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**Anesthetic Post-Op Instructions**

The length of time you experience numbness varies, depending on the type and amount of anesthetic you've received and the area that was anesthetized. While your mouth is numb, you'll want to be careful not to bite your cheek, lip or tongue. For this reason, it is important that you do not have any foods that require chewing while your mouth is numb. The numbness should subside within a few hours. If it doesn't, contact the office.