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Dear Parent | Guardian,

Your dentist has recommended that your child's dental treatment be provided using intravenous sedation because of the extent of dental treatment required and/or your child's inability to cooperate in the dental setting. The medications used will allow your child to "sleep" through the procedure in a safe, controlled and monitored setting thereby allowing your dentist to provide the highest quality of dental care.

I would like to take this opportunity to share with you the services I provide that will enable your child to achieve a positive experience during his/her dental treatment. My mission is to provide the highest standards of patient care and safety in the comfort, convenience and familiar surroundings of your dentist office.

Enclosed you will find several forms:

- **Pre- and Post-Operative Instructions**
- **Pediatric Medical History Form**
- **Financial Agreement Form**

Please take the time to complete and review the enclosed forms. Please return the signed and dated forms to my office or dental office via mail, email, or fax. **A deposit of \$1000.00 is required to schedule your child's appointment due to the extensive time, effort and coordination necessary to schedule patients.** Payment is due upon the completion of paperwork.

The evening prior to your child's appointment, I will contact you to review your child's medical history, explain the anesthesia in careful detail and answer any questions that you may have concerning your child's care.

The day of the appointment:

- **Wear a short sleeved shirt and loose, comfortable pants**
- **Bring a change of clothes**
- **Bring a warm blanket and comfort item (ex. Stuffed animal, doll)**
- **Nothing to eat or drink (including water) after 12:00am!**

On the day of treatment, your child will be given an initial sedative while you hold them. After the sedative has taken effect, your child will be carried to the treatment area. Your child's vital signs will be monitored while an intravenous line is established. Medications will be titrated as needed to keep your child comfortable, pain free and asleep throughout the entire dental procedure. Accompanying adults (Parents | Guardians) will remain in the reception area during the entire treatment. This is to ensure that the dental team can completely focus their attention on your child, thereby ensuring maximum safety.

If you are unsure of anything or have additional questions, please contact my office. I look forward to serving you with the highest quality of care and safety in the near future.

Sincerely,

Trisha Jen, DDS
Dentist Anesthesiologist