Botox
Injections
Featuring salivary glands
What Are Botox Injections?
Botox is a chemical used to help stop the extra spit your body is making.

It is injected where you make spit—your salivary glands!

Where are your salivary glands?
You have two major pairs!

They are called the parotid and submandibular glands.
For the procedure, they’ll put you to sleep. You won’t even remember it!
While you're asleep, your team will use an ultrasound machine to see your salivary producing glands.

Then your doctor will use a needle to put Botox into those glands, which will stop them from making so much spit!
Botox acts as a plumber. Your glands are making lots of saliva, so it’s kind of like a leaky pipe creating a flood.

Botox acts as a plumber that comes in to fix the leak and stop the flood!
Think of the chemical Botox as little plumbers going into the gland to help stop it from overflowing!

Yay! Mission accomplished!
After the procedure you’ll wait about two hours to make sure everything’s okay.

After you wake up you may have soreness at your cheeks, dry mouth, or numbness that makes talking sound different.
You and your doctor will work together to decide if you'll need more Botox to fix stubborn leaks. If you do need more Botox, we may have you come back as soon as one month from now, or as long as one year from now.