

# Erskine Family Dentistry

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## PERSONAL DENTAL NEEDS SURVEY

Patient Name:

Please choose the importance of each of the following regarding your dental care:

**Preventative Dental Health Care**

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

**Excellence and Quality of Service**

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

**Freedom from Pain**

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

**Cost and Affordability**

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

How important are the following for a dentist to gain your confidence:

Show me what he/she is doing or needs to do so I can clearly understand what is happening.

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

Listen to my concerns and explain thoroughly the procedures to be performed.

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Some What Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

Make sure I feel comfortable and informed at all times.

☐ Very Important

☐ Important

☐ Somewhat Important

☐ Not Very Important

☐ Unimportant

Please Select 1-10, the level of fear you have about your dental visits.

☐ Unafraid 1

☐ 2

☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ 6

☐ 7

☐ 8

☐ 9

☐ 10 Extremely Afraid

I would like to know about the options available to me for maximizing my comfort and my experience during my visit. (Check all that apply)

☐ Music and Earphone

☐ Pillow

☐ Blanket

☐ Anti-Anxiety Medications

☐ Patient Education Materials

**Are you concerned about the following?  
(Check all that apply)**

- ☐ Sore Muscles/Headaches
- ☐ Existing discomfort
- ☐ Replacing old silver fillings
- ☐ Recurring or untreated gum disease
- ☐ Mouth odor
- ☐ Worn teeth
- ☐ Uneven bite
- ☐ Whitening your teeth
- ☐ Appearance of my smile
- ☐ Prevention of decay
- ☐ Other

**Other** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Choose One. When discussing my  
treatment plan, I prefer:**

- ☐ The Big Picture
- ☐ Detail by Detail

**Response Date:** \_\_\_\_\_