

# Snoring & Sleep Apnea Center of Queens and Nassau - New Patient Form

## Patient Information

Mr./Ms./Mrs./Dr. First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (M/D/Y): \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F

Social Security Number (SSN): \_\_\_\_\_

The best time to contact me is:  Morning  Mid-Day  Evening on  Home phone  Cell phone  Work phone

Height: Feet \_\_\_\_ Inches \_\_\_\_ Weight (lbs): \_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Married  Single  Life Partner  Minor

Spouse or Parent/Guardian (if minor) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

REFERRED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

## Employer Information

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

## Health Insurance Information

Patient's Relationship to Primary Insured:  Self  Spouse  Child  Other

Name of Insured (First, MI, Last): \_\_\_\_\_ Insured DOB (M/D/Y): \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Ins Co.: \_\_\_\_\_ Ins ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Group #: \_\_\_\_\_ Plan Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please present your insurance card so we can photocopy it.*

## Secondary Health Insurance

DO YOU HAVE SECONDARY INSURANCE?  YES  NO

IF YES, PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Patient's Relationship to Insured:  Self  Spouse  Child  Other

Name of Insured (First, MI, Last): \_\_\_\_\_ Insured DOB \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Ins Co.: \_\_\_\_\_ Ins ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Group #: \_\_\_\_\_ Plan Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please present your secondary insurance card so we can photocopy it.*

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## Medical Contacts

*Dental Sleep Solutions® coordinates treatment with your other medical providers to ensure maximum benefit to you. Where applicable, please list your other medical providers.*

PRIMARY CARE DOCTOR: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

ENT: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

SLEEP DOCTOR: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

DENTIST: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER MD: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER MD: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

**I certify this information is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge.**

**INITIAL: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

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## EPWORTH SLEEPINESS SCALE

Sitting and Reading	_____	0 = No chance of dozing
Watching TV	_____	1 = Slight Chance of dozing
Sitting inactive in public place (theater)	_____	2 = Moderate Chance of dozing
As a car passenger for an hour without a break	_____	3 = High Chance of dozing
Lying down in the afternoon to rest	_____	
Sitting and talking to someone	_____	
Sitting quietly after lunch without alcohol	_____	
In a car while stopped at a traffic light	_____	
<b>TOTAL =</b>		_____

## THORNTON SNORING SCALE

My snoring affects my relationship with my partner	_____	0 = Never
My snoring causes my partner to be irritable or tired	_____	1 = 1 night/week
My snoring requires us to sleep in separate rooms	_____	2 = 2-3 nights/week
My snoring is loud	_____	3 = 4+ nights/week
My snoring affects people when I am sleeping away from home	_____	
<b>TOTAL =</b>		_____

**Please list the main reason(s) you are seeking treatment for snoring or sleep apnea:**

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### Do you have other complaints?

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent snoring<br><input type="checkbox"/> Excessive Daytime Sleepiness (EDS)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty falling asleep<br><input type="checkbox"/> Waking up gasping / choking<br><input type="checkbox"/> Morning headaches<br><input type="checkbox"/> Neck or facial pain<br><input type="checkbox"/> I have been told I stop breathing when I sleep<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty maintaining sleep<br><input type="checkbox"/> Choking while sleeping<br><input type="checkbox"/> Feeling unrefreshed in the morning<br><input type="checkbox"/> Memory problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Impotence<br><input type="checkbox"/> Nasal problems, difficulty breathing through nose<br><input type="checkbox"/> Irritability or mood swings |
|--|---|

## Subjective Signs and Symptoms

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**Rate your overall energy level** (Low) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Excellent)

**Rate your sleep quality** (Low) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Excellent)

**Have you been told you snore?** YES / NO / SOMETIMES

**Rate the sound of your snoring** (Quiet) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Loud)

**On average, how many times per night do you wake up?** \_\_\_\_\_

**On average, how many hours of sleep do you get per night?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How often do you awaken with headaches?** NEVER / RARELY / SOMETIMES / OFTEN / EVERYDAY

**Do you have a bed partner?** YES / NO / SOMETIMES      **Do you sleep in the same room?** YES / NO

**How many times per night does your bedtime partner notice you stop breathing?**

SEVERAL TIMES PER NIGHT / ONCE PER NIGHT / SEVERAL TIMES PER WEEK / OCCASIONALLY / SELDOM / NEVER

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Have you ever had a sleep study?      YES      NO  
If YES, where and when? \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you tried CPAP?      YES      NO  
Are you currently using CPAP?      YES      NO  
If YES, how many nights per week do you wear it? \_\_\_\_\_ / 7 Nights  
When you wear your CPAP, how many hours per night do you wear it? \_\_\_\_\_ hours per night

If you use or have used CPAP, what are your chief complaints about CPAP?

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mask leaks  | <input type="checkbox"/> Device causes claustrophobia or panic attacks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> An inability to get the mask to fit properly                          | <input type="checkbox"/> An unconscious need to remove CPAP at night   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discomfort from the straps or headgear                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Caused GI / stomach / intestinal problems     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease sleep quality or interrupted sleep from CPAP device          | <input type="checkbox"/> CPAP device irritated my nasal passages       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noise from the device disrupting sleep and/or bedtime partner's sleep | <input type="checkbox"/> Inability to wear due to nasal problems       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CPAP restricted movement during sleep                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Causes dry nose or dry mouth                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CPAP seems to be ineffective  | <input type="checkbox"/> The device causes irritation due to air leaks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Device causes teeth or jaw problems                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A latex allergy   | _____  |

Are you currently wearing a dental device?      YES      NO  
Have you previously tried a dental device?      YES      NO  
If YES, was it Over the Counter (OTC)?      YES      NO  
Was it fabricated by a dentist?      YES      NO      If YES, who fabricated it? \_\_\_\_\_

If applicable, please describe your previous dental device experience:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had surgery for snoring or sleep apnea?      YES      NO

Please list any nose, palatal, throat, tongue, or jaw surgeries you have had.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ SURGEON: \_\_\_\_\_ SURGERY: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please comment about any other therapy attempts (weight loss, gastric bypass, etc.) and how each impacted your snoring and apnea and sleep quality.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**PRE-MEDICATION** – Have you been told you should receive pre-medication before dental procedures? YES NO

If YES, what medication(s) and why do you require it? \_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGENS** -- Please list everything you are allergic to (for example: aspirin, latex, penicillin, etc):

**MEDICATIONS** -- Please list all medications you are currently taking:

**MEDICAL HISTORY** – Please list all medical diagnoses and surgeries from birth until now (for example: heart attack, high blood pressure, asthma, stroke, hip replacement, HIV, diabetes, etc):

## Dental History

How would you describe your dental health?	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	POOR
Have you ever had teeth extracted?	YES	NO	→ If YES, please describe _____	
Do you wear removable partials?	YES	NO		
Do you wear full dentures?	YES	NO		
Have you ever worn braces (orthodontics)?	YES	NO	→ If YES, date completed: _____	
Does your TMJ (jaw joint) click or pop?	YES	NO	→ Do you have pain in this joint?	YES NO
Have you had TMJ (jaw joint) surgery?	YES	NO		
Have you ever had gum problems?	YES	NO	→ If YES, have you ever had gum surgery?	YES NO
Do you have dry mouth?	YES	NO		
Have you ever had an injury to your head, face, neck, or mouth?		YES	NO	
Are you planning to have dental work done in the near future?		YES	NO	
Do you clench or grind your teeth?		YES	NO	

If you answered YES to any question above, please briefly describe your answer here:

## Family History

Have genetic members of your family had:

Heart Disease? YES NO High Blood Pressure? YES NO Diabetes? YES NO

Have genetic members of your family been diagnosed or treated for a sleep disorder? YES NO

How often do you consume alcohol within 2-3 hours of bedtime?  Daily  Occasionally  Rarely/Never

How often do you take sedatives within 2-3 hours of bedtime?  Daily  Occasionally  Rarely/Never

How often do you consume caffeine within 2-3 hours of bedtime?  Daily  Occasionally  Rarely/Never

Do you smoke? YES NO If YES, how many packs per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you use chewing tobacco? YES NO If YES, how many times per day? \_\_\_\_\_

## PATIENT SIGNATURE

I certify that the information I have completed on these forms is true, accurate, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Patient or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Assignment of Benefits

I request that payment of authorized insurance benefits, including Medicare if I am a Medicare Beneficiary, be made either to me or on my behalf to the organization listed below for any equipment or services provided to me by that organization. I hereby assign and convey directly to the below-named health care provider ("Provider"), as my designated authorized representative, all medical benefits and/or insurance reimbursement, if any, otherwise payable to me for services, treatments, therapies, and/or medications rendered or provided by the Provider, regardless of its managed care network participation status.

I understand that I am financially responsible to the Provider for any charges regardless of health care benefits. It is my responsibility to notify the Provider of any changes in my health care coverage. In some cases exact insurance benefits cannot be determined until the insurance company receives the claim. I am responsible for the entire bill or balance of the bill as determined by the Provider and/or my health care insurer if the submitted claims or any part of them are denied for payment.

I hereby authorize the Provider to release all medical information necessary to process my claims. Further, I hereby authorize my plan administrator fiduciary, insurer, and/or attorney to release to the Provider any and all Plan documents, summary benefit description, insurance policy, and/or settlement information upon written request from the Provider or its attorneys in order to claim such medical benefits.

In addition, I also assign and/or convey to the Provider any legal or administrative claim or choose an action arising under any group health plan, employee benefits plan, health insurance or tort feisor insurance concerning medical expenses incurred as a result of the medical services, treatments, therapies, and/or medications I receive from the Provider (including any right to pursue those legal or administrative claims or chose an action). This constitutes an express and knowing assignment of ERISA breach or fiduciary duty claims and other legal and/or administrative claims.

I intend by this assignment and designation of authorized representative to convey to the Provider all of my rights to claim (or place a lien on) the medical benefits related to the services, treatments, therapies, and/or mediations provided by the Provider, including rights to any settlement, insurance or applicable legal or administrative remedies (including damages arising from ERISA breach of fiduciary duty claims). The assignee and/or designated representative (Provider) is given the right by me to (1) obtain information regarding the claim to the same extent as me; (2) submit evidence; (3) make statements about facts or law; (4) make any request including providing or receiving notice of appeal proceedings; (5) participate in any administrative and judicial actions and pursue claims or chose in action or right against any liable party, insurance company, employee benefit plan, health care benefit plan, or plan administrator. The Provider as my assignee and my designated authorized representative may bring suit against any such health care benefit plan, employee benefit plan, plan administrator or insurance company in my name with derivative standing at Provider's expense.

Unless revoked, this assignment is valid for all administrative and judicial reviews under PPACA (health care reform legislation), ERISA, Medicare and applicable federal and state laws. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered valid, the same as if it was the original.

**PROVIDER:** K Scott Danoff, DMD, 49-33 Little Neck Parkway, Little Neck, NY 11362

### **Patient Signature**

I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT.

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Patient / Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## AFFIDAVIT FOR INTOLERANCE TO CPAP

I have attempted to use the nasal CPAP to manage my sleep related breathing disorder (apnea) and find it intolerable to use on a regular basis for the following reasons:

Mask leaks

An inability to get the mask to fit properly

Discomfort or interrupted sleep caused by the presence of the device

Noise from the device disturbing sleep or bed partner's sleep

CPAP restricted movements during sleep

CPAP does not seem to be effective

Pressure on the upper lip causes tooth related problems

Latex allergy

Claustrophobic associations

An unconscious need to remove the CPAP apparatus at night

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Because of my intolerance/inability to use the CPAP, I wish to have an alternative method of treatment. That form of therapy is oral appliance therapy (OAT).

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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