

## Dental History

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Why did you come to our office today?

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2. What is the date of your last dental visit and what was the treatment received?

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3. What was the date of your last dental cleaning?

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Previous Dentist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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| 4. Are any of your teeth sensitive when you eat or drink anything hot, cold, or sweet | YES | NO |
| 5. Are any of your teeth sensitive when you bite on them or chew food?                | YES | NO |
| 6. Are your gums swollen or tender?                                                   | YES | NO |
| 7. Do your gums bleed when you brush or floss?                                        | YES | NO |
| 8. Do you use a soft toothbrush?                                                      | YES | NO |
| 9. Do you brush Daily?                                                                | YES | NO |
| If no, then how often do you brush? _____                                             |     |    |
| 10. Do you use dental floss?                                                          | YES | NO |
| If yes, how often do you floss? _____                                                 |     |    |
| 11. Does floss catch or get stuck between your teeth?                                 | YES | NO |
| 12. Does food ever catch or get stuck between your teeth?                             | YES | NO |
| 13. Do any of your teeth feel loose?                                                  | YES | NO |
| 14. Have you ever been told you have periodontal disease, gum disease, or pyorrhea?   | YES | NO |
| 15. How would YOU rate your oral home care?                                           |     |    |
| GREAT      GOOD      FAIR      POOR                                                   |     |    |
| 16. Have you ever been given home care instructions by a dentist or hygienist?        | YES | NO |
| 17. Do you ever have pain or clicking when opening or closing your jaw?               | YES | NO |
| 18. Are you aware if you clench or set your jaw?                                      | YES | NO |
| 19. When you wake up in the morning do you have sore teeth or a headache?             | YES | NO |
| 20. Have you ever had TMJ treatment?                                                  | YES | NO |
| 21. Have you ever had your teeth straightened or braces?                              | YES | NO |
| 22. Are you aware of any oral habits? (thumb sucking, nail biting, nursing bottle)    | YES | NO |
| 23. Have you ever experienced a problem with dental anesthesia?                       | YES | NO |
| 24. For Children: Are you on a fluoridated water supply?                              | YES | NO |
| If no, is the child taking a fluoride supplement or vitamin?                          | YES | NO |
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Do you have concerns about:

Cavities      Gum Disease      Tartar Build Up      Crowned Teeth  
Improving the Appearance of Your Teeth      Your Children's Dental Health

Have you ever had a bad experience at a dental office?      YES      NO

If yes, please explain your experience:

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**Welcome to our practice.** We appreciate you trusting your dental care to us. We will do everything possible to make your visit pleasant. Below you will find our financial policy and payment options. If we can be of service in helping make your financial arrangements comfortable, please feel free to ask.

### **Financial Policy**

Full Payment is expected at each visit.

We will file dental insurance as a courtesy. However, any patient co-payment and deductibles are due each visit. If your insurance has not paid within 45 days, you will be held responsible for the full balance. Please understand that the co-payment you make is only an ESTIMATE based on the percentage information that your insurance has provided us with. They will not tell us exactly what they will pay for each service.

Due to the undetermined amount of time involved in liability cases (accidents), we ask that payments be made at the time of your visit. We will work with you to provide that information necessary to file to the insurance company.

Treatment fees quoted are valid for 30 days.

### **Payment Options**

You may pay in full with cash or check. A courtesy discount of 10% will be given if the balance is \$1000.00 or more and payment is made by cash or check.

You may pay with Visa, MasterCard, Discover, or bank debt cards.

We also accept Care Credit and CITIHEALTH cards. Each is a financing program which offers 12 months financing at 0% interest for qualifying applicants. Ask our staff about application details.

If none of the above options meet your needs, you may complete your dental treatment in several visits (if possible) and pay as the treatment is complete.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_