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To: All Trust Participants

The Dentists Professional Liability Trust Board, on 6/14/07, approved requirements for the placement of Temporary Anchorage Devices (TADs). The Trust's concern in arriving at these requirements was to provide two types of protection. First, we wished to protect those members who do not work with TADs by being fiducially responsible to see that this is a shared risk. Secondly, we would protect the Trust by requiring those dentists who do work with TADs to meet some current and ongoing education qualifications, and thereby assure that the liability risk to the Trust would not be as great.

To allow for the placement of TADs (temporary anchorage devices) in orthodontic treatment, the dentist must meet the following requirements.

- A. Six (6) hours of continuing education **before** coverage will begin. These 6 hours must be documented to include:
  1. Orthodontic examination, diagnosis, treatment planning, TADs placement.  
Four (4) hours total can be obtained by video, CD, internet or self-test reviewed articles.
- B. Ongoing continuing education consisting of six (6) hours every twenty-four (24) month period.
- C. Peer Review - The Trust Board will have the right to evaluate the dentist individually as to requirements being met.

# REPORT FORM

## DENTISTS PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY TRUST OF COLORADO

### EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE USE OF TEMPORARY ANCHORAGE DEVICES (TADs)

In accordance, with the requirements governing the placement of temporary anchorage devices (TADs) in orthodontic treatment, please submit verification of continuing education courses completed. **Documentation must include certificates of courses completed and/or letters of completion with signatures of course directors. All hours must be completed within the past five years.** Please categorize the contents of the courses as listed below. Copy, if additional report forms are needed.

| TEMPORARY ANCHORAGE DEVICES EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS                                        |            |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| Orthodontic examination, diagnosis, treatment planning, TADs placement. (6 hrs. required) |            |           |
| Course _____                                                                              | Date _____ | Hrs _____ |
| Course _____                                                                              | Date _____ | Hrs _____ |
| Course _____                                                                              | Date _____ | Hrs _____ |

I am applying for Implant coverage for TEMPORARY ANCHORAGE DEVICES

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Not Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_