7-DAY DENTAL IMPLANT RECOVERY CHECKLIST

DAY 0: SURGERY DAY □ REST FULLY AT HOME ☐ ICE ON/OFF FOR 20 MINS □ BITE GAUZE 30-60 MINS ☐ EAT MUSHY FOODS (YOGURT) □ NO DRIVING IF SEDATED **DAYS** 1-2 □ ICE FIRST 48 HRS, THEN WARM PACKS ☐ TAKE IBUPROFEN FOR PAIN □ SIP COOL SMOOTHIES/PUDDING □ SALTWATER RINSE AFTER DAY 1 □ SLEEP WITH HEAD PROPPED UP **DAYS** 1-2 □ EAT SQUISHY FOODS (MASHED POTATOES, EGGS) □ BRUSH GENTLY, SKIP SORE SPOT □ SHORT WALKS OK ☐ RINSE 2-3X DAILY **DAYS 3-4** □ EAT SQUISHY FOODS (MASHED POTATOES, EGGS) □ BRUSH GENTLY, SKIP SORE SPOT □ SHORT WALKS OK □ RINSE 2-3X DAILY **DAYS 3-4** □ BRUSH AND FLOSS GENTLY □ LIGHT ACTIVITIES/WORK □ ATTEND CHECK-UP

☐ TRANSITION TO SOFTER REAL FOODS