

Chart #: _____
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Patient Information			
Patient Name: _____		Date: _____	
Title	Last	First	MI (Preferred Name)
Gender: _____		Family Status: _____	
Birth Date: _____		Driver's License No. _____ Social Security #: _____	
Phone (Home): _____ (Work): _____ Ext: _____		Email: _____	
Fax: _____ Pager: _____		Other: _____	
Address: _____		Apartment # _____	
Street	City	State	Zip Code

Health Information

Reason for this visit: _____

Have you ever had any of the following? Please check those that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AIDS | <input type="checkbox"/> Glaucoma | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker | <input type="checkbox"/> Codeine Allergy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Growths | <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy | <input type="checkbox"/> Penicillin Allergy |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Hay Fever | Due date: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Taken Phen-fen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Head Injuries | <input type="checkbox"/> Radiation Treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> Taken Redux |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Problems | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Joints | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Murmur | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatic Fever | OTHER: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatism | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Sinus Problems | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaundice | <input type="checkbox"/> Stomach Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness | <input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Tumors | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive Bleeding | <input type="checkbox"/> Mitral-Valve Prolapse | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcers | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting | <input type="checkbox"/> Nervous Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Venereal Disease | |

- Have you ever had any complications following dental treatment? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
- Have you been admitted to a hospital or needed emergency care during the past two years? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
- Are you now under the care of a physician? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
- Name of Physician: _____ Phone: _____
- Do you have any health problems that need further clarification? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
- Please list any medication that you are currently taking: _____

To the best of my knowledge, all of the preceding answers and information provided are true and correct. If I ever have any change in my health, I will inform the doctors at the next appointment without fail.

Signature of patient, parent or guardian _____ Date: _____

Referral Information
Name of person or office referring you to our practice: _____

Spouse or Responsible Party Information

The following is for: the patient's spouse the person responsible for payment

Name: _____
 Male Female Married Single Child Other _____

Social Security #: _____ Birth Date: _____

Phone (Home): _____ (Work): _____ Ext: _____ Best time to call: _____

Address: _____
Street _____ Apartment # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Employment Information

The following is for: the patient the person responsible for payment

Employer Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone _____

Insurance Information

Primary

Name of Insured: _____ Is insured a patient? Yes No
Last First MI

Insured's Birth Date: _____ ID #: _____ Group #: _____

Insured's Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Insured's Employer Name: _____
Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Patient's relationship to insured: Self Spouse Child Other _____

Insurance Plan Name and Address: _____

Secondary

Name of Insured: _____ Is insured a patient? Yes No
Last First MI

Insured's Birth Date: _____ ID #: _____ Group #: _____

Insured's Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Insured's Employer Name: _____
Address: _____
Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Patient's relationship to insured: Self Spouse Child Other _____

Insurance Plan Name and Address: _____

Consent for Services

As a condition of your treatment by this office, financial arrangements must be made in advance. The practice depends upon reimbursement from the patients for the costs incurred in their care and financial responsibility on the part of each patient must be determined before treatment.

All emergency dental services, or any dental services performed without previous financial arrangements, must be paid for in cash at the time services are performed.

Patients who carry dental insurance understand that all dental services furnished are charged directly to the patient and that he or she is personally responsible for payment of all dental services. This office will help prepare the patients insurance forms or assist in making collections from insurance companies and will credit any such collections to the patient's account. However, this dental office cannot render services on the assumption that our charges will be paid by an insurance company.

A service charge of 1½% per month (18% per annum) on the unpaid balance will be charged on all accounts exceeding 60 days, unless previously written financial arrangements are satisfied.

I understand that the fee estimate listed for this dental care can only be extended for a period of three months from the date of the patient examination.

In consideration for the professional services rendered to me, or at my request, by the Doctor, I agree to pay therefore the reasonable value of said services to said Doctor, or his assignee, at the time said services are rendered, or within five (5) days of billing if credit shall be extended. I further agree that the reasonable value of said services shall be as billed unless objected to, by me, in writing, within the time for payment thereof. I further agree that a waiver of any breach of any time or condition hereunder shall not constitute a waiver of any further term or condition and I further agree to pay all costs and reasonable attorney fees if suit be instituted hereunder.

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

I have read the above conditions of treatment and agree to their content.

Signature of patient, parent or guardian Date: _____ Relationship to Patient: _____

Christopher McCoun D.D.S.

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 3 / 1 / 03 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 anytime. 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 anytime. 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.

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 official 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).

PATIENT RIGHTS

Access: You have the right to look at or get copies of your 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 practicably 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. If you request copies, we will charge you \$0.25 for each page, \$18 per hour for staff time to locate and copy your health information, and postage if you want the copies mailed to you. If you request an alternative format, we will charge a cost-based fee for providing your health information in that format. If you prefer, we will prepare a summary or an explanation of your health information for a fee. 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 instances 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 location, and provide satisfactory explanation how payments 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 or disclosure of your health information or to have us communicate with you by alternative means or at alternative locations, you may complain to 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 choose to file a complaint with us or with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Contact Officer: **Dr. Christopher McCoun**

Telephone: **(972)-416-3772**

E-mail:

Address: **4300 Marsh Ridge Rd. Suite 118, Carrollton, Texas 75010**

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Christopher McCoun D.D.S.

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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We are pleased to have these varied payment options. We have found that with these options dental treatment is affordable to all who need it. Our patients appreciate knowing what financial responsibilities they will incur prior to treatment. It is our goal to provide the best possible dental care and at the same time have a clear understanding of the financial responsibilities that go along with it.

Financial Policies/ Payment Options

CHRIS MCCOUN D.D.S.

**4300 Marsh Ridge Rd.
Suite 118
Carrollton, Texas 75010**

**Phone: 972-416-3772
Fax: 972-416-3772 *Call ahead before faxing***



Dental Insurance / Patient Copay

Dental Insurance really is not insurance in the truest sense of the word. Insurance implies large risk pool through which the insurance companies provide coverage for an undetermined risk. In Dentistry Insurance coverage indicates a predetermined benefit. This benefit not only has set limitations but also many provisions which affect eligibility. These so called Insurance policies also have provisions which allow these companies to determine on your behalf the standard of care for which they will pay. Most times if not all the lowest level of care is the preferred reimbursed amount. With this in mind please understand that dental insurance is a contract between you and your carrier and not between your carrier and the dentist. You are still responsible for all charges incurred at our office regardless of insurance reimbursement. We will be glad to process your claims at no charge. If however claims have not been paid within 60 days the entire balance becomes due and payable by you. We will assist you in your proceedings with the insurance carrier but will not wait for the claim at this point. Please be aware that we can only approximate your co-payment. Due to the large number of insurance companies, their varied policies, and their tendency to constantly change provisions, it is your responsibility to follow-up on your claims.

Dental Insurance / Patient Copay

In summary:

We will file your claims for you.

We will wait a maximum of 60 days for the claim to be paid.

Your estimated co-payment is due at the time the treatment is performed.

Any remaining portion not paid by your insurance carrier is due within 30 days of being invoiced.

Cash or Check

Payment in full is due when services are performed.

Mastercard, Visa, Discover

Payment in full is due when services are rendered.

Third Party Financing

We have made arrangements with a lending agency to provide 12 month no interest loans to those with approved credit. This will allow you to have your dental work completed without delay and make relatively small monthly payments. Application forms are available at the reception desk.

Automatic Credit Card Payment

The total of all your dental expenses divided into twelve or less equal

payments that are automatically billed to your credit card on an agreed date monthly until paid.

Designated Options

- ◇ Dental Insurance / Patient Copay
- ◇ Cash or Check
- ◇ Mastercard, Visa, Discover
- ◇ Third Party Financing
- ◇ Automatic Credit Card Payment

Credit Card Number

Exp Date

Additional Financial Arrangements:

I understand these financial policies and further understand that I am fully responsible for all expenses incurred in Dr. McCoun's office.

Signed: _____