

## **Forms of Payment**

Full payment is due at the time of appointment, we accept Visa, Mastercard, Amex, Interac and cash.

Outstanding accounts will be sent to collections if unpaid after 120 days.

Also note that expenses for dental procedures you have paid for yourself (not paid by your insurance) is eligible as a medical deduction on your annual tax return.

## **Insurance**

Meadowood Dental charges fees consistent with the current Manitoba Dental Association Fee Guide. Some insurance plans pay benefits based on older fee guides, so being familiar with your dental plan will help you avoid disappointment and unplanned expenses. We can never guarantee what your insurance company will pay, and you are responsible for any amount not covered by your insurance.

Some things you may want to find out about your insurance coverage are: annual maximum; deductibles; allowable frequency of cleanings; fluoride and scaling allowances, also, percentage of basic and major coverage.

For all major work such as crowns, bridges, dentures and implants we will send a pre-authorization to your insurance company so that you will know beforehand what your insurance company plans to pay. Keep in mind, that many insurance companies put an expiry date on their pre-authorizations and even though a procedure is approved, it is subject to your plan's yearly maximum.

Please do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions. Our knowledgeable staff has extensive experience with dental insurance and will be happy to guide you.