

Your Health Information and Your Privacy  
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We gather information about your health, so that we can help you establish and maintain dental health. Your information is confidential, and we do not disclose it except as follows:

- We share that information with your insurance company, so that they will pay for the services for you.
- The government or insurance may need information to help Quality of Care
- If we refer you to another dentist for specialized care, we share your health information with them.
- When we send you a card to remind you to come in for your regular checkup, the card says how long it has been since your last checkup, and somebody might read that.
- Other families in the office at the time of your treatment may overhear us talking to you or view your name on the schedule.

You can see the information we have on you if you wish.

If you think there is an error, you can add that information to our records.

If you are interested, we can tell you who we shared your information with (it would be only your insurance and other dentist).

You can tell us if you want us to further restrict the disclosure of the information you have given us.

You can file a privacy complaint if your health information is shared or disclosed inappropriately.