WELCOME

one ABOUT YOU

Today's Date: ____/____/____ File #:____

Patient Name: ____
LAST FIRST MI

What You Prefer To Be Called: ____ ❑ Male ❑ Female

Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age: ____ SS#: ____

Mailing Address: ____

CITY STATE ZIP

Home Phone #: (____) ____

Work Phone #: (____) ____ Ext: ____

Cell Phone #: (____) ____

E-mail Address: ____

Referred By: ____

Employer: ____ How Long? ____

Employer's Address: ____

CITY STATE ZIP

Occupation: ____

Status: ❑ Minor ❑ Single ❑ Married ❑ Divorced ❑ Separated ❑ Widowed

Spouse's Name: ____

Do you have children? ❑ Yes ❑ No How many? ____

two INSURANCE INFO

Primary Dental Insurance

Co. Name: ____

Address: ____

CITY STATE ZIP

Phone #: (____) ____

Insured's ID#: ____

Group # (Plan, Local, or Policy #): ____

Insured's Name: ____

Relation: ____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Insured's Employer: ____

Secondary Dental Insurance

Co. Name: ____

Address: ____

CITY STATE ZIP

Phone #: (____) ____

Insured's ID#: ____

Group # (Plan, Local, or Policy #): ____

Insured's Name: ____

Relation: ____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Insured's Employer: ____

three ACCOUNT INFO

Person ultimately responsible for account

Name: ____

Relation: ____

Billing Address: ____

CITY STATE ZIP

SS #: ____

Drivers License #: ____

Work Phone #: (____) ____

Payment method: ❑ Cash ❑ Check

____ ____/____

❑ Credit Card - Enter card # above (if accepted)

____ I hereby authorize assignment of my insurance rights and benefits directly to the provider for services rendered. I fully understand I am solely responsible for any balance not paid by my insurance company (if offered at this office).
Initials

four IN EVENT OF EMERGENCY

Whom should we contact? ____

Relation: ____

Home Phone #: (____) ____

Work Phone #: (____) ____

Cell Phone #: (____) ____

Who is your Medical Doctor? ____

Medical Doctor's Phone #: (____) ____

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DENTAL INFORMATION

Reason for today's visit: ❑ Exam ❑ Emergency ❑ Consultation

Are you in pain? ❑ No ❑ Yes How Long? _____

Please indicate ☑ any of the following problems:

❑ Discomfort, clicking or popping in jaw. ❑ Lost/Broken Filling(s) ❑ Stained teeth
❑ Red, swollen or bleeding gums. ❑ Teeth grinding ❑ Locking Jaw
❑ Sensitive tooth, teeth or gums. ❑ Ringing in Ears ❑ Bad breath
❑ Blisters/Sores in or around the mouth. ❑ Broken/Chipped tooth

❑ Other: _____

Do you require pre-medication? ❑ Yes ❑ No ❑ Don't know

Previous Dentist: _____ (____) _____
Name Phone#

Last Dental exam: ____/____/____ Last Dental X-rays: ____/____/____

Times a day you brush? _____ Times a week you floss? _____

What type of tooth brush bristles do you use? ❑ Soft ❑ Medium ❑ Hard

How would you rate your smile? (Worst) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Best)

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MEDICAL HISTORY

What medications are you taking? ❑ **Nerve pills** ❑ **Pain killers** (including aspirin) ❑ **Muscle relaxers**
❑ **Stimulants** ❑ **Blood Thinners** ❑ **Tranquilizers** ❑ **Insulin** ❑ **Meds for Osteoporosis**
❑ **Other(s), please list:** _____

Have you ever taken: Bisphosphonates (ex. Aredia/Fosamax) ❑ Yes ❑ No Phen-fen/Redux ❑ Yes ❑ No

Do you have or have you had any of the following diseases, medical conditions or procedures?

Y N Heart Attack / Stroke	**Y N** Thyroid Problems	**Y N** Cancer/Tumors	**Y N** Cosmetic Surgery
Y N Heart Surg./Pacemaker	**Y N** Kidney Problems	**Y N** Shingles	**Y N** Xray or Cobalt Treatment
Y N Heart Murmur	**Y N** Liver Problems	**Y N** Hepatitis	**Y N** Chemotherapy
Y N Rheumatic Fever	**Y N** Respiratory Problems	**Y N** HIV+/AIDS/ARC	**Y N** Asthma
Y N Mitral Valve Prolapse	**Y N** Sinus Problems	**Y N** Arthritis/ Rheumatism	**Y N** Difficulty Breathing
Y N Artificial Valves	**Y N** Stomach Problems/Ulcers	**Y N** Artificial Bones/Joints	**Y N** Diabetes/Hypoglycemia
Y N Heart Disease	**Y N** Psychiatric Problems	**Y N** Emphysema	**Y N** Leukemia
Y N Congenital Heart Defect	**Y N** Venereal Disease	**Y N** Fainting/Seizures/Epilepsy	**Y N** Anemia
Y N Chest Pains	**Y N** Alcohol/Drug Abuse	**Y N** Severe/Frequent Headaches	**Y N** High/Low Blood Pressure
Y N Scarlet Fever	**Y N** Tuberculosis TB	**Y N** Frequent Neck Pain	**Y N** Bleeding Problems
Y N Nervousness	**Y N** Jaw Problems TMJ/TMD	**Y N** Back Problems	**Y N** Glaucoma

Please list any other surgeries or medical conditions you have or ever had: _____

Are you allergic to any of the following? ❑ Latex ❑ Penicillin / Amoxicillin ❑ Tetracycline ❑ Aspirin

❑ Dental Anesthetics ❑ Foods: _____ ❑ Others: _____

Do you use tobacco? ❑ No ❑ Yes/How used? _____ How much? _____ How long? _____

Please rate your general health from 1-10: _____ Do you wear contact lenses? ❑ Yes ❑ No

For women: Are you taking Birth Control pills? ❑ Yes ❑ No How many children have you had? _____

Are you Pregnant? ❑ No ❑ Yes/How long? _____ Are you nursing? ❑ Yes ❑ No

PLEASE RECYCLE SO THAT WE MAY PRESERVE THE HEALTH OF OUR PLANET

- We invite you to discuss with us any questions regarding our services. The best Dental health services are based on a friendly, mutual understanding between provider and patient.
- Our policy requires payment in full for all services rendered at the time of visit, unless other arrangements have been made with the business manager. If account is not paid within 90 days of the date of service and no financial arrangements have been made, you will be responsible for legal fees, collection agency fees, interest charges and any other expenses incurred in collecting your account.
- I authorize the staff to perform any necessary services needed during diagnosis and treatment. I also authorize the provider to release any information required to process insurance claims.
- I understand the above information and guarantee this form was completed correctly to the best of my knowledge and understand it is my responsibility to inform this office of any changes to the information I have provided.

I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the Summary of Privacy Notice.

Initials _____

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____
❑ Adult Patient ❑ Parent or Guardian ❑ Spouse

UPDATE
(OFFICE USE)

Initials _____ Date ____/____/____
Comments

Initials _____ Date ____/____/____
Comments

Initials _____ Date ____/____/____
Comments

Acknowledgment of Privacy Practices
Aaron Family Dentistry
2095 W. Main St. Suite A
League City, TX 77573
281-332-1919

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

- Provide and coordinate my treatment among a number of health care providers who may be involved in my treatment directly and indirectly.
- Obtain payment from third-party payers for my health care services.
- Conduct normal health care operations such as quality assessment and improvement activities.
- Transfering of my records between offices providing care for me.
- Discussing financials and treatment if someone else is helping/caring for me.

I have been informed of my dental provider's Notice of Privacy Practices containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my protected health information. I have been given the right to review and receive a copy of such Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that my dental provider has the right to change the Notice of Privacy Practices and that I may contact this office 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 and I understand that you are not required to to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

I give_____my permission to be informed of my treatment/payment needs.

Patient Name:_____ Date:_____

Signature:_____

Relationship to Patient (if other than self)_____

Dependent family members also covered by this acknowledgment:

_____

For office use only: We were unable to obtain written acknowledgment of our Notice of Privacy Practices due to the following reason:

- The patient refused to sign
- Communication barriers
- Emergency Situation or other _____

Aaron Family Dentistry
2095 West Main Street Suite A
League City, TX 77573
281-332-1919

Dear Patient,

Please be advised that we are implementing a new policy effective February 1, 2022. Effective immediately, a cancellation/no show fee of $50 will be applied if 48 hour notice is not given prior to changing or canceling an appointment. We will also reserve the right to CANCEL an appointment that is UNCONFIRMED 24 hours prior to the appointment time. Missed appointments affect the entire practice and make the cost of serving you higher.

Canceling or changing appointments via email or text will NOT be allowed. E-mail and text messages from some providers are not compatible with our confirmation program and are not always received.

Thank you for supporting our efforts to better serve you.

Aaron Family Dentistry

Patients Signature_____Date_____

Witnessed by:_____

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES FOR PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION

[*45 CFR 164.520*]

Background

The HIPAA Privacy Rule gives individuals a fundamental new right to be informed of the privacy practices of their health plans and of most of their health care providers, as well as to be informed of their privacy rights with respect to their personal health information. Health plans and covered health care providers are required to develop and distribute a notice that provides a clear explanation of these rights and practices. The notice is intended to focus individuals on privacy issues and concerns, and to prompt them to have discussions with their health plans and health care providers and exercise their rights.

How the Rule Works

General Rule. The Privacy Rule provides that an individual has a right to adequate notice of how a covered entity may use and disclose protected health information about the individual, as well as his or her rights and the covered entity's obligations with respect to that information. Most covered entities must develop and provide individuals with this notice of their privacy practices.

The Privacy Rule does not require the following covered entities to develop a notice:

- Health care clearinghouses, if the only protected health information they create or receive is as a business associate of another covered entity. See 45 CFR 164.500(b)(1).
- A correctional institution that is a covered entity (e.g., that has a covered health care provider component).
- A group health plan that provides benefits only through one or more contracts of insurance with health insurance issuers or HMOs, and that does not create or receive protected health information other than summary health information or enrollment or disenrollment information.

See 45 CFR 164.520(a).

Content of the Notice. Covered entities are required to provide a notice in *plain language* that describes:

- How the covered entity may use and disclose protected health information about an individual.

- The individual's rights with respect to the information and how the individual may exercise these rights, including how the individual may complain to the covered entity.

- The covered entity's legal duties with respect to the information, including a statement that the covered entity is required by law to maintain the privacy of protected health information.

- Whom individuals can contact for further information about the covered entity's privacy policies.

The notice must include an effective date. See 45 CFR 164.520(b) for the specific requirements for developing the content of the notice.

A covered entity is required to promptly revise and distribute its notice whenever it makes material changes to any of its privacy practices. See 45 CFR 164.520(b)(3), 164.520(c)(1)(i)(C) for health plans, and 164.520(c)(2)(iv) for covered health care providers with direct treatment relationships with individuals.

Providing the Notice.

- A covered entity must make its notice available to any person who asks for it.

- A covered entity must prominently post and make available its notice on any web site it maintains that provides information about its customer services or benefits.

- *Health Plans* must also:

  - Provide the notice to individuals then covered by the plan no later than April 14, 2003 (April 14, 2004, for small health plans) and to new enrollees at the time of enrollment.
  - Provide a revised notice to individuals then covered by the plan within 60 days of a material revision.
  - Notify individuals then covered by the plan of the availability of and how to obtain the notice at least once every three years.

- *Covered Direct Treatment Providers* must also:

- Provide the notice to the individual no later than the date of first service delivery (after the April 14, 2003 compliance date of the Privacy Rule) and, except in an emergency treatment situation, make a good faith effort to obtain the individual's written acknowledgment of receipt of the notice. If an acknowledgment cannot be obtained, the provider must document his or her efforts to obtain the acknowledgment and the reason why it was not obtained.
- When first service delivery to an individual is provided over the Internet, through e-mail, or otherwise electronically, the provider must send an electronic notice automatically and contemporaneously in response to the individual's first request for service. The provider must make a good faith effort to obtain a return receipt or other transmission from the individual in response to receiving the notice.
- In an emergency treatment situation, provide the notice as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so after the emergency situation has ended. In these situations, providers are not required to make a good faith effort to obtain a written acknowledgment from individuals.
- Make the latest notice (i.e., the one that reflects any changes in privacy policies) available at the provider's office or facility for individuals to request to take with them, and post it in a clear and prominent location at the facility.

- A covered entity may e-mail the notice to an individual if the individual agrees to receive an electronic notice.

See 45 CFR 164.520(c) for the specific requirements for providing the notice.

Organizational Options.

- Any covered entity, including a hybrid entity or an affiliated covered entity, may choose to develop more than one notice, such as when an entity performs different types of covered functions (i.e., the functions that make it a health plan, a health care provider, or a health care clearinghouse) and there are variations in its privacy practices among these covered functions. Covered entities are encouraged to provide individuals with the most specific notice possible.

- Covered entities that participate in an organized health care arrangement may choose to produce a single, joint notice if certain requirements are met. For example, the joint notice must describe the covered entities and the service

delivery sites to which it applies. If any one of the participating covered entities provides the joint notice to an individual, the notice distribution requirement with respect to that individual is met for all of the covered entities. See 45 CFR 164.520(d).

Frequently Asked Questions

To see Privacy Rule FAQs, click the desired link below:

FAQs on Notice of Privacy Practices

FAQs on ALL Privacy Rule Topics

(You can also go to http://answers.hhs.gov/cgi-bin/hhs.cfg/php/enduser/std_alp.php, then select "Privacy of Health Information/HIPAA" from the Category drop down list and click the Search button.)