Important Please READ Financial Agreement Northwest Family Dental

Financial Policy for Our Patients

Insurance:

We accept most traditional PPO dental insurance. We do not participate in any DMO/HMO dental plans or reduced fee schedule plans.

Our office understands the value of dental insurance and will file dental claims on your behalf. We will complete and process insurance claims forms for you as a courteous. You however will be responsible for the insurance portion if insurance chooses to deny a claim.

Most dental insurance plans <u>do not</u> cover 100% of the cost of your treatment. Because of this, and a delay in receiving payment from the insurance company, you will be asked to pay your deductible as well as your <u>estimated</u> portion of your charges the day services are rendered.

We will estimate as closely as possible your coverage, but until we actually receive payment from your insurance carrier, it is just that - an estimate. If we do not receive payment from your carrier within 30 days, the entire balance is due from you. If payment is not received a claims may be sent to COLLECTIONS.

Please understand that we file your insurance benefits as a courtesy to you. If your insurance denies coverage or does not pay for any reason, you are ultimately responsible for any and all charges incurred in our office. It is your responsibility to keep up with your annual maximum coverage of dental benefits. This information is easily obtainable from your dental carrier.

Payment Options:

Our office accepts cash, personal checks and all major credit cards for services. We do not finance any dental work ourselves.

****Please be advised that we do charge a fee of between \$40

and \$90 for all failed and cancelled appointments without 24 hours notice *******

Signature	_ Date
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