

Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Operative Note

Surgeons: List health-care personnel directly involved in the patient's care.
(Student, Resident, Faculty overseeing care.)

Anesthesia: Describe type and dosage of anesthetic given.
(Local anesthetic – Lidocaine 2% with 1:100,000 Epi X 1.8 ccs, IV sedation with Versed 2mg, Fentanyl 50 mcg.)

EBL: Estimated blood loss, usually minimal, if significant, quantify in mLs.
(Minimal, <25 ccs, 250 ccs.)

Complications: List any adverse events during the procedure.
(Syncope episode, seizure, retained root tip, displacement of the tooth into the maxillary sinus.)

Post-Op Instructions: Document that post-op instructions were given to the patient verbally and in written form.
(POI given written and verbal with extra gauze.)

Disposition: Where the patient will be going immediately upon discharge from the clinic.
(To home, emergency department for further evaluation, to OR for drainage procedure.)

Rx: Medications prescribed, include dosage and schedule.
(Lortab 7.5/500 #30 1 tab q4-6h prn pain, Pen VK 500mg #30 1 tab PO qid for 1 week)

RTC: Return to clinic appointment. For routine dentoalveolar walk-in patient, follow-up is not necessary unless complications or clinical situations dictate otherwise. For elective surgical procedures or pre-prosthetic procedures with placement of interim prosthesis, follow-up is indicated.
(RTC in 7 days for follow-up xray for retained root tip.)