# HEALTH HISTORY

***Correct answers to the following questions will allow your dentist to treat you on a more individual basis, providing the care appropriate for your particular needs.***

Name _____ Birth date _____ Age _____

Why are you now seeking dental treatment? _____

***Please answer each question. Check yes or no. If in doubt, leave blank.***

| | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Are you in good health now? | ☐ | ☐ |
| 2. Are you now under the care of a physician? | ☐ | ☐ |
| If so, what is the condition being treated? _____ | | |
| 3. Have you ever been hospitalized or had a serious illness? | ☐ | ☐ |
| If yes, explain _____ | | |
| 4. Have you ever had excessive bleeding following an extraction, or do cuts take longer to heal now than previously? | ☐ | ☐ |
| 5. (Women) Are you pregnant? If so, give due date _____ | ☐ | ☐ |
| 6. Do you use tobacco in any form? If yes, how much _____ | ☐ | ☐ |
| 7. Do you use alcoholic beverages (more than 2 drinks per day)? | ☐ | ☐ |

8. Do you have or have you ever had any of the following?

| GENERAL | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| Tire easily, weakness | ☐ | ☐ |
| Marked weight change | ☐ | ☐ |
| Night sweats | ☐ | ☐ |
| Persistent fever | ☐ | ☐ |
| **SKIN** | | |
| Eruptions (rash) hives | ☐ | ☐ |
| Change in skin color | ☐ | ☐ |
| **EYES** | | |
| Visual change | ☐ | ☐ |
| Glaucoma | ☐ | ☐ |
| **EARS** | | |
| Loss of hearing | ☐ | ☐ |
| Ringing in ears | ☐ | ☐ |
| **NOSE** | | |
| Frequent nosebleeds | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sinus problems | ☐ | ☐ |
| **THROAT** | | |
| Soreness/hoarseness | ☐ | ☐ |
| **NERVOUS SYSTEM** | | |
| Stroke | ☐ | ☐ |
| Headaches | ☐ | ☐ |
| Convulsions/epilepsy | ☐ | ☐ |
| Numbness/tingling | ☐ | ☐ |
| Dizziness/fainting | ☐ | ☐ |
| Psychiatric treatment | ☐ | ☐ |
| **RESPIRATORY** | | |
| Tuberculosis | ☐ | ☐ |
| Emphysema | ☐ | ☐ |
| Asthma/hay fever | ☐ | ☐ |
| Persistent cough | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sputum production (phlegm) | ☐ | ☐ |
| Cough up bloody sputum | ☐ | ☐ |
| Difficulty breathing while lying down | ☐ | ☐ |
| **ENDOCRINE** | | |
| Diabetes | ☐ | ☐ |
| Family history of diabetes | ☐ | ☐ |
| Thyroid condition/goiter | ☐ | ☐ |
| Other | ☐ | ☐ |

| HEART/BLOOD VESSELS | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| Rheumatic fever | ☐ | ☐ |
| Heart murmur | ☐ | ☐ |
| Chest pain/discomfort | ☐ | ☐ |
| Heart attack/trouble | ☐ | ☐ |
| Shortness of breath | ☐ | ☐ |
| Swelling of ankles | ☐ | ☐ |
| High blood pressure | ☐ | ☐ |
| Congenital heart disease | ☐ | ☐ |
| Mitral valve prolapse | ☐ | ☐ |
| Artificial heart valve | ☐ | ☐ |
| Pacemaker | ☐ | ☐ |
| Heart surgery | ☐ | ☐ |
| Other | ☐ | ☐ |
| **BONE/MUSCLES** | | |
| Arthritis/rheumatism | ☐ | ☐ |
| Artificial joints/limbs | ☐ | ☐ |
| **DIGESTIVE SYSTEM** | | |
| Hepatitis | ☐ | ☐ |
| Jaundice | ☐ | ☐ |
| Ulcers | ☐ | ☐ |
| Change in appetite | ☐ | ☐ |
| Black, bloody or pale stools | ☐ | ☐ |
| **URINARY** | | |
| Kidney disease | ☐ | ☐ |
| Increase in frequency of urination (night) | ☐ | ☐ |
| Burning on urination | ☐ | ☐ |
| Urethral discharge | ☐ | ☐ |
| Bloody urine | ☐ | ☐ |
| Venereal disease | ☐ | ☐ |
| **BLOOD** | | |
| Bruise easily | ☐ | ☐ |
| Anemia | ☐ | ☐ |
| Blood transfusion | ☐ | ☐ |
| **OTHER** | | |
| Radiation therapy | ☐ | ☐ |
| Chemotherapy | ☐ | ☐ |
| Tumors or growths | ☐ | ☐ |
| Cancer | ☐ | ☐ |
| HIV+ | ☐ | ☐ |
| AIDS | ☐ | ☐ |

*(Please complete reverse side)*

9. Are you ALLERGIC or have you ever experienced any reaction to the following?

| | YES | NO | | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Local anesthetics (e.g. novocaine) | ☐ | ☐ | Aspirin or codeine | ☐ | ☐ |
| Barbiturates/sedatives/sleeping pills | ☐ | ☐ | Sulfa drugs | ☐ | ☐ |
| Penicillin/other antibiotics | ☐ | ☐ | Other allergies _____ | | |

10. Are you taking any of the following?

| | YES | NO | | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Antibiotics/sulfa drugs | ☐ | ☐ | Tranquilizers | ☐ | ☐ |
| Blood thinners | ☐ | ☐ | Insulin/other diabetes drugs | ☐ | ☐ |
| Blood pressure medication | ☐ | ☐ | Recreational drugs | ☐ | ☐ |
| Thyroid medicine | ☐ | ☐ | Digitalis/other heart medications | ☐ | ☐ |
| Cortisone/steroids | ☐ | ☐ | Nitroglycerin | ☐ | ☐ |
| Antihistamines/allergy drugs/ cold remedies | ☐ | ☐ | Aspirin | ☐ | ☐ |
| | | | Other medication _____ | | |

If yes to any of the above, list ***name*** of medication and ***dosage*** below:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

11. Is there any disease, condition or problem not listed above that you think we should know about, or is there any activity your doctor says you cannot do? If so, explain _____

_____

12. Physician's Name _____ Phone _____

13. Have you ever had any serious trouble associated with previous dental treatment? _____

_____

14. Does dental treatment make you nervous? No _____ Slightly _____ Moderately _____ Extremely _____

15. Date of last dental visit _____

16. Have you ever been treated for periodontal disease (gum disease, pyorrhea, trench mouth)? _____

If so, when? _____

17. Do you have or have you ever had any of the following?

**MOUTH**

| | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| Bleeding, sore gums | ☐ | ☐ |
| Unpleasant taste/bad breath | ☐ | ☐ |
| Burning tongue/lips | ☐ | ☐ |
| Frequent blisters, lips/mouth | ☐ | ☐ |
| Swelling/lumps in mouth | ☐ | ☐ |
| Ortho treatments (braces) | ☐ | ☐ |
| Biting cheeks/lips | ☐ | ☐ |
| Clicking/popping jaw | ☐ | ☐ |
| Difficulty opening or closing jaw | ☐ | ☐ |

**TEETH**

| | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| Loose teeth | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sensitive to hot | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sensitive to cold | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sensitive to sweets | ☐ | ☐ |
| Sensitive to biting | ☐ | ☐ |
| Food impaction | ☐ | ☐ |
| Clenching/grinding | ☐ | ☐ |
| Shifting of teeth | ☐ | ☐ |
| Change in bite | ☐ | ☐ |

**ORAL HYGIENE**

| Do you use the following? | YES | NO |
|---|---|---|
| Brush | ☐ | ☐ |
| Dental floss | ☐ | ☐ |
| Fluoride rinse | ☐ | ☐ |
| Other _____ | | |

How often do you brush _____

Brush is: Soft ☐ Medium ☐ Hard ☐

To the best of my knowledge, all of the preceding answers are true and correct.
If I ever have any change in my health or change in my medication, I will inform the dentist at the next appointment.

Signature of Patient
Parent, or Guardian _____ Date _____