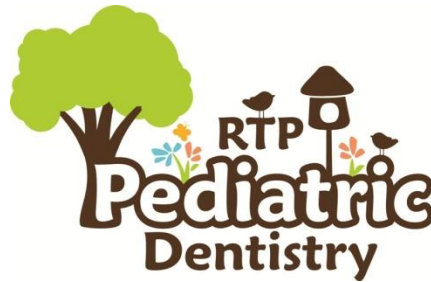


Welcome



**5318 NC Hwy 55
Suite 202
Durham, NC 27713
Phone: (919) 827-1350**

Health History Form

Today's Date: _____

NOTE: The parent or guardian who accompanies the child is responsible for payment at the time of service.

1. Tell Us About Your Child

Child's Name: _____
Last First Middle
Goes by: _____ Male Female
Child's Birth date: ____/____/____ Child's Age: _____
Child's Home #: (____)____-_____
SS#: _____
Child's Home Address: _____
Siblings that we treat: _____

2. Mother's Information

Name: _____
Birth date: ____/____/____ SS#: _____
Employer: _____
Home #: (____)____-____ same as child
Cell #: (____)____-____ okay to leave message?
Work #: (____)____-____ Ext: _____
Email: _____

3. Father's Information

Name: _____
Birth date: ____/____/____ SS#: _____
Employer: _____
Home #: (____)____-____ same as child
Cell #: (____)____-____ okay to leave message?
Work #: (____)____-____ Ext: _____
Email: _____

4. Appointment Reminders

Preferred Method of Contact for appointment confirmations:

(checkmark all that apply)

- Call home and/or cell phone
 Text message cell phone
 Email parent

5. Who is Accompanying the Child Today?

Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Do you have legal custody of this child? Yes No

6. Person Responsible for Account

Mother Father Guardian

If Guardian, complete the following:

Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Billing Address: _____
Home #: (____)____-____ same as child
Cell #: (____)____-____ okay to leave message?
Email: _____

7. Primary Dental Insurance

Insurance Co. Name: _____
Insurance Co. Phone: (____)____-____
ID #: _____
Group/Plan #: _____
Policy Owner: _____
Birth date: ____/____/____ SS#: _____
Employer: _____

8. Secondary Dental Insurance

Insurance Co. Name: _____
Insurance Co. Phone: (____)____-____
ID #: _____
Group/Plan #: _____
Policy Owner: _____
Birth date: ____/____/____ SS#: _____
Employer: _____



Appointment Policy

The scheduled appointment is reserved specifically for your child. Any change in this appointment affects many patients. If a cancellation is unavoidable, please call the office **at least 48 hours** in advance so that we may give that time to another patient.

- ❖ All restorative (fillings, extractions, etc.) procedures are scheduled in the morning. Children, as well as adults, are more prepared and do better in the morning for these types of procedures.
- ❖ We strive to see all patients on time for their scheduled appointment. There are times when our schedule is delayed in order to accommodate an injured child or an emergency. Please accept our apology in advance should this occur during your appointment. We will do the exact same if your child is in need of emergency treatment.
- ❖ Please plan to arrive 10 minutes **before** your scheduled appointment. This will allow time for parking and to complete any additional paperwork so we can see your child on time.
- ❖ If you arrive over 15 minutes late for your appointment, you may be asked to reschedule for the next available appointment time.
- ❖ Again, please call at least 48 hours in advance if a cancellation is unavoidable so that we may give it to another patient.
- ❖ If you miss an appointment or cancel within 24 hours, we have the right to charge a **\$50.00** broken appointment fee. If two (2) missed appointments occur or two (2) cancellations without 24-hour notice, our office reserves the right to NOT schedule any subsequent appointments.
- ❖ A parent (or legal guardian with official documentation) must be present during all appointments that the patient is in the office.

If at any time you have questions, please feel free to ask our front office staff. We are here to help in any way we can. We appreciate you entrusting us with your child's dental health.

Thank you!

Patient Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____



Payment Policy

Please be aware that the parent/guardian bringing the child to our office is legally responsible for payment of all charges at the time of service. We cannot send statements to other persons. We accept cash, personal check, MasterCard, Visa or Discover.

Please understand that financial arrangements are made directly with you. For the convenience of our patients, the following alternatives are listed as a guide for possible financial arrangements:

- ❖ **Payment in full** for each appointment as services are rendered. If you have not paid in full or arranged and honored a payment plan within two (2) months, we will refer your account to a collection agency. They, in turn, will report your past due status to a credit reporting agency. Any fees incurred by RTP Pediatric Dentistry for attorney or court costs will be your responsibility.
- ❖ **Dental Insurance:** There is no direct relationship between our office and your insurance company. Your insurance benefits are determined by the type of plan chosen by you and/or your employer. As such, we have no control over the terms of your contract, the method of reimbursement, or the determination of your insurance benefits. Therefore, *we do not accept assignment of benefits from all insurance companies.** As a courtesy to you, we will submit all procedures to your insurance company. However, because we are a specialist, they may send the reimbursement check to your home address, leaving you responsible for the patient's account balance.

Pre-treatment Authorization: Some insurance companies recommend an estimate of the work to be done and the fees to be charged before determining their benefits to you. If so, we will provide you with the pre-treatment fee estimate. In this case, it will be up to you to determine if you wish to proceed with treatment before the insurance benefit is determined.

- ❖ **Appliances:** The cost of the appliance must be paid on the day your child's impressions are taken. This is necessary because our office must pay the lab bills when appliances are ordered, not when they are completed.
- ❖ **Emergency treatment:** All emergency treatment must be paid in full at the time the service is rendered.

There may be special circumstances in which we accept assignment of benefits from your insurance company, but please remember, even if you have insurance coverage, **you are responsible for payment of your account. Please realize that your insurance coverage is a relationship between you, the insured patient, and your insurance company. Your understanding and cooperation with this matter is greatly appreciated. You are helping to keep our overhead expenses, in the form of direct and labor costs, down. In addition, you are helping keep your fees as low as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask one of our front office staff.*

Thank you!

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

Notice to Patient:

We are required to provide you with a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices, which states how we may use and/or disclose your health information. Please sign this form to acknowledge receipt of the Notice. You may refuse to sign this acknowledgement, if you wish.

I acknowledge that I have received a copy of this office's Notice of Privacy Practices.

Please Print Your Name Here

Signature

Date



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We have made every effort to obtain written acknowledgement of receipt of our Notice of Privacy from this patient but it could not be obtained because:

- The patient refused to sign.
- Due to an emergency situation, it was not possible to obtain an acknowledgement.
- We weren't able to communicate with the patient.
- Other (*Please provide specific details*)

Employee Signature

Date