

CLEAN AND STORE DENTURES



[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=3ZVTS-KEHRA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3ZVTS-KEHRA)

For the HCA skills test

the client is sitting at a table or lying in bed while this care is provided.

TO SUCCESSFULLY DEMONSTRATE THIS SKILL YOU NEED

- Use S.W.I.P.E.S. Communications / Client Rights and Common Care Practice Skills
 - Assemble appropriate equipment (for the test no assisting device)
 - Wash hands
 - Identify yourself
 - Provide privacy
 - Explain the procedure to the patient

SUPPLIES



Put on gloves (wash your hands first)





Use technique to reduce the risk of denture breakage if dropped during cleaning (e.g., brushing denture directly over sink lined with washcloth / paper towel / towel, filled with water inside basin)

Prevent contamination of denture throughout procedure (e.g., floating in sink water or setting denture directly on unprotected surface)



Obtain dentures from client. If the client is unable to remove them, gently remove dentures from the client's mouth. Take the lower denture out first, then the upper denture



RINSE DENTURE IN
COOL RUNNING
WATER BEFORE
BRUSHING

Apply toothpaste or denture cleanser to toothbrush



Brush dentures on all surfaces



Rinse all surfaces
of denture under
cool, running water

Assist client with replacing or storing dentures



Rinse
denture
cup
before
putting
denture
s in it



Place
dentures in
clean denture
cup with
solution or
cool water

Dispose of sink liner or other soiled items.

Remove and dispose of gloves.

Wash hands

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