



ARTISTIC WORKS
DENTISTRY

COMPOSITE (WHITE) FILLING

Cavities tend to occur when plaque builds up on your teeth and destroys the tooth enamel. We remove the decayed areas, then fill or cover the now cleared section of the tooth. When we fill a small cavity, we use a composite resin material that will match the shade of your existing teeth. These tooth-colored fillings ensure that your smile has a consistent appearance.

Things to expect after treatment:

- When using a local anesthetic to thoroughly numb the treated area, numbness in your lips, teeth, and tongue may last for several hours following the procedure.
*Do not eat or chew anything until the feeling in your mouth has returned to normal in order to avoid damage to your tongue and lips.
- To experience some hot, cold, or pressure sensitivity for the first few weeks following the procedure.
- If your gums are swollen or sore, rinsing with warm salt water may help to alleviate discomfort and swelling.
*Dissolve a teaspoon of salt in a cup of warm water. Gently swish the water around the treated area without swallowing.

Notify our office if any of the following occurs:

- Your bite does not feel properly balanced. It will feel as if the filling is too high, as if you are hitting the filling first when biting down.
- Discomfort or pain persists from hot or cold temperatures.

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WARRANTY INFORMATION

At Artistic Works Dentistry we are confident in our work, which is why we provide our patients with a warranty on all our dental services. We guarantee our work for 3-5 years, depending on the service. The warranty begins on the date that treatment was rendered. In order to remain eligible for a warranty, it is the patient's responsibility to maintain all recommended hygiene appointments. In the event that the patient is unable to maintain appointments or the patient fails to reschedule an appointment at least 2 business days prior to, the warranty is forfeited. Warranty does not cover tooth alterations as a result of forceful impact.

Our mission is 'To assist others in achieving optimal dental health by providing high quality services that proved long term oral health'.