



PROSTHODONTIC CONSENT FORM

MUST BE SIGNED BEFORE APPOINTMENT OR APPOINTMENT WILL BE CANCELLED

I, _____ understand that dentistry like medicine that has no guarantee of results. There are many variables that can affect short and long-term success and this is dependent on the individual patient. Each patient has different presenting conditions, health issues, financial needs and aftercare habits. As such there **are no refunds or money back guarantees. On the day of delivery if the patient is not satisfied, corrections can be made but you will incur additional costs.** There are **no warranties for treatment** as we are a quality dental service provider and we do the very best treatments for our patients. It is the responsibility of the patient to adhere to their better judgement and follow best practices to maintain their prosthesis. If you misplace or break your prosthesis at any time after fabrication a new one will have to be made and this will be an additional cost to you with no discounts. You agree to eat a **soft diet** no matter what your prosthesis is to help preserve your prosthesis. This is not going to be like your regular teeth and you will never be able to function as such. You are required to maintain **good home care and cleaning** of your prosthesis. If your prosthesis fails you will need it replaced and this cost will be your responsibility. You recognize that you will **have maintenance visits** to take care of your prosthesis and this will cause additional money as is the case for all dental treatment. You will need to buy a **hard in office mouthguard** to protect your prosthesis. This is an additional cost.

Complete/Partial Dentures:

It takes 5 visits to make our complete and partial dentures. If additional visits are required due to patient demands, the patient will incur additional fees based on the lab procedures needed. Once a shade or color of the teeth is selected by the patient and the patient wants to change the color or shape of the teeth additional lab fees and charges will be incurred that will be transferred to the patient. There will be **3 free denture adjustments within 60 days** after denture delivery to relieve sore spots. If you are a delta dental patient, we will provide you with free adjustments up to 6 months after delivery. Once this is complete you will be billed for your visits and adjustments. Some patient will need an **immediate relines** of their dentures following complete denture fabrication and if you require this you will be charged an additional fee for this service. Some patients have extreme tissue changes and require new relines to be completed after the delivery of the dentures. If you break your denture or misplace it you will be charged for a new one.

Implant Dentures:

It takes 5 to 6 visits to make our implant complete and partial dentures. If additional visits are required due to patient demands, the patient will incur additional fees based on the lab procedures needed. Once a shade or color of the teeth is selected by the patient and the patient wants to change the color or shape of the teeth additional lab fees and charges will be incurred that will be transferred to the patient. There will be **3 free denture adjustments within 60 days** after denture fabrication to relieve sore spots. If you are a delta dental patient, we will provide you with free adjustments up to 6 months after delivery. Once this is complete you will be billed for your visits and adjustments. Some patient will need an **immediate relines** of their dentures following complete denture fabrication and if you require this you will be charged an additional fee for this service. Some patients have extreme tissue changes and require new relines to be completed after the delivery of the dentures. If you break your denture or misplace it you will be charged for a new one. You will be required to pay for **maintenance visits on your implant dentures**. Your retention clips will get loose over time (6 months to 1 year) and may need to be changed. This can vary and that is dependent on your situation. **You will be responsible for the cost for this regardless of when it becomes loose.** INITIAL _____

Implant Crowns & bridges, Crowns and Bridges, All-On-X and Full mouth implants:

All our implant prosthodontics is at the highest quality. All restorations are made from high strength zirconia. As part of the fabrication process you might need provisionals or temporary teeth to be fabricated. This might be part of the fabrication process and often is included as part of your final cost. They are not meant to be worn long term and are made usually for a maximum of 3 weeks use. You will be allowed a maximum of two sets of provisionals or temporary teeth to be made to make the necessary changes to the prosthesis that you want. These provisionals will serve as a template for your final restorations. Any additional provisionals that need to be made or that are requested to be made due to patient demands for changes to the space or color of the teeth will include an additional fee. For your final prosthesis you will also be allowed 3 post op adjustments at no cost to even out your bite adjustments. Should you need further adjustments this will be charged at as extra. You will be responsible for keeping them clean and caring for them with regular dental visit. Cleaning of this prosthesis is an additional cost to you. There are no warranties if broken. All (fixed implant bridges, crowns) patients will be required to purchase a mouthguard that need to be used every day or night as instructed by the doctor. This will help preserve the long-term success of your prosthesis. If you don't you risk prosthesis fracture.

- All prosthetic work will take time to adapt to. This may take weeks, months or even years. Your comfort, bite and speech will be affected but nearly all patient will adapt to the prosthesis. There are of course no guarantees that you will if you are the person that is outside the norm.
- **You will be charged for each visit after your delivery if you need checks just like a doctor's visit**
- Your individual treatment plan may change during treatment. This is very common as situations may change during treatment that might need us to visit a different treatment option for your best interest. **All work is only an Estimate. Treatment and may change.**
- The doctor is allowed to terminate treatment, at any point, if the patient is non-compliant and does not follow instructions that will lead to a successful outcome. We will provide you with an alternative provider so you can seek care elsewhere if this becomes necessary, as well as partial return of fees.
- There is no guarantee that you will be accepted as a patient at the practice for treatment. When you are seen at the consultation visit, the doctor will decide if you are both a good fit to work with each other. A good relationship is needed for better health outcomes.
- If work is started, and you fail to attend your appointments, following that, there is no guarantee that your work will be successful. In most instances additional work is needed to correct a neglected mouth and that can result in additional expense to you.
- You agree that if you fail to attend their appointment or fail to give us **24 hours' notice**, you will be charged a **fee of \$50**. This fee will need to be paid before another appointment is booked.

You agree if you cancel or fail to attend 2 consecutive appointments even if we are provided notice, no further appointments will be booked and you will be dismissed from the office and will be required to seek care elsewhere. This is at the discretion of the doctor as it shows a pattern of nonattendance and this is not fair to our office and our patients.

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FINANCIAL PATIENT PAYMENT POLICY

Fixed Implant Bridges, Crowns, Bridges, Veneers:

50% of total cost of your treatment before treatment and the remaining balance at the time of final impressions. In some cases, depending on the complexity of the, we may collect 100% before starting.

Complete Denture or Removable Partial Denture only:

50% of total cost collected before the start of treatment and the balance collected at the time of try in of your teeth before the dentures are completed. In some cases, depending on the complexity of the, we may collect 100% before starting.

All on 4 Bridges and Oral Surgery (Extractions, Implant placement):

100% of total cost will be collected at the time of service and before the procedure is done.

Frontier Dental is a fee-for-service practice and we are not in network with any dental or medical insurances, ALL PATIENTS are responsible for paying in full.

Additional Terms:

- 18% annual interest is charged for any unpaid balance.
- There is a \$50.00 processing charge for an NSF check or returned check.
- There is a nominal charge of \$20 for release of copies of x-rays.
- Because instruments, chairs, and personnel are reserved exclusively for your appointment, there is a \$50 CHARGE FOR CHANGED OR BROKEN APPOINTMENTS LESS THAN 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE.

Patient Acceptance Signature: _____

Date: _____