

## Re: Is this Dry Socket?

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- *From:* "Sdores" <[sdores@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:sdores@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Thu, 4 Jan 2007 18:40:30 -0500
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I would think you can eat and drink anything by now. Steven Bornfield would you please chime in here? Afterwards though I would rinse with warm water and salt like you are doing. I never stopped my coffee or at that time I was drinking sodas and all kinds of things. I ate normal the following day for one extraction. Unfortunately for me I had to have a whole bunch removed the same day and an upper denture and a bridge put in after the teeth was removed. That took quite a few days to be able to get more than liquids in. UM MOM Susan

<[rourke\\_stephen@xxxxxxxxxx](mailto:rourke_stephen@xxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message  
[news:1167953635.255008.138870@xx](mailto:news:1167953635.255008.138870@xx)

Is it ok to drink what you want now? I try and drink through the other side -dont want cold touching the piece of bone. I dont drink alcohol ever.

Gone from about 10 cups of coffee a day, to 0 most days. Drinking milk alot. Eaten only one thing today - sausage roll, but I dont think any of it touched the hole. Wasnt worth eating actually, I just swallowed most of it.

[rourke\\_stephen@xxxxxxxxxx](mailto:rourke_stephen@xxxxxxxxxx) wrote:

I have a bad taste occasionally, and the hole is still big, and there is bone, but no pain at all. I am taking amoxicillen and ibrufen/paracetamol.

Its Day 9. Should I be safe now? I do the salt-water alot, keep it clean. I'm told 3-4 days, 10-14 days, dentist says I could still get one. Dont know what to believe!

I must've lost ALOT of weight in the last week or 2! Definetly made up for xmas day!

Sdores wrote:

Sorry tooth extraction takes time esp. a big hole. Then even long for the

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hole to 'fill in'. If you are out of pain now just take care of it,  
keep it  
clean. If you still have stuff coming out, blood clots don't  
suck on  
things  
like a straw. Sometime bone fragments will come out, this I  
am told is  
normal. UM MOM Susan

<rourke\_stephen@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
[news:1167917113.311252.201800@xx](mailto:news:1167917113.311252.201800@xx)

Seen my new dentist before, 2 appointments  
for fillings from end of  
January.

She looked at the hole from the tooth I had  
out, and said its healing  
well. She said I could still get Dry-socket  
though, even though its  
day  
9.

rourke\_stephen@xxxxxxxx wrote:

OK, sorry! My mum and  
dad both have them, and  
they never complain of  
toothache.

Anyway, since the clover oil  
stuff came out yesterday,  
24hrs ago,  
I've  
had no pain whatsoever.  
Its difficult to eat/drink  
because I can feel the hole,  
everytime I  
try  
and swallow. Like its  
sucking my cheek if you  
know what I mean. But  
not  
painful!

I got Amoxycillen, 250mg  
of my GP last night. And its  
now 8 days  
since  
I got the tooth out – the hole  
is still massive, but its

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starting to  
go  
soft.  
Does this mean its healing  
and I never had or going to  
get Dry  
Socket?  
Maybe the dentist just gave  
the clover oil tobacco just to  
shut me  
up,  
I hope thats the case.

I looked at storys online,  
and some people say you  
arent safe from  
Dry-Socket until 10-14  
days after.

Stephen

PS. Examination with a new  
dentist tomorrow! No more  
emergency-dentists  
who cant wait to get rid of  
me.

Mark & Steven Bornfeld  
wrote:

rourke\_stephen@xxxxxxxxxx  
wrote:

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Eat,  
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That's what  
YOU think.  
Talk to  
some  
denture  
wearers, ask  
if they  
can  
eat  
anything.

Steve

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