

New Patient Consent Form (HCS Participant)

Texas Mobile Dentists provides on-site mobile dentistry solutions for HCS participants in the comfort of a familiar environment - their personal residence, group home, or dayhab setting. Our clinicians provide a full-suite of services including exams, low dose x-rays, prophylaxis cleanings, fluoride treatments, fillings, extractions, crowns, partials, dentures, and much more!

THE FIRST VISIT AND WHAT TO EXPECT

A new patient typically receives an initial comprehensive dental examination with oral cancer screening, x-rays, and cleaning with fluoride treatment. The patient must receive an exam to become a patient of record and to be seen for a cleaning by the hygienist. The doctor will complete a thorough review of the patient's current oral status and outline any needed treatment at the first appointment. Any treatment recommendations will be communicated to the patient or healthcare guardian for approval and funds verification. Cleaning frequency will be recommended by the doctor (every 3 or 6 months). Cleaning recall is determined by a number of factors including the patient's overall oral health and doctor's professional judgement.

PRICING

Pricing at Texas Mobile Dentists is competitive with traditional practices and more convenient for the patient.

Initial Comprehensive Dental Examination . . . \$106
 X-rays (4 bitewings) \$88
 Cleaning with Fluoride Treatment. \$190
 Cleaning without Fluoride \$143

Fees are subject to change.

PATIENT INFORMATION

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Date of Birth _____

The person filling out this form is the: ☐ Patient ☐ POA ☐ HCS Provider ☐ Other _____

Gender _____ Next IPC Renewal Date _____ Dental Funds Remaining on IPC _____ As of (date) _____

HCS Provider Name: _____

SERVICE LOCATION

Description of preferred service location (Dayhab is preferred) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

APPOINTMENT AVAILABILITY (FILL OUT AS MANY TIMESLOTS AS POSSIBLE, MULTIPLE LOCATIONS ARE OK)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Appointment Availability (Ex: 9am to 12pm)					
Service Location (Ex: Dayhab)					
Service Location Address					

PRIMARY RESPONSIBLE PARTY / MEDICAL POWER OF ATTORNEY (IF APPLICABLE)

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (Home) _____ Telephone (Cell) _____

Email _____ Relation to the Patient _____

CASE WORKER / HCS PATIENT PRIMARY POINT OF CONTACT

First Name _____ Last Name _____
Telephone (Home) _____ Telephone (Cell) _____
Email _____

DENTAL HISTORY

How frequently does the patient brush? _____ How frequently does the patient floss? _____
Is the patient responsible for his/her own brushing and flossing? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Does the patient wear dentures (complete or partials)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Date of the last dental exam? _____ Date of the last dental x-rays? _____
Prior Dentist _____ Prior Dentist Phone Number _____
Main concern for dental visit (optional) _____

PATIENT MEDICAL HISTORY (CHECK IF THE PATIENT HAS OR HAS EVER HAD)

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| ☐ Allergies, hay fever, sinusitis | ☐ Glaucoma | ☐ Shortness of breath |
| ☐ Alzheimer's/Dementia | ☐ Headaches | ☐ Sinus trouble |
| ☐ Anemia | ☐ Heart murmur | ☐ Sickle cell anemia |
| ☐ Arthritis, Rheumatism | ☐ Heart problems | ☐ Skin rash |
| ☐ Artificial heart valves | ☐ Heart valve replacement | ☐ Slow healing wounds |
| ☐ Artificial joints; Surgery Date: _____ | ☐ Hepatitis | ☐ Stroke |
| ☐ Asthma | ☐ Herpes | ☐ Swelling of feet or ankles |
| ☐ Bleeding abnormally with operations
or surgery | ☐ High blood pressure | ☐ Thyroid problems |
| ☐ Blood disease, clotting disorders | ☐ Any immune deficiency | ☐ Tonsillitis |
| ☐ Cancer | ☐ Jaundice | ☐ Tuberculosis |
| ☐ Chemical dependency | ☐ Kidney disease | ☐ Tumor or growth on head/neck |
| ☐ Chemotherapy | ☐ Low blood pressure | ☐ Ulcer |
| ☐ Circulatory problems | ☐ Mitral valve prolapse | ☐ Venereal disease |
| ☐ Cortisone treatments | ☐ Osteoporosis | ☐ Weight loss, unexplained |
| ☐ Cough, persistent or bloody | ☐ Osteopenia | <u>Allergies</u> |
| ☐ Diabetes | ☐ Pacemaker | ☐ Allergic to Aspirin |
| ☐ Emphysema | ☐ Radiation treatments | ☐ Allergic to Penicillin |
| ☐ Epilepsy | ☐ Respiratory disease | ☐ Allergic to latex |
| ☐ Fainting or fall risk | ☐ Rheumatic fever | ☐ Allergic reaction to Novocaine, local,
or general anesthetics? |
| | ☐ Scarlet fever | |

If "Yes" to any of the above, please describe: _____

Is the patient currently taking prescription blood thinners? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Uncertain If "Yes", specify _____

Has the patient ever taken medications or received injections for osteoporosis (bisphosphonates)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Uncertain

Has the patient ever been prescribed pre-medication for a dental visit? ☐ Yes ☐ No

List any medications that the patient is taking (or provide complete MARS): _____

List any known allergies the patient has: _____

Does the patient have a DNR on-file? (if applicable) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Uncertain

Has the patient historically been formally sedated for routine dental exams and cleanings? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Uncertain

Does the patient exhibit any uncontrolled or erratic movements? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes", specify _____

Primary Care Physician / MD: _____ Contact Information: _____

OTHER INFORMATION

Please provide any other details you would like to us know: _____

How did you hear about us? _____

AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE

This dental consent may be withdrawn at any time. The patient, legal guardian, or healthcare surrogate, if any, authorizes the attending doctor and dental team from Texas Mobile Dentists to review existing medical records, examine, and provide dental care, if necessary, to the named patient. The patient, legal guardian, or health surrogate, if any, has read and fully understands the General Dental Informed Consent and HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices. No guarantee or assurance has been made to the patient, legal guardian, or healthcare surrogate, if any, concerning the results, which may be obtained. The patient, legal guardian, or healthcare surrogate, if any, authorizes the attending doctor to provide continued care on the following schedule until dental consent is withdrawn. The patient, legal guardian, or healthcare surrogate, will be notified of any required restorative treatment, based on examination results. Texas Mobile Dentists will not perform any restorative treatment without verbal or written approval from the patient/POA.

By signing below, you are acknowledging that:

- You are either the patient or have full financial and medical legal decision-making capability for the named patient.
- You have read and agreed to the General Dental Informed Consent (page 5). A current copy of the General Dental Informed Consent is also posted on our website for your reference.
- You consent to receiving HIPAA-compliant electronic communications, such as email and text messages regarding treatment, payment, and health care operations.

SIGN HERE ➔ Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRIVACY POLICY CONSENT

Purpose of Consent: You will consent to our use and disclosure of the patient's protected health information to carry out treatment payment activities, and healthcare operations.

Notice of Privacy Practices: You have the right to read the Notice of Privacy Practices before you decide whether to sign this Consent. Our Notice provides a description of our treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations, of the uses and disclosures we may make of your protected health information and of other important matters about your protected health information. We reserve the right to change our privacy practices as described in our Notice of Privacy Practices. You may obtain a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices at any time by visiting our website, emailing info@texasmobiledentists.com, or calling (512) 428-8863. You may reach out to the Privacy Officer, Ben Tiggelaar, at ben@texasmobiledentists.com. You have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by giving us written notice of your revocation submitted to the contact person above.

SIGN HERE ➔ Signature: _____ Date: _____

GENERAL DENTAL INFORMED CONSENT

We would like for the patient/POA to have general knowledge of dental procedures. We ask that you review the procedures listed and want you to know that we will have you sign an informed consent prior to each dental procedure. A treatment plan for all restorative work, which includes estimated fees and treatment specific authorization, will be presented to you for your review and signature at the time treatment is recommended.

- 1. Low Dose X-rays:** Low dose x-rays are an important tool to aid the dentist in detecting potential issues and disease not visible to the naked eye. We utilize protective shields and aprons for patient safety. Low dose x-rays are required for all new patients of record and will be taken every 6 months for geriatric patients who are at high risk of oral disease.
- 2. Drugs and Medication:** Antibiotics and analgesics and other medications can cause allergic reactions causing redness and swelling of tissues, pain, itching, vomiting, and/or prophylactic shock (severe allergic reaction).
- 3. Changes in Treatment:** During treatment it may be necessary to change or add procedures because of conditions found while working on the teeth that were not discovered during examination. The presence of dental tooth decay, gum disease, or any dental infection has been shown to affect many other body parts, such as joints and the heart, so it is important to treat any dental infection as soon as possible.
- 4. Local Anesthesia:** Local anesthesia may affect your body such as dizziness, nausea, vomiting, accelerated heart rate, slow heart rate, or various allergic reactions potentially requiring hospitalization. Injury to the nerves that can result in pain, numbness, or tingling to the chin, lip, cheek, gums, or tongue may be present for weeks, monthly and rarely be permanent. In rare circumstances these needs may break off and be lodged in soft tissue.
- 5. Fillings:** In some situations, more extensive restoration than originally planned may be required due to additional conditions discovered during tooth preparation. Significant changes in response to temperature may occur after tooth restoration such as temporary sensitivity or pain. If the tooth does not respond to treatment with a filling, further treatment such as root canal therapy or crown may be necessary. Fillings usually require periodic replacement with additional fillings and/or crowns.
- 6. Extractions:** Alternatives will be explained to you (root canal therapy, crowns, and periodontal surgery, etc.) The removal of teeth does not always remove all the infection, if present, and it may be necessary to have further treatment. Some of the risks are pain, swelling, spread of infection, dry socket, loss of feeling in teeth, lips, tongue and surrounding tissue that can last for an indefinite period of time (days or months) or fractured jaw. Further treatment by a specialist or even hospitalization may be needed if complications arise during or following treatment which would be your financial responsibility.
- 7. Crowns and Bridges:** Sometimes it is not possible to match the color of natural teeth exactly with artificial teeth. You may wear temporary crowns, which may come off easily so avoid sticky food and candies. You will need to be careful to ensure that they are kept on until the permanent crowns are delivered. The final opportunity to make changes to a new crown, or bridge (including shape, fit, size, or color) must be done at the preparation appointment.
- 8. Dentures (complete and partials):** Removable prosthetic appliances include risks and possible failures. This includes gum tissue pressure, jaw ridges not providing adequate support and/or retention, excessive saliva or excessive dryness of the mouth, and general psychological, behavioral, and physical problems interfering with success. We are not responsible for failures of these types. Breakage is possible by dropping the dentures or chewing on foods that are excessively hard. Full dentures become loose when there is a change in gum tissues. Our obligation is to create a functioning, well fitting device. Patients must wear the device consistently in order for the dentist to make appropriate and accurate adjustments. Any denture fit issues must be brought to our attention within 30 days of the final denture delivery. Adjustments after 30 days are an additional charge. No refunds/cancellations are possible after the case has been sent to the lab for final processing.
- 9. Immediate/Interim Dentures:** After the extractions and delivery of the prefabricated immediate denture, there is fast bone loss resulting in space between the dentures and gums. This leads to rapidly increasing looseness and sore spots which must be adjusted frequently. The dentist may recommend a soft or hard reline (additional charge) if the patient experiences discomfort during the healing period to improve fit.
- 10. Endodontic Treatment (Root Canal):** There is no guarantee that root canal treatment will save a tooth. Complications can occur from the treatment and occasionally metal objects are cemented in the tooth or extend through the root, which does not necessarily affect the success of the treatment. Occasionally additional surgical procedures may be necessary following root canal treatment.
- 11. Periodontal Loss (Tissue & Bone):** This is a serious condition, causing gum and bone infection or loss and can lead to the loss of teeth.
- 12. Complaints:** Please contact us directly at (512) 428-8863 or email info@texasmobiledentists.com with any complaints or issues. A manager will handle the complaint and address any issue you may have to your satisfaction. Complaints concerning dental services can be directed to: Texas State Board of Dental Examiners, 333 Guadalupe Tower 3, Suite 800, Austin, Texas 78701-3942 or by calling (512) 463-6400.
- 13. Community Liability:** The community where patient resides is not responsible in any way for services provided.