



Patient Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

DENTAL HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CHILDREN UNDER 5

A child's dental health is effected by many different things. The three most important to developing teeth are home dental care (brushing, flossing and the use of fluorides), any habits relating to the mouth or teeth, and your child's diet. To help us better evaluate your child's dental health, please answer the following questions:

HOME DENTAL CARE

1. Does your child brush his/her own teeth? YES NO
How often? _____ times per day _____ times per week
2. Do you brush your child's teeth? YES NO
How often? _____ times per day _____ times per week
3. How much toothpaste does your child use? _____
4. Does he/she swallow it? YES NO
5. Do you floss your child's teeth? YES NO
How often? _____ times per day _____ times per week
6. Does/did your child take fluoride drops or tablets? YES NO
If yes, at what age did he/she start taking them? _____
Is he/she still taking them? YES NO
7. Has your child ever lived in a fluoridated area? YES NO
If yes, at what age? _____ How long? _____
8. Has your child received fluoride treatments at a dental office? YES NO
9. Anything else you would like to add about the care of your child's teeth at home?

HABITS

1. Did/does your child suck his/her thumb or finger? YES NO
Stopped at age _____ Still does _____ Only at night _____
2. Does your child grind his/her teeth? YES NO
3. Does your child have any other tooth related habits? _____

DIET

1. Was/is your child put to bed with a bottle? YES NO
If yes, what was in the bottle? _____
2. Was/is your child allowed to carry a bottle or cup throughout the day containing something other than plain water? YES NO
3. Does your child chew gum with sugar in it? YES NO
If yes, how often? _____ times per day _____ times per week
4. How many meals per day does your child eat? _____
5. How many between meal snacks including drinks other than water does your child have on an average day? _____
6. If your child is using a pacifier, is it ever dipped in honey or other sweet substances?
YES NO
7. Would you like to make any comments about your child's diet?
