# **Patient Information**

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### Confidential

Dental Care

RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY

(PLEASE PRINT)					DATE	
NAMEFIRST			BIRTHDAT	E	HOME PHONE	
ADDRESS	MI				STATL/	
EMAIL			CELL PHON	E		
CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX:		SINGLE	MARRIED	DIVORCED		SEPARATED
PATIENT'S OR PATIENT/ GUARDIAN'S EMPLO	YER				WORK PHONE	
BUSINESS ADDRESS			CITY		STATE/ PROV	ZIP/ _P.C
SPOUSE OR PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME_			_EMPLOYER		WORK PHONE	
WHO IS FINANCIALLY RESPON	ISIBLE FOR THIS	BILL?				
WHOM MAY WE THANK FOR F	REFERRING YOU?	?				
PERSON TO CONTACT IN CAS	SE OF AN EMER(	GENCY			PHONE	

Dental Insurance Information						
NAME OF INSURED			RELATIONSHIP TO PATIENT			
BIRTHDATE	SS#/SIN		INS. ID#			
NAME OF EMPLOYER		WORK PHONE				
INSURANCE COMPANY	GROUP #		PHONE #			
INSURANCE COMPANY ADDRESS OF INS. CO		CITY	STATE/ PROV	ZIP/ P. C		
DO YOU HAVE ADDITIONA	L DENTAL INSURANCE?	YES NO	IF YES, COMPL	ETE THE FOLLOWING:		
NAME OF INSURED			RELATIONSHIP TO PATIENT			
BIRTHDATE	SS#/SIN		INS. ID#			
NAME OF EMPLOYER		WORK PHONE				
	GROUP #		PHONE #			
ADDRESS OF INS. CO		CITY	STATE/ PROV	ZIP/ P.C		

## **Authorization and Release**

I certify that I have read and understand the above information to the best of my knowledge. The above questions have been accurately answered. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my health. I authorize the dentist to release any information including the diagnosis and the records of any treatment or examination rendered to me or my child during the period of such Dental care to third party payors and/or health practitioners. I authorize and request my insurance company to pay directly to the dentist

or dental group insurance benefits otherwise payable to me. I understand that my dental insurance carrier may pay less than the actual bill for services. I agree to be responsible for payment of all services rendered on my behalf or my dependents. As required by the HIPAA privacy regulations, I have received a current copy of the "NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES" and the office has explained this document to my satisfaction.

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Signature of patient (or parent/guardian if minor)

## Patient Medical History

Physician	Offic	ce Phone	Date of Last Exam			
1. Are you under medical treatment now?	Yes	No	<ol><li>Are you allergic to or have you had any reactions to the following:</li></ol>	Yes	No	
<ol> <li>Have you ever been hospitalized for any surgical operation or serious illness within the last 5 years? If yes, please explain</li> </ol>			Local Anesthetics (e.g. Novocain) Penicillin, Sulfa or any other Antibiotics Codeine Barbiturates			
<ol> <li>Are you taking any medication(s) including non-prescription medicine?</li> <li>If yes, what medication(s) are you taking?</li> </ol>			Sedatives Iodine Aspirin Any Metals (e.g. nickel, mercury, etc.) Latex Rubber			
4. Do you use tobacco?			Other			
If yes, how much?	n	_	9. Women Only:	-		
5. Do you use controlled substances?			Are you pregnant or think you may be pregnant?		H	
<ul><li>6. Are you wearing contact lenses?</li><li>7. Do you have or have you had any of the following?</li></ul>	, ,		Are younursing? Are you taking oral contraceptives?			
YesNoHigh Blood PressureHeart AttackRheumatic FeverSwollen AnklesFainting/SeizuresAsthmaLow Blood PressureEpilepsy/ConvulsionsLeukemiaDiabetesKidney DiseasesAIDS or HIVInfection	Thyroid Problem Heart Disease Cardiac Pacemak Heart Murmur Angina Emphysema Cancer Arthritis Joint Replacemen Hepatitis/Jaundice SexuallyTransmit Stomach Trouble	ker nt or Implar æ itted Diseas	Other	Yes		
	Patient D	Denta	l History			

Name of Previous Dentist and Location			Date of Last Exam
Does dental treatment make you nervous? No Slightly	Мос	derately	Extremely
	Yes	No	Yes No N/A
<ol> <li>Do your gums bleed while brushing or flossing?</li> </ol>			If I could change my smile I would make my teeth:
<ol><li>Are your teeth sensitive to hot or cold liquids/foods?</li></ol>			Whiter
3. Are your teeth sensitive to sweet or sour liquids/foods?			Straighter
4. Do you feel pain to any of your teeth?			Close Space
5. Do you have any sores or lumps in or near your mouth?			Replace black mercury fillings with
6. Have you had any head, neck or jaw injuries?			tooth colored restorations
7. Have you ever experienced any of the following			Repair chipped teeth
problems in your jaw?	_	_	Replace missing teeth
Clicking			
Pain (joint, ear, side of face)			Less gum showing
Difficulty in opening or closing			Replace old crowns or caps that don't match
Difficulty in chewing			
8. Do you have frequent headaches?			On a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest rating: (check one)
9. Do you clench or grind your teeth?			How important is your dental health to you?
10. Have you had any orthodontic treatment?			1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
11. Have you ever received oral hygiene instructions			Where would you rate your current dental health?
regarding the care of your teeth and gums?		_	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
12. Have you had a history of periodontal disease?			Where would you like your dental health to be?
13. Do you require pre-medication prior to			
receiving dental treatment?			1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

## **Medical History Update**

Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	Initial	Date
Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	Initial	Date
Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	Initial	Date
Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	Initial	Date
Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	Initial	Date
Any Changes?	Yes	No	List	_Initial	_Date



#### **Financial Policy and Agreement**

Thank you for choosing Distinctive Dental Care for your dental needs. We are committed to providing you with excellent care and convenient financial options. We realize you may be requiring some dental care and it is easy to forget that a doctor's office is also a small business. In the interest of both good medicine and good business, we believe it is best to establish a policy to avoid any misunderstandings later. As a result, we have developed this policy.

Please read, sign and return the following:

#### Payment:

Payment for service is due at the time services are provided unless other **payment arrangements** have been approved in advance. We accept cash, check, bank debit and all credit cards EXCEPT American Express. You might also be interested in taking advantage of one of our financing options we have available through third-party financing. By utilizing this wonderful finance option, your entire family will enjoy the excellent treatment we provide with minimum easy-to-budget monthly payments. They offer a variety of *INTEREST FREE* financing including plans with 6 and 12 month options.

#### Insurance:

Although we are contracted with **Delta Dental, Aetna and Cigna Dental PPO** only, we are "insurance friendly" and happy to process your insurance claim as a courtesy to you. While each policy is different, most plans cover 80%-100% of routine care (cleanings, x-rays, exams, ect.) and 50% of major work (filings, crowns, ect.). Please understand we can only estimate your coverage in good faith, but cannot guarantee coverage due to the complexities of insurance contracts. We ask that you pay your estimated portion on the day services are rendered. Any charges not covered by your insurance are your responsibility. We will allow 45 days for your insurance carrier to render payment. After 60 days, you are responsible for the remaining balance in full. We must emphasize that as health care providers our relationship is with you, our patient, not with your insurance company. This office cannot accept responsibility for negotiating a settlement on a disputed claim. However, we are experienced with processing insurance claims and proactively send information along with your claim which carriers typically require. Our goal is to assist you with processing your claim in a timely manner and utilize your benefits to the fullest.

#### Missed or Cancelled Appointments:

Once an appointment has been made, please remember that this time has been reserved specifically for you. We reserve the right to **charge a fee for all cancelled or missed appointments without 24 hour notice.** 

#### **Timeliness and Communication:**

We are committed to seeing you on-time and request you are on-time for your visits as well. This way, we can ensure all our patients are seen when promised. As it relates to communications, we request you give us permission to tell you exactly what is happening with your dental condition and explain how to best treat that condition(s).

#### I understand and agree to this Financial Policy and Agreement: