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Custom Fitted Mouth Guards Release and Waiver

The risk of serious injury to the mouth is inherent in virtually any sport. Therefore, it is extremely important for you/your child to wear a mouthguard while participating, particularly in a collision sport. Keene Orthodontic Specialists, /Rindge Orthodontic Specialists/Brattleboro Orthodontic Specialists urges all participants in sports to wear a mouthguard when playing or practicing, to reduce the degree of injury from traumatic blows to the mouth.

As part of an educational program to encourage participants to understand the benefits of wearing a mouth guard, Keene Orthodontic Specialists, PA/Rindge Orthodontic Specialists/Brattleboro Orthodontic Specialists is providing mouth guards, professionally fitted to ensure long lasting wear.

The wearing of a mouth guard of any kind cannot prevent injuries from occurring. However, in most cases it may help reduce the degree of severity of injuries.

I have read and understand the above information. By my signature below I release the above-named individual from all liability of any kind resulting from sporting injuries including aspiration to myself/ my child and/ or the provision of the mouthguard, and waive all claims related thereto.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian/Patient

Date

Date

ON YOUR WAY TO YOUR BEST SMILE!

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SMILE PROTECTION

What kind of mouth guard provides the best protection?

A professionally-made mouth guard offers the best fit and is made from the strongest materials, providing the most protection for your teeth. "Boil and bite" mouth guards can't conform as snugly to your teeth and don't have the tensile strength of the materials we use.

Will a custom-made mouth guard be more comfortable?

Yes! Your mouth guard will be fitted to your mouth and teeth and will be adjusted to make it as comfortable as possible.

Will I be able to talk more clearly?

Over-the-counter mouth guards are bulkier and clumsier than custom-made mouth guards. For speech and comfort, our mouth guards offer significant improvements over generic ones.

Are there other advantages to a custom-made mouth guard?

Yes, people find that it is easier to breathe with a well-fitted mouth guard than with a cumbersome, generic mouth guard. Athletes require oxygen and need to breathe freely for best performance.

Another benefit is that wearing a professionally molded mouth guard is less unpleasant; so you may find that you take it out less frequently, reducing the risk of loss or damage.

How long can I expect my custom-made mouth guard to last?

Although there are many factors affecting the useful life of our mouth guards, we expect them to fit for more than a year, which would give you several seasons of use. Generic mouth guards generally require replacement after each sports season (or more often).

What do I need to do to take advantage of this complimentary mouth guard program?

1) Please provide the following information and permission. 2) Call us for a convenient time to take an impression; and, 3) make a follow-up appointment to pick up your complimentary mouth guard!

Parental permission for children under age 18

Name of child _____

Birth date _____

Parents (Mother) _____

(Father) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Is child now under medical care? No ___ Yes ___ Please explain _____

Does your child have any allergies? No ___ Yes ___ Allergies _____

I give Keene Orthodontic Specialists, PA, and/or Brattleboro Orthodontic Specialists permission to make an impression of my child's teeth in order to make a custom mouth guard.

Signature _____

Date _____