

Lakeside Endodontics, P.A.

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Patient Name: _____ **Date:** _____

I understand that, under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA"), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- Conduct, plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.
- Obtain payment from third-party payers.
- Conduct normal healthcare operations such as quality assessments and physician certifications.

***I have received, read and understand your *Notice of Privacy Practices* containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change its *Notice of Privacy Practices* from time to time and that I may contact this organization at any time at the address above to obtain a current copy of the Notice of Private Practices.

I have **requested** a copy. **Signature:** _____

***I understand that I may request in writing that you restrict how my private information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

I have **declined** a copy. **Signature:** _____

If Patient is a minor:

Parent/ Relationship
Legal Guardian Name: _____ to Patient: _____

THIS OFFICE IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH HIPAA STANDARDS. A COPY OF OUR OFFICE POLICY IS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

OFFICE USE ONLY

I attempted to obtain the patient's signature in acknowledgement on this Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement, but was unable to do so as documented below:

Date:	Initials:	Reason:
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