

Fluoride Varnish Program Parent/Guardian Consent



Dear Parent/Guardian:

A preventive dental program is available for your child. Two times during the school year, a licensed dental provider will provide a free basic dental screening and apply a protective coating called fluoride varnish to your child's teeth as a preventive measure against tooth decay.

To receive these **no-cost** services, you must provide consent.

___ **Yes**, I want my child to receive fluoride varnish.

___ **No**, I do not want my child to receive these preventive fluoride varnish services.

Name of Child: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Male: ___ Female: ___ Age: ___ Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Is your child allergic to pine nuts or colophony (colophonium)? Yes: ___ No: ___

In order to continue providing valuable preventive services at **no-cost** to your family, we ask that you provide your child's dental insurance information so the dental provider may submit and accept fees for services rendered. This will help offset the cost of the fluoride varnish and dental supplies.

Medicaid State ID: _____

CHP+ Member ID: _____

I understand that fluoride varnish helps to protect teeth from cavities. My child's teeth may look yellow for 24 hours. After receiving a fluoride varnish application, it is acceptable for my child to drink cool liquids and eat soft foods right away. For the treatment to be most effective, I have been advised to avoid serving my child hard, crunchy foods for 6 hours and to wait until the next morning to resume brushing and flossing.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Varnish placed on: _____, and _____ by: _____

Comments:

****This service does not replace a comprehensive evaluation. It is our recommendation that a dentist regularly examine your child.****