Sunshyne Smiles Program
Orthodontic Assistance Application
(to be completed by parent/guardian)

Child's Name:_____ _____ _____
(First) (MI) (Last)

Birthdate:_____ Sex: ____ Male ____ Female

Parent/Guardian Name (s):_____ _____ _____
(First) (MI) (Last)

Address:_____ Daytime Phone:_____

City/State/Zip:_____ Other Phone:_____

E-mail Address: _____

Number of members in your household Adults: _____ Children:_____

Are Parents/Guardians employed? Father Yes/No
Mother Yes/No

Total Monthly Net Income $_____

Total Monthly Expenses $_____

Yearly family income for past two years Year:_____ $_____
(Please attach copies of IRS Form 1040)
Year:_____ $_____

Does your child/family receive Food Stamps? Yes No

Does your child/family receive free or reduced school lunch? Yes No

Does your family receive housing assistance? Yes No

List amount of liabilities:

Mortgage	$_____
Loans	$_____
Credit cards	$_____
Other debt	$_____

List value of assets:

House	$_____
Investments	$_____
Land/Real estate	$_____
Savings	$_____
Other	$_____

Describe any extra ordinary circumstances affecting your child or your family:

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Will your family commit to making monthly minimal payments for 36 months to assist with the cost of your child's orthodontic care? Yes_____ No _____

Will your family commit to bringing your child to regular orthodontic visits, at the same location, for two to three years? Yes_____ No _____

Do you agree to have your child's dental records available for review by the Sunshyne Smiles Program? Yes_____ No_____

Do you consent to your child being examined by an orthodontist prior to beginning treatment? Yes_____ No_____

Is the child covered by dental insurance? Yes_____ No _____

If yes, is there an orthodontic benefit: Yes_____ No_____

If yes, give name of carrier:_____

Is the child enrolled in Medicaid? Yes_____ No_____

(Children who qualify for orthodontic care through the Medicaid dental program are not eligible for the Sunshyne Smiles Program. Parents or guardians of children on Medicaid should have their child evaluated and scored through the Medicaid system to determine if their child qualifies for orthodontic treatment. If your child does not meet the criteria to receive funding through Medicaid, a copy of the denial letter from Medicaid will be required in applying for the Sunshyne Smiles Program. Any questions regarding Medicaid orthodontic benefits, please call 1-800-627-3961.)

Present dentist:_____

Address:_____ Office Phone:_____

City/State/Zip:_____

Number of years child has been under the care of this dentist:____

If your child has been with your present dentist less than two years, please provide the names and phone numbers of any former dentists.

Name: _____ Phone:_____

Name:_____ Phone:_____

If your child has already had a consultation with an orthodontist, please provide the name of the orthodontist:

Name: _____

Return application to:
Sunshyne Smiles Program
PO Box 1194
Pierre, SD 57501

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Parent/Guardian Signature

Sunshyne Smiles
Orthodontic Assistance Program
Dental Referral Form

Date:_____

Patient's Name:_____ ____ _____ ____
(First) (MI) (Last) (Age)

Referring Dentists Name:_____ _____
(First) (Last)

Dentist's Address:_____ _____ ____ ____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Dentist's Telephone Number: ( )_____

Please note: Applicants who are on Medicaid must first be scored to see if they are eligible for Medicaid orthodontic benefit. For information on scoring, please contact Nance Orsbon at 604-494-2525.

Reason for the referral:

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Assessment:

Malocclusion:	**Class I**		**Class II**		**Class III**	
Crowding:	**Mild**		**Moderate**		**Severe**	
Spacing:	**Mild**		**Moderate**		**Severe**	
Overjet:	**Mild**		**Moderate**		**Severe**	
Overbite:	**Mild**		**Moderate**		**Severe**	
Crossbite:	**Anterior**		**Posterior**		**Severe**	
Good oral hygiene: **Yes No**		**Caries free:** **Yes No**		**Physically capable of cleaning teeth: Yes No**		
Positive attitude towards dental care: Yes No		**Ability to complete treatment:** **Yes No**		**Keeps scheduled appointments:** **Yes No**		
Impacted Teeth: **Yes No**		**Missing Teeth:** **Yes No**		**Length of time patient has received care in your office?**		

Please send this form directly to:
South Dakota Dental Foundation
PO Box 1194
Pierre SD 57501

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(Referring Dentist Signature)

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Name: _____

My Parents/Guardian: _____

I live at: _____

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I go to school at: _____

My Siblings and their ages: _____ _____

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My dentist's name: _____

I would like to have orthodontics/braces because: _____

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Sincerely,

Name: _____

Sunshyne Smiles
Authorization of Release of Protected Health Information

By signing this document, you are allowing the South Dakota Dental Foundation staff to give or receive your child's health care records to other health care providers in order to provide the best care for your child. The records may be sent to a dentist, orthodontists, or other dental specialist.

Patient's Name _____

Social Security Number _____-_____-_____

I hereby authorize:

Sunshyne Smiles Program
C/O South Dakota Dental Foundation
PO Box 1194, Pierre, SD 57501, 605-224-9133

to receive from, or release to, the appropriate health care provider, my child's records to facilitate his or her health care needs and/or treatments.

Name of parent/legal guardian_____
(please print)

Parent/legal guardian signature_____Date_____

If there are providers or agencies that you do NOT want your child's records released to or received from please list here:

_____ _____

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Note: This authorization is valid for four years from date of signature unless revoked in writing prior to that date.

Photo Consent and Release

I consent to the use of pictures of myself, or my child, for program promotion, including print, video and web promotion, events and activities. I also agree that any written information or other material provided by me or my child in connection with the Sunshyne Smiles program may be used in promotional materials, events and activities.

Name of parent/legal guardian_____
(please print)

Parent/legal guardian signature_____Date_____