

**NOTICE OF PRIVACY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
MADISON PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY PA**

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW HEALTH INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY. THE PRIVACY OF YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT TO US.

I understand that under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996(“HIPPA”), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- Conduct, plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.
- Obtain payment directly from patient or from third party payers.
- Conduct normal healthcare operation such as quality assessments and physician certifications.
- Disclose your health information when we are required to do so by law.
- Appropriate authorities if we reasonably believe that you are a possible victim of abuse, neglect, or domestic violence or the possible victim of other crimes.

I have received, read and understand your Notice Of Privacy Practices containing a description of uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change its Notice Of Privacy Practices from time to time and that I may contact this organization at any time to obtain a current copy of the Notice Of Private Practices. I understand that I may request in writing that the organization may restrict how my private information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand that the organization is not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if they do agree then they are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patient Name

Relationship to Patient

Signature

Date

Staff Member Sign: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

I attempted to obtain the patient’s signature in acknowledgement on this Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement, but was unable to do so as documented below:

Date: _____ Initials: _____ Reason: _____