

# **UCLA SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY**

## **Patient Bill of Rights**

Patients accepted into comprehensive care have rights to the following:

- Be treated with courtesy, respect, and confidentiality.
- Be treated without discrimination based on race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, or disability.
- Be given complete and current information about your dental condition and treatment.
- Know about treatment recommendations and estimated cost of treatment.
- Be informed about treatment alternatives, the advantages and disadvantages of each as well as the risks of treatment.
- Expect treatment that meets the standard of care in dentistry including the use of appropriate infection controls.
- Know the education and training of and what professional laws and ethics apply to members of your dental team.
- Know what policies apply to your acceptance as a patient and to your continuance in care.
- Continuous and comprehensive dental care and emergency treatment.