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Patient Information Form

Applicant Information

Name:		Preferred Name (if different):
Address:	City/State:	ZIP:
SSN:	Home Phone:	Work Phone:
Date of Birth:	Cell Phone:	
Email:		
Preferred Method(s) of contact:	Email: _____ Text: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____ Home:_____	
Marital Status:	Married: ____ Single: _____ Divorced: ____ Widow: ____ Religious Group:_____	

Payment Preferences

Person Responsible for payment of this account:
Payment of choice: Cash _____ Check _____ Credit _____ Care Credit _____

Employment Information

Present Employer:	Phone:
Employer Address:	City, State:

Emergency Contact

In case of emergency, whom should we notify?			
Address:			
City:	State:	ZIP:	Phone:
Relationship:			

Spouse Information, if married

Name:		
Date of Birth:	SSN:	Phone:
Spouse's Employer Name:		
Address:		
City/State:	ZIP:	Work Phone:

How did you hear about The Ashton Dental Group?

Name of Patient That Referred You:	Other (please specify:)	

I grant my permission to you or your assigns to telephone or email me at home or work to discuss matters related to this form.

Signature of Patient:	**Date:**

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MEDICAL HISTORY

PATIENT NAME _____ Birth Date _____

Although dental personnel primarily treat the area in and around your mouth, your mouth is a part of your entire body. Health problems that you may have, or medication that you may be taking, could have an important interrelationship with the dentistry you will receive. Thank you for answering the following questions.

Are you under a physician's care now? ◯ Yes ◯ No If yes, please explain: _____
Have you ever been hospitalized or had a major operation? ◯ Yes ◯ No If yes, please explain: _____
Have you ever had a serious head or neck injury? ◯ Yes ◯ No If yes, please explain: _____
Are you taking any medications, pills, or drugs? ◯ Yes ◯ No If yes, please explain: _____
Do you take, or have you taken, Phen-Fen or Redux? ◯ Yes ◯ No _____
Are you on a special diet? ◯ Yes ◯ No _____
Do you use tobacco? ◯ Yes ◯ No
Do you use controlled substances? ◯ Yes ◯ No

Women: Are you
Pregnant/Trying to get pregnant? ◯ Yes ◯ No Taking oral contraceptives? ◯ Yes ◯ No Nursing? ◯ Yes ◯ No

Are you allergic to any of the following?
☐ Aspirin ☐ Penicillin ☐ Codeine ☐ Acrylic ☐ Metal ☐ Latex ☐ Local Anesthetics
☐ Other If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have, or have you had, any of the following?

AIDS/HIV Positive ◯ Yes ◯ No	Cortisone Medicine ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hemophilia ◯ Yes ◯ No	Renal Dialysis ◯ Yes ◯ No
Alzheimer's Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Diabetes ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hepatitis A ◯ Yes ◯ No	Rheumatic Fever ◯ Yes ◯ No
Anaphylaxis ◯ Yes ◯ No	Drug Addiction ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hepatitis B or C ◯ Yes ◯ No	Rheumatism ◯ Yes ◯ No
Anemia ◯ Yes ◯ No	Easily Winded ◯ Yes ◯ No	Herpes ◯ Yes ◯ No	Scarlet Fever ◯ Yes ◯ No
Angina ◯ Yes ◯ No	Emphysema ◯ Yes ◯ No	High Blood Pressure ◯ Yes ◯ No	Shingles ◯ Yes ◯ No
Arthritis/Gout ◯ Yes ◯ No	Epilepsy or Seizures ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hives or Rash ◯ Yes ◯ No	Sickle Cell Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No
Artificial Heart Valve ◯ Yes ◯ No	Excessive Bleeding ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hypoglycemia ◯ Yes ◯ No	Sinus Trouble ◯ Yes ◯ No
Artificial Joint ◯ Yes ◯ No	Excessive Thirst ◯ Yes ◯ No	Irregular Heartbeat ◯ Yes ◯ No	Spina Bifida ◯ Yes ◯ No
Asthma ◯ Yes ◯ No	Fainting Spells/Dizziness ◯ Yes ◯ No	Kidney Problems ◯ Yes ◯ No	Stomach/Intestinal Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No
Blood Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Frequent Cough ◯ Yes ◯ No	Leukemia ◯ Yes ◯ No	Stroke ◯ Yes ◯ No
Blood Transfusion ◯ Yes ◯ No	Frequent Diarrhea ◯ Yes ◯ No	Liver Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Swelling of Limbs ◯ Yes ◯ No
Breathing Problem ◯ Yes ◯ No	Frequent Headaches ◯ Yes ◯ No	Low Blood Pressure ◯ Yes ◯ No	Thyroid Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No
Bruise Easily ◯ Yes ◯ No	Genital Herpes ◯ Yes ◯ No	Lung Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Tonsillitis ◯ Yes ◯ No
Cancer ◯ Yes ◯ No	Glaucoma ◯ Yes ◯ No	Mitral Valve Prolapse ◯ Yes ◯ No	Tuberculosis ◯ Yes ◯ No
Chemotherapy ◯ Yes ◯ No	Hay Fever ◯ Yes ◯ No	Pain in Jaw Joints ◯ Yes ◯ No	Tumors or Growths ◯ Yes ◯ No
Chest Pains ◯ Yes ◯ No	Heart Attack/Failure ◯ Yes ◯ No	Parathyroid Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Ulcers ◯ Yes ◯ No
Cold Sores/Fever Blisters ◯ Yes ◯ No	Heart Murmur ◯ Yes ◯ No	Psychiatric Care ◯ Yes ◯ No	Venereal Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No
Congenital Heart Disorder ◯ Yes ◯ No	Heart Pace Maker ◯ Yes ◯ No	Radiation Treatments ◯ Yes ◯ No	Yellow Jaundice ◯ Yes ◯ No
Convulsions ◯ Yes ◯ No	Heart Trouble/Disease ◯ Yes ◯ No	Recent Weight Loss ◯ Yes ◯ No	

Have you ever had any serious illness not listed above? ◯ Yes ◯ No If yes, please explain: _____

Comments: _____

To the best of my knowledge, the questions on this form have been accurately answered. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my (or patient's) health. It is my responsibility to inform the dental office of any changes in medical status.

SIGNATURE OF PATIENT, PARENT, or GUARDIAN _____ DATE _____

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Insurance Information

As a courtesy to our patients, we file your dental insurance. Dental insurance is not like Medical coverage and rarely covers the same percentage. Your dental insurance is a contract between your employer and your insurance company for your benefit. The professional treatment and dental services offered by The Ashton Dental Group are for your best oral health and will not be dictated by insurance coverage.

You are responsible for the deductible and percentage not covered by insurance for the work performed by The Ashton Dental Group on the day of service. For insurances that do not pay our office directly, you will be responsible for payment in full and we will submit insurance claims with payment to be sent to you. We have many payment options and we are available at any time to discuss the best option for you.

We file many of our claims electronically; therefore a signature on file is required by all dental insurance companies. We must have a completed insurance form along with social security number and date of birth to file your insurance.

We will always do our best to help you maximize your dental benefits, however, ultimate responsibility for payment is yours and financial arrangements must be defined prior to beginning dental treatment.

Please note: Ashton Dental Group participates with Aetna PPO, DHA/Assurant PPO, Humana PPO, Cigna PPO, Guardian PPO, United Concordia PPO, DenteMax PPO, Unicare 300 PPO, and Delta Dental's "Premier" plan. We do not participate with Delta Dental's PPO (a/k/a Preferred) plan.
We will submit insurance claims for most other Dental "PPO" plans on the patient's behalf, but are considered "out of network" and "non-participating" with all other insurances.

INSURANCE INFORMATION NEEDED TO FILE YOUR CLAIM

Policy Holders Name: _____

Policy Holders SS#: _____ **Group Number:** _____

ID Number: _____

Policy Holder's Employer Name: _____

Employer Address: _____

Insurance Company: _____

Address: _____ **Phone #:** _____

I authorize the release of any dental information necessary to process claims.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Informed Consent

1. I hereby authorize doctor or designated staff to take x-rays, study models, photographs, and other diagnostic aids deemed appropriate by doctor to make a thorough diagnosis of _____'s dental needs.

2. Upon such diagnosis, I authorize the doctor to perform all recommended treatment mutually agreed upon by me and to employ such assistance as required to provide proper care.

3. I agree to the use of anesthetics, sedatives and other medication as necessary. I fully understand that using anesthetic agents embodies certain risks. I understand that I can ask for a complete recital of any possible complications.

4. I agree to be responsible for payment of all services rendered on my behalf of my dependents. I understand that payment is due at the time of service. If required, I also understand a check of my credit history may be made. I also understand that any returned checks or insufficient payments will be assessed a $25 fee and the entire balance will be required to be paid immediately.

5. I agree that in the event this account becomes delinquent due to non-payment and is turned over to an outside collection attorney or agent, I agree to pay all actual and reasonable fees, legal fees, cost, expense and court costs incurred in the collection of this account.

6. **I understand that if I cancel an appointment with less than 48 hours notice, there may be a failed appointment fee of $30 which I agree to pay before any further appointments can be rescheduled.**

7. I acknowledge that I have received a copy of The Ashton Dental Group's Notice of Privacy Practices.

_____ _____
(Patient/Parent/Guardian Signature) Date

_____
Please Print Name

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 barrier prohibited obtaining the acknowledgement
- ☐ An emergency situation prevented us from obtaining acknowledgement
- ☐ Other (Please specify) _____

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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.

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 1/1/2003, 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 obtain payment for services we provide 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 improvements 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 of healthcare operations, only 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 revocations 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.

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.

Abuse or Neglect: We may disclose your health information to appropriate authorities if we reasonably believe that you are a possible victim of abuse, neglect, or domestic violence or the possible victim of other crimes. We may disclose your health information to the extent necessary to avert a serious threat to your health or safety or the health or safety of others.

National Security: We may disclose to military authorities the health information of Armed Forces personnel under certain circumstances. We may disclose to authorized federal officials health information required for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, and other national security activities. We may disclose to correctional institution or law enforcement officials having lawful custody of protected health information of inmate or patient under certain circumstances.

Appointment Reminders: We may use or disclose your health information to provide you with appointment reminders (such as voicemail messages, postcards, or letters).

Access: You have the right to look at or get copies of you health information, with limited exceptions. You may request that we provide copies in a format other than photocopies. We will use the format you request unless we cannot practically do so. (You must make a request in writing to obtain access to your health information. You may obtain a form to request access by using the contact information listed at the end of this Notice. We will charge you a reasonable cost-based fee for expenses such as copies and staff time. You may also request access by sending us a letter to the address at the end of this Notice. Contact us using the information listed at the end of this Notice for a full explanation of our fee structure.

Disclosure Accounting: You have the right to receive a list of instance in which we or our business associates disclosed your health information for purposes, other than treatment, payment, healthcare operations and certain other activities, for the last 6 years, but not before April 14, 2003. If you request this accounting more than once in a 12-month period, we may charge you a reasonable, cost-based fee for responding to these additional requests.

Restriction: You have the right to request that we place additional restrictions on our use or disclosure of your health information. We are not required to agree to these additional restrictions, but if we do, we will abide by our agreement (except in an emergency).

Alternative Communication: You have the right to request that we communicate with you about your health information by alternative means or to alternative locations. (You must make your request in writing). Your request must specify the alternative means or locations, and provide satisfactory explanation how payment will be handled under the alternative means or location you request.

Amendment: You have the right to request that we amend your health information. (Your request must be in writing, and it must explain why the information should be amended.) We may deny your request under certain circumstances.

Electronic Notice: If you receive this Notice on our Web Site or by electronic mail (e-mail), you are entitled to receive this Notice in written form.

QUESTIONS AND COMPLAINTS

If you want more information about our privacy practices or have questions or concerns, please contact us.

If you are concerned that we may have violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with a decision we made about access to your health information or in response to a request you made to amend or restrict the use of disclosure of your health information or to have us communicate with you by alternative means or at alternative locations, you may communicate with us using the contact information listed at the end of this Notice. You also may submit a written complaint to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. We will provide you with the address to file your complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services upon request. We support your right to the privacy of your health information. We will not retaliate in any way if you chose to file a complaint with us or with U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

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