

Frequently asked questions:

1. What does this treatment cost?

That varies according to the treatment. Your dentist can give you a good estimate of the costs. Ask your dentist in advance for a price.

2. Does my insurance cover the costs?

Nowadays that depends on your insurance. We advise you to contact your insurance.

3. Approximately how long does the treatment take?

That always depends on the situation. On average, such a treatment takes 1 hour.

4. Can I eat immediately after the treatment?

No problem. As soon as the dentist is finished you can eat anything you like.

5. Will I need to be anaesthetised?

No, this treatment is generally completely painless.

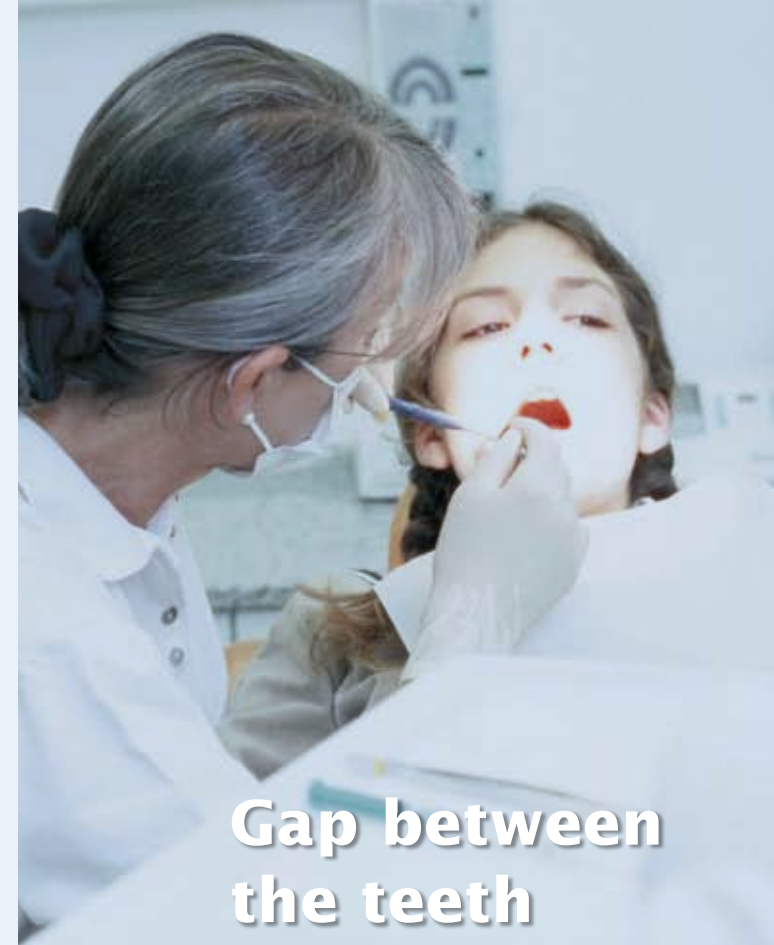


Date treatment: _____

Time: _____

Additional Information: _____

Dentist stamp



Gap between the teeth



What can my dentist do about it?



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Are you
embarrassed by
a gap or gaps
between your
teeth or does
it bother you?
Fortunately,
your dentist
can generally
do something
about it quite
easily.



This folder was produced
by Cavex Holland BV in
consultation with
dentists.

By making both teeth a little
broader by the (unnoticeable)
use of composite, the gap
can be narrowed or even
completely closed.

Thanks to this technique,
it is possible to have this
“inconvenience” corrected in
just one visit to the dentist.

This is not only a fast
solution, but also a relatively
affordable one.

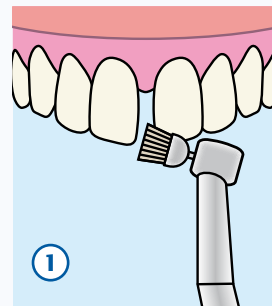
The alternative is to wear
a brace to force the teeth
together.

The aim of this folder is to inform
patients about the possibilities of
modern dentistry. For more informa-
tion you can visit our website:

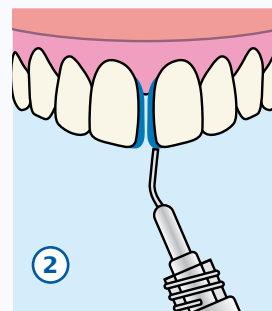
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What precisely will the dentist do?

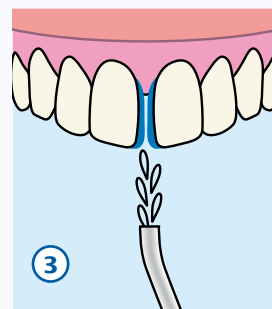
Step 1. The dentist will start
by thoroughly cleaning the
teeth.



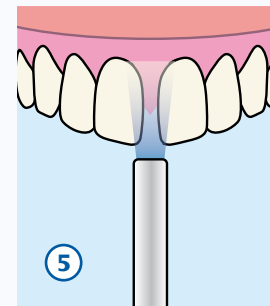
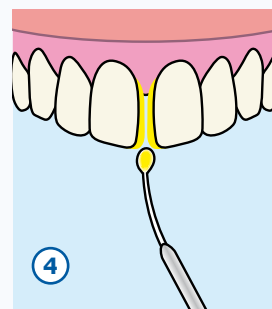
Step 2. After cleaning, the
dentist applies a liquid that
roughens the enamel of the
tooth. We call this etching.
This etching ensures that the
composite remains better
attached to the tooth.



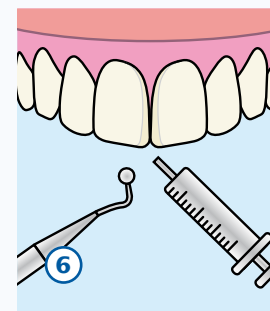
Step 3. The etching liquid is
rinsed away with water, after
which the dentist thoroughly
blows it dry.



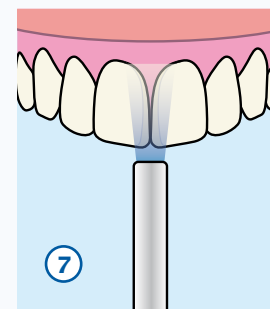
Step 4. In order to be able to
fix composite to the teeth, a
layer of “glue” is first applied,
also known as ‘bonding’.



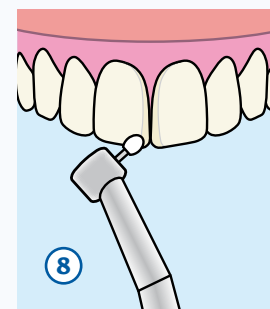
Step 5. After applying the
bonding, the dentist will
shine a blue light on it,
which makes the adhesive
layer strong.



Step 6. The composite can
now be applied. The dentist
builds up the tooth layer
by layer and models the
composite into the right
shape.



Step 7. The composite is
now hardened with the blue
light.



Step 8. After the tooth has
been repaired, the dentist
will grind and polish the
tooth.

*The method above is a
possibility for improving your
situation. There are often
other methods available.
Ask your dentist about the
alternative possibilities and
discuss the most appropriate*