

Notice of Privacy Practices for the Office of Donald A. Tucker, DDS

This notice describes how medical information about you may be used and disclosed and how you can obtain access to this information. Please review it carefully.

I. Dental Practice Covered by this Notice

This notice describes the privacy practices for the Office of Donald A. Tucker. “We” and “Our” means the dental practice. “You” and “Your” means our patient.

II. How to Contact Us/Our Privacy Official

If you have any questions, or would like further information about this Notice, you can contact Dr. Donald A. Tucker Privacy Official at:

Donald A. Tucker, DDS
6622 Main Street, Suite 5
Williamsville, NY 14221
(716) 631-9554

III. Our Promise to You and Our Legal Obligations

The privacy of your health information is important to us. We understand that your health information is personal and we are committed to protecting it. This Notice describes how we may use and disclose your protected health information to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, and for other purposes that are permitted or required by law. It also describes your rights to access and control your protected health information. Protected health information is information about you, including demographic information, that may identify you and that relates to your past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition and related health care services.

We are required by law to:

- Maintain the privacy of your protected health information.
- Give you this Notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to that information; and abide by the terms of our Notice that is currently in effect.

IV. Last Revision Date

This Notice we last revised on April 1, 2016.

V. How We May Use or Disclose Your Health Information

The following examples describe ways we may use or disclose your health information. These examples are not meant to be exhaustive. We are permitted by law to use and disclose your health information for the following purposes:

A. Common Uses and Disclosures

1. Treatment. We may use your health information to provide you with dental treatment or services, such as cleaning or examining your teeth or performing dental procedures. We may disclose health information about you to dental specialists, physicians, or other healthcare professionals involved in your care.

