

NDX Aligners

GUIDE TO CAPTURING PATIENT PHOTOS





FRONT (SMILING)



FRONT (NON-SMILING)



PROFILE



FRONTAL



RIGHT BUCCAL



LEFT BUCCAL



UPPER OCCLUSAL



LOWER OCCLUSAL

EXTRAORAL PHOTOS

- Use a dark background to reduce any halo effect from a flash.
- Position the camera at the patient's nose level.
- Include the entire chin and top of the head in the frame.
- Capture the right side for the profile picture.
- Ask patients with long hair to tuck it behind their ears.



INTRAORAL PHOTOS

- Use a cheek retractor for the patient to assist in holding the mouth in place.
- Start with a frontal shot while the patient sits knee-to-knee with the photographer.
- For right/left buccal shots, have the patient pull the retractor on one side while keeping the opposite cheek relaxed to ensure all teeth are visible.



FRONTAL



RIGHT BUCCAL

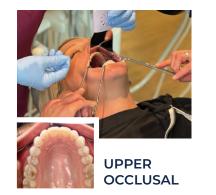


LEFT BUCCAL



OCCLUSAL PHOTOS

- Use a Lip Columbia retractor and a mirror.
- Ask the patient to lift their head high and open wide.
- The mirror should rest flat against the opposing arch teeth.
- Ensure all teeth are visible in the mirror.
- Keep the nose out of the frame.
- Use an anti-fog mirror for clarity.





LOWER OCCLUSAL

Contact your local sales representative for assistance or for more information, please visit nationaldentex.com/aligners.

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