

APPLICATION FOR DENTAL TREATMENT

TREATMENT

I hereby apply for acceptance as a patient of **Dr. Michelle McClintock** or **Dr. Margaret Bradley**.
I am aware that dental treatment will be rendered by licensed dentists and/or hygienists..

I understand that my treatment will be provided according to the availability of the practitioner.

APPOINTMENTS

I understand that if I fail to pay fees, keep appointments, or cancel appointments less than 24 hours before their scheduled times, I may be charged a \$35 cancellation fee and could be dismissed as a patient.

RECORDS/ TEST/ PROCEDURES

I will make known any diseases, allergies, or unusual reactions to drugs or medicines that have occurred to me in the past. If my health or medications change, I will inform the Doctor/Hygienist at my next appointment without fail. I understand that if, during the course of my treatment in this facility, a dentist, hygienist, or employee has an accidental exposure to my blood, a specimen of my blood may be requested and tested for the presence of blood borne diseases. I understand that I may refuse such a blood test and it will not affect my status as a patient. The tests may be done at no charge and will not imply that I carry a disease or am at high risk. The results of such tests or exposure will remain confidential and will not become a part of my permanent record. I will consent to the use of photographs, X-ray films, impressions, and other laboratory diagnostic tests where they are indicated for the purpose of diagnosing and planning treatment. I consent to the use of local anesthetic and other methods of pain control to make me more comfortable while receiving dental treatment.

I understand that unless otherwise arranged, payment for professional service is required on the day the treatment is rendered.

I understand that all original dental records, X-ray films, and diagnostic aids are the property of Dr. Michelle McClintock and cannot be taken, or sent, from Dr. Michelle McClintock. Copies will be provided upon request of a dentist or physician.

This is to certify that to the best of my knowledge all the preceding answers are true and correct and that I, the undersigned, consent to the performing of any and all dental and oral surgery procedures diagnosed as necessary or advisable by Dr. Michelle McClintock and staff, and I will assume responsibility for fees associated with those procedures.

SIGNATURES

SIGNATURE OF PATIENT OR RESPONSIBLE PERSON (AGE 19 OR OLDER)

DATE SIGNED (M/D/Y)

PRINTED NAME OF PATIENT

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

Dental Insurance & Our Office

As a benefit to our patients, we gladly file your insurance on the day of your appointment. Our fees are reflective of the standard of care we provide. We understand, in today's economy, that extra money is a little harder to come by, so we are extremely thankful for all of our patients who continue to come to our office as an out-of-network provider. Because we are out-of-network, we are not contracted with your insurance company and cannot make any guarantees as to what they will or will not pay.

Our contract is with you, our patient, and we will always respect that relationship. We will provide the best care possible and will continue to be here for you and your family.

Our patients, on the other hand, have two contracts. If you have insurance, you have a contract with the insurance company: you pay your premiums and they pay benefits. You, also, have a contract with our office: we provide a service for a fee and you pay the fee. There is no contract between our office and your insurance company. Your insurance is like a gift card that you can apply towards our fees- the gift card has exclusions and a maximum value. As health care providers, we cannot base your treatment on your "gift card"; we base it on your needs. Dr. McClintock does not enter into contracts with insurance companies, because she is dedicated to your health not the insurance company's bottom line. Because of our out-of-network status, there will be times when there is a difference in what we charge and what your "gift card" pays. That difference is your out of pocket expense that we believe is worth the care we provide. We are not here to only provide "gift card" dental health.

We are dedicated to providing you the best oral healthcare we possibly can. Dr. McClintock makes recommendations based on over 20 years of clinical experience and countless hours of continuing education. Our team follows her philosophy.

I have read and understand the statements above.

Signature: _____ Date: _____