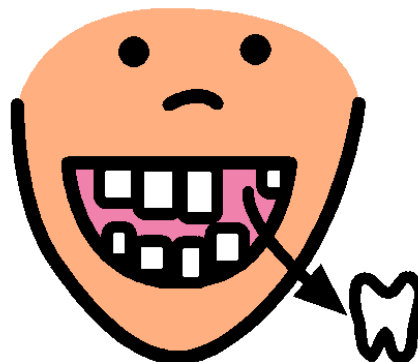


Tooth extraction

Sometimes my tooth is very unhealthy and can't be saved. Sometimes I have a baby tooth that doesn't want to fall out.



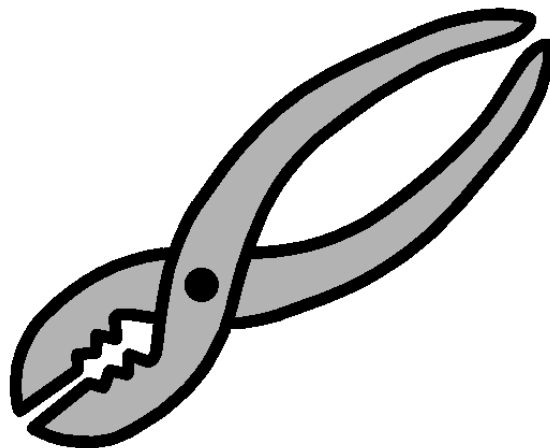
When this happens, the dentist needs to pull my tooth out.



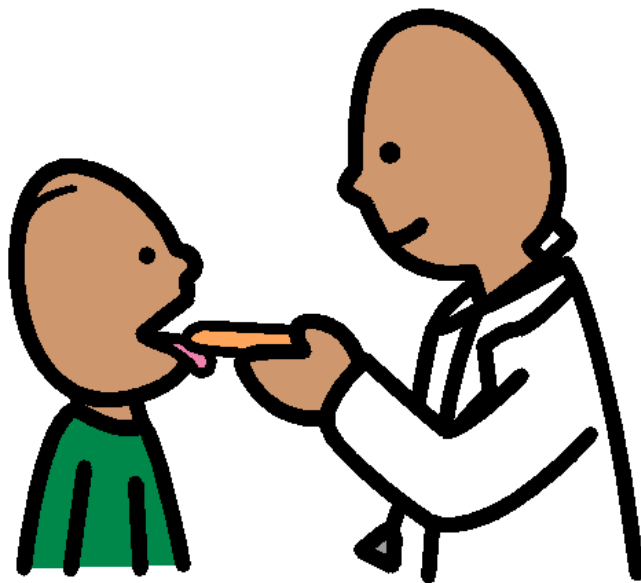
To pull my tooth out, the dentist will numb my mouth using a needle.



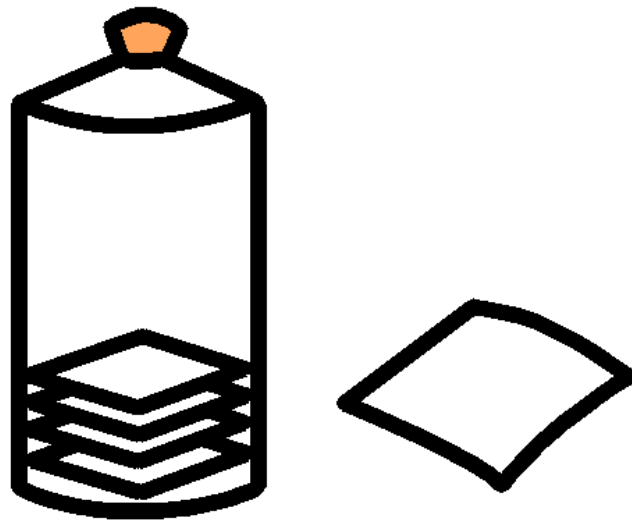
Once my mouth is numb, the dentist will use different instruments to help pull it out.



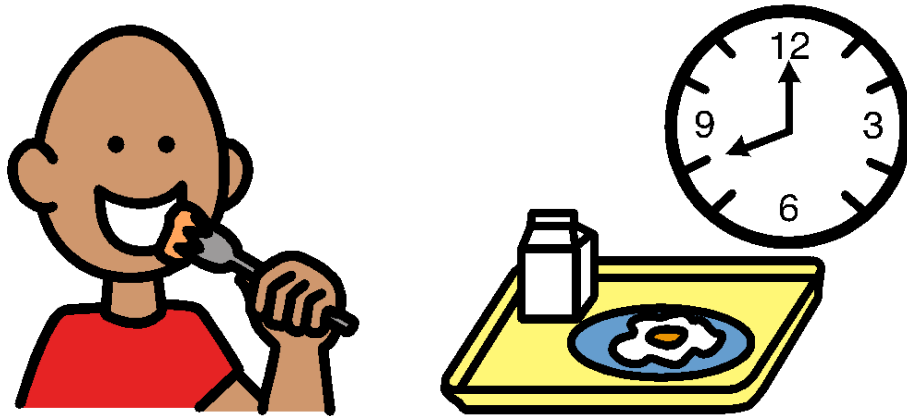
The dentist will slowly start to loosen my tooth. When the dentist is pulling my tooth out, I won't feel any pain. I will feel some pressure, and pushing and pulling sensation.



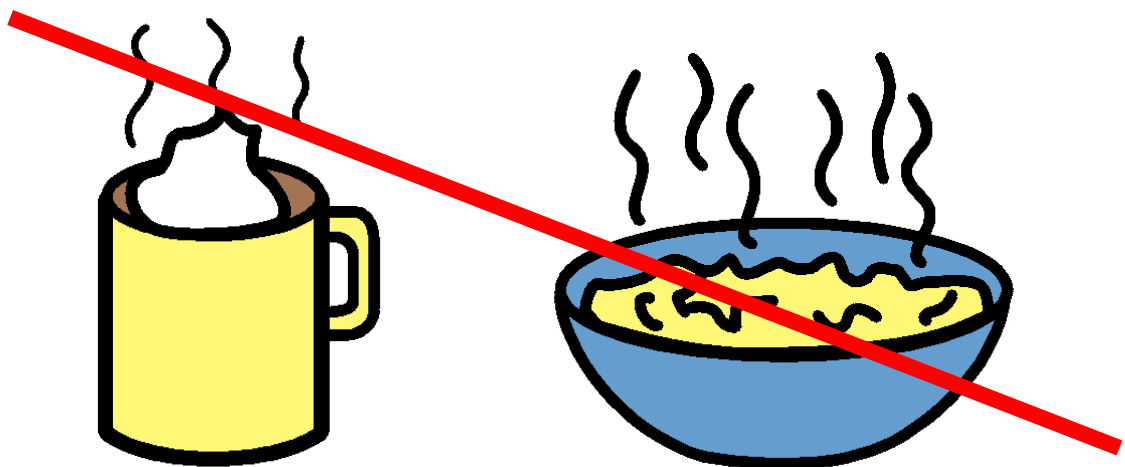
Once my tooth is gone, the dentist will put a big tissue in my mouth to bite down on to help stop my gums from bleeding. This tissue also helps my tongue not touch where the tooth came out. The dentist will tell me when I can take the tissue out.



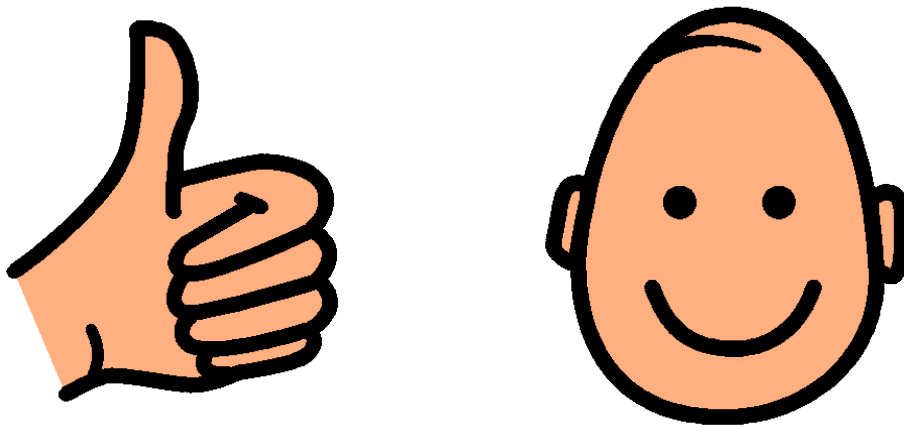
When the dentist is finished, they will tell me what I can eat once my mouth isn't numb anymore.



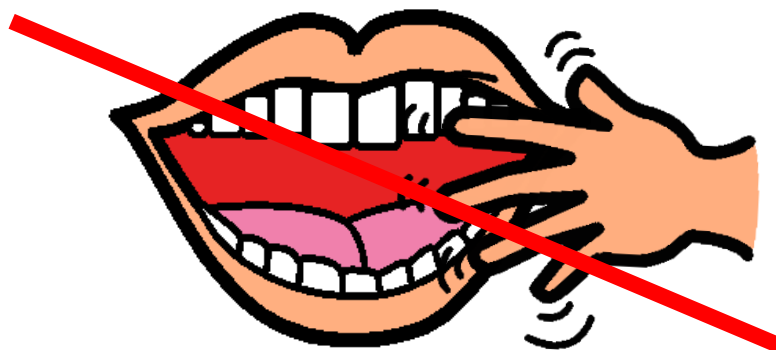
It's best to not have any hot food or drinks.



The dentist will also tell me what I can do to help my mouth feel better.



I can try my best to not put my fingers in my mouth as this might make my mouth feel sore.



Everyone will be proud of me for getting my
tooth pulled out.

