

COVID-19 PANDEMIC TREATMENT CONSENT FORM

I understand that the novel coronavirus causes the disease known as COVID-19. The novel coronavirus has a long incubation period during which carriers of the virus may not show symptoms and still be contagious. ______ (Initial)

I understand that some dental procedures create water spray which is one way that the novel coronavirus may spread. The ultrafine nature of the spray can linger in the air for minutes to sometimes hours. This may transmit the novel coronavirus. I understand that, due to the frequency of visits of other dental patients, the characteristics of the novel coronavirus, and the characteristics of dental procedures, I have an elevated risk of contracting the novel coronavirus simply by being in a dental office. (Initial)

I confirm that I do not have any of the following symptoms of COVID-19:

- Fever > 38°C or feverish chills, sweats, muscles aches, light headedness
- New or worsening cough
- Sore Throat (difficulty swallowing)
- New or worsening shortness of breath
- New or worsening runny nose
- New or worsening headache

(Initial)

I confirm that:

- I do not have any of the following medical conditions which would put me in a high-risk category: diabetes, cardiovascular disease, hypertension, lung diseases including moderate to severe asthma, being immunocompromised, having active malignancy, or over age 60. _____(Initial). OR
- I do have some/all of the medical conditions listed above and my dentist and I have discussed the risks, and I agree to
 proceed with treatment. ______ (Initial)

I confirm that I am not currently positive for the novel coronavirus. I confirm that I am not waiting for the results of a laboratory test for the novel coronavirus. ______ (Initial). I verify that I have not been identified as a contact of someone who has tested positive for the novel coronavirus or been asked to self-isolate by the Province of Nova Scotia or any other governmental health agency. ______ (Initial)

I verify that I have not returned to Nova Scotia from anywhere outside of the Atlantic Provinces (NB, NFLD, NS, PEI) whether by car, air, bus or train in the past 14 days. I understand that any travel from anywhere outside of the Atlantic Provinces requires self-isolation for 14 days from the date a person returns to Nova Scotia. _____ (Initial)

The Nova Scotia's Chief Medical Officer of Health has asked individuals to maintain physical distancing of at least 2 metres (6 feet). I understand that, it is not possible to maintain this distance and receive dental treatment. _____ (Initial)

I verify that the information I have provided on this form is truthful and accurate. I knowingly and willingly consent to have dental treatment during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Name (Patient/Substitute decision maker)	Signature	Date	
Witness: Name	Signature	Date	

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