



# FINDING THE RIGHT DENTAL OFFICE

Here are some questions to consider when looking for the perfect fit for a person with disabilities

**DENTAL OFFICE NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

Hello. I am looking for a dental home that can meet the needs of person with disabilities. Are you the right person to speak to about this?

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Can your office provide dental care for the special needs population?

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My child has XYZ issues/disabilities, do you know if your dental team is familiar with this? Would it be helpful for me to send information regarding my child's issues/disabilities?

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Does your office accept Medicaid/KanCare? I have (United, Sunflower, Aetna) insurance.

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Does your office have distraction strategies they use during dental treatment? (TV, music, handheld items, etc.)

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My child responds better in a quiet environment or at certain times of the day. Are appointment times flexible?

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Is your office and equipment wheelchair accessible? Can your dental team assist with the transfer from wheelchair to dental chair?

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Can I bring my child into the office prior to the appointment to meet the dental team?

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Do you have any videos, brochures, or books that may help in advance of the visit?

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Is it possible to complete and submit all needed paperwork before the day of the appointment?

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