

THE RECOMMENDED PLAN OF TREATMENT FOR:

Patient Name _____ Account Number _____

CHANGES IN TREATMENT PLAN:

Initial _____

I understand that during treatment, it may be necessary to change or add procedures due to conditions found while working on the teeth that were not discovered during examination, the most common being root canal therapy following routine restorative procedures. I give my permission to the Dentist to make any/all changes and additions as necessary.

DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES:

* Initial _____

These may include examination, x-rays, and consultation.

PROPHYLAXIS (CLEANING):

* Initial _____

A carefully measured solution is placed on the teeth after they have been cleaned. Fluoride hardens the surface of the tooth and helps resist decay. Cleaning is an integral part of the fluoride treatment.

SEALANT:

Tooth #: _____

Initial _____

Plastic material applied to the chewing surfaces of molar (back teeth) where decay occurs most often. It acts as a barrier to protect decay prone areas.

CAVITY AREAS:

Initial _____

These require removal of decay and placing of filling materials.

ANTERIOR RESIN:

Initial _____

These front teeth cavity which will be filled using a tooth colored filling material.

POSTERIOR RESIN:

Initial _____

These back teeth which small cavity may be filled using a tooth colored filling material.

EXTRACTION:

Tooth #: _____

Initial _____

These teeth may be removed because of infection, crowding (orthodontic purposes), or permanent tooth came in

DIANOGTC (STUDY) MODELS:

Initial _____

As part of a preliminary orthodontic and space analysis or to monitor growth.

PULP (NERVE) TREATMENT:

Initial _____

By use of proper drugs and techniques, it is possible to SAVE TEETH which would ordinarily be lost because of deep cavities with exposure of nerves. A pulp treatment consists of surgically removing the infected portion of the nerve, placing of a sterilizing medication, and sealing the tooth. Pulp treatment is done with the tooth isolated and anesthetized so that no pain is felt by the child. Saving a primary tooth, if it is going to be normally in the mouth for more than six months, is recommended because it provides the child with a chewing surface and a natural space maintainer.

STAINLESS STEEL CROWN:

Initial _____

When teeth are so broken down or cavities are all around teeth that silver fillings cannot be used, we are still able to SAVE TEETH with the use of stainless steel crowns.

RESIN (WHITE/STRIP) CROWN:

Initial _____

These teeth are broken down that tooth color or silver filling cannot be used, we are still able to SAVE TEETH with use of white/strip crowns. These crowns are more like cosmetics.

SPACE MAINTAINER:

Initial _____

A space maintainer keeps the space intended for a permanent tooth by preventing adjacent teeth from "drifting" and forcing permanent teeth to erupt in a crowded condition.