

HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices

[Name]

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY

This Notice of Privacy Practices describes how we may use and disclose your protected health information (PHI) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations (TPO) and for other purposes that are permitted or required by law. It also describes your rights to access and control your protected health information. "Protected health information" is information about you, including demographic information, that may identify you and that relates to your past, present or future physical or mental health or condition and related health care services.

1. Uses and Disclosures of Protected Health Information

Uses and Disclosures of Protected Health Information

Your protected health information may be used and disclosed by your physician, our office staff and others outside of our office that are involved in your care and treatment for the purpose of providing health care services to you, to pay your health care bills, to support the operation of the physician's practice, and any other use required by law.

Treatment: We will use and disclose your protected health information to provide, coordinate, or manage your health care and any related services. This includes the coordination or management of your health care with a third party. For example, we would disclose your protected health information, as necessary, to a home health agency that provides care to you. For example, your protected health information may be provided to a physician to whom you have been referred to ensure that the physician has the necessary information to diagnose or treat you.

Payment: Your protected health information will be used, as needed, to obtain payment for your health care services. For example, obtaining approval for a hospital stay may require that your relevant protected health information be disclosed to the health plan to obtain approval for the hospital admission.

Healthcare Operations: We may use or disclose, as-needed, your protected health information in order to support the business activities of your physician's practice. These activities include, but are not limited to, quality assessment activities, employee review activities, training of medical students, licensing, and conducting or arranging for other business activities. For example, we may disclose your protected health information to medical school students that see patients at our office. In addition, we may use a sign-in sheet at the registration desk where you will be asked to sign your name and indicate your physician. We may also call you by name in the waiting room when your physician is ready to see you. We may use or disclose your protected health information, as necessary, to contact you to remind you of your appointment.

We may use or disclose your protected health information in the following situations without your authorization. These situations include: as Required BY Law, Public Health issues as required by law, Communicable Diseases: Health Oversight: Abuse or Neglect: Food and Drug Administration requirements: Legal Proceedings: Law Enforcement: Coroners, Funeral Directors, and Organ Donation: Research: Criminal Activity: Military Activity and National Security: Workers' Compensation: Inmates: Required Uses and Disclosures: Under the law, we must make disclosures to you and when required by the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to investigate or determine our compliance with the requirements of Section 164.500.

Other Permitted and Required Uses and Disclosures Will be Made Only With Your Consent, Authorization or Opportunity to Object unless required by law.

You may revoke this authorization, at any time, in writing, except to the extent that your physician or the physician's practice has taken an action in reliance on the use or disclosure indicated in the authorization.

DENTAL HEALTH HISTORY

Confidential

Today's Date _____

Patient Name _____ Birthdate _____
Last First Initial

DENTAL HISTORY

Reason for Today's Visit _____ Date of last dental care _____

Former Dentist _____ Date of last dental X-rays _____

Address _____

Check (✓) if you have had problems with any of the following

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

How often do you floss? _____ How often do you brush? _____

MEDICAL HISTORY

Physician's Name _____ Date of Last Visit _____

Have you had any serious illnesses or operations? _____ If yes, describe _____

Have you ever had a blood transfusion? Yes No If yes, give approximate dates _____

Have you ever taken any of the group collectively referred to as "fen-phen?" These include combinations of Ionimin, Adipex, Fastin (brand names of phentermine), Pondimin (fenfluramine) and Redux (dexfenfluramine.) Yes No

(Women) Are you pregnant? Yes No Nursing? Yes No Taking birth control pills? Yes No

Check (✓) if you have or have had any of the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia | <input type="checkbox"/> Cortisone Treatments | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Fever |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis, Rheumatism | <input type="checkbox"/> Cough, Persistent | <input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of Breath |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Heart Valves | <input type="checkbox"/> Cough up Blood | <input type="checkbox"/> HIV/AIDS | <input type="checkbox"/> Skin Rash |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Joints | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaw Pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling of Feet or Ankles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Back Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting | <input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid Problems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Glaucoma | <input type="checkbox"/> Mitral Valve Prolapse | <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco Habit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker | <input type="checkbox"/> Tonsillitis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Dependency | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Murmur | <input type="checkbox"/> Radiation Treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemotherapy | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Circulatory Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Hemophilia | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatic Fever | <input type="checkbox"/> Venereal Disease |

MEDICATIONS

List medications you are currently taking:

Pharmacy Name _____

Phone _____

ALLERGIES

- | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aspirin | <input type="checkbox"/> Penicillin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Barbiturates (Sleeping pills) | <input type="checkbox"/> Sulfa |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Codeine | <input type="checkbox"/> Latex _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Local Anesthetic | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

SIGNATURE

To the best of my knowledge, the above information is complete and correct. I understand that it is my responsibility to inform my doctor if I, or my minor child, ever have a change in health.

Signature of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative

Date

Please print name of Patient, Guardian or Personal Representative

Relationship to Patient

Dream Dental Office Policy

Welcome to Dream Dental. Please read and sign the following stating that you understand our office policy.

Payment is expected at the time of service.

I elect to pay: Cash _____ Check _____ , Master/Visa/American Express/Discover _____ Care Credit _____ .

For those desiring monthly payments, we have made arrangements with Care Credit to do just that. For your convenience, you may pay as little as 3% of your total bill, or you can pay your bill in full with no interest penalties. There is no annual fee for Care Credit. If you desire to arrange for Care Credit billing we will provide you with an application form and process it for you.

If you have dental insurance:

You will be required to pay any out of pocket expense at each visit. Dental insurance was not designed to pay for ALL dental care. All levels of payment by insurance companies, including allowed fees, usual and customary fees, are governed by the premiums that you pay. They have nothing to do with the actual charges. When we verify your coverage over the telephone with your insurance company, it is only an ESTIMATE of your actual out of pocket expense. We will not know exactly what the insurance will pay until we receive payment for the claim. Most questions regarding coverage should be addressed to your employer or your insurance company.

If treatment is for your child or a minor:

In the case of single parent custody, separation of parents or legal guardianship by another family member or friend, the person who signs this payment policy will be held ultimately responsible for payment of this account. If Parent(s) do have legal guardianship, but child is taken care of by a family member or friend, we will require consent for treatment from the legal guardian before treatment more than an exam, x-rays, and/or cleaning be performed.

If you cannot keep a scheduled appointment, we ask as a courtesy that we be given 24 hour notice of cancellation otherwise a \$50 cancellation fee will be added to your account.

In an effort to control the increasing cost of dental care, any claims or disputes against this office shall be resolved by "binding arbitration". By signing this agreement, the patient agrees with the office of **David A. Weaver DMD P.C.**, that any dispute relating to dental or medical care services rendered for any condition, including any services rendered prior to the date this agreement was signed, and any dispute arising out of the diagnosis, treatment, or care of the patient, including the scope of this arbitration clause and the arbitrability of any claim or dispute, against whenever made, (including to the full extent permitted by applicable law third parties who are not signatories to this agreement [including associates] shall be resolved by binding arbitration by the National Arbitration Forum, under the Code of Procedure then in effect. The patient understands that the result of this arbitration agreement is that claims, including malpractice claims he/she may have against the doctor, cannot be brought as a lawsuit in court before a judge or jury, and agrees that all such claims will be resolved as this section.

I have read the above, I understand the payment policy and agree that I am responsible for any charges incurred regardless of insurance coverage. I also agree to be held responsible for any attorney or collection fees incurred for collection of an overdue account.

Do not sign this form or agree to treatment until you have read, understood, and accepted each paragraph stated above.

Signature:

REGISTRATION

(PLEASE PRINT)

DREAM DENTAL
900 Conference Drive
Suite 6A
Goodlettsville, TN 37072
Telephone: (615) 859-7117

Date _____ Home Phone (____) _____ Cell Phone (____) _____

PATIENT INFORMATION

Name _____ SS/HIC/Patient ID # _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial
Address _____ E-mail _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Sex M F Age _____ Birthdate _____ Married Widowed Single Minor
 Separated Divorced Partnered for _____ years
Patient Employer/School _____ Occupation _____
Employer/School Address _____ Employer/School Phone (____) _____
Whom may we thank for referring you? _____
In case of emergency who should be notified? _____ Phone (____) _____

PRIMARY INSURANCE

Person Responsible for Account _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial
Relation to Patient _____ Birthdate _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
Address (If different from patient's) _____ Phone (____) _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Person Responsible Employed by _____ Occupation _____
Business Address _____ Business Phone (____) _____
Insurance Company _____
Contract # _____ Group # _____ Subscriber # _____
Names of other dependents covered under this plan _____

ADDITIONAL INSURANCE

Is patient covered by additional insurance? Yes No
Subscriber Name _____ Birthdate _____ Relation to Patient _____
Address (If different from patient's) _____ Phone (____) _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Subscriber Employed by _____ Business Phone (____) _____
Insurance Company _____ Soc. Sec. # _____
Contract # _____ Group # _____ Subscriber # _____
Names of other dependents covered under this plan _____

ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE

I certify that I, and/or my dependent(s), have insurance coverage with _____ and assign directly to
Name of Insurance Company(ies)
Dr. _____ all insurance benefits, if any, otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I understand
that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I authorize the use of my signature on all insurance submissions.
The above-named doctor may use my health care information and may disclose such information to the above-named Insurance Company(ies) and
their agents for the purpose of obtaining payment for services and determining insurance benefits or the benefits payable for related services. This
consent will end when my current treatment plan is completed or one year from the date signed below.

Signature of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative

Date

Please print name of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Personal Representative

Relationship to Patient

Your Rights

Following is a statement of your rights with respect to your protected health information.

You have the right to inspect and copy your protected health information. Under federal law, however, you may not inspect or copy the following records; psychotherapy notes; information compiled in reasonable anticipation of, or use in, a civil, criminal, or administrative action or proceeding, and protected health information that is subject to law that prohibits access to protected health information.

You have the right to request a restriction of your protected health information. This means you may ask us not to use or disclose any part of your protected health information for the purposes of treatment, payment or healthcare operations. You may also request that any part of your protected health information not be disclosed to family members or friends who may be involved in your care or for notification purposes as described in this Notice of Privacy Practices. Your request must state the specific restriction requested and to whom you want the restriction to apply.

Your physician is not required to agree to a restriction that you may request. If physician believes it is in your best interest to permit use and disclosure of your protected health information, your protected health information will not be restricted. You then have the right to use another Healthcare Professional.

You have the right to request to receive confidential communications from us by alternative means or at an alternative location. You have the right to obtain a paper copy of this notice from us, upon request, even if you have agreed to accept this notice alternatively i.e. electronically.

You may have the right to have your physician amend your protected health information. If we deny your request for amendment, you have the right to file a statement of disagreement with us and we may prepare a rebuttal to your statement and will provide you with a copy of any such rebuttal.

You have the right to receive an accounting of certain disclosures we have made, if any, of your protected health information.

We reserve the right to change the terms of this notice and will inform you by mail of any changes. You then have the right to object or withdraw as provided in this notice.

Complaints

You may complain to us or to the Secretary of Health and Human Services if you believe your privacy rights have been violated by us. You may file a complaint with us by notifying our privacy contact of your complaint. **We will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint.**

This notice was published and becomes effective on/or before **April 14, 2003.**

We are required by law to maintain the privacy of, and provide individuals with, this notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to protected health information. If you have any objections to this form, please ask to speak with our HIPAA Compliance Officer in person or by phone at our Main Phone Number.

Signature below is only acknowledgement that you have received this Notice of our Privacy Practices:

Print Name: _____ Signature _____ Date _____