



Detailed Summary of Dog and Cat Dental Visits

Our goal is to preserve teeth, extract only those that are terribly diseased or present a threat to your pet's health and comfort. During the oral examination and dental cleaning it is common to identify additional, unanticipated disease associated with your pet's teeth and oral cavity. Many conditions can and should be treated at the time of discovery;

others may require follow-up dental appointments, anesthesia and surgery. Once your pet's mouth is restored to a healthy condition, we will advise you how to perform preventative home dental care.

Before the Procedure

- ✓ All patients must have had an examination and blood test performed within 60 days of anesthesia
- ✓ Medical Care Plan: explained and discussed in detail

Day of the Procedure

- ✓ Pre-surgical examination
- ✓ Pre-anesthetic assessment

Your pet will receive the highest level of care and support available during their dental cleaning at Juanita Bay Veterinary Hospital. The list below insures the best level of safety and treatment. We do not offer lower cost dentistry services achieved by cutting corners in safety, comfort or quality of care.

During the Procedure

- Pre-anesthetic sedation
- Pre-anesthetic pain medication
- IV catheterization with IV fluid support therapy
- Precision IV infusion pump
- Anesthesia- inhalant Sevoflurane gas
- Electronic monitoring of vital signs: Electrocardiogram, Pulse Oximetry, Blood pressure, EtO₂, temperature
- Skilled nursing monitor of vital signs
- Temperature therapy: warm air blanket to insulate and maintain body temp. and comfort
- Oral examination- while under anesthesia
- Oral charting of each tooth
- Intra- oral digital radiographs & interpretation
- Ultrasonic scaling and polishing
- Chlorhexidine oral rinse and gum treatments as needed
- Post dentistry intra-oral close up digital photograph
- Patient recovery – with a licensed Veterinary Technician
- Patient discharge performed with technician describing procedure and individualized home care instructions
- Care call one day after patient arrives home to check on progress and comfort
- Medical progress examination with doctor if necessary