North Florida Medical
Jessie Furlow Center

We hope this letter finds you and your family in good health. Our community has been through a lot in the last few months and all of us are looking forward to resuming our normal habits and routines. While many things have changed, one thing has remained the same: our commitment to your child's safety.

Infection control has always been a top priority for our Dental Outreach Program. Our infection control processes are made so that when your child receives care, it is both safe and comfortable. We want to tell you about the infection control procedures that we follow in our program to keep patients and staff safe.

Our program follows infection control recommendations made by the American Dental Hygienists Association (ADHA), American Dental Association (ADA), the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) and the Okaloosa County School Board. We follow the activities of these agencies so that we are up to date on any new rulings or guidelines that may be issued. We do this to ensure that our infection control procedures are current and adhere to the agency's recommendations.

In addition, our licensed, Dental Hygienists took a 23-hour Infection Control Certification Course in April 2020.

We have made some changes to help protect our patients and staff.

Some examples are:

- Your child's temperature may be taken at the time of his/her appointment
- We will have hand sanitizer that we will ask your child to use when entering the MDC.
- We will do our best to adhere to social distancing recommendations.

We look forward to seeing your children again and are happy to answer any questions that you may have about the steps we are taking to keep your children safe while they receive dental care in our Dental Outreach Program.

Thank you for allowing us to care for your children. We value your trust and support and look forward to seeing the precious smiling faces of your children!!!

Sincerely,

North Florida Medical
Dental Outreach Team

Dental Outreach Program

Dear Parent/Legal Guardian:

A Preventive Oral Health Program will be provided for your child at his/her school. The goal of this program is to teach each child how to properly clean his/her teeth, provide an oral assessment, if needed, dental prophylaxis (cleaning), fluoride varnish treatment and place protective sealants. Dental sealants are tooth-colored protective coatings on the chewing surfaces of healthy back teeth.

Permission is required from one parent or the legal guardian before your child can take part in this program. If your permission is granted, your child will receive an oral assessment, dental sealants and fluoride varnish. If your child is covered by Medicaid, please provide the requested information on the attached forms. Children, who have submitted a parental consent, but are not covered by Medicaid, will receive the dental sealants and fluoride at no cost to you.

A licensed dentist or licensed dental hygienist from North Florida Medical Centers will provide an assessment of your child's teeth. Your child will not be given any sedatives, shots, medication or x-rays. If your child has cavities, s/he will need the cavities cared for in a dental office.

After your child is seen, a letter will be sent home describing what was done and what follow-up care is needed. This program should not replace a complete dental check-up in a dental office. If you have any questions, contact us at 850-508-2033.

If you would like your child to receive these services, you must:

Complete both sides Sign and Return the attached forms to your child's homeroom teacher.

Jesse Furlow Dental Center, 1249 Strong Road, Quincy, FL 32351 (850)875-9502

NORTH FLORIDA MEDICAL

Consent for Treatment Form (Please Sign where indicated)

Return to student's teacher

I give **NORTH FLORIDA MEDICAL** permission to provide preventive dental services for my child, _____ and to collect payment from Medicaid, on my behalf and
(Your Child's Name)
To allow the dentist of my choice to obtain my child's dental record.

Treatment may include a limited dental examination, assessment, professional cleaning, fluoride varnish, and/or dental sealants. These dental services are an important preventive measure to reduce cavities for your child. Along with good brushing and flossing, your child should visit the dentist every 6 months for a dental checkup. These services are not a substitute for a comprehensive dental examination. Diagnosis for caries (cavities), soft tissue disease, oral cancer, temporomandibular joint disease (TMJ), and dentofacial malocclusions can only be completed by a dentist in the context of delivering a comprehensive dental examination.
Children, who do not have Medicaid, may be sponsored through a grant secured to help the uninsured. Eligible families may be given an opportunity to enroll their children into the Medicaid program during this event. Children identified as needing follow up dental services will be referred to a dental home (provider).

By signing below, I am indicating that I have read and understand the contents of the General Information/Medical History form accompanying this Consent for Treatment form, that I understand the terms of the consent agreement, that I have the legal authority to give this consent for the child, and that I have received a copy of the NORTH FLORIDA MEDICAL Notice of Privacy Practice. Providing the insurance information will allow North Florida Medical to file insurance, if applicable, on your behalf. I/We authorize payment of dental benefits to North Florida Medical. This consent is valid for 24 months from date of signature.
Parent or Legal Guardian Signature: _____Date: _____

Insurance Information – If Applicable

Child's Social Security number _____

Medicaid Information

Child's Medicaid recipient ID __ __ __ __ __ __ __ __ __ __

Head of Household Name: _____
Does your child have any other insurance? Please check if applicable.

	Insurance Carrier:	Claims Address:	Insured ID #
o	**Kidcare**	_____	_____
o	**Healthy Kids**	_____	_____
o	**Delta Dental**	_____	_____
o	**Blue Cross/Blue Shield (Dental)**	_____	_____
o	**Medicaid**	_____	_____
o	**NO INSURANCE**		

NORTH FLORIDA MEDICAL

General Information (Please Print)

Child's Name: _____ **Date of Birth** ___/____/_____
Last First Middle Initial Month/Day/Year

Child's SSN: _____ **Address:** _____
Street City State Zip Code

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ **Address**_____

Home/Contact phone: _____ **School Name:** _____ **Teacher Name:** _____

Child on Free or Reduced Lunch Program? Y N

Do you receive Medicaid? Y N **Child Medicaid number** _____ **Sex:** M F

Race: Circle all that apply [Black/African American] [White] [American Indian/Alaska Native] [Asian] [Native Hawaiian] [Other Pacific Islander] [Decline to Specify] [More than one Race]

Ethnicity: [Hispanic Latino] [Non-Hispanic] **Homeless?** Y N

Is anyone in your family an Agricultural Worker? Y N **Seasonal?** Y N **Migrant?** Y N

Health Information

[Yes] [No] Does your child have any serious health problems? If yes, please explain: _____

[Yes] [No] Does your child have asthma?

[Yes] [No] Has your child ever had rheumatic fever or rheumatic heart disease?

[Yes] [No] Has your child ever been diagnosed with a heart murmur?

[Yes] [No] Is your child presently taking any medication? If yes, please list: _____

[Yes] [No] Have you ever been told by a dentist or physician that your child needs to take antibiotics (Penicillin) before dental care?

[Yes] [No] Is your child allergic to any medications? If yes, please list: _____

[Yes] [No] Is your child allergic to latex?

[Yes] [No] Has your child ever been examined by a dentist? If yes, date of last exam: _____
What was the reason for the visit? _____

[Yes] [No] During the last 12 months, was there a time when your child needed dental care and was unable to receive dental services?

If yes, please explain why. _____

Name of your regular dentist: _____

HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices

You have been given a detailed Notice of Privacy Practices for North Florida Medical. This is a summary of the detailed information: As your child's healthcare providers, we may use your child's health information to provide him/her with health care services. We may use and disclose health information about your child's care, if necessary, for center operations in order to ensure all our patients continue to receive quality care. As the parent or guardian of your child (our patient) you have the right to inspect and copy the medical information that we maintain, amend or correct that information, request that we communicate confidentially, restrict certain uses and disclosures of your child's health information, and the ability to file a complaint with us if you feel your rights have been violated. If you have any questions, concerns or complaints about the Notice or your medical information, please contact the Privacy Officer at (850)385-4494_____.

I have read and understand the Summary of Privacy Practices, and give permission for my child to participate in the today's Event.

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Parent Signature **Please print Name** **Date**

Medical History reviewed_____

Provider signature **Date**