



# Smile Secrets

*Gentle Family & Cosmetic Dentistry*

## WELCOME!

Welcome to our private care dental office. My Team and I consider ourselves a group of Health Care Professionals whose primary concerns are the prevention and treatment of dental disease and the creation of pleasing aesthetics in those guests who choose to place themselves in our care.

We believe in providing Excellence. Each of us maintains a continuing commitment to progress, innovation and education, with the goal of developing the best dental care possible.

We establish our treatment based on the principle of choice. We respect your right to choose what you think is best for your future health, based on the most current and complete information we can provide. It is our sincere hope that you will strive for the highest level of quality care.

A result of this philosophy is our stellar reputation, and our passion for excellence and innovation in dentistry. Our guests have come to know what they can expect of us: only the very best!

Dr. Kari Chellis, RDH, DDS



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## GREAT LOOKING SMILES HELP PEOPLE FEEL MORE CONFIDENT!

We improve the quality of our patient's lives by helping them achieve optimal dental health. Optimal dental health contributes to overall physical well-being, improving self-esteem and peace of mind.

Our innovative approach to preventing and healing disease helps our patients look and feel better.

We ask questions and listen intently to the desires of our patients allowing their priorities, values and expectations to guide us. We want our patients to be informed and involved.

We provide service that is gentle and supportive as well as technically advanced.

Our dentistry withstands the test of time. We will not cut corners!

We want our work to inspire you to refer your family members and friends.

## STATEMENT OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

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Our office is dedicated to protect the privacy rights of our patients and the confidential information entrusted to us. The commitment of each employee is to ensure that your health information is never compromised. We may, from time to time, amend our privacy policies and practices but will always inform you of any changes that might affect your rights.

### Protecting Your Personal Healthcare Information

We use and disclose the information we collect from you only as allowed by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act and the state of Washington. This includes issues relating to your treatment, payment, and our dental care operations. Your personal health information will never be otherwise given to anyone, even family members, without your written consent. You, of course, may give written authorization for us to disclose your information to anyone you choose, for any purpose.

### Collecting Protected Health Information

We will only request personal information needed to provide our standard of quality dental care, implement payment activities, conduct normal dental practice operations, and comply with the law. This may include your name, address, telephone number(s), Social Security Number, employment data, medical history, health records, etc. While most of the information will be collected from you, we may obtain information from third parties if it is deemed necessary. Regardless of the source, your personal information will always be protected to the full extent of the law.

### Disclosure of Your Protected Health Information

As stated above, we may disclose information as require by law. We are obligated to provide information to law enforcement and governmental officials under certain circumstances. We will not use your information for marketing purposes without your written consent. We may use and/or disclose your health information to communicate reminders about your appointment including voice-mail messages, answering machines and postcards.

### Patients Rights

You have a right to request copies of your healthcare information, to request copies in a variety of formats, and request a list of instances in which we, or our business associates, have disclosed your protected information for uses other than stated above. All such requests must be in writing. We may charge you an amount allowed by law for your copies. If you believe your rights have been violated, we urge you to notify us immediately. You can also notify the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

We thank you for being a patient in our office. Please let us know if you have any questions concerning your privacy rights and the protection of your personal health information.

## Patient Information

Date:		Preferred Name (Nickname):			
Patient Name: Last			First		MI
Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs <input type="checkbox"/> Dr		SS #: - -		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
Address:		City		State	Zip
Email Address				Birth date:	
Family Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married		<input type="checkbox"/> Single		<input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Place of Employment:			Position:		

Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:
Best time and number to call:		
We confirm all appointments via e-mail or text message or both. What is your preferred method of correspondence?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Text Message <input type="checkbox"/> Both		

Whom may we thank for referring you to our office? Name _____
How did you hear about us? Please check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Google <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook <input type="checkbox"/> Website <input type="checkbox"/> Online Reviews <input type="checkbox"/> Other
If patient is under the age of 18, parent or guardian's signature:
In case of emergency, please notify:      Name:      Phone:      Relationship:



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## Primary Insurance Information

Name of Insured: Last		First		Middle	
Insured's Birth Date:		ID #:		Group #	
Insured's Address:		City		State	Zip
Insured's Employer Name:					
Patient's Relationship to Insured: <input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
Insurance Plan Name:			Primary Dental Insurance Phone Number:		
Insurance Address:		City		State	Zip

## Additional Insurance Coverage

Name of Insured:		Last		First		Middle	
Insured's Birth Date:		ID #:		Group #			
Insured's Address:		City		State	Zip		
Insured's Employer Name:							
Patient's Relationship to Insured: <input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other							
Insurance Plan Name:				Secondary Dental Insurance Phone Number:			
Insurance Address:		City		State	Zip		

**Payment is expected at or before the time of service. A deposit is expected to reserve your appointment.**

**Sedation Appointments and Appointments two hours or longer must be prepaid.**

**We accept** cash, checks, debit cards, and Visa/Mastercard/Discover/American Express.

**Payment plans** through Care Credit and Lending Club are available. All payment plan arrangements must be made in advance of appointments.

**Insurance:** We will bill your insurance company as a courtesy to you. Although we will estimate your what your insurance company MAY pay, it is the insurance company that makes the final determination of your eligibility. You agree to pay any portion of the charges not covered by insurance at the time of service. Your policy is a contract between you and your insurance company. Please refer to your benefits manual to know your particular plan's coverage.

**Premera/Regence Blue Cross:** Your insurance company pays you. Your portion is due at the time of service & full payment is expected immediately after the insurance company pays you.

**Appointments:** We consider all appointments confirmed at the time they are scheduled. We request a courtesy of a 2-business-day/48 hour-notice for all appointment changes.

*I authorize my insurance company to pay all benefits for services rendered. If for any reason the estimated amount is not paid by my insurance, it will become my responsibility. We reserve the right to charge a 12% Finance Charge on Account Balances over 60 days old.*

***I acknowledge the above, I agree to the terms, and I am responsible for all treatment fees for services performed on myself and my family.***

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Getting to Know You

**What attracted you to our office?**

**What would you like to have happen today?**

**What are your main concerns?**

- Comfort       Health       Endurance       Appearance

**What would you like us to know about you and your past dental experiences?**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> It has been good.  | <input type="checkbox"/> I've had braces.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I've had bad experiences.  | <input type="checkbox"/> I've had an accident that affected my teeth.                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Please handle me with care!  | <input type="checkbox"/> I've had (or have) TMJ pain.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> My teeth are very sensitive.   | <input type="checkbox"/> It would help me if you could explain to me what you are doing and why. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I'm very anxious about injections.   | <input type="checkbox"/> I have an extreme problem with lying down.                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I want to be very numb!  | <input type="checkbox"/> I need help getting back on track!                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I gag easily.  | <input type="checkbox"/> I don't want to be lectured about my mouth.                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I feel out of control in the dental chair.   |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I have not been to the dentist in a long time and I feel worried about what you will say about my teeth, or my oral hygiene. |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I have a specific dental problem now. Please describe:   |  |

**Please tell us a little about yourself. For example, family, pets, hobbies, interests, etc.**

**How is your overall physical (non-dental) health?**

- Great!       Good       Fair       Poor       Frail

**What are your expectations for a successful result?**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Relief from Tooth Pain    | <input type="checkbox"/> Whiter Teeth                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Relief from Headache Pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Straighter Teeth                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dental Health             | <input type="checkbox"/> A Smile Makeover                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chew better               | <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce Facial Lines & Wrinkles                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Help me save my teeth!    | <input type="checkbox"/> Look more youthful                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce my "Gummy Smile"   | <input type="checkbox"/> I want complete dental care                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Please describe:   | <input type="checkbox"/> I'm not sure yet, but tell me about my options |

**What would you like to know about us?**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Will I feel any pain?                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> What are your Infection Control Procedures? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you have "Laughing Gas"?                              | <input type="checkbox"/> How much time will this take?               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Can I sleep through my appointments?                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Do you have payment plans?                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Can you minimize the number of visits?                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Do you have room for my family and friends? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Can you minimize the number of times I have to get numb? |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Please describe:                                  |  |

**What special things can we do in our office to make sure you are well cared for?****Health History**

<b>Date of last medical exam?</b>	<b>Date of last dental exam?</b>
<b>Have you been hospitalized in the last 5 years? If yes, what for?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Are you currently receiving care? If yes, what is the nature of your care?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Are you required to Pre-Medicate? If yes, for what reason:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Please list the names and phone numbers of all physicians who are currently providing you care:</b>	
<b>Please list all prescription medications you are currently taking and for what reason:</b> <i>Please note that if you don't recall the name of your medications, Dr. Chellis will need you to email/fax or drop by our office with your list of medications, as soon as possible, before any treatment.</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> No Prescription Meds	
<b>Please list any OTC medicines you are currently taking:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> No OTC Meds	
<b>Please list any herbal supplements, including vitamins, that you are currently taking:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> No Supplements	
<b>Are you allergic to:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfa
<input type="checkbox"/> No Known Allergies to medications	<input type="checkbox"/> Penicillin
<input type="checkbox"/> Local Anesthetics	<input type="checkbox"/> Aspirin
<input type="checkbox"/> Valium	<input type="checkbox"/> Ibuprofen
<input type="checkbox"/> Other antibiotics Please list:	<input type="checkbox"/> Codeine
<input type="checkbox"/> Other sedatives Please list:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other allergies Please describe:	



Do you have now or have you ever had TMJ/jaw discomfort/headaches?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever felt or heard problems with your jaw joint? <input type="checkbox"/> Popping <input type="checkbox"/> Sounds <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty Opening <input type="checkbox"/> Locking Open/Closed <input type="checkbox"/> Pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
How often do you notice jaw joint problems? <input type="checkbox"/> I have problems sometimes <input type="checkbox"/> I have problems regularly <input type="checkbox"/> I used to, but don't anymore <input type="checkbox"/> I don't have any of these		
Do you feel like your lower jaw is being pushed back when you bite your teeth together?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you avoid or have any difficulty chewing gum, carrots, nuts, bagels, baguettes, protein bars, or other hard, dry foods?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have your teeth changed in the last five years, becoming shorter, thinner or worn?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Are your teeth crowding or developing spaces?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have more than one bite, or do you clench (squeeze) to make your teeth fit together?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you chew ice, bite your nails, use your teeth to hold objects, or have any other oral habits?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you clench your teeth in the daytime or make them sore?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you wake with sore teeth or jaws or has anyone ever told you that you grind your teeth at night?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you feel you have trouble breathing through only your nose?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have any problems with sleep or wake up with an awareness of your teeth?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> I have Sleep Apnea	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you wear or have you ever worn a bite appliance such as a Nightguard? <input type="checkbox"/> I've been told I should <input type="checkbox"/> I tried to but I quit <input type="checkbox"/> I wear one regularly <input type="checkbox"/> I wear one rarely	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>For Patients interested in Sedation Dentistry:</b>		
Do you take any form of Antacids (TUMS, Cimetidine/Tagamet, Omeprazole/Prilosec, Nexium)? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, regularly <input type="checkbox"/> Every meal		
Do you take St John's Wort? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input type="checkbox"/> Regularly <input type="checkbox"/> Daily		
Do you drink grapefruit juice or eat fresh grapefruit? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, regularly <input type="checkbox"/> Every meal		
Do you take Protease Inhibitors (Nefazadone/ Serzone, etc)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you take FLUoxetine/Prozac?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
What is your approximate Blood Pressure?      (Normal = 120/80)      _____ / _____		
What is your approximate Weight?		
How much sugar is there in your diet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Slight <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> High	
Do you smoke?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you use any form of marijuana?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

I understand the above information is necessary to provide me with optimal dental care in a safe and efficient manner. I have answered all questions to the best of my knowledge. Should further information be needed, you have my permission to ask the respective health care provider or agency, who may release such information to you. I agree to notify you, Dr. Chellis, at every visit of any future changes in my health and/or medications.

I hereby authorize Dr. Chellis' office to administer such medications and perform such diagnostic and therapeutic procedures as may be necessary for proper dental care. I grant the right to Dr. Chellis to release my dental/medical histories and other information about my dental treatment to third party payors and/or other health professionals.

Dr. Chellis warrants the materials she uses and the workmanship of her restorative care for a period of 5 years. To keep your warranty in effect, you must:

1. Be in compliance with Smile Secrets' policies regarding payment and cancelled or missed appointments (less than 2 business days-notice is considered a missed appointment) and
2. Be seen at least annually for a Hygiene visit and Examination by Dr. Chellis,
3. Be following Dr. Chellis' recommendations.

Often small problems can be corrected, if found early. Your warranty covers loss, fracture of, or defects discovered in the restoration. Replacement due to new caries (decay) is not a covered benefit under this warranty.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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*...for dentistry that withstands the test of time...!*

## ***Appointment Cancellation Guidelines***

We strive to provide excellent dental care to you and the rest of our patients. To be consistent with this, we have an Appointment Cancellation Policy that allows us to schedule appointments for all patients. When an appointment is scheduled, that time is reserved and set aside for you only, and when the appointment is missed, that time cannot be used to treat another patient.

We require a **48 Business Hours**-notice for all appointment changes. If you need to reschedule your appointment, please call one of our Team members at 206.935.5522 during Smile Secrets regular business hours (M, T, W: 7-4 & Th: 7-2) to give us 48 hours-notice (not including Friday, Saturday or Sunday). This allows for other patients to be scheduled into the appointment that you had previously reserved with us.

If you cancel or miss an appointment without contacting our office within the required time, it will be considered a missed appointment.

### **For Hygiene Services (teeth cleaning, etc.):**

A Missed Appointment Fee of \$50.00 will be charged; this fee cannot be billed to your insurance company and will be your direct responsibility to pay.

### **For Doctor's Services:**

A Missed Appointment Fee of \$100.00 per scheduled hour of Dr. Chellis' time will be charged; this fee cannot be billed to your insurance company and will be your direct responsibility to pay.

For both Hygiene and Doctor's appointments, you will also be required to pre-pay \$50.00 to reschedule. The \$50.00 Rescheduling Fee will be applied toward future treatment not covered by your insurance.

If you cancel again, you will forfeit the Rescheduling Fee and will be charged a second Missed Appointment Fee. In no instance will the Rescheduling Fee be refunded to you. Second missed appointments will be charged a higher fee.

*We do not accept cancellations by Voicemail. You must speak to one of our Team Members during our regular business hours. Any cancellations left via Voicemail will automatically be subject to both the Missed Appointment Fee and the Rescheduling Fee.*

If you have any questions regarding this policy, please let one of our Team Members know and we will be glad to clarify any questions you may have.

We thank you for your patronage and appreciate your cooperation and the courtesy of allowing our other patients to have an appointment time that you cannot make it to.

**I have read and understand the Appointment Cancellation Policy of Smile Secrets and I agree to be bound by its terms. I also understand and agree that such terms may be amended from time-to-time by the practice.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Smile Secrets by Dr. Kari Chellis**  
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**Seattle, WA, 98116**

**Acknowledgement of Receipt of Notice of Privacy Practices**

I certify that I have received a copy of Dr. Chellis' Notice of Privacy Practices. The Notice of Privacy Practices describes the types of uses and disclosures of my protected health information that might occur in my treatment, payment for services or in the performance of office's health care operations. The Notice of Privacy Practices also describes my rights and Dr. Chellis' duties with respect to my protected health information. The Notice of Privacy Practices is posted in the facility.

Dr. Chellis reserves the right to change the privacy practices that are described in the Notice of Privacy Practices. If privacy practices change, I will be offered a copy of the revised Notice of Privacy Practices at the time of my first visit after the revisions become effective. I may also obtain a revised Notice of Privacy Practices by requesting that one be mailed to me.

<b>DISCLOSURE AUTHORITY</b>				
In addition to the allowable disclosures described in the Notice of Privacy Practices, I hereby specifically authorize disclosure of my protected health care information to the persons indicated below.				
SPOUSE/PARTNER: <i>PLEASE SPECIFY NAME:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>YES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NO</b>
IMMEDIATE FAMILY: <input type="checkbox"/> <i>MOTHER</i> , <input type="checkbox"/> <i>FATHER</i> , <input type="checkbox"/> <i>SIBLINGS</i> , <input type="checkbox"/> <i>CHILDREN</i> <i>PLEASE SPECIFY NAME(S):</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>YES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NO</b>
OTHER: ( <i>PLEASE SPECIFY NAME(S):</i> )	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>YES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NO</b>

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Name of Patient**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Patient** or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 If Guardian, Relationship to Patient

**OFFICE USE ONLY BELOW THIS LINE**

<b>RECORD OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT NOT OBTAINED</b>					
PROVIDED PRIOR TO TREATMENT?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>YES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NO</b>	
DATE PROVIDED:					
REASON FOR DENIAL:	<input type="checkbox"/>	NEEDED MORE TIME TO REVIEW NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES.			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	WANTED TO CONSULT WITH ANOTHER PERSON, BEFORE SIGNING.			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	UNABLE TO SIGN.			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	REASON NOT GIVEN.			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER (EXPLAIN):			