

NARRATIVE: Root Canal Therapy

Based on patient symptoms and pulpal/apical diagnosis, root canal therapy was performed on tooth [#X] in order to maintain the presence of natural dentition. The patient presented to the office with...

Please use the appropriate and accurate reasons for root canal treatment from list below:

- Tooth presented with decay to the pulp
- Tooth presented with pulp exposure following trauma
- Tooth presented with pulpal involvement following history of trauma
- Tooth presented with pulpal involvement following previous dental treatment
- Symptoms:
 - Spontaneous pain
 - Lingering pain
 - Pain to percussion
 - Pain to palpation
 - Swelling
 - Sinus tract/Abscess
- Tooth diagnosis (Pulp):
 - Symptomatic irreversible pulpitis
 - Asymptomatic irreversible pulpitis
 - Pulpal necrosis
 - Previous Root canal
- Tooth diagnosis (Apical):
 - Symptomatic apical tissue
 - Asymptomatic apical tissue
 - Chronic apical abscess
 - Acute apical abscess

Following root canal therapy, tooth [#X] was restored with a build-up, and [was/will be] restored to proper form and function with a full coverage crown and to prevent fracture of natural tooth structure and potential loss of the tooth.

EXAMPLE:

Based on patient symptoms and pulpal/apical diagnosis, root canal therapy was performed on tooth #13 in order to maintain the presence of natural dentition. The patient presented to the office with decay to the pulp. Pt reported spontaneous, lingering pain. Buccal swelling was present. Tooth had pain to percussion and palpation. Tooth #13 was diagnosed with Symptomatic irreversible pulpitis with acute apical abscess. Following root canal therapy, tooth #13 was restored with a build-up, and restored to proper form and function with a full coverage crown and to prevent fracture of natural tooth structure and potential loss of the tooth.