

Helpful Spanish Dental Phrases for SRJC Clinic

Hello:

Hola	O-lah
Buenos días (until noon)	BWEY-nos DEE-ahs
Buenas tardes (until 6pm)	BWEY-nas TAR-theys
Buenas noches	BWEY-nas NO-chase

How are you?

Como está?	Komo- aesh-TAH
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My name is----

Me llamo----	may-YAH-mo-----
Soy---	soy----
Mi nombre es---	mee NOME-bray ess

What is your name?

Como te llamas	como tay YAH-mahs
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I want to clean your teeth

Quiero limpiar tus dientes	KEY-air-o LEEM-pee-ahr tuus dee-EN-tays
Quiero limpiar sus dientes(proper version)	KEY-air-o LEEM-pee-ahr suus dee-EN-tays

It won't hurt

No le va doler	no lay vah do-LOHR
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Does it hurt?

Tiene dolor?	TEE-ehn-ay do-LOHR
Siente algun dolor	

Are you ok?

Estas bien?	aestAH- bee-EN?
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How are you feeling?

Como se siente (proper version)	Komoh- SEH- see-EN-teh?
Como te sientes	

*** (All the following commands could be ended with **por favor** to be more polite)

Sit down

Sientate	see-EHN-tah-tay
Sientese (more formal way)	see-EHN-tah-seh

Lie down

Acuestate	ahh-KWEST-ah-tay
Acuestese (more formal way)	ahh-KWEST-ah-seh

Stand up

Levantate

lay-VAHN-tah-tay

Levanteses (more formal way)

lay-VAHN-tah-seh

Open your mouth

Abre la boca

AH-bray la BOW-kah

Open wider

Abre mas grande

AH-bray mas GRAHN-day

Keep your mouth open

Mantenga la boca abierta

mahn-TEN-gah la bow-ka ah-bee-AIR-tah

Close your mouth

Cierra la boca

si-er-ra la bow-kha

Slowly

Mas despacio

Stay closed

Mantengan la boca serrada (more formal way)

This will take a minute

Esto tomara un minuto

AEsto-TomaRA-on-MEE-noo-to

Look up (head up)

Mira para arriba

MEE-rah pahra ah-REE-bah

Levante el menton

Lift your chin

Levante la barbilla

lay-VAHN-teh lah barb-BEE-yah

Head to the right

Mire a la derecha

MEE-reh ah la day-RAY-cha

Head to the left

Mire a la izquierda

MEE-reh ah la ees-key-EHR-thah

(Teeth) in front

En frente

ehn FREN-tay

Behind

Detras

day-TRAHS

Would you like some water?

Quiere agua

key-AIR-eh ah-gwah

Rinse

Enjuagate la boca

ehn-HWAH geh-seh la BOW-kah

Spit

Escupa

ays-COO-pah

Tongue

La lengua

lah LAYNE-gwah

Gums

encias

en-SEE-ahs

Lip(s)

el/los labio(s)

Tu labio

LAH-bee-o(s)

Plaque

Placa

PLAH-kah

Calculus

Calculo

Sarro

KAHL-ku-lo

SAH-rraw

Your gums are normal

Sus encias estan normales

suus ehn-SEE-yahs es-TAHN nor-MAH-lays

Your gums are red

Sus encias estan roja

suus ehn-SEE-yahs es-TAHN ROWE-hahs

Your gums are bleeding

Sus encias estan sangrando

suus ehn-SEE-yahs es-TAHN
SAHN-grahn-doh**Sealants**

Sellantes

say-YAHN-tehs

To prevent cavities

Para prevenir las caries

PAH-rah pray-vey-NEAR lass CAR-ee-ehs

Dental floss

Hilo dental

EE-low den-TAHL

(tooth) brush

Cepillo (brush)

Cepillar (action-brush)

say-PEE-ho

say-PEE-yar

Mirror

Espejo

ess-PAY-ho

Explorer

Contador

kown-tah-DOHR

Primary teeth

Dientes primarios

dee-EHN-tays prEE-mah-reous

Dientes de leche

dee-EHN-tays deh LehSHE

Permanent teeth

Dientes permanentes

dee-EHN-tays pehr-mahn-EHN-tays