



How to brush your teeth

Brush twice a day with a soft toothbrush and fluoride toothpaste. Spit don't rinse.

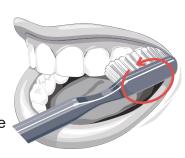
1 Correct angle

Start by holding the toothbrush sideways at a 45 degree angle where the gums and teeth meet.



2 Correct action

Make sure the bristles touch both the tooth and gumline. Use gentle circular motions to brush all the surfaces of each tooth.



3 Outer surfaces

Spend about 10 seconds on each tooth before moving to the next. Repeat until all upper and lower teeth are clean.



4 Inner surfaces

Continue to use circular motions to brush inner surfaces of upper and lower teeth.



5 Biting surfaces

Use back and forth strokes to clean the upper and lower teeth.



6 Brush tongue

Brush from back to front to remove plaque, which can cause bad breath.



For further information please discuss with your dental practitioner.

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