Dental Office Warnings

Current Examples

Settlement - Existing

NOTICE TO PATIENTS

PROPOSITION 65 WARNING: Dental Amalgam, used in many dental fillings, causes exposure to mercury, a chemical known to the state of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Root canal treatments and restorations, including fillings, crowns and bridges, use chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has studied the situation and approved for use all dental restorative materials. Consult your dentist to determine which materials are appropriate for your treatment.

Fact Sheets - Existing

Proposed Warning/ Example

WARNING

Certain dental procedures provided in this office will expose you to nitrous oxide or mercury, chemicals known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

For more information ask your dental service provider or go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Informed Consent – Existing Form

Sample Proposition 65 Informed Consent Form
– Dental Procedures
(available at http://nonfreemandds.com)

Proposition 65 Warning

Restorative dental materials such as composite (tooth colored) and amalgam fillings (silver fillings), crowns, orthodontic appliances such as brackets and wires, and other materials used in dental treatment, including nitrous oxide, contain chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Signature ____________________

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