

W E L C O M E

We are pleased to welcome you to our practice. Please take a few minutes to fill out this form as completely as you can. If you have questions we'll be glad to help you.

We look forward to working with you in maintaining your dental health.

PATIENT INFORMATION

Name _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
Last Name First Name Initial

Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Home Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Sex M F Age _____ Birthdate _____ Single Married Widowed Separated Divorced

Patient Employed by _____ Occupation _____
Business Address _____ Business Phone _____
Business Email _____

Whom may we thank for referring you? _____

Notify in case of emergency _____ Home Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Business Phone _____
Email _____

PRIMARY INSURANCE

Person Responsible for Account _____
Last Name First Name Initial

Relation to Patient _____ Birthdate _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
Address (if different from patient) _____ Home Phone _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Person Responsible Employed by _____ Occupation _____
Business Address _____ Business Phone _____
Business Email _____

Insurance Company _____ Phone _____
Insurance Email _____

Contract # _____ Group # _____ Subscriber # _____

Name of other dependents under this plan _____

ADDITIONAL INSURANCE

Is patient covered by additional insurance? Yes No

Subscriber Name _____ Relation to Patient _____ Birthdate _____
Address (if different from patient) _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Home Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Subscriber Employed by _____ Business Phone _____
Business Email _____

Insurance Company _____ Phone _____
Insurance Email _____

Contract # _____ Group # _____ Subscriber # _____

Name of other dependents under this plan _____

Please complete both sides.

DENTAL HISTORY

What would you like us to do today? _____ Are you in dental discomfort today? _____

Former Dentist _____ Address _____

Dentist's Email _____ Phone _____

Date of last dental care _____ Date of last x-rays _____

Check (✓) yes or no if you have had problems with any of the following:

- | | | | |
|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Bad breath | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Food collection between teeth | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Periodontal treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Sensitivity to sweets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Bleeding gums | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Grinding or clenching teeth | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Sensitivity to cold | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Sensitivity when biting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Clicking or popping jaw | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Loose teeth or broken fillings | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Sensitivity to hot | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Sores or growths in mouth |

How often do you brush? _____ Floss? _____

How do you feel about the appearance of your teeth? _____

Have you ever experienced an adverse reaction during or in conjunction with a medical or dental procedure? Y N

Other information about your dental health or previous treatment _____

MEDICAL HISTORY

Physician's name _____ Phone _____

Date of last visit _____ Have you had any serious illnesses or operations? Y N

If yes, describe _____

Are you currently under physician care? Y N If yes, describe _____

Have you ever had a blood transfusion? Y N If yes, give approximate dates _____

Have you ever taken Fen-Phen/Redux? Y N

Have you ever used a bisphosphonate medication? Brand names include Fosamax, Actonel, Atelvia, Didronel and Boniva. Y N

Women: Are you pregnant? Y N Nursing? Y N Taking birth control pills? Y N

Check (✓) yes or no whether you have had any of the following:

- | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N AIDS/HIV Positive | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Cough, persistent | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Jaw pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Shingles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Anaphylaxis | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Cough up blood | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Kidney disease or malfunction | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Shortness of breath |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Anemia | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Liver disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Skin rash |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Arthritis, Rheumatism | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Epilepsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Material allergies (latex, wool, metal, chemicals) | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Spina Bifida |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Artificial heart valves | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Fainting | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Mitral valve prolapse | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Stroke |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Artificial joints | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Food allergies | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Nervous problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Surgical implant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Glaucoma | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Pacemaker/Heart surgery | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Swelling of feet or ankles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Atopic (allergy prone) | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Headaches | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Psychiatric care | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Thyroid disease or malfunction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Back problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Heart murmur | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Rapid weight gain or loss | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Tobacco habit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Blood disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Heart problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Radiation treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Tonsillitis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Cancer | Describe _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Respiratory disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Tuberculosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Chemical dependency | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Hemophilia/Abnormal bleeding | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Rheumatic/Scarlet fever | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Ulcer/Colitis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Chemotherapy | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Herpes | | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Venereal disease |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Circulatory problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Hepatitis | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N Cortisone treatments | <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N High blood pressure | | |

Is patient currently taking any medications? If yes, list all: _____

Does patient have drug allergies? If yes, list all: _____

AUTHORIZATION

I have reviewed the information on this questionnaire, and it is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this information will be used by the dentist to help determine appropriate and healthful dental treatment. If there is any change in my medical status, I will inform the dentist.

I authorize the insurance company indicated on this form to pay to the dentist all insurance benefits otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I authorize the use of this signature on all insurance submissions.

I authorize the dentist to release all information necessary to secure the payment of benefits. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance.

Signature _____ Date _____

Payment is due in full at time of treatment, unless prior arrangements have been approved.

I have received the comparison information on dental restorative materials.

Signature _____ Date _____

Comparisons of Direct Restorative Dental Materials

TYPES OF DIRECT RESTORATIVE DENTAL MATERIALS				
COMPARATIVE FACTORS	AMALGAM	COMPOSITE RESIN (DIRECT AND INDIRECT RESTORATIONS)	GLASS IONOMER CEMENT	RESIN-IONOMER CEMENT
General Description	Self-hardening mixture in varying percentages of a liquid mercury and silver-tin alloy powder.	Mixture of powdered glass and plastic resin; self-hardening or hardened by exposure to blue light.	Self-hardening mixture of glass and organic acid.	Mixture of glass and resin polymer and organic acid; self hardening by exposure to blue light.
Principle Uses	Fillings; sometimes for replacing portions of broken teeth.	Fillings, inlays, veneers, partial and complete crowns; sometimes for replacing portions of broken teeth.	Small fillings; cementing metal & porcelain/metal crowns, liners, temporary restorations.	Small fillings; cementing metal & porcelain/metal crowns, and liners.
Resistance to Further Decay	High; self-sealing characteristic helps resist recurrent decay; but recurrent decay around amalgam is difficult to detect in its early stages.	Moderate; recurrent decay is easily detected in early stages.	Low-Moderate; some resistance to decay may be imparted through fluoride release.	Low-Moderate; some resistance to decay may be imparted through fluoride release.
Estimated Durability (permanent teeth)	Durable	Strong, durable.	Non-stress bearing crown cement.	Non-stress bearing crown cement.
Relative Amount of Tooth Preserved	Fair; Requires removal of healthy tooth to be mechanically retained; No adhesive bond of amalgam to the tooth.	Excellent; bonds adhesively to healthy enamel and dentin.	Excellent; bonds adhesively to healthy enamel and dentin.	Excellent; bonds adhesively to healthy enamel and dentin.
Resistance to Surface Wear	Low Similar to dental enamel; brittle metal.	May wear slightly faster than dental enamel.	Poor in stress-bearing applications. Fair in non-stress bearing applications.	Poor in stress-bearing applications; Good in non-stress bearing applications.
Resistance to Fracture	Amalgam may fracture under stress; tooth around filling may fracture before the amalgam does.	Good resistance to fracture.	Brittle; low resistance to fracture but not recommended for stress-bearing restorations.	Tougher than glass ionomer; recommended for stress-bearing restorations in adults.
Resistance to Leakage	Good; self-sealing by surface corrosion; margins may chip over time.	Good if bonded to enamel; may show leakage over time when bonded to dentin; Does not corrode.	Moderate; tends to crack over time.	Good; adhesively bonds to resin, enamel, dentine/ post-insertion expansion may help seal the margins.
Resistance to Occlusal Stress	High; but lack of adhesion may weaken the remaining tooth.	Good to Excellent depending upon product used.	Poor; not recommended for stress-bearing restorations.	Moderate; not recommended to restore biting surfaces of adults; suitable for short-term primary teeth restorations.
Toxicity	Generally safe; occasional allergic reactions to metal components. However amalgams contain mercury. Mercury in its elemental form is toxic and as such is listed on prop 65.	Concerns about trace chemical release are not supported by research studies. Safe; no known toxicity documented. Contains some compounds listed on prop 65.	No known incompatibilities. Safe; no known toxicity documented.	No known incompatibilities. Safe; no known toxicity documented.
Allergic or Adverse Reactions	Rare; recommend that dentist evaluate patient to rule out metal allergies.	No documentation for allergic reactions was found.	No documentation for allergic reactions was found. Progressive roughening of the surface may predispose to plaque accumulation and periodontal disease.	No known documented allergic reactions; Surface may roughen slightly over time; predisposing to plaque accumulation and periodontal disease if the material contacts the gingival tissue.
Susceptibility to Post-Operative Sensitivity	Minimal; High thermal conductivity may promote temporary sensitivity to hot and cold; Contact with other metals may cause occasional and transient galvanic response.	Moderate; Material is sensitive to dentist's technique; Material shrinks slightly when hardened, and a poor seal may lead to bacterial leakage, recurrent decay and tooth hypersensitivity.	Low; material seals well and does not irritate pulp.	Low; material seals well and does not irritate pulp.
Esthetics (Appearance)	Very poor. Not tooth colored; initially silver-gray, gets darker, becoming black as it corrodes. May stain teeth dark brown or black over time.	Excellent; often indistinguishable from natural tooth.	Good; tooth colored, varies in translucency.	Very good; more translucency than glass ionomer.
Frequency of Repair or Replacement	Low; replacement is usually due to fracture of the filling or the surrounding tooth.	Low-Moderate; durable material hardens rapidly; some composite materials show more rapid wear than amalgam. Replacement is usually due to marginal leakage.	Moderate; Slowly dissolves in mouth; easily dislodged.	Moderate; more resistant to dissolving than glass ionomer, but less than composite resin.
Relative Costs to Patient	Low, relatively inexpensive; actual cost of fillings depends upon their size.	Moderate; higher than amalgam fillings; actual cost of fillings depends upon their size; veneers & crowns cost more.	Moderate; similar to composite resin (not used for veneers and crowns).	Moderate; similar to composite resin (not used for veneers and crowns).
Number of Visits Required	Single visit (polishing may require a second visit)	Single visit for fillings; 2+ visits for indirect inlays, veneers and crowns.	Single visit.	Single visit.

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

We are required by applicable federal and state law to maintain the privacy of your health information. We are also required 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 that are described in this Notice while it is in effect. This Notice takes effect April 14, 2002, and will remain in effect until we replace it.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices and the terms of this Notice at any time, provided such changes are permitted by applicable law. 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 healthcare operations. For example:

Treatment: We may use or disclose your health information to a physician or other healthcare provider providing treatment to you.

Payment: We may use and disclose your health information to obtain payment for services we provide to you.

Healthcare Operations: We may use and disclose your health information in connection with our healthcare operations. Healthcare operations include quality assessment and improvement activities, reviewing the competence or qualifications of healthcare professionals, evaluating practitioner and provider performance, conducting training programs, accreditation, certification, licensing or credentialing activities.

Your Authorization: In addition to our use of your health information for treatment, payment or healthcare operations, 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 use 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 must disclose your health information to you, as described in the Patient Rights section of this Notice. We may disclose your health information to a family member, friend or other person to the extent necessary to help with your healthcare or with payment for your healthcare, but only if you agree that we may do so.

To Other Patients and Third Parties: While in our office other patients and third parties may see or overhear incidental disclosures about your treatment, scheduling, etc.

Persons Involved in Care: We may use or disclose health information to notify, or assist in the notification of (including identifying or locating) a family member, your personal representative or another person responsible for your care, of your location, your general condition, or death. If you are present, then prior to use or disclosure of your health information, we will provide you with an opportunity to object to such uses or disclosures. In the event of your incapacity or emergency circumstances, we will disclose health information based on a determination using our professional judgment disclosing only health information that is directly relevant to the person's involvement in your healthcare. We will also 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.

Marketing Health-Related Services: We will not use your health information for marketing communications without your written authorization.

Required by Law: We may use or disclose your health information when we are required to do so by law.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

****You May Refuse to Sign This Acknowledgement****

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 acknowledgement of receipt of our Notice of Privacy Practices, but acknowledgement could not be obtained because:

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

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DARIEN EPHRAM, DDS

DARIEN EPHRAM, DDS CONSENT FOR USE AND DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION

SECTION A: PATIENT GIVING CONSENT

X Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____
Patient Number: _____ Social Security Number: _____

SECTION B: TO THE PATIENT—PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS CAREFULLY.

Purpose of Consent: By signing this form, you will consent to our use and disclosure of your protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations.

Notice of Privacy Practices: You have the right to read our Notice of Privacy Practices before you decide whether to sign this Consent. Our Notice provides a description of our treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations, of the uses and disclosures we may make of your protected health information, and of other important matters about your protected health information. A copy of our Notice accompanies this Consent. We encourage you to read it carefully and completely before signing this Consent.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices as described in our Notice of Privacy Practices. If we change our privacy practices, we will issue a revised Notice of Privacy Practices, which will contain the changes. Those changes may apply to any of your protected health information that we maintain.

You may obtain a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices, including any revisions of our Notice, at any time by contacting:

Contact Officer: Mindy Reuter Telephone: (818) 509-3055 Fax: (818) 763-6159 Address: 12156 Riverside Drive Valley Village, CA 91607

Right to Revoke: You will have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by giving us written notice of your revocation submitted to the Contact Person listed above. Please understand that revocation of this Consent will *not* affect any action we took in reliance on this Consent before we received your revocation, and that we may decline to treat you or to continue treating you if you revoke this Consent.

SIGNATURE

I, _____, have had full opportunity to read and consider the contents of this Consent form and your Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that, by signing this Consent form, I am giving my consent to your use and disclosure of my protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities and health care operations.

X Signature: _____ Date: _____

If this Consent is signed by a personal representative on behalf of the patient, complete the following:

Personal Representative's Name: _____

Relationship to Patient: _____

YOU ARE ENTITLED TO A COPY OF THIS CONSENT AFTER YOU SIGN IT.
Include completed Consent in the patient's chart.

REVOCAION OF CONSENT

I revoke my Consent for your use and disclosure of my protected health information for treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations.

I understand that revocation of my Consent will *not* affect any action you took in reliance on my Consent before you received this written Notice of Revocation. I also understand that you may decline to treat or to continue to treat me after I have revoked my Consent.

Signature: _____ Date: _____