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### Dental Aftercare

Your pet had their teeth cleaned today with general anesthesia. Your pet's behavior may be altered for the first 24 hours following surgery. Your pet may be sleepy, wobbly and have glossy eyes. Listed below are instructions on how to provide a smooth and relaxing recovery.

- Tonight give your pet a small amount of food after 6pm. Your pet may not feel like eating tonight this is normal behavior and to be expected.
- If your pet had extractions their mouth may be sore from the cleaning and would benefit from canned food, or softened food for a couple days following the procedure.
- Pain medication is available thru our office if you feel that your pet needs more pain medication please call our office. **DO NOT GIVE ASPIRIN OR TYLENOL AS THEY MAY BE TOXIC OR EVEN FATAL TO YOUR PET.**

Good teeth and gums are very important to the health of your pet. The average pet lives 2-3 years longer with healthy teeth than those with dental disease. Bad teeth can lead to heart disease, liver and kidney failure and many other diseases. Your pet's teeth need yearly dental exams to maintain healthy teeth and gums. Your pet has received a professional dental treatment which includes the following procedures a complete scaling, sub gingival curettage, fluoride treatment and polishing to help prevent disease and reduce the rate of plaque build up.

Your pet's recovery is very important to us, complications from routine dental cleanings are rare, however if you have any questions or concerns please contact our office immediately so that we may provide you with assisting you pet with a smooth recovery.

For after hour questions you may contact Treva @ 602-688-0549. In the event you have an emergency after hours and we are not available, you may contact Scottsdale Veterinary Clinic at 480-945-8484, they are located at 7311 E Thomas Rd.

Pick up time today for your pet will be between 3-4 pm.  
Your technician today was: \_\_\_\_\_