

( P L E A S E P R I N T )



### Patient Information

Date \_\_\_\_\_

SS/HIC/Patient ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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 (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

SS# \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Whom may we thank for referring you? \_\_\_\_\_



### Dental Insurance

Who is responsible for this account? \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Patient \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Co. \_\_\_\_\_

Group # \_\_\_\_\_

Is patient covered by additional insurance?  Yes  No

Subscriber's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Patient \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Co. \_\_\_\_\_

Group # \_\_\_\_\_

#### 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 dentist 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

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship to Patient



### Phone Numbers

Home (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Ext \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Work (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Best time and place to reach you \_\_\_\_\_

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT** (Specify someone who does not live in your household.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_



### Dental History

Reason for today's visit \_\_\_\_\_

Former Dentist \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last dental visit \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last dental X-rays \_\_\_\_\_

Place a mark on "yes" or "no" to indicate if you have had any of the following:

Bad breath <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Burning sensation on tongue <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Mouth breathing <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Bleeding gums <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Chew on one side of mouth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Mouth pain, brushing <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Blisters on lips or mouth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Cigarette, pipe, or cigar smoking <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Orthodontic treatment <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Clicking or popping jaw <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Pain around ear <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Dry mouth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Periodontal treatment <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Fingernail biting <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sensitivity to cold <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Food collection between the teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sensitivity to heat <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Foreign objects <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sensitivity to sweets <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Grinding teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sensitivity when biting <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Gums swollen or tender <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Sores or growths in your mouth <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Jaw pain or tiredness <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How often do you floss? _____
	Lip or cheek biting <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	How often do you brush? _____
	Loose teeth or broken fillings <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

## Dental Registration and History

# Health History

Physician's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of last visit \_\_\_\_\_

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

Place a mark on "yes" or "no" to indicate if you have had any of the following:

- |   |  |                       |  |                                    |  |
|---|--|-----------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|
| AIDS/HIV  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Epilepsy              | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Respiratory Disease                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Anemia  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Fainting or dizziness | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Rheumatic Fever                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Arthritis, Rheumatism                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Glaucoma              | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Scarlet Fever                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Artificial Heart Valves                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Headaches             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Shortness of Breath                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Artificial Joints                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Heart Murmur          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Sinus Trouble                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Asthma  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Heart Problems        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Skin Rash                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Back Problems                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Hepatitis Type _____  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Special Diet                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Bleeding abnormally, with<br>extractions or surgery | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Herpes                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Stroke                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Blood Disease                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | High Blood Pressure   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Swollen Feet or Ankles             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Cancer  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Jaundice              | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Swollen Neck Glands                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Chemical Dependency                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Jaw Pain              | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Thyroid Problems                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Chemotherapy  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Kidney Disease        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Tonsillitis                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Circulatory Problems                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Liver Disease         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Tuberculosis                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Congenital Heart Lesions                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Low Blood Pressure    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Tumor or growth on head<br>or neck | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Cortisone Treatments                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Mitral Valve Prolapse | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Ulcer                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Cough, persistent or bloody                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Nervous Problems      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Venereal Disease                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Diabetes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Pacemaker             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Weight Loss, unexplained           | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Emphysema   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Psychiatric Care      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |                                    |  |
|   |  | Radiation Treatment   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |                                    |  |

Do you wear contact lenses?  Yes  No

### Women:

Are you pregnant?  Yes  No

Due date \_\_\_\_\_

Are you nursing?  Yes  No

Taking birth control pills?  Yes  No

# Medications

List any medications you are currently taking and the correlating diagnosis:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Pharmacy Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

# Allergies

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

# Updates (To be filled in at future appointments)

Has there been any change in your health since your last dental appointment?  Yes  No

For what conditions? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you taking any new medications? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what? \_\_\_\_\_

Patient's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Has there been any change in your health since your last dental appointment?  Yes  No

For what conditions? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you taking any new medications? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what? \_\_\_\_\_

Patient's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Dr. Darren G. Brenner DMD, LLC

# NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

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**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.**

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## **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 (MM/DD/YR), 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.

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## **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 any time. 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).

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#### 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.\_\_\_\_ for each page, \$\_\_\_\_ 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.

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**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. Darren Brenner \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: 908-203-1998 \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: 908-203-1448 \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: DarrenBrenner@comcast.net \_\_\_\_\_

Address: 3461 Route 22 East, Branchburg, NJ 08876 \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Darren G. Brenner DMD, LLC  
**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}

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**For Office Use Only**

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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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# CONSENT FOR USE AND DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION

## SECTION A: PATIENT GIVING CONSENT

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION B: TO THE PATIENT – PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS CAREFULLY.

**Purpose of Consent:** By signing this form, you will consent to our use and disclosure of your protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations.

**Notice of Privacy Practices:** You have the right to read our Notice of Privacy Practices before you decide whether to sign this Consent. Our Notice provides a description of our treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations, of the uses and disclosures we may make of your protected health information, and of other important matters about your protected health information. A copy of our Notice accompanies this Consent. We encourage you to read it carefully and completely before signing the Consent.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices as described in our Notice of Privacy Practices. If we change our privacy practices, we will issue a revised Notice of Privacy Practices, which will contain the changes. Those changes may apply to any of your protected health information that we maintain.

You may obtain a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices, including any revisions of our Notice, at any time by contacting:

Contact Person: Darren Brenner \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: 908-203-1998 \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: 908-203-1448 \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: darrenbrenner@comcast.net \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: 3461 Route 22 East, Branchburg, NJ 08876 \_\_\_\_\_

**Right to Revoke:** You will have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by giving us written notice of your revocation submitted to the Contact Person listed above. Please understand that revocation of this Consent will not affect any action we took in reliance on this Consent before we received your revocation, and that we may decline to treat you or to continue treating you if you revoke this Consent.

## SIGNATURE

I, \_\_\_\_\_, have had full opportunity to read and consider the contents of this Consent form and your Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that, by signing this Consent form, I am giving my consent to your use and disclosure of my protected health information to carry out treatment, payment and health care operations.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If this Consent is signed by a personal representative on behalf of the patient, complete the following:

Personal Representative's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Patient: \_\_\_\_\_

**YOU ARE ENTITLED TO A COPY OF THIS CONSENT AFTER YOU SIGN IT.  
Include completed Consent in the patient's chart.**

## REVOCAION OF CONSENT

I revoke my Consent for your use and disclosure of my protected health information for treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations. I understand that revocation of my Consent will *not* affect any action you took in reliance on my Consent before you received this written Notice of Revocation. I also understand that you may decline to treat or to continue to treat me after I have revoked my Consent.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance and Financial Policy  
Dr. Darren G. Brenner DMD, LLC

My staff and I believe that you deserve the best care. We will always present you with the ideal dental solutions possible to treat your personal situation. Each year we provide outstanding dental care to hundreds of patients. Some have dental benefits but some do not. If you have dental benefits, congratulations! You are very fortunate. Here are some important things you should know:

*\*please initial each bullet after reading and sign on the bottom*

- Your dental benefits are based upon a contract made between your employer and an insurance company. If you have any questions regarding your dental benefits, please contact your employer or insurance company directly. Dental benefit/insurance plans will never pay for complete dental care. It is only meant to assist you.
  
- We currently accept all private care insurance plans (plans that do not require you to select a dentist from a list) and Dr. Brenner is a preferred provider with many other plans (*including; Aetna PPO, Cigna PPO, Delta Premiere, Guardian PPO and MetLife PPO*). This means that we work with many different companies; therefore it is impossible to give you a guaranteed quote at the time of service. **We estimate your portion based on the most up-to-date information we have, but it is only an estimate.** If you would like to know a more accurate insurance benefit, we will be happy to file a “pre-treatment authorization” with your insurance company prior to treatment. Keep in mind this is not a guarantee of coverage. This does delay treatment, but will give you a more accurate estimate of out of pocket expenses.
  
- It is important that you recognize that the insurance you have is a legal contract between you and your insurance company. Our office is not, and cannot be part of that legal contract. **We will bill your insurance as a courtesy.** If insurance does not pay within 90 days, we reserve the right to request payment in full for services provided and you can collect monies due from the insurance company. Ultimately, you are responsible for all charges incurred in our office. We balance bill for what your insurance does not cover. For major work, such as crowns, implants, bridges and partials, we request a portion of the fee be paid at the start of treatment to cover the costs incurred from the laboratory.
  
- We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, cash and check. If you are in need of an extended finance option, we also work with Care Credit, who offer 3,6,12 or 18 month “same as cash” or longer terms with an interest bearing revolving charge designed to meet your treatment plan needs on approved credit.
  
- If you have a balance on your account, we will send you a monthly statement. It will show separately the previous balance, any new charges to the account, the finance charge, if any, and any payments or credits applied to your account during the month.

- A finance charge will be imposed on each item of your account which has not been paid within ninety (90) days of the time the item was added to the account. The finance charge will be computed at the rate of 1.5% per month or an annual percentage rate of 18%. The finance charge on your account is computed by applying the periodic rate (1.5%) to the overdue balance of your account. The overdue balance of your account is calculated by taking the balance owed 90 days ago, and then subtracting any payments or credits applies to the account during that time.
- There is a fee (currently \$25) for any checks returned by the bank.
- If your account becomes past due, we will take necessary steps to collect this debt. If we have to refer your account to a collection agency, you agree to pay all of the collection costs which are incurred. If we have to refer collection of the balance to a lawyer, you agree to pay the lawyer's fees which we incur plus all court costs. In case of suit, you agree the venue shall be in Somerset County, New Jersey.
- In case of divorce or separation, the party responsible for the account prior to the divorce or separation remains responsible for the account. After a divorce or separation, the parent authorizing treatment for a child will be the parent responsible for those subsequent charges. If the divorce decree requires the other parent to pay all or part of the treatment costs, it is the authorizing parent's responsibility to collect from the other parent.
- You will need to request in writing and pay a reasonable copying fee (currently \$25) if you want to have copies of your records sent to another doctor or organization. You authorize us to include all relevant information, including payment history.
- A specific amount of time is reserved especially for you and we strongly encourage all patients to keep their appointments. If you must change your appointment, we ask for at least 24 hour notice to avoid a \$40/hour cancellation fee (family emergencies are an exception).

I agree with the above conditions

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient/Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Darren G. Brenner, D.M.D.  
Family, Cosmetic & Implant Dentistry

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Branchburg, NJ 08876  
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(908) 203-1448  
drb@darrenbrenner.com

## REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF DENTAL RECORDS

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**To:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize the release of my dental records  
and x-rays to Dr. Darren G. Brenner.

**Patient Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Patient Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship to Patient:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Patient Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_