

## **JOB DESCRIPTION: PATIENT SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE**

Reports to:	Practice Director
Direct Reports:	None
Date Approved:	7/1/2021
FLFA Status:	Non-exempt

POSITION DESCRIPTION:	The Patient Service Representative serves as a liaison to provide patients with high quality and efficient administrative care; while treating everyone with respect, dignity, and concern. This entails a variety of tasks requiring interpersonal, technical, and critical thinking skills.
ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS AND POSITION REQUIREMENTS:	<ul> <li>Greets all patients and guests in a pleasant, professional, and courteous manner.</li> <li>Scheduling: Determine type of appointment(s) needed; find appropriate date and time slots that accommodates patient within Michigan Oral Surgeons guidelines; Obtain and updates necessary patient demographics and insurance information; Reviews schedule daily for cancelations and actively work to fill openings.</li> <li>Prepares patient's chart for visit by communicating with referring providers to obtain and log patient x rays and records.</li> <li>Answers telephone in accordance with Michigan Oral Surgeons telephone etiquette guidelines. Completes administrative, insurance, and billing inquiries. Directs clinical questions to appropriate clinical staff. Takes and relays messages as needed.</li> <li>Check patient in and out for appointments.</li> <li>Billing: calculate patient copayments and deductibles. Collect and post patient payments. Post office patient charges. Submit claim to insurance. Respond to patient billing questions.</li> <li>Insurance: Verifies insurance eligibility; submits and follows up on insurance authorizations; answers insurance questions regarding coverage for treatment being provided</li> <li>Manages and mails patient letters to referring providers.</li> <li>Maintains administrative office areas and patient waiting areas.</li> <li>Other duties as assigned</li> </ul>



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ORGANIZATIONAL EXPECTATIONS:	<ul> <li>Creates and maintains a positive, professional, efficient, and patient-centric work environment by supporting the Michigan Oral Surgeons mission.</li> <li>Strong communication and critical thinking skills</li> <li>Maintains confidentiality of information pertaining to patient, doctors, employees, and visitors.</li> <li>Maintains knowledge of and complies with Michigan Oral Surgeons standards, policies, and procedures, including the Michigan Oral Surgeons Employee Handbook.</li> <li>Willingness and ability to travel to other Michigan Oral Surgeons locations for meetings, coverage, and support.</li> <li>Willingness to participate in events hosted by Michigan Oral Surgeons.</li> <li>Uses resources efficiently.</li> </ul>
MINIMUM PHYSICAL EXPECTATIONS	<ul> <li>Physical activity that often requires keyboarding, phone work and computer work.</li> <li>Physical activity that often requires sitting, standing, walking, bending, stooping, reaching, and/or twisting.</li> <li>Physical activity that sometimes requires lifting, pushing and/or pulling under 30 lbs.</li> <li>Specific vision abilities required include close vision, depth perception, peripheral vision, and the ability to adjust and focus.</li> <li>Manual dexterity sufficient to operate a keyboard, telephone, and other surgical and office equipment.</li> <li>Must hear and speak well enough to conduct business over the telephone and face to face for long periods of time in English.</li> </ul>
QUALIFICATIONS:	EDUCATION: High school diploma or equivalent  CREDENTIALS/LICENSURE: None  MINIMUM EXPERIENCE: No minimum experience required.