

# Adult Dental Clinic New Patient Packet

Our non-profit clinic provides free dental care to qualifying residents of Fairfield, Lexington and Richland counties. Our goal is to provide quality care to as many patients as possible, therefore we ask for your help to make your time spent with us productive.

### **ARRIVE PREPARED:**

- Read the attached packet for eligibility
- Collect documentation of your proof to qualify
- Complete New Patient Packet prior to your arrival
- Complete Health History with accurate Information

### **ARRIVE ON TIME:**

Appointments are available for treatment with the dentist.

### **REMAIN AT THE CLINIC:**

Be prepared to stay in the clinic for several hours. <u>Take your medication as</u> <u>prescribed by your physician</u> and have a nourishing meal prior to arrival. All patients are asked to remain in the clinic until their treatment is complete. The doctor will see you as soon as possible.

For their safety, do not bring children to the clinic.

WellPartners Adult Dental Clinic	WellPartners Adult Dental Clinic
Richland County Health Department	Lexington County Health Department
2000 Hampton Street, Suite 3145	Red Bank Crossing
Columbia, SC 29204	1070 South Lake Drive, Suite B
Phone: 803.888.1690	Lexington SC 29073
Hours: Monday—Thursday 8:30 A.M.—5:00 P.M.	Phone: 803.888.3270
Friday 8:30 A.M.—12:00 P.M.	Hours:
	Monday 8:30 A.M.—5:00 P.M.
	Tuesday 12:30 P.M.—4:00 P.M.
	Thursday 12:30 P.M. —5:00 P.M.



## **ADULT DENTAL CLINIC**

### SCREENING CHECKLIST FOR ELIGIBILITY

To meet eligibility, you must provide the clinic with following items at your FIRST VISIT:

- **1. ADULT REFERRAL PACKET:** 
  - completely and accurately filled out and signed
- 2. SOUTH CAROLINA PHOTO IDENTIFICATION:
  - Valid SC ID or driver's license
- 3. DOCUMENTATION TO VERIFY PATIENT ELIGIBILITY:
  - 18 years or older (your license or ID)
  - A resident of Fairfield, Lexington or Richland County (your license or ID)
  - Low income (≤ 200% of poverty level)
  - No dental insurance

YOU MUST PRESENT AT LEAST ONE TO VERIFY LOW INCOME <u>AND</u> NO DENTAL INSURANCE: The following are examples of acceptable documentation to verify your eligibility.

- Check stub(s) for patient seeking treatment
- W-2 form
- Proof of Military Service
- Medicaid card or verification of SNAP benefits (EBT card)
- Verification of Social Security income, SSI Disability, VA pension or retirement income
- If you do not work but live in the household with someone that receives any of the above, their income must be verified with above.
- If you live in a household and someone else pays your expenses, you must provide a <u>written statement</u>: specify the amount paid monthly, <u>signed by both you</u> and the person paying expenses.



## ADULT DENTAL CLINIC

#### **REGISTRATION AND HEALTH HISTORY**

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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

<u>Name:</u> 	Home Address:	<u>Work Address:</u>	<u>SC Driver's License</u> : Yes or No #:
	Phone #:		SC Identification: Yes or No #:
Social Security #:	Date of Birth:	Occupation: 	Medicaid:  Yes or No    #:
Education: circle one Elementary High School College Masters/Doctorate <u>Military Service:</u> Army Army Reserve Army National Guard Marine Corps Marine Corps Reserve Navy Navy Reserve Air Force Air Force Air Force Reserve Air National Guard Coast Guard Coast Guard Reserve	Race: circle one Asian Black Hispanic/Latino Native American White Other	Sex: circle one Male Female Marital Status: circle one Single Married Widowed Divorced	Your Physician:    Name and Address or Phone #:
EMERGENCY Contact: Name: Phone #:		Name of last Dentist:    Date of last visit:	Have you used the emergency room    for dental problems:    Date of last visit:

#### **MEDICAL INFORMATION**

LIST YOUR CURRENT MEDICATIONS HERE (or give written list to clinical staff): \_\_\_\_\_

### \*\*\*PLEASE TAKE YOUR PRESCRIBED MEDICATIONS AS DIRECTED PRIOR TO COMING TO CLINIC\*\*\*

CHECK BOXES

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS THAT APPLY.

YES	NO							
		Are you taking any medications? Are you <b>allergic</b> to any medications?						
		Have you been seriously ill in the last <b>five</b> years?						
		Have you ever been hospitalized or had a serious illness?						
		Have you been informed by a physician that you need to be pre-medicated for dental treatment?						
		Circle reason: Artificial Heart Valve Artificial Joint Other:						
		Do you have a persistent cough?						
		Have you resided or worked with anyone who has had tuberculosis?						
YES	NO	$\downarrow$ QUESTIONS BELOW FOR WOMEN $\downarrow$						
		Are you pregnant? If so, what month?						
		Are you taking birth control pills?						
		Are you in or have you been through menopause?						
		Are you or have you taken medication for osteoporosis?						

Name\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_

CHECK BOXES DO YOU HAVE, OR EVER HAD, ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS?

YES	NO		YES	NO	
		AIDS/HIV positive			Heart Trouble or Murmur
		Allergies: list			Heart Attack: date
		Anemia: type			Hepatitis: type
					Date
		Arthritis/Rheumatism			High Blood Pressure (hypertension) Low Blood Pressure (hypotension)
		Bleeding Disorders			Hives or Skin Rash
		Blood Disease			Kidney Disease
		Blood Transfusion			Liver Disease

Cancer or Tumor: type—	Osteoporosis Joint Replacement: date
Chemotherapy/Radiation: date—	Psychological Problems
Chest Pains (angina)	Rheumatic Fever/Rheumatoid Heart Disease
Contact Lenses	Sinus Trouble
Cortisone/Steroid treatment	Shortness of Breath
Diabetes (sugar disease): circle type type 1 (insulin) type 2 (diet controlled)	Heart Valve, Heart Stent, Pacemaker Date—
Drug/Alcohol addiction	Stomach/Intestinal Disease (ulcers)
Drug Reaction	Stroke
Epilepsy (seizures) or Paralysis: Type-	Swelling of hands or feet
Eating Disorder: Type—	Thyroid Disease
Fainting (frequent)	Tuberculosis (TB)
Headaches (frequent)	Lung Disease - Emphysema
Head Injury: date –	Venereal Disease

#### IN THE PAST TWO YEARS, HAVE YOU TAKEN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING MEDICATIONS?

YES	NO		YES	NO	
		Antibiotics (Penicillin, Zithromax Z-pak,			Insulin (diabetes medication)
		INH, Rifampin, Tetracycline, etc.)			
		Anticoagulants (blood thinners:			High blood pressure medication:
		Coumadin, Plavix, etc.)			List—
		Pain or anti-inflammatory medication			Heart medication (Digitalis,
		(Cortisone steroid injections, Prednisone)			Nitroglycerin, etc.) List—
		Non-steroid drugs (Aspirin, Ibuprofen,			Osteoporosis medication (Fosamax,
		Advil, etc.)			Boniva, Hormone replacement meds.)
		Antihistamines (Benadryl, etc.)			Tranquilizers or sleep aids: list-
		Sulfa Drugs			

Other condition(s) the doctor should be aware of prior to your care:

Name\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

#### CHECK BOXES ARE YOU ALLERGIC TO, OR HAD AN ADVERSE REACTION TO, ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

YES	NO		YES	NO	
		Antibiotics (penicillin, tetracycline, etc.)			Sulfa drugs
		Barbiturates (sleeping pills, sedatives, etc.)			Local anesthetics
		lodine			Latex
		Narcotics (codeine, etc.)			Other:

#### **DENTAL INFORMATION**

#### CHECK BOXES DO YOU HAVE, OR EVER HAD, ANY OF THE FOLLOWING DENTAL CONDITIONS?

YES	NO		YES	NO	
		Severe dental pain			Do you brush your teeth less than twice a day?
		Fear of the dentist or dental treatment			Do you floss your teeth less than once a day?
		Grinding or frequent clenching of teeth			Have you ever been told you have gum disease?
		Pain when opening or closing mouth			Have you ever had periodontal (gum) surgery?
		Unpleasant taste or order in your mouth			Date of last dental cleaning:
		Bleeding gums when brushing/flossing			Have you noticed any shifting teeth?
		Swelling			Have you ever worn braces?
		Prolonged bleeding after tooth extraction?			Do you have sensitivity to hot, cold, or sweets?
		Adverse (bad) reaction to dental anesthesia (Novocain)			Have you noticed any discoloration or unusual conditions of your teeth, gums, or mouth tissue?
		Tobacco Use - MAY LEAD TO DENTAL CONDITIONS: Smoke? # of packs Chew? Frequency			Other:

## Signature\_\_\_\_\_

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

#### STAFF ONLY: Health History Update



## **ADULT DENTAL CLINICS**

## POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

\*Adult patients are defined as 18 years or older.

\*No children are allowed in the clinic during adult clinic hours.

\*Adult patients must bring eligibility documentation as previously described in Screening Checklist.

\*Patients must live in <u>Fairfield</u>, <u>Lexington</u> or <u>Richland County</u> and <u>seek</u> <u>treatment at the clinic in which they reside</u>.

Lexington County Residents	Fairfield and Richland County Residents			
Location: WellPartners	Location: WellPartners			
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Lexington, SC 29073	Phone: 803.888.1690			
Phone: 803.888.3270				
Parking: Free	Parking: Public metered parking;			
	bring change for the meter			
Clinic Hours:	Clinic Hours:			
Monday: 8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.	Monday –Thursday: 8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.			
Tuesday: 12:30 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.	Friday: 8:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.			
Thursday: 12:30 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.				
Please, plan to be	here several hours.			
The doctor will see you as soon as possible.				
Clinic Closures: The clinics observe all county holidays	when the building is closed. Notice will be posted for			
other closures.				



## **POLICIES AND PROCEDURES continued**

Our Dental Clinic is designed primarily for **basic** preventive treatment, restorative treatment, and emergency care. These services will be provided as long as funding is available. **Dental Emergencies** are defined as **oral pain, infection, or trauma.** 

#### **Procedures Provided:**

Eligibility/Emergency Exam and Screening Radiographs (x-rays) Basic dental cleaning (once a year) Basic restorative treatment (fillings) Simple & Uncomplicated Surgical Extractions

#### Procedures Not Provided:

Root Canals Crowns/Bridges Dentures/Partials Complicated Surgical Extractions (Wisdom Teeth, Impacted Teeth or Roots)

#### No Sedation:

Nitrous oxide, known as "laughing gas" is not available in any of our Dental Clinics

#### No Comprehensive Exams:

Due to limited time and resources, detailed dental examinations are not available for: medical procedures dental clearance for surgery military dental clearance comprehensive periodontal examinations

#### Dentist reserves the right to refuse or postpone treatment:

Patient is disruptive or under the influence (alcohol or drugs of any kind).

Patient has a complicated or high risk medical history requiring treatment in an acute Care facility (hospital or an oral surgeon).

Patient has infection which may prevent proper anesthesia.

Patient has a complicated procedure which requires specialist.

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I have read or someone has read the policies of this program to me. I understand the policies and procedures and give permission for myself to be treated by the dentist and /or hygienist employed by the Community Partners of the Midlands, LLC, WellPartners Adult Dental Clinics.

Signature/Mark of Patient