Coming for dental day surgery

Easy Read Information Leaflet
It is important to keep your teeth and gums healthy.

This leaflet tells you what happens when you go for a dental surgery.

Remember to bring your letter.

Go to the reception desk in the dental clinic.

You may need to wait for some time until the nurse calls out your name.

The nurse will check your blood pressure.

The nurse will put a band on your arm. The band will get very tight.
The nurse may put some cream on to make your skin numb, so the needle will not hurt me.

The nurse will put a thin needle with a plastic tube into the back of your hand.

The doctor will talk to you before the nurse takes you to the operation theatre.

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Nurse will ask you to lie down on the bed.
Your dental treatment is carried out while you are sleeping.

When you wake up you may have a needle in your hand.

The nurse will come and take it out later.

You should stay in the hospital until the doctor says you are ok to go home.

The nurse will ask you if you would like something to eat.
The nurse will let you know when your carer can take you home.

The nurse will give you, your parent or carer a sheet with more advice for you to follow at home.