

Notice of Privacy Practices

The Health and Human Services (HHS) Office for Civil Rights enforces the HIPAA Privacy Rule, which protects the privacy of individually identifiable health information, and the HIPAA Security Rule, which sets national standards for the security of electronic protected health information.

Individuals have the right to know how their protected health information may be used and disclosed, and what their privacy rights are. The Notice of Privacy Practices (NPP) provides individuals with this information.

A laminated Notice of Privacy Practices is provided in the office and copies can be obtained upon request.

“I acknowledge that I have received a copy of The Notice of Privacy Practices.”

Patient Name _____ Date _____

Dental Materials Fact Sheet

Effective January 1, 2002 dentists are mandated by law to provide patients a copy of The Dental Board of California Dental Materials Fact Sheet. The fact sheet is also laminated and copies are provided.

Downloadable copies are also available on www.dbc.ca.gov

This document is designed to provide dental material facts and options to consumers.

“I acknowledge that I have received a copy of The Dental Materials Fact Sheet.”

Patient Name _____ Date _____

Signature Release Statement

I hereby authorize the release of all medical information necessary to process my claims and I authorize release of this same information, when necessary, to other providers rendering medical/dental care, as well as to labs that need my information to make a diagnosis or fabricate an appliance necessary for my treatment.

I assign all medical and surgical benefits, including major medical benefits to which I am entitled, to Alex J. Mercado, D.D.S., Inc. This assignment will remain in effect until revoked by me in writing. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered as valid as the original.

Patient Name _____ Date _____

The Dental Board of California (DBC) is the agency that regulates the practice of dentistry in the state of California. They can be contacted by phone at 877-729-7789 or email dentalboard@dca.ca.gov or mail 2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 1550 Sacramento, CA 95815