Goals

• Protect the airway

• Transport any avulsed teeth with the patient

Tips

• Do not manipulate/handle the root of the tooth

• Keep the tooth moist

• Dental avulsions or Ellis III fractures require emergent dental care

• Consider associated injuries (e.g. c-spine injuries, facial fractures, airway obstruction)

For tooth fractures or avulsions, transport the tooth in milk, saliva, or saline

Cover the remaining piece of tooth with gauze to prevent infection

Consider analgesia