



# Checklist *for* Amalgam Removal

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1. Compatibility (allergy) testing for replacement materials.
2. In the surgery environment:
  - a. Amalgams are removed sequentially
  - b. Rubber dam is used to collect amalgam and isolate the teeth
  - c. High speed suction & high speed burs are used
  - d. Oxygen administration while removing amalgams to prevent inhalation of mercury vapour.
3. Quality control check after the last amalgam is removed to ensure total amalgam removal has taken place.
4. Additional chelating agents available to help in excretion of mercury in conjunction with detox program.

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