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Medical and Dental History ____ Date of Birth: _____ Patient's Name:_____ Yes Comments/Please Explain/What? Are you: No Taking any medication? Allergies: Medications/Latex/foods/dyes Up to date with immunizations? Do you have any of the following? Yes No Yes No ADD/ADHD/Behavior Problems Hepatitis/Liver Problems Allergies **High Blood Pressure** HIV+/AIDS **Anaphylaxis Asthma Immune System Problems** Kidney/Renal Problems Autism **Blood/Bleeding Problems** Malignant Hyperthermia Cancer/Chemo/Radiation Organ Transplant Convulsions/Epilepsy Pregnancy Rheumatic/Scarlet Fever Diabetes Disabilities/Impairments Sleep Apnea Down's Syndrome Snoring **Heart Problems** Tuberculosis (TB) If you have answered yes to any of the above please explain:_____ Do you have any other disease/condition or medical problem not listed?(please explain): **Physician/Pediatrician Information** _____Date of last visit:___ Physician Name: Reason for last visit: _____ City, State: _____ Phone #:_____ **Dental History** Date of last dental visit:______ Name of Dentist:

Do you have any dental concerns?_____ 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. It is also my responsibility to inform the office of any changes in my medical status.

Signature of Patient_____ Date_____ Assistant____



FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

Payment in full for all charges is required at the time of visit, (Responsible Party is whomever is filling out this paperwork, makes the appointments, has custody, or is the legal guardian of the patient(s) in question. Responsible party may be mom, dad, step-mom, step-dad or legal guardian. The person who signs the contract is the responsible party, not necessarily the subscriber of an insurance policy, (if insurance applies) unless prior arrangements have been made.

INSURANCE FILING

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<mark>Initial</mark>	The patient is ultimately responsible for payment in full of their account, not the insurance company. We
do, howeve	er, file dental insurance claims as a courtesy to our patients. We can only make estimates regarding your
insurance b	penefits based on the information provided by you and the insurance company. In the event your insurance
company d	oes not pay as much as expected, the remaining balance is due and payable immediately by you, the patient.
We Do Not	Guarantee Any Insurance Benefits. I authorize the dentist to release any information including the diagnosis
and record	s of any treatment or examination rendered to my child during the period of such dental care to third party
payors and	health practitioners. I authorize and request my insurance carrier to pay directly to the dentist insurance
benefits ot	herwise payable to me. I understand that my dental insurance carrier may pay less than the actual bill for
services. I a	agree to be responsible for payment of all services rendered on my behalf or my dependents.
ATTENTIO	N: For those that have or are in process of dissolution of marriage, we do not get involved with any personal
agreement	s set forth in relation to said matter; that is between you and the other party. We will file insurance for you
as usual. In	any case where the insurance carrier denies payment because they did not receive information requested
from the su	ubscriber; you the responsible party will be fully responsible for all unpaid balances.

DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS

All delinquent accounts (30 days or older) may be subject to reasonable service charges and/or legal interest rates.

FAILED APPOINTMENTS

Initial Failed appointments (less than 48 hours' notice) are a significant contributor to rising dental and health care costs. Individuals who fail to keep their appointment will be charged a \$50 non-negotiable fee. In addition, appointments that are missed habitually will result in dismissal from the practice.

I have completely read and understand the contents of this agreement. I agree to comply with all policies.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES **You May Refuse to Sign This Acknowledgement**

I hereby signify I have received a copy of, o	r been given access to a	readable copy of, this	s office's Notice of F	Privacy Practices.	(HIPAA)

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Print Patient's Name	

CONSENT FOR DENTAL TREATMENT

Consent for Treatment

I hereby authorize and request the performance of dental services for my minor child. I understand that at the first appointment (examination, necessary x-rays, cleaning, topical fluoride) the doctor will explain my child's treatment needs and the various behavior management approaches. At this appointment the doctor's staff will review any associated fees. I also realize that any restorative treatment will be accomplished at a later date.

I understand that DENTAL TREATMENT is associated with inherent risks, including, but not limited to, the following:

- 1. Injury to the nerves as a result of local anesthesia: This would include injuries causing numbness of the lips, the tongue, or other tissues of the mouth or face. This numbness is usually of a temporary nature, but permanent numbness is a possibility. If numbness persists more that 24 hours postoperatively, please call our office.
- 2. Soreness of the gums: Temporary soreness may result from the placement of a rubber dam, or any restoration that extends below the gumline (e.g. stainless steel crowns). This soreness usually goes away within 48 hours.
- 3. Sensitivity of teeth: Placement of any dental restoration can result in a tooth that is sensitive to hot and/or cold. If these symptoms persist for more than a few weeks, it may be an indication that further treatment is necessary.
- **4. Breakage, dislodgement, or bond failure:** Due to the fact that teeth are subjected to extreme forces from chewing, grinding, and possible trauma, it is possible that bonded restorations (white fillings) or even amalgam restorations (silver fillings) can be fractured or dislodged, resulting in leakage, recurrent decay, or infection. The dentist has no control over the forces to which the tooth/restoration is subjected.
- 5. Aesthetics: Although dental materials are constantly improving, it is possible that bonded restorations may wear down, lose their luster, or discolor. The dentist has no control over these factors.

6. For dental extractions:

- Bleeding, bruising, or swelling: bleeding may persist for several hours. If profuse, please call our office. Some swelling is normal, but if severe, please call our office. Bruising may persist for some time, but generally heals uneventfully.
- Injury to adjacent teeth or restorations: This is a possibility no matter how carefully the surgery is performed.
- Infection: Due to the non-sterile nature of the mouth, or perhaps due to an existing infection, post-operative infection is a possibility. Some infections can be very serious. If severe swelling occurs, particularly if associated with fever or malaise, please call our office as soon as possible.

7. For endodontically treated teeth:

- Pulpotomies: In a small percentage of cases, the patient's body "rejects" the nerve treatment, resulting in a failed pulpotomy and the need for extraction. The dentist has no control over the body's biological response to treatment.
- Pulpectomies: For teeth requiring a pulpectomy, the long term prognosis is guarded. A significant percentage of pulpectomized primary teeth ("baby teeth") will ultimately need to be extracted. This treatment is generally used when short term retention of a primary tooth is important to long term dental health.

8. IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO SEEK ATTENTION SHOULD ANY COMPLICATIONS OCCUR POST-OPERATIVELY AND I SHALL DILIGENTLY FOLLOW ANY INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN TO ME BY THE DENTIST.

9. For those children receiving nitrous oxide analgesia: Potential side effects include dizziness, nausea, and vomiting. Nitrous oxide should be avoided if your child has just eaten a large meal.

INFORMED CONSENT: I consent to receive preventative/diagnostic services. I will be given the opportunity to ask questions regarding the proposed treatment and will receive answers to my satisfaction. I will be given alternatives to this treatment, including the option of rendering *no* treatment. I understand and assume any and all risks associated with the procedures, and I understand that no guarantees will be made regarding the outcome of the treatment. By signing this form, I am freely giving my consent to allow and authorize Dr Josh Erickson or Dr Brik Nielsen to render treatment, including any anesthetics or medications.

Print Patient's Name	Date	



Dr. Josh Erickson, DDS, MSD

Cancellation, No Show and Late Policy

We understand that illness, emergencies, flat tires, and bad weather do occur. We ask our patients to give us 48 hours' notice if they cannot keep an appointment. This notice allows us time to give that appointment to other patients who need an appointment. Our offices are very busy and appointment times are very valuable to us and all our patients. So, we need your help in making sure these appointment times are used efficiently.

Policy and Fees:

- 1. Cancellation or rescheduling of an appointment with 48 hours or more notification
 - NO charge
- 2. Cancellation or rescheduling of an appointment less than 48 hours and up to 24 hours.
 - A charge of \$50 (per appointment) will be at our discretion based on the patient's appointment history.
 - If we can successfully fill your appointment time with another patient there will be no charge.
- 3. Failure to show up for your appointment or the cancelation of an appointment the same day as the appointment:
 - We allow for one (1) No Show or same day Cancelation within a 24 month period.
 - Any additional No Show or same day Cancelation within a 24 month period will be charged a fee: \$50
- 4. Arriving late for an appointment.
 - If you arrive more than 10 minutes past your scheduled appointment time, unfortunately we will not be able to see you and it will be considered a No Show. A No show charge may be applied at our discretion. Please understand some appointments are 30 minutes long and arriving more than 10 minutes late will not allow enough time to provide the proper care that you need.

Definition of a "No Show" is when you or a family member

- Cancel or reschedule an appointment with <u>less</u> than 24 hour notice
- Do not show up for the scheduled appointment
- Arriving more than 10 minutes late for an appointment

Our number one concern is our patient's dental health. Providing services in a timely manner is critical to accomplish that goal. Another concern is to keep the cost of dental services as economical as possible. The appointment you schedule for treatment is reserved for you and your treatment only. We ask our patients and parents to give us 48 hours' notice if they cannot keep an appointment. This notice allows us time to fill our schedule with other patients who need an appointment. When you fail to keep your appointment without providing us adequate notice, this adds to the overall cost of care for you, as our trained professionals and dental facilities are sitting idle and not being utilized. We appreciate your understanding and consideration regarding our appointment policy and if you have any questions or concerns, never hesitate to ask us.

I have read, understand, and agree to the above mentioned policy.			
Patient signature	Date		