

Dental Questionnaire

Last _____ First _____ Middle _____ Nickname _____

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. Your answers are for our records only and will be considered confidential.

1. Are you having any discomfort at this time? Yes No
2. Have you ever had any serious trouble associated with previous dentistry? Yes No
3. Does dental treatment make you nervous? No Slightly Moderately Extremely
4. Date of last dental visit: _____
5. Have you ever been treated for periodontal disease (gum disease, pyorrhea, trench mouth)? Yes No
6. Habits. Do you:
 - a. Clench or grind your teeth while awake or asleep? Yes No
 - b. Bite your lips or cheeks or tongue regularly? Yes No
 - c. Hold foreign objects with your teeth (such as pencils, pipe, pins, nail, fingernails)? Yes No
 - d. Mouth breathe while awake or asleep? Yes No
 - e. Do you smoke or chew tobacco? Yes No
 - f. Do you chew gum? Yes No
 - g. Do you suffer from bulimia or anorexia? Yes No
7. Have you ever had an upsetting experience in a dental office? Yes No
8. Is it important to keep your teeth? Yes No
9. Are you dissatisfied with the appearance of your teeth? Yes No
10. Is there anything else about having dental treatment that bothers you? Yes No

Notes: _____

11. Have you set oral health goals with your previous dentists? Yes No
12. Have you always done the best that was recommended for your dental health? Yes No
13. Have you put dentistry for yourself and family high on your priority list? Yes No
14. Is your present state of dental health good? Yes No
15. Do you have headaches? Yes No

16. Do you have or have you ever had any of the following:

MOUTH

- Bleeding, sore gums Yes No
- Unpleasant taste/bad breath Yes No
- Burning tongue/lips Yes No
- Frequent blister, lips/mouth Yes No
- Swelling/lumps in mouth Yes No
- Ortho treatments (braces) Yes No

TEETH

- Loose teeth Yes No
- Sensitive to hot Yes No
- Sensitive to cold Yes No
- Sensitive to sweets Yes No
- Sensitive to biting Yes No
- Food impaction Yes No

17. Problems of the jaw. Have you experienced:

- a. Clicking/popping of the jaw? Yes No
- b. Pain (joint, ear, side of face)? Yes No
- c. Difficulty in opening or closing? Yes No
- d. Difficulty in chewing? Yes No

18. Do you use the following?

- Brush Yes No
 Soft Medium Hard
- Fluoride rinse Yes No
- Dental floss Yes No
- Toothpick Yes No
- Water Pik Yes No

19. How often do you brush? _____

20. Have you ever had:

- a. Oral surgery? Yes No
- b. Your teeth ground or the bite adjusted? Yes No
- c. Worn a night guard or other appliance? Yes No

21. These are the things that are important to me about my dental health: _____