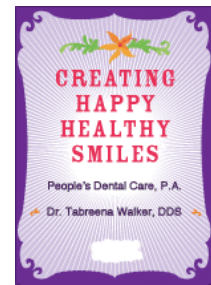


PEOPLE'S DENTAL CARE, P.A.

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Consent For Routine Care

Preventive Care - This includes but is not limited to exams, x-rays, prophylaxis cleanings, sealants, fluoride therapy, consultations, etc.

Restorations - Alloy (silver) and composite resin (white) fillings usually placed when there has been detection of caries or tooth decay.

Debridement - Soft tissue management procedure that removes gross amounts of plaque and tartar/calculus above and just below the gum line. Used in treating gingivitis and as initial therapy in treating periodontal disease.

Scaling and Root Planing - Mildly invasive soft tissue management procedure that removes stubborn hard calculus deep along the root surface of the teeth. Used in treating early, moderate, and advanced periodontal disease.

Fixed and Removable Prosthodontics - This includes crowns (porcelain and gold), veneers, bridge work, partial and complete dentures and implant restorations.

Cosmetic Dentistry - This includes tooth whitening procedures, "tooth-color" restorations (white fillings) and/or veneers.

Oral surgery - Tooth Removal – extraction of teeth and/or surgical reconstruction of oral soft and bony tissues.

Orthodontics- This involves movement of the teeth to obtain a desired bite/occlusion as well as more esthetic appearance. Our office only offers minor tooth movement with the Invisalign® process for adults and Functional Jaw Appliance Therapy for development of jaw structure and oral tissues in youth ages 8 – 15 years old.

As in any medical/dental procedure, there can be minor risks that include, but are not limited to following:

1. Swelling and/or bruising, tenderness, or temperature and biting sensitivity following any procedure. Discomfort could last from 1-2 days to 2-4 weeks depending upon the procedure.
2. Stretching of the corners of the mouth resulting in cracking or bruising.
3. Partial or temporary parasthesia or numbness. Sensation most often returns to normal
4. Hypersensitive nerve or post-operative infection requiring further treatment.
5. Allergic reaction or sensitivity to dental materials or prescriptions given (Be sure to tell the doctor of all your known allergies).
6. Possible damage to adjacent teeth, especially those with large fillings or crowns/caps or teeth with excessive decay.

Most procedures are routine and serious complications are not expected. Those complications that do occur are more often minor and can be treated.

I have read and understand the above, and had my questions answered. Understanding that dentistry is not an exact science, I recognize there can be no guarantee on the results of treatment. I give my consent for any routine care as mentioned above until my comprehensive treatment plan is finished. I am aware that I may ask questions regarding any phase of my dental treatment. I further understand that for more invasive procedures I will be asked to give consent for those procedures on an individual basis.

Patient/Parent Signature

Date

Dr. Signature

Date

Witness' Signature

Date