

Harley Day Surgery

Patient Information

When You Go Home

Allow yourself time to recover and rest during the first 24 hours.

Things to avoid:

- Signing important documents
- Drinking alcohol and smoking
- Operating machinery/driving a car
- Any strenuous activity
- Looking after small children

Post-Operative Phone Call

One of our nurses will call you in the first couple of days following your procedure to check how you are going and get some feedback about your admission.

Your clinician will schedule any required post-operative appointments.

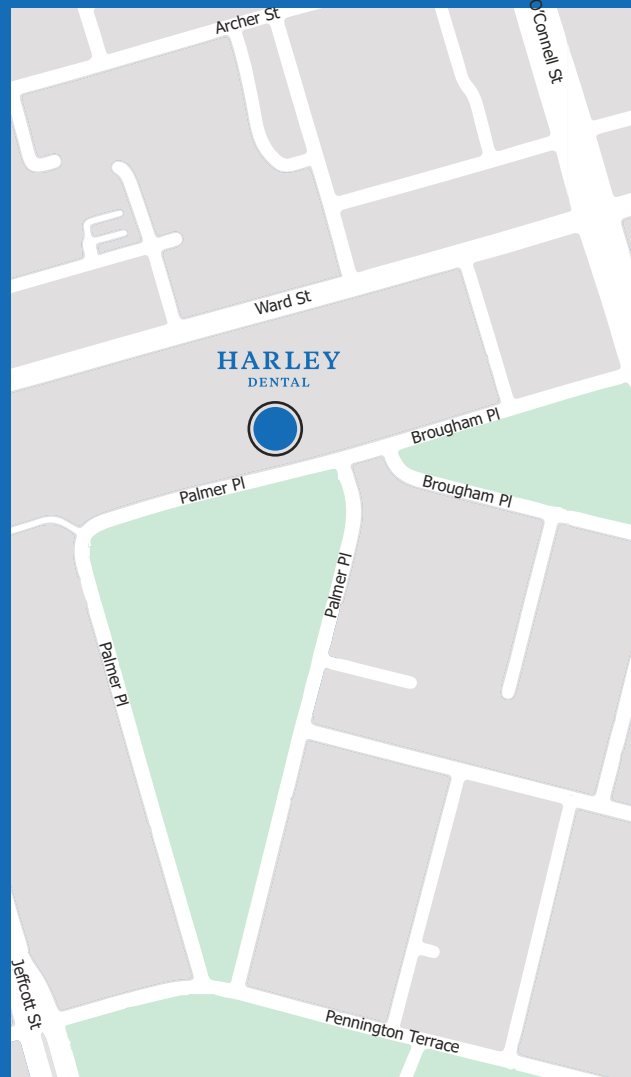
Our Commitment To You

The Harley Day Surgery was set up to offer the highest possible standard of care for our patients.

If you as a patient or your family members need information or assistance in resolving issues concerning your admission, please feel free to call our Manager on 8239 0000.

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Location



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Before Admission

Your clinician will provide you with the pre-admission, consent and health assessment forms. Please complete both sides of these and drop them in or post them. This will enable our staff to register your details and minimise any delays on admission.

Payment

Our admissions staff will advise you of any out of pocket costs prior to your procedure. You will receive separate accounts from your clinician and anaesthetist.

We accept cash, Visa, Mastercard and EFTPOS.

Feeling Unwell Days Before Procedure

If you develop a cough, cold or any other illness, you should contact your clinician and the day surgery as your procedure may need to be postponed.

Pre-Operative Phone Call

One or two days prior to your procedure you will receive a phone call from our nursing staff.

The nurse will advise the following:

- Your arrival time
- Your fasting times
- Your transport and parking arrangements
- Length of time you can expect to stay

The nurse will discuss with you:

- Any previous illnesses and operations
- Any allergies to food or medicines
- Any special dietary requirements

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- Who is taking you home and staying with you on the night of your procedure

This is an opportunity for you to ask any questions you have about your admission and care that you will need. This call will take approximately 10 minutes.

Day of Procedure

- Shower or bath - you may use deodorant, but do not use talcum powder, face creams, makeup, perfumes or after shave
- You may wear your wedding ring, but leave all other jewellery at home
- Wear comfortable clothing
- It is important to continue all your normal medications unless you have been instructed otherwise
- If you have diabetes or are taking blood thinning medication, you will need to discuss the management of your medications with your clinician and anaesthetist

On Arrival

Park on Palmer Place/surrounding streets and report to reception upon entry for admission. Our reception staff will confirm your admission details and accept payment for any out of pocket costs.

Day Surgery Admission

Our nursing staff will prepare you for your procedure. This will include confirming your personal details, taking your observations and checking your consent form.

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Anaesthetic

You will have a private consultation with the anaesthetist before your procedure. They will ask you about your general health, allergies, current medications and any previous surgery or illnesses. You may be asked to sign a consent form for the anaesthetist.

During your procedure you will be monitored by the anaesthetist.

Procedure

The procedure will be performed under IV Sedation or Local Anaesthetic.

In the procedure room you may be aware of noises from the equipment or the voices of the staff and you will see the nurses setting up the sterile equipment for your procedure.

Recovery

After your procedure you will be moved to a comfortable recliner chair and you will be monitored by a recovery registered nurse. You will be given something to drink.

When you are ready, you will be given discharge instructions and may then be taken home accompanied by a responsible adult.

