

# Patient Screening Form

Here is a **our** form to screen patients before their appointment and when they arrive for their appointment.

Staff screener: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient age: \_\_\_\_\_

Who answered:  Patient  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Method:  Phone  email  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Identify yourself and explain the purpose of the call, which is to determine whether there are any special considerations for their dental appointment. Have the patient answer the following questions.

Screening Questions	Pre-Screen	In-Office
1. Do you have a fever or have felt hot or feverish anytime in the last 10 days? Patient temperature at appointment: _____. If elevated, provide mask to patient.	YES NO	YES NO
2. Do you have any of these symptoms: New or worsening cough? New or worsening shortness of breath? Difficulty breathing? Sore throat or painful swallowing? Runny nose?	YES NO	YES NO
3. Have you experienced a recent loss of smell or taste?	YES NO	YES NO
4. Have you been in contact with any confirmed COVID-19 positive patients, or persons self-isolating because of a determined risk for COVID-19? (Healthcare workers who have worn appropriate PPE may answer No)	YES NO	YES NO
5. Have you returned from travel outside of Canada in the last 14 days?	YES NO	YES NO
6. Have you returned from travel within Canada from a location known affected with COVID-19 in the last 14 days?	YES NO	YES NO
7. Is your workplace considered high risk? (Healthcare workers who have worn appropriate PPE may answer No)	YES NO	YES NO

### Patient Vulnerability

8. Are you over the age of 65?	YES NO	YES NO
9. Do you have any of the following? Heart disease, lung disease, kidney disease, diabetes or any auto-immune disorder?	YES NO	YES NO

- Any "yes" response for questions 1-7 must be discussed with the managing dentist immediately.
  - Tell the patient when they arrive at the office, they will be asked to: sanitize their hands; answer the questions again; have their temperature taken; complete a form acknowledging the risk of COVID-19.
- Advise the patient:
  - Only patients are allowed to come to the office.
  - If possible to wait in their car until their appointment, call the office when they arrive.