



Dental History

Date: _____ Patient Name: _____ Age: _____

Date of birth: _____

Referred by: _____

How would you rate the condition of your mouth? Excellent Good Fair Poor

Previous DDS: _____ How long were you a patient? _____

Date of most recent dental exam: _____ Date of most recent x-rays: _____

Date of most recent treatment (Other than a cleaning): _____

I routinely see my dentist every: 3 mo. 4 mo. 6 mo. 12 mo. Not routinely

What is your IMMEDIATE concern? _____

Please answer YES or NO to the following:

YES NO

Personal History

1. Are you fearful of dental treatment? How fearful, on a scale of 1 (lowest) to 10 (most)? _____
2. Have you had an unfavorable dental experience? _____
3. Have you ever had complications from past dental treatments? _____
4. Have you ever had trouble getting numb or had any reactions to local anesthetic? _____
5. Did you ever have braces, orthodontic treatment or had your bite adjusted? _____
6. Have you had any teeth removed or missing teeth that never developed? _____

Gum and Bone

7. Do your gums bleed or are they painful with flossing? _____
8. Have you ever been treated for gum disease or have been told you have lost bone around your teeth? _____
9. Have you ever noticed an unpleasant odor or taste in your mouth? _____
10. Is there anyone with a history of periodontal disease in your family? _____
11. Have you ever experienced gum recession? _____
12. Have you ever had any teeth become loose on their own (without an injury), or do you have difficulty eating an apple? _____
13. Have you experienced a burning or painful sensation in your mouth not related to your teeth? _____

Tooth Structure

14. Have you had any cavities in the past 3 years? _____
15. Does the amount of saliva in your mouth seem too little or do you have difficulty swallowing any food? _____

Tooth Structure, continued

16. Do you feel or notice any holes (i.e. pitting, craters) on the biting surface of your teeth
17. Are there any teeth sensitive to hot, cold, biting, sweets, or avoid brushing any part of your mouth? _____
18. Do you have any grooves or notches on your teeth near the gumline? _____
19. Have you ever broken or chipped teeth, had a toothache or cracked a filling? _____
20. Do you frequently get food stuck between any teeth? _____

Bite and Jaw Joint

21. Do you have any problems with your jaw joint? (pain, sounds, limited opening, locking, popping)? _____
22. Do you feel like your lower jaw is being pushed back when you bite your teeth together? _____
23. Do you avoid or have difficulty chewing gum, carrots, nuts bagels, baguettes, protein bars, or any other hard, dry foods? _____
24. Have your teeth changed in the last 5 years, become shorter, thinner or worn? _____
25. Are your teeth becoming more crooked, crowded, or overlapped? _____
26. Are your teeth developing spaces or becoming loose? _____
27. Do you have more than one bite, squeeze, or shift of your jaw to make your teeth fit together? _____
28. Do you place your tongue between your teeth or close your teeth against your tongue?
29. Do you chew ice, bite your nails, use your teeth to hold objects, or have any other oral habits? _____
30. Do you clench your teeth in the daytime or make them sore? _____
31. Do you have any problems with sleep (i.e. restlessness), wake up with a headache or an awareness of your teeth? _____
32. Do you wear or have you ever worn a bite appliance? _____

Smile Characteristics

33. Is there anything about the appearance of your teeth that you would like to change?
- _____
34. Have you ever whitened (bleached) your teeth? _____
35. Have you ever felt uncomfortable or self-conscious about the appearance of your teeth? _____
36. Have you ever been disappointed with the appearance of previous dental work? _____
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Patient's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Doctor's Signature: _____ Date: _____