

# Smile Potential Dental Practice Coaching

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# DOCTOR'S QUESTIONNAIRE

<b>Practice Information</b> Please tell us about your practice.		
Doctor Name	Practice Name	
Office Address 1		
Office Address 2		
City	State	Zip Code
Work Phone	Work Fax	
Cell Phone	Home Phone	
Personal Email	Work Email	
Website		

# **Practice Data**

More detailed information about your practice.

# of Doctors	# of Hygentists
# of Administrative	# of Assistants
# of Treatment rooms - Doctor	Hygiene Consult
Type of Practice	# of Active Patients
Length of time in Practice	At this location?
Office Schedule	
Monday	Tuesday
Wednesday	Thursday
Friday	Saturday
Sunday	
Do you participate in Insurance Plans?	Which ones?

## **6** Month Metrics

Start with the financials from last month, and work backwards. Month 6 is last month, Month 5 is the one before that, and so on. \*\*Please note your responses for the next page\*\*

	Month 6	Month 5	Month 4	Month 3	Month 2	Month 1
Doctor Production						
Dr Production Total						
Doctor Hours						
Dr Hours Total						
Hygiene Production						
Hyg Production Total						
Hygiene Hours						
Hyg Hours Total						
Total Production						
All Production Totals						
Collection						
Collection Total						
A/R						
A/R Total						
# of new patients						
New Pt Totals						

## **Overview - Financials and Goals**

Please refer to previous page for 6 month averages.

	Last Calendar Year	Average 6 months	Monthly Goal
Doctor Production			
Hygiene Production			
Total Production			
Collections			
Collection % at time of service			

Total A/R

A/R over 60 days

Labor Cost %

Include Payroll Taxes, Bonus and Benefits

Lab Cost %

Dental Supply Cost %

Advertising/ Marketing Expenditures

New Patients

% of new pt that accept comprehensive treatment plans

Average production per new pt

Average production for all patients of practice

(Yearly Production / New Pt Total)

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#### Last Calendar Year

Current Dr Income

Doctor retirement contributions

Total of bonuses paid to team

% of production in elective dentistry

(Cosmetic/Implants)

% of broken appts, late, cancellations, no shows

Value of lost production from open times

\$ Value of lost
production
(due to open time
slots)

Average 6 months

Monthly Goal

# **Desired Changes**

Tell us about what you'd like to see change in your practice.

#### What are the top 3 concerns for your practice?

Number 1

Number 2

Number 3

Any other concerns?

#### **Goals and Monitoring**

What are the goals for the practice and yourself?

What are the things that are preventing you from attaining those goals?

Please answer the following questions:

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Do all your team members know and understand the goals of the practice?			
Are you monitoring the important practice vital signs monthly and discussing them at team meetings?			
Do you feel that an incentive bonus system would help to motivate your team to help you achieve these goals?			

In how many years would you like to retire?

#### Production

Are you satisfied with how your administrative team is scheduling you each day?

Does your administrative team schedule for a production goal each day for every Producer (Doctor & Hygiene)?

Does your administrative team have an effective system for tracking treatment that has been diagnosed, but not completed?

If not, what would you like to improve?

Are you happy with the hygiene production?

Is your hygiene department generating large amounts of cosmetic and quadrant restorative procedures for the doctor?

If so, what percentage of your patients participate? What's not working?

Are you attaining these goals?

Are you happy with the management of new patients (Initial telephone contact, comprehensive exam and treatment acceptance)?

When was the last time you analyzed your fees and/or had a fee increase? Within the last 3 months Within the last 6 months Within the last year Over a Year

Other

Is 33% of your hygiene production resulting from periodontal procedures?

Do you participate in any managed care programs?

Are you satisfied with the programs that you participate in?

## **Collections and Accounts Receivable**

Please answer the following questions:

	Yes	No	Not Applicable
Are financial arrangements properly offered, set up and followed through?			
Are your over the counter collections at least 50% of production?			
Do you promote 3rd party financing (i.e. Care Credit) to your patients?			
Are you happy with your billing system?			
Are you happy with the insurance processing in your office?			
Would you like to become less dependent on insurance companies and managed care plans?			

#### **Customer Service and Marketing**

Do you feel your team conducts themselves in a professional manner?

Do you feel that your administrative and clinical team members have effective communication skills with the patients?

Do you have a budgeted and scheduled marketing program throughout the entire year?

#### **Practice Business Plan**

Please answer the following questions:

Is there anything about this that you would like to change?

> Does your team create a "Wow" experience that patients talk about to others, such as friends, neighbors and coworkers?

What high-tech equipment do you have in your office?

	Yes	No
Have you ever figured out what your annual "Break Even Point" is for your practice to meet overhead expenses, capital improvements, desired doctor income and retirement contributions?		
Is there a monthly budget to follow for office supplies and dental supplies?		
Do you have an annual budget (assigned percentage and dollar amounts) for the different expense areas in your overhead costs?		
Is this monitored to maintain expenses?		

Indicate your fees for:

Crown

Quadrant of Root Planing

1-surface Resin

2-surface Resin

3-surface Resin

## Leadership

Do you hold morning meetings every day?

If no, why?

How often are team meetings held?

If no, why?

Has conflict between team members been a source of turmoil in the office?

Do you give regular performance reviews?

What is the hardest part of doing the review for you? Finding the time Confrontation Other Do you feel that they are as

effective as they could be?

If yes, please explain:

If no, why?

Keeping it un-emotional Appearing unprepared/unskilled

Are they effective?

# Your Team

Rate the morale of your team

# Please rate your team members performance:

Rate **your** level of enthusiasm in the office

Name	Position	Performance
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## List each team member and what you consider their strengths and weaknesses:

Name	Strengths	Weaknesses
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Note specific concerns about any team member and the way that they are performing their job?

## **Consulting Experiences**

Have you ever
worked with a
practice
management
consultant before?

What were your successes?

If yes, who and when?

What didn't work?

#### List the top 5 things that you would like Smile Potential Dental Practice Coaching to help you accomplish in your practice?

Number 1

Number 2

Number 3

Number 4

Number 5

Please feel free to attach any additional comments/thoughts that you would like to share. All information submitted will be held in the strictest confidence.

Doctor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date