## Bingham and Howarth Family Dentistry 6565 S. Yale Ave #1100 Tulsa, OK 74136 (918) 481-4925

## OUR POLICY OF CARE AND PAYMENT

Providing high quality care is the goal of our practice.

In order to keep up with the monumental expenses of bookkeeping and billing services, we have opted to offer our patients the following payment options:

Patient payment is expected <u>at the time service is rendered</u>. We accept cash, checks, money orders and most major credit cards. We also have applications to Care Credit which is an outside financing program. They provide special financing, low monthly payment options (some with no interest), and no up-front costs or prepayment penalties. You can find out instantly if you are approved and start using your account immediately, even before your card arrives.

Patients with dental insurance are expected to pay their "estimated" share on the day of service. We will continue to provide the service of filing your claim for the "estimated" insurance share. If you insurance does not pay the estimated amount, we will bill you for the difference. We ask that you pay this difference upon receipt of your statement in order for us to keep billing expenses at a minimum and continue proving this service.

We ask that you give our office a forty-eight (48) hours advance notice if you are unable to keep an appointment. Our office is understanding of extenuating circumstances; however, a failed appointment fee may be assessed for habitual short notice or "no-show" appointments. Late cancellations or "no-shows" are costly to all parties and prevents out office from serving another patient's needs.

| Thank you for your cooperation.    |                         |
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| I have read the above policies and | agree to abide by them. |
| Signed:                            | Date:                   |