



DENTAL HYGIENE LOCAL ANESTHESIA COURSE PARTICIPANT INFORMED CONSENT STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily agreed to participate in the Dental Hygiene Local Anesthesia Certification program at Middlesex Community College. I have completely and accurately revealed and described my previous and current medical and dental conditions on my health history form, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

Upon Registration for the lecture and clinical practice course in local anesthesia I understand I will be administering and receiving injections as a condition of course completion. The injections will take place in the Dental Hygiene lab at MCC with direct faculty supervision and according to applicable laws, regulations and safety standards. I understand that if I am pregnant, breast feeding, or have other health concerns (*ie: high blood pressure, allergies to local anesthetic, or oral lesions*) that will not exclude me from participating in the training, but will preclude me from receiving injections of anesthetics, I will provide a substitute over the age of 18 to serve as a patient to receive injections on my behalf. If I require a substitute, I will notify Middlesex Community College prior to the clinical training and my substitute will be required to provide a medical history.

As with all dental hygiene treatment, I know there is a possibility that I may experience discomfort. I also understand that there are certain risks entailed in any injection of local anesthetic including but not limited to local complications such as: trismus, hematoma, transient paresthesia and facial nerve paralysis. I am willing to undertake the risk of giving and receiving these injections.

I hereby knowingly, freely, and voluntarily release and hold harmless the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Higher Education Coordinating Council, Middlesex Community College and their agents, employees, servants, students and assignees from any and all liability, claims, demands or causes of action whatsoever, including liability for negligence, arising out of any damage or injury which I might suffer in the course of, or related to, participation in the Dental Hygiene Local Anesthesia Certification Training Program at Middlesex Community College.

Student Name (print) _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____

If applicable

Patient Substitute Name (print) _____

Patient Signature _____

Date _____

m. Persistent diarrhea or recent weight loss	no	yes	_____
n. HIV positive, AIDS, or other immune system problems	no	yes	_____
o. Thyroid problems.	no	yes	_____
p. Respiratory problems, emphysema, bronchitis, etc.	no	yes	_____
q. Tuberculosis	no	yes	_____
r. Persistent cough or cough that produces blood	no	yes	_____
s. Arthritis, painful joints or osteoporosis	no	yes	_____
t. Joint replacement	no	yes	_____
u. Stomach ulcers, esophageal reflux, inflammatory bowel disorder	no	yes	_____
v. Kidney disease or renal dialysis treatment	no	yes	_____
w. Persistent swollen glands, mononucleosis, chronic fatigue syndrome	no	yes	_____
x. Low blood pressure	no	yes	_____
y. Sexually transmitted disease	no	yes	_____
z. Mental health disorders (anxiety, depression, ADD, etc.)	no	yes	_____
aa. Alcohol or drug use	no	yes	_____
bb. Eating disorders	no	yes	_____
cc. Cancer	no	yes	_____
dd. Radiation therapy or chemotherapy	no	yes	_____
ee. Treatment for a tumor or growth	no	yes	_____
ff. Blood disorder (such as anemia, hemophilia, leukemia)	no	yes	_____
If so, how is it treated? _____			
gg. Abnormal bleeding or bruising	no	yes	_____
hh. Previous blood transfusions	no	yes	_____
ii. Recurrent cold sores or fever blisters	no	yes	_____
jj. Human Papilloma Virus (HPV)	no	yes	_____
7. Do you use any tobacco or nicotine products?	no	yes	_____
8. Have you ever taken appetite suppressants? (e.g. Fenphen, Redux)	no	yes	_____
9. Have you been treated with cortisone or steroids in the last 2 years?	no	yes	_____
10. Do you use marijuana?	no	yes	_____
11. Are you allergic or have you ever reacted to:			
a. Local anesthetics	no	yes	_____
b. Penicillin or other antibiotics	no	yes	_____
c. Sulfa drugs	no	yes	_____
d. Aspirin or other medicines for pain	no	yes	_____
e. Iodine or shellfish products	no	yes	_____
f. Latex products	no	yes	_____
g. Dyes	no	yes	_____
h. Bisulfites or sulfite agents	no	yes	_____
i. Any drugs, food, or other substance not listed above	no	yes	_____
12. Do you have any disease, condition, or problem not listed above that you think we should know about?	no	yes	_____
If yes, please explain _____			
13. What is your current height?			_____ft_____in
14. What is your current weight?			_____lbs

Female Patients Only

15. Are you pregnant? (If yes, trimester _____)	no	yes	_____
16. Are you nursing?	no	yes	_____
17. Do you have any problems associated with your menstrual period?	no	yes	_____
18. Do you take oral contraceptives or other hormonal therapy?	no	yes	_____

DENTAL HISTORY

1. Date of last dental exam in a dental office and what was done? _____
2. Date of last dental hygiene appointment _____
3. Date of last dental x-rays and type, if known _____
4. Have you ever had any of the following:

			<u>Comments</u>
a. orthodontic treatment	no	yes	_____
b. periodontal treatment	no	yes	_____
c. oral surgery or extractions	no	yes	_____
d. endodontic treatment or root canals	no	yes	_____
e. prosthodontic treatment (crowns/bridgework)	no	yes	_____
f. dental implants	no	yes	_____
g. facial trauma	no	yes	_____
h. cosmetic procedure to face or lips	no	yes	_____
i. treatment for TMJ problems	no	yes	_____
5. Have you had any serious trouble associated with any previous dental treatment?
If yes, please explain _____

	no	yes	
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6. Are you ever anxious or uncomfortable about having dental treatment?

	no	yes	
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7. Are you wearing any removable dental appliances?

	no	yes	
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8. Do you frequently have a dry mouth?

	no	yes	
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9. Do you currently have any dental or mouth pain?
If yes, please explain _____

	no	yes	
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10. Do your gums bleed when you brush or floss?

	no	yes	
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11. Do you have sensitive teeth?

	no	yes	
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12. Do you ever have canker sores or cold sores?

	no	yes	
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13. Do you have problems with food getting trapped between your teeth?

	no	yes	
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14. Is it difficult for you to open your mouth wide?

	no	yes	
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15. Does your jaw click or have pain upon opening?

	no	yes	
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16. Do you clench or grind your teeth?

	no	yes	
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17. Do you wear a nightguard or a retainer?

	no	yes	
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18. Do you gag easily?

	no	yes	
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19. Type of toothbrush used – soft, medium, hard, electric _____
20. How often do you:

a. brush your teeth _____			
b. use dental floss _____			

To the best of my knowledge, the above medical history is accurate and has been completed by me.

For clinic use only:

Patient/parent/guardian signature	Date	Student signature
_____	_____	_____
Blood Pressure	Pulse	Respiration
_____	_____	_____
	BMI	ASA Classification
	_____	_____

Instructor Signature _____

Medical Consult required? No Yes Reason _____