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We would like to take the opportunity to welcome you and share some insights about what we do for our patients. Our purpose is to help people achieve the highest level of well-being appropriate for them and in so doing, to enhance the quality of their lives. In other words, we help you be or become as healthy as you choose. Instead of telling you how healthy you ought to be, we will try to help you understand your choices about dental health and then let you make a free and informed decision. Your first choice in this regard is how you would like to begin with us. There are five levels on which people may choose to be seen in our practice.

Please check the level of care you feel most appropriate for you at this time.

- Level 1...URGENT CARE
 - People in crisis or with an emergency problem such as pain, swelling or bleeding that need our immediate help are at this level.
- Level 2...REMEDIAL CARE
 - People who choose this level of care desire treatment only when something breaks or becomes uncomfortable. They usually want to correct immediate problems with as little effort and cost as possible.
- Level 3...SELF-CARE
 - Patients who choose this level of care want a thorough examination and take an active part in the treatment and prevention of present and future disease problems. However: they usually choose repair solutions that are short range in nature.
- Level 4...COMPLETE DENTISTRY
 - Patients at this level are similar to people described in level 3. They choose to have a thorough examination. However, they decide on a MASTER PLAN to formulate a long-term treatment plan for health and repair. These patients are very concerned about treating the causes of dental disease, not simply the effects. These patients want all dental treatment provided to be completed in the most lasting fashion as possible.
- Level 5...LOOK YOUR BEST
 - People in this group are in the level 4 as far as dental health is concern, but also want to look their best at all times. They know that their smile is the first thing others notice about them and want to put their best foot forward. They are willing to make the investment necessary for dental health.

We hope these levels make sense to you. It is not uncommon for people to begin at one level and progress to another over time. Thank you for the opportunity to let us serve you and provide you with the best dentistry appropriate for you.

Whom may we thank for referring you to us?

- Billboard
- Family/Friend
- Yellow Pages
- Names & Numbers
- Radio
- Other _____



Patient Information

(Please Print)

Name _____ Date _____ Social Security Number _____
 First MI Last

Email _____ Driver's License Number _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Birthdate _____ Home Phone # _____ Work Phone # _____

Cell Phone # _____ Do you prefer to receive calls at Home Work Cell Any

Are you: Minor Married Divorced Widowed Single Separated

You or your parent's employer _____ Occupation _____

Business Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Spouse's or parent's name _____ Workplace _____ Work Phone # _____

If you are a student, name of school/college _____ City _____ State _____

Person to contact in case of an emergency _____ Phone # _____

Responsible Party

Name of person responsible for this account? _____

Relationship to patient _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Name of employer _____ Work Phone # _____

Insurance Information

Name of insured _____ Relationship to patient _____

Birthdate _____ Social Security # _____ Date employed _____

Name of employer _____ Work Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Insurance Co _____ Group # _____ Employer # _____

Insurance Co Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

How much is your deductible? _____ How much have you used? _____ Max annual benefit? _____

On a Scale of 1-10 – How would you rate your smile? _____

What would make it a "10"? _____

Do you want us to discuss this? _____

HEALTH HISTORY

Date of last health care exam _____ What was this exam for? _____

Have you been hospitalized in the last 5 years? No Yes

If yes, reason _____

Are you currently receiving care? No Yes If yes, nature of care _____

Please list all the names and phone numbers of the physicians who are currently providing you care:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

For the following questions select yes or no. Your answers are for our records only and will be confidential. Please note that during your initial visit you will be asked some questions about your response. Our team may ask additional questions concerning your health.

Heart Murmur (mitral valve prolapse)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Psychosis	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Anemia	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Sore/Enlarged Lymph Nodes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Previous Biopsies	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Epilepsy	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Slow- Healing Mouth Sores	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Hepatitis, Any Form	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Other Infections	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Rheumatic Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Recurrent Illnesses	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Joint Replacement	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
HIV Positive or AIDS Related Complex	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Glaucoma	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Emphysema or other Respiratory Illnesses	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Abnormal Bleeding from a cut	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Abnormal Heart Condition	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Liver Disease (including Jaundice)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Kidney	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Unintentional Weight Loss/Gain	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Heart (Surgery, Disease, Attack)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Latex Sensitivity	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Venereal Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	H.I.V. Infection/AIDS	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes

One or more of the following symptoms may be indicative of Musculoskeletal Dysfunction of the head and neck. If you have any of the following symptoms, please indicate by circling the appropriate areas. (L = Left, R = Right)

Pain in the jaw joint	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Pain in Tongue	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in ear	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Loud Snoring	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain around eyes	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Mouth Breather at Night	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in lower jaw	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Awaken with a Dry Mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in upper jaw	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Inability to Open Mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in neck	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Difficulty Swallowing	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in Shoulder	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Constantly Tired	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in forehead	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Dizziness (Vertigo)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in temples	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Difficulty Chewing	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Pain in facial muscles	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Facial muscle twitch	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R
Clicking or popping sound in joint	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Grating sound in joint	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R
Ringling sound in ears	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R	Fullness, pressure blockage in ears	<input type="checkbox"/> L	<input type="checkbox"/> R

Are you required to Pre- Medicate before dental treatment? No Yes

Women: Are you Pregnant? No Yes

If no, are you planning a pregnancy in the near future? No Yes

Are you a nursing mother? No Yes

Are you taking birth control pills? No Yes

Abnormal Blood Pressure? No Yes

If yes, what is it usually? S _____ /D _____

Are you allergic or have you had a reaction to:

a. Local anesthetics No Yes

b. Penicillin or other antibiotics No Yes

c. Aspirin No Yes

d. Codeine, Valium or other sedatives No Yes

e. Other _____

Are you a smoker? No Yes

If so, how much do you smoke per day? _____

What are your chief complaints? List from most to least important.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

Other symptoms (please write in) _____

Please list any medications you are currently taking.

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

4. _____ 6. _____

FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

I, the patient/guardian, agree to be and hereby am fully responsible for total payment for procedures in this office. I understand that payment for dental services is due regardless of the benefits paid by my insurance company, and that if denied in part or in whole, payment in full becomes my responsibility. I understand that if I cancel or no show for an appointment with less than 24 hours notice, a fee will be charged. Any outstanding balance over 90 days will be turned over to a collection agency. At that time, I understand I will be responsible for the collection fee in the recovery of this debt. I also understand that should credit be extended to myself or family by this dental office, a credit check will be made and I authorize release of all information needed to obtain my financial data.

I understand the above information is necessary to provide me with dental care in a safe and efficient manner. I have answered all questions to the best of my knowledge. Should further information be needed, you have my permission to ask the respective health care provider of agency, who may release such information to you. I will notify the doctor of change in my health and medication.

Patient (Print Name)

Patient Signature

Date

Doctor

Doctor Signature

Date

Thank you for your time!

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW HEALTH INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION.

PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY. THE PRIVACY OF YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT TO US.

OUR LEGAL DUTY

Federal and state law requires us to maintain the privacy of your health information. That law requires us to give you this notice about our privacy practices, our legal duties, and your rights concerning your health information. We must follow the privacy practices we describe in this notice while it is in effect. This notice takes effect April 14, 2003, and will remain in effect until we replace it.

We reserve the right change our privacy practices and the terms of this notice at any time, provided such applicable law permits the changes. We reserve the right to make the changes in our privacy practices and the new terms of our notice effective for all health information that we maintain, including health information we created or received before we made the changes. Before we make a significant change in our privacy practices, we will change this notice and make the new notice available upon request.

You may request a copy of our notice at any time. For more information about our privacy practices, or for additional copies of this notice, please contact us using the information listed at the end of this notice.

USES AND DISCLOSURES OF HEALTH INFORMATION

We use and disclose health information about you for treatment, payment, and health care operations. For example:

Treatment: we may use your health information for treatment or disclose it to a dentist, physician or other health care provider providing treatment to you.

Payment: We may use and disclose your health information to obtain payment for services we provide to you. We may also disclose your health information to another health care provider or entity that is subject to the federal Privacy Rules for its payment activities.

Health Care Operations: We may use and disclose your health information for our health care operations. Health care operations include quality assessment and improvement activities, reviewing the competence or qualifications of health care professionals, evaluating practitioners and provider performance, conducting training programs, accreditation, certification, licensing or credentialing activities. We may disclose your health information to another health care provider or organization that is subject to help these organizations conduct quality assessment and improvement activities, review the competence or qualifications of health care professionals or detect or prevent health care fraud and abuse.

On Your Authorization: You may give us written authorization to use your health information or to disclose it to anyone for any purpose. If you give us an authorization, you may revoke it in writing at any time. Your revocation will not affect any uses or disclosures permitted by your authorization while it was in effect. Unless you give us a written authorization, we cannot use or disclose your health information for any reason except those described in this notice.

To Your Family and Friends: We may disclose your health information to a family member, friend or other person to the extent necessary to help with our health care or with payment for your health care. Before we disclose your health information to these people, we will provide you with an opportunity to object to our use or disclosure. If you are not present, or in the event of your incapacity or an emergency, we will disclose your medical information based on our professional judgment of whether the disclosure would be in your best interest. We may use our professional judgment and our experience with common practice to make reasonable inferences of your best interest in allowing a person to pick up filled prescriptions, medical supplies, x-rays, or other similar forms of health information. We may use or disclose information about you to notify or assist in notifying a person involved in your care of your location and general condition.

Appointment Reminders: We may use or disclose your health information to provide you with appointment reminders (such as voicemail messages, postcards, or letters.)

Disaster Relief: We may use or disclose your health information to a public or private entity authorized by law or by its charter to assist in disaster relief efforts.

Public Benefit: We may use or disclose your medical information as authorized by law for the following purposes deemed to be in the public interest of benefit:

- As required by law;
- For public health activities including disease and vital statistic reporting, child abuse reporting, FDA oversight and to employers regarding work-related illness or injury;
- To report adult abuse, neglect or domestic violence;
- In response to court and administrative orders and other lawful processes;

- To law enforcement officials pursuant to subpoenas and other lawful processes, concerning victims, suspicious death, crimes on our premises, reporting crimes in emergencies, and for purposes of identifying or locating a suspect or other person;
- To coroners, medical examiners, and funeral directors;
- To organ procurement organizations;
- To avert a serious threat to health or safety;
- In connection with certain research activities;
- To the military and to federal officials for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, and national security activities;
- To correctional institutions regarding inmates; and
- As authorized by state worker's compensation laws.

PATIENT RIGHTS

Access: You have the right to look at or get copies of your health information, with limited exceptions. You may request that we provide copies in a format other than photocopies. We will use the format you request unless we cannot practicably do so. You must make a request in writing to obtain access to your health information. You may request access by sending us a letter to the address at the end of this notice. If you request copies, we will charge you a reasonable cost- based fee that may include labor, copying costs, and postage. If your request an alternative format, we will charge a cost- based fee for providing your health information in that format. If you prefer, we may- but are not required to- prepare a summary of an explanation of your health information for a fee. Contact us using the information listed at the end of this notice for more information about fees.

Disclosure Accounting: You have the right to receive a list of instances in which we or our business associates disclosed your health information over the last 6 years (but not before April 14, 2003). That list will not include disclosures for treatment, payment, health care operations, as authorized by you and for certain other activities. If you request this accounting more than once in a 12- month period, we may charge you a reasonable, cost- based fee for responding to these additional requests. Contact us using the information listed at the end of this notice for more information about fees.

Restriction: You have the right to request that we place additional restrictions on our use or disclosure of your health information. We are not required to agree to these additional restrictions, but if we do, we will abide by our agreement (except in an emergency). Any agreement we may make to a request for additional restrictions must be in writing signed by a person authorized to make such an agreement on our behalf. Your request is not binding unless our agreement is in writing.

Alternative Communication: You have the right to request that we communicate with you about your health information by alternative means or to alternative locations. You must make your request in writing. You must specify in your request the alternative means or location, and provide satisfactory explanation how you will handle payment under the alternative means or location your request.

Amendment: you have the right to request that we amend your health information. Your request must be in writing, and it must explain why we should amend the information. We may deny your request under certain circumstances.

QUESTIONS AND COMPLAINTS

If you want more information about our privacy practices or have questions or concerns, please contact us using the information listed at the end of this notice.

If you believe that:

- We may have violated your privacy rights,
- We made a decision about access to your health information incorrectly,
- Our response to a request you made to amend or restrict the use or disclosure of your health information was incorrect, or
- We should communicate with you by alternative means or at alternative locations,

You may contact us using the information listed below. You also may submit a written complaint to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. We will provide you with the address to file your complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services upon request. We support your rights to the privacy of your health information. We will not retaliate in any way if you choose to file a complaint with us or with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY POLICIES

You May Refuse to Sign This Acknowledgment

I, _____, have received a copy of this
office's Notice of Privacy Practices.

Please Print Name)

(Signature)

(Date)

For Office Use Only

We attempted to obtain written acknowledgment of receipt of our Notice of Privacy Practices, but acknowledgment could not be obtained because:

- Individual refused to sign
 - Communications barriers prohibited obtaining the acknowledgment
 - An emergency situation prevent us from obtaining acknowledgment
 - Other (Please Specify) _____
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