



A crown was placed on one or more of your child's teeth today.

The indication for the use of crowns over conventional dental fillings is that when major decay is removed, it is necessary to protect the entire tooth against breakage during chewing. Large conventional fillings may not withstand the tremendous biting pressure in children. A stainless steel or Zirconia crown is more likely to do so.

Once a crown is placed on a primary (baby) tooth, the tooth will still be able to exfoliate (fall out) just like a normal tooth without a crown.

If a crown falls off, please place it in a zip-lock and bring it to the office. It will have to be recemented.



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