



STONY SPRING FAMILY DENTAL

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WELCOME TO OUR PRACTICE

On behalf of the entire team at Stony Spring Family Dental, let us welcome you to our practice. We are grateful that you have chosen us for all of your dental needs, and trust you will find your experience in our office to be warm, friendly and professional. You may discover that we are different from the average dental practice. When you visit our office, you will find a unique and relaxing environment. Our team is friendly and attentive; ready to answer any questions or concerns you may have. We use the latest technology and techniques our profession has to offer.

In order to serve you better, we have enclosed several important forms that will assist us in making your transition to our office as smooth as possible. We ask that you read and complete all forms prior to your first visit and bring them with you so that we may utilize the full amount of time we have reserved for you. You can expect your visit to last approximately ninety minutes.

On your first visit with us, you can expect a thorough examination of your teeth, gums and mouth, looking for signs of disease or other problems. We will also take any x-rays needed to help diagnose anything that would otherwise go unnoticed. Our goal is to help you maintain good oral health and to prevent any problems from becoming serious, by identifying and treating them as soon as possible. Your overall health and wellness is important to us.

We are looking forward to meeting you and taking care of your dental needs. Please call us at any time, should you have any questions or concerns. Again, thank you for choosing Stony Spring Family Dental and we will see you soon.

Sincerely,

The Stony Spring Family Dental Team
David W. Hammer, DMD



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WELCOME

Thank You for Selecting Stony Spring Family Dental.

To help us meet all your healthcare needs, please fill out this form completely in ink. If you have any questions or need assistance, please ask us and we will be happy to help.

1 PATIENT INFORMATION (CONFIDENTIAL)

Name Last _____ First _____ Middle _____ Preferred _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

SS#/SIN _____ Birthdate _____ Home Phone _____

Email _____ Cell Phone _____

Employer _____ Work Phone _____

Check Appropriate Box: Minor Single Married Separated Divorced Widowed

Whom May We Thank for Referring You? _____

Person to Contact in Case of Emergency _____ Relationship _____ Phone: Home # _____ Cell # _____

2 RESPONSIBLE PARTY If other than the patient, complete this section.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone #'s – Home _____ Cell # _____ Work # _____

Employer _____ S.S. # _____ Birthdate _____

Payment is expected when treatment is performed, this includes patient's portion not covered by insurance. For your convenience, we offer the following methods of payment: **cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover.** Upon approval, our in-office payment plan of 2 equal, automatic monthly payments, or *Care Credit*, with up to 12 months interest free plans, are available. Any balances that are 60 days past treatment date will be subject to a \$2.50 billing fee for each month thereafter until paid in full. Any accounts placed with collections are subject to additional collections costs and reasonable attorney fees incurred in attempting to collect outstanding balances.

Signature _____ Date _____

3 DENTAL INSURANCE INFORMATION

Insurance Co. Name _____ Group # _____

Policy Holder's Name _____ Birthdate _____

Policy Holder's SS # _____ ID # _____

Policy Holder's Employer _____

We will gladly process your insurance claim; estimate your deductible and the portion of the fees that will be your responsibility. **A portion of the estimated amount not covered by your insurance is due at the time of treatment. Our estimates are subject to final approval by your insurance company; therefore, the amount due is subject to change.**

I authorize the dentist to release any information including the diagnosis and the records of any treatment or examination rendered to me or my child during the period of such Dental care to third party payors and/or health practitioners. I authorize and request my insurance company to pay directly to the dentist or dental group insurance benefits otherwise payable to me. I understand that my dental insurance carrier may pay less than the actual bill for services. I agree to be responsible for payment of all services rendered on my behalf or my dependents.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Although dental personnel primarily treat the area in and around your mouth, your mouth is a part of your entire body. Health problems that you may have, or medication that you may be taking, could have an important interrelationship with the dentistry you will receive. Thank you for answering the following questions.

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PATIENT MEDICAL HISTORY

- Are you under a physician's care now?
Have you ever had major surgery?
Have you ever had a serious head or neck injury?
Are you taking any medications, pills, or drugs?
Do you take, or have you taken, Phen-Fen or Redux?
Are you on a special diet?
Do you use tobacco?
Do you drink alcohol?
Do you use controlled substances?

Are you allergic to any of the following? Aspirin Penicillin Codeine Acrylic Any Metals Latex / Rubber Local Anesthetics
Other If yes, please explain:

Do you have, or have you had, any of the following?

- AIDS / HIV Positive
Alzheimer's Disease
Anaphylaxis
Anemia
Angina
Arthritis / Gout
Artificial Heart Valve
Artificial Joint
Asthma
Blood Disease
Blood Transfusion
Breathing Problem
Bruise Easily
Cancer
Chemotherapy
Chest Pains
Cold Sores / Fever Blisters
Congenital Heart Disorder
Convulsions
Cortisone Medicine
Diabetes
Drug Addiction
Easily Winded
Emphysema
Epilepsy or Seizures
Excessive Bleeding
Excessive Thirst
Fainting Spells / Dizziness
Frequent Cough
Frequent Diarrhea
Frequent Headaches
Genital Herpes
Glaucoma
Heart Attack / Failure
Heart Murmur
Heart Pace Maker
Heart Trouble / Disease
Headaches / Migraines
Hemophilia
Hepatitis A B or C
Herpes
High Cholesterol
High Blood Pressure
Hypoglycemia
Irregular Heartbeat
Kidney Problems
Leukemia
Liver Disease
Low Blood Pressure
Lung Disease
Mitral Valve Prolapse
Osteoporosis
Pain in Jaw Joints
Parathyroid Disease
Pacemaker
Psychiatric Care
Radiation Treatments
Recent Weight Loss
Renal Dialysis
Rheumatic Fever
Rheumatism
Scarlet Fever
Shingles
Sickle Cell Disease
Sexually Transmitted Diseases
Stomach / Intestinal Disease
Stroke
Swelling of Limbs
Thyroid Disease
Tonsillitis
Tuberculosis
Tumors or Growths
Ulcers
Venereal Disease
Yellow Jaundice

Have you ever had any serious illness not listed above? Yes No If yes, please explain:

WOMEN ONLY

- Are you pregnant or trying to get pregnant?
Nursing?
Taking oral contraceptives?
Have you ever taken medication for osteoporosis or osteopenia?
If yes, do you still take it?
If yes, what Rx do you take?
If no, what did you take, and for how long?

To the best of my knowledge, the questions on this form have been accurately answered. I understand providing incorrect or incomplete information can be dangerous to my health. It is my responsibility to inform the dental office of any changes in my medical status.

Signature Date

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PATIENT DENTAL HISTORY

Name of Previous Dentist and Location _____ Date of Last Exam _____

	Yes	No		Yes	No
1. Do your gums bleed while brushing or flossing?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Do you have frequent headaches?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Are your teeth sensitive to hot or cold liquids/foods?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Do you clench or grind your teeth?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Are your teeth sensitive to sweet or sour liquids/foods?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Do you bite your lips or cheeks frequently?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Do you feel pain to any of your teeth?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11. Have you ever had any difficult extractions in the past?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Do you have any sores or lumps in or near your mouth?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	12. Have you ever had any prolonged bleeding following extractions?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Have you had any head, neck or jaw injuries?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	13. Have you had any orthodontic treatment?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Have you ever experienced any of the following problems in your jaw?			14. Do you wear dentures or partials? If yes, date of placement _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clicking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	15. Have you ever received oral hygiene instructions regarding the care of your teeth and gums?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pain (joint, ear, side of face)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	16. Do you like your smile?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Difficulty in opening or closing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
Difficulty in chewing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

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ORAL CANCER SCREENING

Age is the primary risk factor for oral cancer. Tobacco and alcohol also can increase incidence of oral cancer.

Identify your risk group from the following:

- Increased risk:* patients ages 18-39, younger if sexually active due to HPV exposure
- High risk:* patients age 40 and older; tobacco users (any age, any type within 10 years)
- Highest risk:* patients age 40 and older who use tobacco and/or alcohol, previous history of oral cancer

Do you use tobacco? YES NO With what frequency? _____

Do you drink alcohol? YES NO With what frequency? _____

The oral cancer pre-screening is in addition to your regular oral exam, and takes just a few extra minutes. When the exam is performed, the clinician will have you rinse with a solution, then Dr. Hammer will check for any suspicious areas at their earliest stages.

Please indicate whether or not you wish to have the oral cancer pre-screening by checking the appropriate box.

- Yes I wish to have an oral cancer pre-screening.
- No I would prefer not to have an oral cancer pre-screening.

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SLEEP APNEA SCREENING

Have you ever been told you stop breathing while asleep?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever fallen asleep or nodded off while driving?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever woken up suddenly with shortness of breath, gasping or with your heart racing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you feel excessively sleepy during the day?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you snore or have you ever been told you snore?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you had weight gain or found it difficult to lose?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you taken medication for, or been diagnosed with, high blood pressure?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you kick or jerk your legs while sleeping?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you feel burning, tingling or crawling sensations in your legs when you wake up?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you wake up with headaches during the night or in the morning?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have trouble falling asleep?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have trouble staying asleep once you fall asleep?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No



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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. State and federal laws require us to maintain the privacy of your health information and to inform you about our privacy practices by providing you with this notice. We must follow the privacy practices as described below. It is our right to change our privacy practices provided law permits the changes. Before we make a significant change, this notice will be amended to reflect the changes and we will make the new notice available upon request. We reserve the right to make any changes in our privacy practices and the new terms of our notice effective for all health information maintained, created, and/or received by us before the date changes were made. You may request a copy of our privacy notice at any time by contacting our privacy officer.

TYPICAL USES AND DISCLOSURES OF HEALTH INFORMATION

We will keep your health information confidential, using it only for the following purposes:

Treatment: We may use your health information to provide you with our professional services. We have established "minimum necessary" or "need to know" standards that limit various staff members access to your health information according to their primary job functions. Everyone of our staff is required to sign a confidentiality statement.

Disclosure: We may disclose and/or share your healthcare information with other health care professionals who provide treatment and/or service to you. These professionals will have a privacy and confidentiality policy like this one. Health information about you may also be disclosed to your family, friends, and/or other persons you choose to involve in your care, only if you agree that we may do so.

Payment: We may use and disclose your health information to seek payment for services we provide to you. This disclosure involves our business office staff and may include insurance organizations or other businesses that may become involved in the process of mailing statements and/or collecting unpaid balances.

Emergencies: We may use or disclose your health information to notify, or assist in the notification of a family member or anyone responsible for your care, in case of any emergency involving your care, your location, your general condition, or death. If at all possible we will provide you with an opportunity to object to this use or disclosure. Under emergency conditions or if you are incapacitated, we will use our professional judgment to disclose only that information directly relevant to your care. We will also use our professional judgement to make reasonable inferences of your best interest by allowing someone to pick up filled prescriptions, x-rays, or other similar forms of health information and/or supplies unless you have advised us otherwise.

Health care operations: We will use and disclose your health information to keep our practice operable. Examples of personnel who may have access to this information include, but are not limited to, our dental records staff, outside health or management reviewers and individuals performing similar activities.

Required by law: We may use or disclose your health information when required to do so by law, requested by national security, intelligence and other State and Federal officials and/or if you are an inmate or otherwise under the custody of law enforcement.

Abuse or neglect: We may use or 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. This information will be disclosed only to the extent necessary to prevent a serious threat to your health or safety or that of others.

Public Health responsibilities: We will use or disclose your health information to report problems with products, reactions to medications, product recalls, disease/infection exposure and to prevent and control disease, injury and/or disability.

Marketing Health Related Services: We will not use your health information for marketing purposes unless we have your written authorization to do so.

National Security: The health information of Armed Forces personnel may be disclosed to military authorities under certain circumstances. If the information is required for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, or other national security activities, we may disclose it to authorized federal officials.

Appointment reminders: We may use or disclose your health information to provide you with appointment reminders including, but not limited to voicemail messages, postcards, or letters.

Your Privacy Rights As Our Patient:

Upon written request, you have the right to inspect and get copies of your health information (and that of an individual for whom you are a legal guardian.) There will be some limited exceptions. If you wish to examine your health information, you will need to complete and submit an appropriate request form. Contact our privacy officer for a copy of the request form. You may also request access by sending us a letter. Once approved, an appointment can be made to review your records. Copies, if requested, will be \$.50 for each page and the staff time charged will be \$10.00 per hour including the time required to locate and copy your health information. If you want the copies mailed to you, postage will also be charged. If you prefer a summary of an explanation of your health information, we will provide it for a fee. Please contact our privacy officer for a fee and/or for an explanation of our fee structure.

You have the right to amend your health care information, if you feel it is inaccurate or incomplete. Your request must be in writing and must include an explanation of why the information should be amended. Under certain circumstances, your request may be denied.

You have the right to receive a list of non routine disclosures we have made of your health care information. (When we make a routine disclosure of your information to a professional for treatment and/or payment purposes, we do not keep a record of routine disclosures; therefore they are not available). You have the right to a list of instances in which we, or our business associates, disclosed information for reasons other than treatment, payment or healthcare operations.

You have the right to request that we place additional restrictions on our use or disclosure of your health information. We do not have to agree to these additional restrictions, but if we do, we will abide by our agreement. (Except in emergencies). Please contact our privacy officer if you want to further restrict access to your health care information. This request must be submitted in writing.

You have the right to file a complaint with us if you feel we have not complied with our privacy policies. Your complaint should be directed to our privacy officer. If you feel we may have violated your privacy rights, or if you disagree with a decision we made regarding your access to your health information, you can complain to us in writing. Request a complaint form from our privacy officer. We support your right to the privacy of your information and will not retaliate in any way if you choose to file a complaint with us.



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NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I understand that, under Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- Conduct, plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly
- Obtain payment from third-party payers
- Conduct normal healthcare operations such as quality assessments and physician certifications

I acknowledge that I have received your *Notice of Privacy Practices* containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change its *Notice of Privacy Practices* from time to time and that I may contact this organization at any time at the address above to obtain a current copy of the *Notice of Privacy Practices*.

I understand that I may request in writing that you restrict how my private information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patient Name _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Office Use Only

I attempted to obtain the patient's signature in acknowledgement on this Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement, but was unable to do so as documented below:

Date _____ Initials _____

Reason:



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Disclosure Authorization Missed Appointment and Cancellation Policy