

HIGH POINT SMILE DENTISTRY

Dear patient,

This practice is happy to file your insurance as a courtesy to you; however, there is something you should know about dental insurance:

Dental Insurance is a supplemental insurance. This means that for the most part it will only pay a portion of the cost of your dental procedures. For any unpaid balance over 30 days, a 1 ½ % interest fee will be charged per month.

Your employer is responsible for what benefits you are covered for.

There are over 141 dental insurance plans and within these, each patient's plan is different both within the same carrier and even within the same organization. You are responsible for understanding what your benefits are with your dental insurance plan.

Should a procedure not be covered, please follow up with your employer or your insurance carrier to inquire why. We can provide you with forms to assist you with this.

We treat our patients to the best of our abilities and using the latest therapies and products in dentistry. We do not treat based on what an insurance company will pay but rather on the needs of our patients. Knowing that dental insurance is a supplemental coverage insurance, you should be aware that you may be required to pay a portion or all of your bill out-of-pocket for your treatment.

Please sign this sheet stating that you understand the information above. Should you have questions about this, please ask a staff member.

Thank you,

Patient name

Date

Guardian Signature (if needed)

Date