



## Blood Sugar Testing in Dental Practice: Dentist/Staff Questionnaire

Please answer the following questions by circling a number from 1 (strongly disagree) to 5 (strongly agree). Each question should have only one answer.

Completed form should be mailed to:

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<ul> <li><u>Potential positive aspects:</u></li> <li>1. Patients with no diabetes but high glucose will benefit from testing in the dental office.</li> </ul>	1	2	3	4	5	
<ol><li>Patients with diabetes may get better glucose control if tested in the dental office.</li></ol>	1	2	3	4	5	
<ol><li>Glucose reading will help determine the timing of invasive dental procedures.</li></ol>	1	2	3	4	5	
<ol> <li>Glucose testing will identify patients at high risk for periodontal disease.</li> </ol>	1	2	3	4	5	
<ol> <li>Tested patients develop increased confidence in the practice and perceived an increased importance of their general health to their dental treatment.</li> </ol>	1	2	3	4	5	
Potential negative aspects 6. Glucose testing is time-consuming.	1	2	3	4	5	
7. Glucose testing is too expensive to do in dental practice.	1	2	3	4	5	
8. Glucose levels are not relevant to dental practice.	1	2	3	4	5	
9. Patients were unhappy that my practice did glucose screening.	1	2	3	4	5	
10. Glucose testing opens the practice to liability suits.	1	2	3	4	5	

Additional comments: