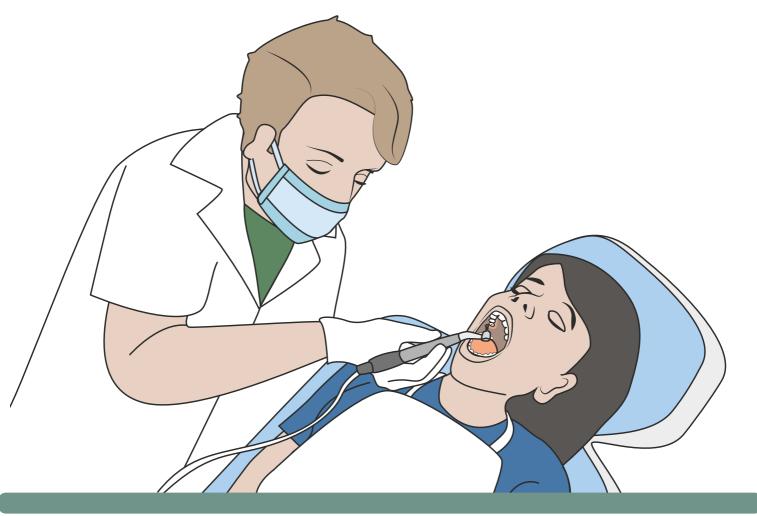
Dentist



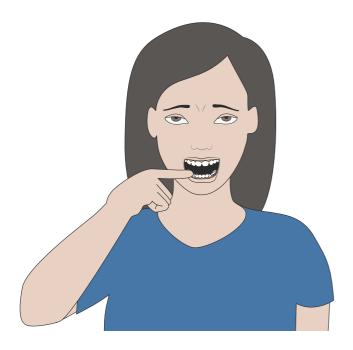
The dentist treats a cavity

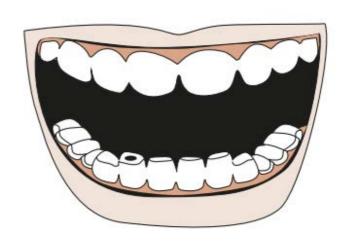




What is a cavity?

A cavity is a hole in the tooth.





I need to treat a cavity because it can hurt.



The dentist gives me a local anesthetic

- The dentist can make my tooth fall asleep.
- He puts a product on my gums so I won't feel the shot.



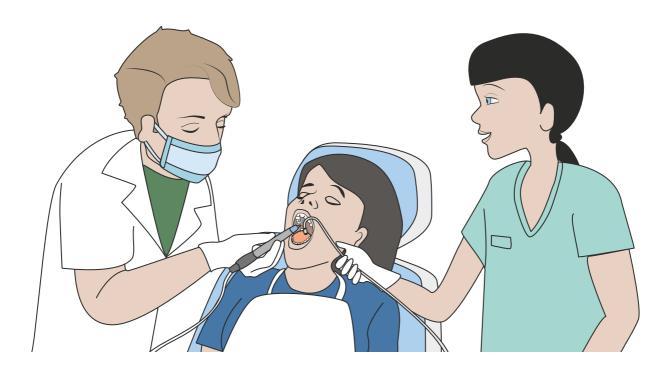
He gently gives me a shot on the side of the tooth.





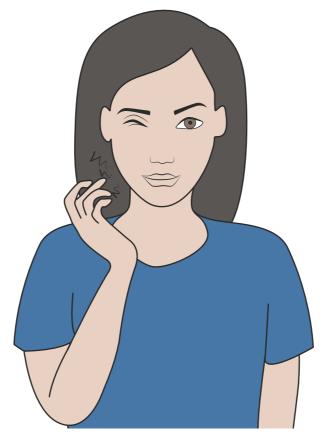
It tastes funny

The dentist rinses my mouth out with water.



The dental assistant sucks up the water at the same time.

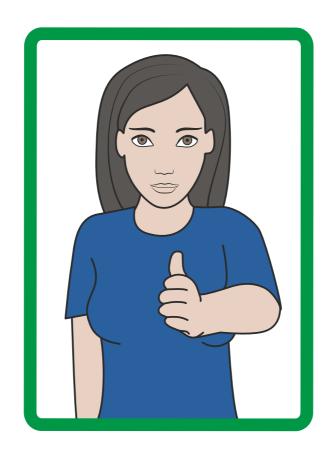
I have a funny feeling in my mouth.



It does not hurt when the dentist touches my tooth.

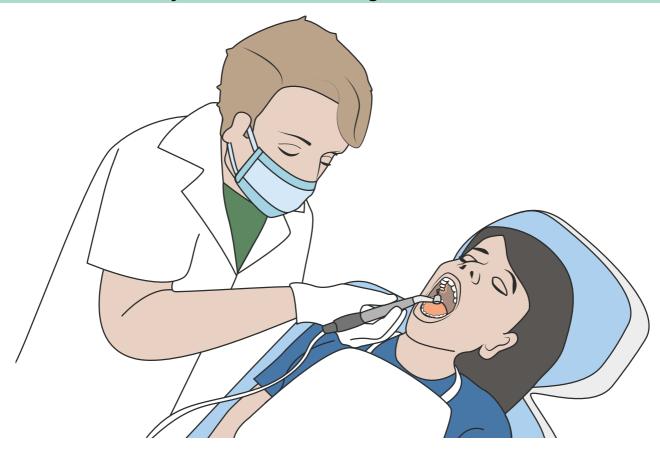


I can't feel anything.



The dentist removes the cavity

He removes the cavity with a small vibrating machine.



The machine also puts water and air in my mouth.



Then the dentist fills the hole in my tooth.

The dentist can use the air blower to dry my teeth.



He puts a product on my tooth.



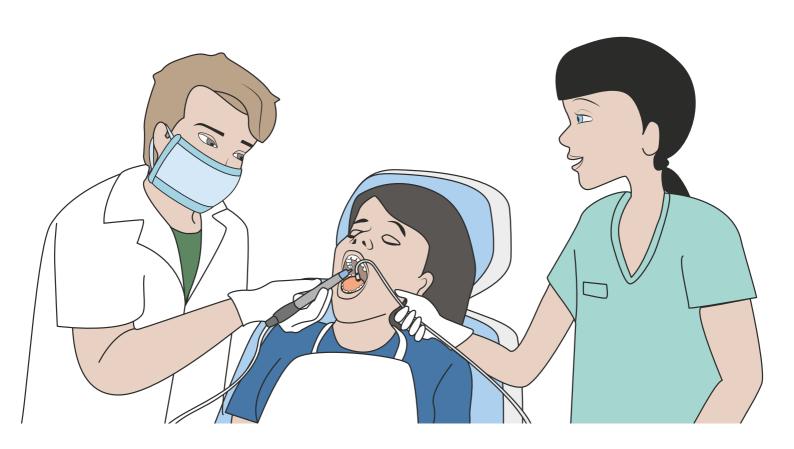
The dentist fills the hole in the tooth with a kind of paste.



He hardens the paste with a blue light.



He rinses my mouth and the assistant sucks up the water.

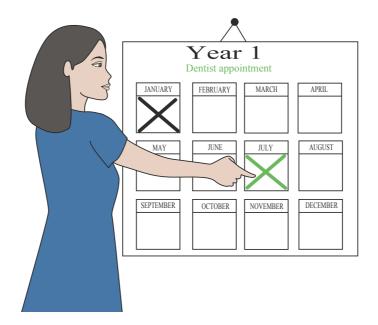


Sometimes he tells me to rinse my own mouth out with water.



I spit in a small sink next to the chair.





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