

## NARCOTIC PAIN MEDICATION AGREEMENT

AS MANDATED BY KY STATE LAW (KRS 218A) EFFECTIVE JULY 20, 2012

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for choosing Dr. Ackerman's office. As part of your treatment, you may receive a prescription for a narcotic pain medication. It is intended for short-term use only. Kentucky state law, effective July 20, 2012, requires that a drug profile, the "KASPER" report, must be obtained for each patient who receives a narcotic pain medication or refill. The KASPER report includes information on prescription drug use, frequency and amount of refills, prescribing dentists as well as dispensing pharmacies. These reports will be reviewed by your dentist and will be included in your dental record. You should never take narcotic pain medication from more than one prescribing dentist, and refills, if any, should be obtained from the same pharmacy.

Narcotic side effects include constipation and interference with urination. Sleep and behavior disturbances may interfere with operation of a motor vehicle or create other safety hazards. Its long term use is associated with dependence and increased tolerance: in other words, addiction. Overdose can be fatal. It is your responsibility to use this medication only as needed for severe pain, and only as directed. You should notify the office immediately of any severe side effects.

### NARCOTIC PRESCRIPTION POLICY

\*No prescription will be filled after business hours, 8 am-2:30 pm, Monday- Thursday.

\*You should never be receiving narcotic pain medication from more than one dentist.

\*This medication should not be given to others under any circumstances.

\*Take your medication only as directed.

\*Early refills will not be authorized.

I understand the risks and benefits of using narcotic pain medication. I consent to the treatment and agree to use the medication as prescribed by my dentist.

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_