

PUBLIC HEALTH CODE (EXCERPT)
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333.16642 Work authorization for dental laboratory work; form; contents; name or number of work authorization to accompany invoice; prohibition.

Sec. 16642.

(1) A written authorization for dental laboratory work shall be in a form prescribed by the board and shall contain the following:

- (a) The name and address of the laboratory.
- (b) An identification of the patient by name or number.
- (c) The date on which the authorization was written.
- (d) The description of the work to be done, with diagrams if necessary.
- (e) A specification of the type and quality of materials to be used.
- (f) The dentist's signature, complete business address, and license number.

(2) A dental laboratory shall return completed prescribed work to the prescribing dentist or the dentist's office with the name or number of the written work authorization accompanying the invoice.

(3) A dental laboratory shall not have in its possession a prosthetic denture, bridge, orthodontic or other appliance, or structure to be used as a substitute for or as a part of human teeth or jaws or associated structures or for the correction of malocclusions or deformities, completed or being fabricated without having in its possession a written work authorization therefor.

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