



TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE: ADMISSION, MEDICAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

1. Thousand Smiles Foundation provides dental, medical, and social services free of charge. Our primary mission is to provide remedy to individuals suffering from cleft lip and palate defects by providing initial surgical care as well as comprehensive health services as determined by the multidisciplinary team of qualified volunteers.
2. **MEDICAL CONSENT:** I (patient, parent, or guardian of the patient) give consent to medical treatments and/or procedures, X-ray examinations, drawing blood for tests, medications, injections, taking of medical photographs, videotaping, laboratory procedures, and hospital services rendered to the patient under the general and special instructions of the physicians or other health care professionals assisting in the care of the patient.

3. **TEACHING, RESEARCH AND HEALTHCARE INSTITUTION:** Thousand Smiles is a teaching, research and healthcare institution. The patient, parent or guardian of the patient, understand that residents, interns, medical students, students of ancillary healthcare professions (e.g., nursing, x-ray, rehabilitation therapy), post-graduate fellows, and other trainees may observe, examine, treat, and participate at the request and under the supervision of the attending physician in the care of the patient. These participants have a valid medical license, or current license to practice in Mexico.
4. **USE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION AND SPECIMENS:** I understand that the patients' medical information, photographs, and/or video in any form may be used for other purposes, such as quality improvement, patient safety and education. Additional informed consent may be obtained for inclusion of photographs and/or video for the purpose of fundraising for the Foundation. Specimens (tissue, fluids, cells) may be collected in rare circumstances during the course of treatment and shared with researchers.
5. **PERSONAL VALUABLES:** The Foundation shall not be liable for the loss of or damage to any money, documents, jewelry, glasses, dentures **or** other articles of unusual value and shall not be liable for loss **or** damage to any personal property.
6. **TELEHEALTH SERVICES:** Telemedicine is the use of still images or real-time live audio/video communications to provide elements for medical care using technology. As part of this agreement, in our effort to provide the best possible care, the patient acknowledges and accepts that care may be provided using this telemedicine technology.