

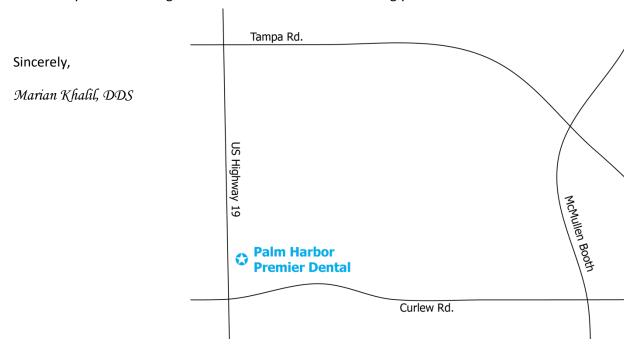
Welcome to our practice!

We thank you for choosing our office for your dental needs. Did you know your oral health is a vital part of your overall well-being? This is why we take a comprehensive approach when designing a treatment plan for your needs. Some of the services we offer include crowns, veneers, oral surgery, root canals and teeth whitening, just to name a few. Most procedures can be performed in our office, thus eliminating the need to travel to a different office for specialized treatment.

Throughout the year, our staff spends many hours attending continuing education courses to ensure that we are using the latest technology, techniques and resources available. This allows us to provide our patients with care that is not only cutting edge, but also time and cost effective as well.

On each and every visit, we will strive to make it a pleasurable experience. For your comfort, we offer televisions in every treatment room and refreshments in our reception area. If there is anything else we can do to makes your visits more pleasant, please let us know.

We thank you for choosing our office and look forward to seeing you soon.



We are located in the shopping plaza on the corner of US Highway 19 and Curlew Rd. that includes Publix and Planet Fitness. We are next to PetCo.





Commonly Asked Questions

Q. Going to the dentist makes me anxious. Is there anything you can do to make me feel more comfortable?

A. This is a common problem that many patients face and will often prevent them from receiving much needed treatment, which will only result in additional problems later on. Your dentist will take ample time to explain the procedure, answer any questions you may have and make you feel at ease. For many patients, just knowing what to expect helps them to relax. For patients needing something additional, we do offer nitrous oxide, often referred to as laughing gas, to help you feel more comfortable. If necessary, we may also prescribe an oral sedative to be taken prior to your appointment.

Q. Do you offer payment plans?

A. We realize dental treatment can be costly, especially for patients without insurance coverage. While we do not offer in house financing, we do to participate in the CareCredit program. CareCredit is a fantastic option for patients who are looking to make payments on a monthly basis. There are several different options including 0% interest financing for up to 12 months.

Q. I would love to have my teeth whitened, but isn't it expensive?

A. We offer a variety of whitening options to make it affordable for all our patients. We have whitening systems for as low as \$195.

Q. Do you take my insurance?

A. We are able to work with most insurance policies. Please call our office with your insurance information and we will gladly contact your insurance carrier to verify your benefits.

Q. Why are x-rays necessary and aren't they harmful?

A. X-rays are a vital tool in diagnosing common oral problems such as cavities, periodontal disease, abscesses and an array of other issues. Because many oral problems reside beneath the gums, between the teeth and under existing dental work, x-rays allow us to see what a visual exam does not. Just as your medical doctor orders yearly tests, we require yearly x-rays to give you a clean bill of oral health. Our office uses the latest technology in digital imaging to minimize any apparent exposure. The American Dental Association has performed countless research concluding that the radiation received from digital dental x-rays is far less than what people receive on a daily basis from naturally occurring elements.

As a courtesy, we will call you to remind you of the appointment which you have scheduled. We realize that your time is very valuable and do our best to minimize wait times. In return, we ask if you are unable to keep a scheduled appointment, you notify the office so we may offer our services to another patient in need. Appointments cancelled or missed with less than 24 hours notice may be subject to a fee.

We are committed to providing our patients with the best care and staying up to date on current advancements to improve our quality of care.



Financial Policy

As a courtesy to our patients, our office is happy to file your dental insurance for you and wait up to **30 days** for payment from them. If you prefer, we will collect the full amount due directly from you at the time of service and bill the insurance company for payment to go directly to you.

If you choose to have us wait for your insurance payment, we will collect the amount we **estimate** will be due from you at the time of service. Though we strive to be accurate, this is only an **estimate** and a balance may be due after the insurance has paid their portion. If you would like us to send a predetermination of benefits we are happy to do that but it is still not a guarantee that the insurance will pay at the time of service.

After **30 days** or upon payment from your insurance company, the balance becomes due and payable in full by you. If a problem arises with the claim, we will continue to do whatever is necessary to see that you are reimbursed any amount still due to you by your insurance company.

Failure to pay your balance may result in a late fee of \$25.00.

Returned check fee \$40.00.

I have read the agreement above and understand the terms. I choose to have the payment paid directly to the provider of service.

Signature

I choose to pay the full amount due at the time of service and have the insurance payment come directly to me/I don't have dental insurance.

Signature



Notice of Privacy Practices of Palm Harbor Premiere Dental

The law requires us to maintain your privacy, to give you this notice and to follow the terms of this notice. This notice describes how your health information may be used, disclosed and how you can access this information. Please review it carefully.

The law permits us to disclose your health information to those involved in your treatment. For example, a review of your file by a specialist whom we may involve in your care. We may use or disclose your health information for payment of your services. For example, if you have insurance, we may send a report of your progress to your insurance company. We may also share information with our business associates, such as a billing service. We will have a written contract with each business associate that requires them to protect your privacy. All records containing health or personal information will be shredded if no longer needed and all such retained information will be kept secure.

We may use or disclose your information to contact you. For example, we may send you newsletter or other information. We will also call to confirm the time and day we have reserved for your dental care. If you are not home, we may leave this information on your answering machine or with the person who answers the phone. We may need to contact you from time to time. We will use whatever address and telephone number you prefer.

In an emergency, we may disclose your health information to a family member or another person responsible for your care.

We may release some or all of your health information when required by law.

If this practice is sold, your information will become the property of the new owner.

Except as described above, this practice will not use or disclose your health information without your prior written authorization.

You may request in writing that we not use or disclose your health information as described above. We will let you know if we can fulfill your request.

You have the right to know of any uses or disclosures we make with your health information beyond the normal uses.

You have the right to transfer copies of your health information to another practice. We will mail your files for you. We will need a signed request for the transfer. A reasonable fee may apply.

You have the right to see and receive a copy of your health information, with a few exceptions, in a timely manner without delays for legal review. Please give us a written request regarding the information you would like to see. If you also would like a copy of your records, we may charge you a reasonable fee for the copies.

You have the right to request an amendment or change to your health information. Please give us your request to make changes in writing. If you wish to include a statement in your file, please give it to us in writing. We may or may not make the changes you request, but will be happy to include your statement in your file. If we agree to an amendment or change, we will not remove or alter earlier documents, but will add new information.

You have the right to receive a copy of this notice.

If we change any of the details of this notice, we will notify you of the changes in writing.

You may file a complaint with the Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509 F, Washington, DC, 20201. You will not be retaliated against for filing a complaint. However, before filing a complaint or for more information or assistance regarding your health information privacy, please contact our Privacy Officer, Dr. David Castellano.

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I have received a copy of the Privacy Practices Notice of Palr	m Harbor Premiere Dental.
Signed	Print Name
If signing as a parent or guardian, please note the name of the	e patient.



Welcome to our office! We will do our best to make your appointments as convenient and pleasant as possible. If at any time you have any questions regarding your treatment, your appointments or fees, please feel free to ask. This Acquaintance Form will help us to serve you better.

PLEASE PRINT

DATE: EMAIL	ADDRESS:	
PATIENT'S NAME:		
MARITIAL STATUS: ☐ MARRIED ☐ SINGLE	E □ WIDOWED □ DIVORCED	
SPOUSE'S NAME:		
PATIENT'S ADDRESS:	ZIP:	
PHONE:		
Home Work	Cell Preferred	
DATE OF BIRTH:/ SOCIA	IAL SECURITY #	
EMPLOYED BY:		
BUSINESS ADDRESS:		
DO YOU HAVE DENTAL INSURANCE?	□NO	
NAME OF INSURANCE CO.:		
POLICY HOLDER:	SOCIAL SECURITY # OF POLICY HOLDER:	
DATE OF BIRTH OF POLICY HOLDER:		
EMPLOYED BY:		
BUSINESS ADDRESS:		
IF PATIENT IS A CHILD, PARENT OR LEGAL GU	UARDIAN NAME:	
PURPOSE OF VISIT:	FORMER DENTIST:	
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OUR OFFICE?		
IF REFERRED BY ANOTHER PATIENT, WHOM M	MAY WE THANK FOR REFERRING YOU?	
IS ANOTHER MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY OR R	RELATIVE A PATIENT AT OUR OFFICE?	
EMERGENCY CONTACT:	RELATIONSHIP:	
PHONE:ADDRE	ESS:	



Medical History

Signature of Pa	atient, Parei	nt or Guardian:					Date	:	
mation can be dar	ngerous to my	he questions on this for (or patient's) health. I	t is my re	sponsibility to i	nform the	dental off	ice of any chang	_	
		illness not listed abov			_				O Yes O N
Congenital Heart Disorder Convulsions	r O Yes O No O Yes O No	Heart Pacemaker Heart Trouble/Disease	O Yes O N		Care C reatments C		Venereal Di Yellow Jaur		O Yes O N
Cold Sores/Fever Blisters		Heart Murmur	O Yes O N	•			Ulcers		O Yes O N
Chest Pains	O Yes O No	Heart Attack/Failure	O Yes O N	o Pain in Jaw	Joints C	Yes O No	Tumors or C	Growths	O Yes O N
Chemotherapy	O Yes O No	Hay Fever	O Yes O N	o Osteoporosi	is C	Yes O No	Tuberculosi	S	O Yes O N
Cancer	O Yes O No	Glaucoma	O Yes O N		e Prolapse C		Tonsilitis	-	O Yes O N
Bruise Easily	O Yes O No	Genital Herpes	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Thyroid Dis		O Yes O N
Blood Transfusion Breathing Problem	O Yes O No O Yes O No	Frequent Diarrhea Frequent Headaches	O Yes O N O Yes O N			Yes O No	Stroke Swelling of	Limbs	O Yes O N
Blood Disease	O Yes O No	Frequent Cough	O Yes O N			Yes O No		testinal Diseas	
Asthma	O Yes O No	Fainting Spells/Dizziness				Yes O No	Spina Bifida		O Yes O N
Artificial Joint	O Yes O No	Excessive Thirst	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Sinus Troub		O Yes O N
Artificial Heart Valve	O Yes O No	Excessive Bleeding	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Sickle Cell	Disease	O Yes O N
Arthritis/Gout	O Yes O No	Epilepsy or Seizures	O Yes O N	-		Yes O No	Shingles	<i>7</i> 1	O Yes O N
Angina	O Yes O No O Yes O No	Emphysema	O Yes O N O Yes O N			Yes O No	Scarlet Feve		O Yes O N
Anaphylaxis Anemia	O Yes O No	Drug Addiction Easily Winded	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Rheumatic ! Rheumatisn		O Yes O N
Alzheimer's Disease	O Yes O No	Diabetes	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Renal Dialy		O Yes O N
AIDS/HIV Positive	O Yes O No	Cortisone Medicine	O Yes O N			Yes O No	Recent Wei		O Yes O N
Do you have, or h	nave you had,	any of the following?							
☐ Aspirin	☐ Penicillin☐ Other	☐ Codeine If yes, please exp		Anesthetics	□ Acry	rlic	☐ Metal	□ Latex	
Are you allergic to	o any of the fo	ollowing?							
Women: Are you Pregnant/Trying t	o get pregnan	t? O Yes O No	Taking o	ral contraceptiv	es? O Yes	O No	Nursing? O Ye	s O No	
]	Do you use controlled su	bstances?	O Yes O No	If yes, ple	ease explain	n:		
		Do you use		O Yes O No			n:		
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_	Have you ever been hospitalized or had a major operation?			O Yes O No	If yes, please explain				
II				O Yes O No			n:		
have, or medication the following questi	ions.	be taking, could have an you under a physician's o	•	•					
		ly treat the area in and ar							
Patient's Name:				Date of Birth:					



Dental History

Are you having any discomfort at this time?		
What concerns you the most?		
When was your last dental visit?		
Do any of the following cause tooth discomfort?		
□ HOT □ COLD □ SWEETS □ CHEWING		
Do you have any sores in or around your mouth?		
Are you aware of any swelling or lumps in your mouth?		
When was your last dental cleaning?		
Do your gums bleed when you brush or floss?		
Have you ever had periodontal (gum) treatments?		
Is there any unpleasant taste or odor in your mouth?		
Which of the following do you use at home on a regular basis?		
		☐ Both
		□ No
		□ No
•		□ No
		□ No
•		□ No
		□ No
	□ Yes	□ No
If so, when, what, how and by whom?		
Do you like the appearance of your teeth and your smile?	□ Yes	□ No
If not, what would you like to change the most in the appearance of your teer	th?	
Have you ever had an unpleasant dental experience or are dissatisfied with you	our past dentistry)
Please add anything also you feel is important		
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