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### Written Financial Policy

Thank you for choosing Short Hills Smiles, the office of Judith Barker, D.M.D. My personal, professional, and ethical responsibility is to care for your health to the best of my ability. Missed appointments and failure to comply with recommended treatment, prevents me from achieving your optimal health goal. Noncompliance will hinder the continuation of your treatment in good conscience. An important part of my mission is making the cost of optimal care as manageable for our patients as possible by offering several payment options. Therefore, the following policies must be agreed upon:

Payment Options:

You can choose from:

- **Check, Cash, Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover, FSA, and HSA.**  
We offer a courtesy accounting adjustment to patients who pay for their treatment with Cash prior to completion of care for treatment plans of \$5,000 or more.
- Convenient monthly payment options from **Lending Club** and **Care Credit Healthcare Credit Card.**
  - Allows you to pay over time
  - No annual fees or pre-payment penalties

Please note:

Short Hills Smiles requires payment at the beginning of your treatment. If you choose to discontinue care before treatment is complete, you will receive a refund less the cost of care received.

For patients with dental insurance we are happy to work with your carrier to maximize your benefit and directly bill them for reimbursement for your treatment.

**Short Hills Smiles charges \$30 for returned checks.**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. We are here to help you get the dentistry you need or desire.

Patient, Parent or Guardian (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Lending Club and Care Credit subject to credit approval.