

Soft Tissue Grafting

These procedures are used to cover exposed root surfaces and increase the thickness of thin gum tissue.

Tissue is either harvested from the roof of the mouth or a human donor tissue is taken from the shelf (Alloderm)

You may have the procedure carried out under local anesthetic (freezing injection) +/- oral or IV sedation (relaxing medication)

The procedure normally takes 1-2 hours depending on how many teeth are to be treated and expect a little swelling and soreness for 2-5 days after the surgery

You will have to return for suture removal at 2 weeks and review exam at 12 weeks

Case Examples

Before



After

