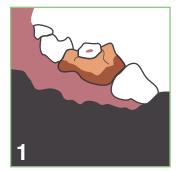
RediHeal Dental Application Technique Guide



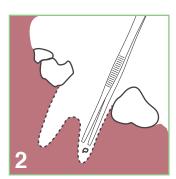
Tooth extractions can be very challenging, and are rarely a simple procedure. RediHeal Dental helps minimize the complications that come with tooth extraction with a streamlined, "place, pack, suture" approach.

Indications for Use: RediHeal Dental is intended for use in any tooth extraction site, especially those with significant trauma and/or multi tooth extractions. Additional applications could include but are not limited to: infrabony pockets caused by periodontal disease, oronasal fistulas, and endodontic/periodontic lesions.

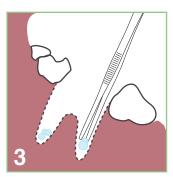
Expected Results: RediHeal Dental will promote healthy bone growth, especially in deeper, multi-tooth extractions. Its unique formulation also provides for faster healing of any extraction sites, while minimizing your risk of fistulas or infection.



Loosen and extract each tooth/tooth root in a manner appropriate for your case.



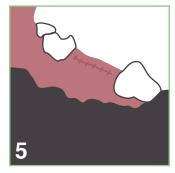
Remove any sharp, bony projections, non-viable bone pieces, and non-viable tissue. Gently curette the area to remove any remaining fragments.



Once the tooth has been extracted, the aim is to promote the best healing of the socket. To do this, place a small amount of RediHeal Dental in each extraction site.*



Make an attempt to pack a small bit of material in or near each tooth root if possible.



Suture a flap over the packed RediHeal if possible. If a flap is not being used, we recommend a slightly denser "pack" of the RediHeal material to hold it in place.



That's it! RediHeal Dental is fully resorbable and does not need to be removed.

*Keep in mind that one dental pod is sized for one large (40lb) canine molar. Smaller extraction sites (such as a feline molar) may only require 1/2 of a pod; remaining material may be used in additional teeth or even additional cases. RediHeal does not need to be densely packed into a site to be effective.

Looking for a handout you can give your clients?

Be sure to check out our Pet Parent Guide for RediHeal Dental Extraction Home Care.



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Frequently Asked Questions

What does RediHeal do?

RediHeal Dental is a dental extraction packing material that promotes healthy bone growth and soft tissue healing. Its unique combination of ions also slows bleeding and fights infections without the use of antibiotics or steroids.

When should I use RediHeal Dental?

RediHeal is truly designed to benefit healing in any extraction site, whether it's a simple single tooth or a complicated multi-tooth site. We also highly recommend it in any extraction site where you feel the formation of a fistula might be a possibility; RediHeal will help to fight infection and potentially prevent the fistula from forming.

How is this different from other dental extraction packing products?

Most of the commonly used dental extraction packing products available today are designed primarily as hemostats. While these are certainly appropriate products to use when excessive bleeding is an issue, no other product promotes rapid healing the way RediHeal is designed to – up to 30-50% faster, in fact. Used to using alternate methods of promoting bone in an extraction site? Not only will you find RediHeal to be more cost effective, its formulation is far easier to handle – and offers faster results.

How much RediHeal should I use?

One dental pod is sized for a large (40lb) canine molar. Not doing an extraction that large? Pods may be cut down in half, or even in thirds, for smaller extraction sites. We recommend providing a complete, but light, packing of each void – the material does not need to be densely packed. Keep in mind that this is a "once and done" product, with most cases requiring only a single application.

Do I have to suture over the material?

We do recommend it, as it will help hold the RediHeal in place. However, if you choose not to use sutures (or sutures are not an option), you will want to pack the RediHeal in a bit more densely to hold it in place.

Does RediHeal resorb?

Yes, RediHeal is fully resorbable and will never need to be removed.

How should RediHeal be stored?

RediHeal is shelf stable, with a shelf life of five years. Did you open a pod but not use all of it? Simply place the remainder in a container for future use; we prefer small, plastic containers to prevent the material from being crushed.

Who do I call with additional questions?

We are always here to help! Give us a call at 888-289-1890, or drop us a line at avalon@avalonmed.com. We're happy to walk you through more details.

