# EXHIBIT 1

We represent Northwest Denture Center, Inc. ("NDC") located at located at 200 Gilkey Road, Burlington, Washington 98233, and we are writing to notify your office of an incident that may affect the security of certain personal information relating to twelve thousand two hundred nine (12,209) Washington residents. By providing this notice, NDC does not waive any rights or defenses regarding the applicability of Washington law, the applicability of the Washington data event notification statute, or personal jurisdiction.

### **Nature of the Data Event**

On or about May 28, 2025, NDC became aware of suspicious activity on its network. NDC immediately took steps to secure its environment and launched an investigation to determine the nature and scope of the activity. The investigation determined that there was unauthorized access to NDC's systems on May 27, 2025. As a result, NDC began an extensive review of the impacted files to determine if any sensitive information could be affected and to whom it relates and to identify missing address information for the impacted individuals. NDC recently completed this review on June 27, 2025, and on July 25, 2025, provided notice to potentially impacted individuals in an abundance of caution.

The information that could have been subject to unauthorized access includes name, and Social Security number, driver's license number, date of birth, and medical information.

## **Notice to Washington Residents**

On or about July 25, 2025, NDC provided written notice of this incident to twelve thousand two hundred nine (12,209) Washington residents. Written notice is being provided in substantially the same form as the letter attached here as *Exhibit A*.

#### Other Steps Taken and To Be Taken

Upon becoming aware of the suspicious activity, NDC moved quickly to investigate and respond to the incident, assess the security of NDC systems, and identify potentially affected individuals. Further, NDC notified federal law enforcement regarding the event. NDC is also working to implement additional safeguards and training to its employees. NDC is providing access to credit monitoring services for 12 months, through TransUnion, to individuals whose personal information was potentially affected by this incident, at no cost to these individuals.

Additionally, NDC is providing impacted individuals with guidance on how to better protect against identity theft and fraud. NDC is providing individuals with information on how to place a fraud alert and security freeze on one's credit file, the contact details for the national consumer reporting agencies, information on how to obtain a free credit report, a reminder to remain vigilant for incidents of fraud and identity theft by reviewing account statements and monitoring free credit reports, and encouragement to contact the Federal Trade Commission, their state Attorney General, and law enforcement to report attempted or actual identity theft and fraud.

NDC is providing written notice of this incident to relevant state and federal regulators, as necessary, and to the three major credit reporting agencies, Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion. NDC is also notifying the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and prominent media pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

# **EXHIBIT A**



July 25, 2025

Dear :

Northwest Denture Center, Inc. ("NDC") is writing to make you aware of an event that may involve your information. NDC is providing you with information about the event, our response, and additional measures you can take to help protect your information, should you feel it appropriate to do so.

What Happened? On or about May 28, 2025, NDC became aware of suspicious activity on its network. We immediately took steps to secure our environment and launched an investigation to determine the nature and scope of the activity. Our investigation determined that there was unauthorized access to NDC's systems on May 27, 2025. As a result, NDC began an extensive review of the impacted files to determine if any sensitive information could be affected and to whom it relates and to identify missing address information for the impacted individuals. We recently completed this review on June 27, 2025, and are providing this notice in an abundance of caution.

What Information Was Involved? The investigation determined that the following types of information were included in the files involved: your name,

What We Are Doing. The confidentiality, privacy, and security of information in our care is one of our highest priorities. Upon becoming aware of this incident, we immediately took steps to confirm the security of our network and to determine what information was potentially impacted. We implemented additional cybersecurity measures and reviewed existing security policies to further protect against similar incidents moving forward.

As an added precaution, we are providing you with access to **Single Bureau Credit Monitoring** services at no charge. These services provide you with alerts when changes occur to your credit file for 12 months from the date of enrollment. This notification is sent to you the same day that the change or update takes place with the bureau. Finally, we are providing you with proactive fraud assistance to help with any questions that you might have or in the event that you become a victim of fraud. These services will be provided by Cyberscout, a TransUnion company specializing in fraud assistance and remediation services. You can find more information on how to enroll in these services in the enclosed additional information section. We encourage you to enroll in these services as we are not able to do so on your behalf.

What You Can Do. We encourage you to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud by reviewing your account statements and monitoring your free credit reports for suspicious activity and to detect errors. We encourage you to enroll in the complimentary credit monitoring services. Please also review the information contained in the enclosed additional information section.

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**For More Information.** We understand that you may have questions about this event that are not addressed in this letter. If you have additional questions, please call 1-833-380-8294 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday, excluding major U.S. holidays.

Sincerely,

Northwest Denture Center, Inc.

### STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TO PROTECT PERSONAL INFORMATION

## **Enroll in Monitoring Services**

To enroll in Credit Monitoring services at no charge, please log on to <a href="https://bfs.cyberscout.com/activate">https://bfs.cyberscout.com/activate</a> and follow the instructions provided. When prompted please provide the following unique code to receive services:

In order for you to receive the monitoring services described above, you must enroll within 90 days from the date of this letter. The enrollment requires an internet connection and e-mail account and may not be available to minors under the age of 18 years of age. Please note that when signing up for monitoring services, you may be asked to verify personal information for your own protection to confirm your identity.



### **Monitor Your Accounts**

Under U.S. law, a consumer is entitled to one free credit report annually from each of the three major credit reporting bureaus, Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion. To order a free credit report, visit <a href="www.annualcreditreport.com">www.annualcreditreport.com</a> or call, toll-free, 1-877-322-8228. Consumers may also directly contact the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below to request a free copy of their credit report.

Consumers have the right to place an initial or extended "fraud alert" on a credit file at no cost. An initial fraud alert is a 1-year alert that is placed on a consumer's credit file. Upon seeing a fraud alert display on a consumer's credit file, a business is required to take steps to verify the consumer's identity before extending new credit. If consumers are the victim of identity theft, they are entitled to an extended fraud alert, which is a fraud alert lasting seven years. Should consumers wish to place a fraud alert, please contact any of the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below.

As an alternative to a fraud alert, consumers have the right to place a "credit freeze" on a credit report, which will prohibit a credit bureau from releasing information in the credit report without the consumer's express authorization. The credit freeze is designed to prevent credit, loans, and services from being approved in a consumer's name without consent. However, consumers should be aware that using a credit freeze to take control over who gets access to the personal and financial information in their credit report may delay, interfere with, or prohibit the timely approval of any subsequent request or application they make regarding a new loan, credit, mortgage, or any other account involving the extension of credit. Pursuant to federal law, consumers cannot be charged to place or lift a credit freeze on their credit report. To request a credit freeze, individuals may need to provide some or all of the following information:

- 1. Full name (including middle initial as well as Jr., Sr., II, III, etc.);
- 2. Social Security number;
- 3. Date of birth;
- 4. Addresses for the prior two to five years;
- 5. Proof of current address, such as a current utility bill or telephone bill;
- 6. A legible photocopy of a government-issued identification card (state driver's license or ID card, etc.); and
- 7. A copy of either the police report, investigative report, or complaint to a law enforcement agency concerning identity theft if they are a victim of identity theft.

Should consumers wish to place a credit freeze or fraud alert, please contact the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below:

Equifax	Experian	TransUnion
https://www.equifax.com/personal/credit-re		https://www.transunion.com/data-b
port-services/	https://www.experian.com/help/	<u>reach-help</u>
1-888-298-0045	1-888-397-3742	1-833-799-5355
Equifax Fraud Alert, P.O. Box 105069	Experian Fraud Alert, P.O. Box	TransUnion, P.O. Box 2000,
Atlanta, GA 30348-5069	9554, Allen, TX 75013	Chester, PA 19016
Equifax Credit Freeze, P.O. Box 105788	Experian Credit Freeze, P.O.	TransUnion, P.O. Box 2000,
Atlanta, GA 30348-5788	Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013	Chester, PA 19016

#### **Additional Information**

Consumers may further educate themselves regarding identity theft, fraud alerts, credit freezes, and the steps they can take to protect their personal information by contacting the consumer reporting bureaus, the Federal Trade Commission, or their state Attorney General. The Federal Trade Commission may be reached at: 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, D.C. 20580; <a href="www.identitytheft.gov">www.identitytheft.gov</a>; 1-877-ID-THEFT (1-877-438-4338); and TTY: 1-866-653-4261. The Federal Trade Commission also encourages those who discover that their information has been misused to file a complaint with them. Consumers can obtain further information on how to file such a complaint by way of the contact information listed above. Consumers have the right to file a police report if they ever experience identity theft or fraud. Please note that in order to file a report with law enforcement for identity theft, consumers will likely need to provide some proof that they have been a victim. Instances of known or suspected identity theft should also be reported to law enforcement and the relevant state Attorney General. This notice has not been delayed by law enforcement.

For California Residents. You can obtain additional information from the California Department of Justice's Privacy Enforcement and Protection Unit (<a href="https://oag.ca.gov/privacy">https://oag.ca.gov/privacy</a>) to learn more about protection against identity theft.

For Iowa Residents. You may contact law enforcement or the Iowa Attorney General's office to report suspected incidents of identity theft. The Iowa Attorney General's Office can be reached at: Iowa Attorney General's Office, Director of Consumer Protection Division, 1305 E. Walnut Street, Des Moines, IA 50319; 1-515-281-5926; www.iowaattorneygeneral.gov.

For Maryland residents, the Maryland Attorney General may be contacted at: 200 St. Paul Place, 16th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202; 1-410-576-6300 or 1-888-743-0023; and https://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov/. Northwest Dental and Denture is located at 2710 Meridian Street, Bellingham, Washington, 98225.

For Massachusetts residents, under Massachusetts law, you have the right to obtain any police report filed in regard to this incident. If you are the victim of identity theft, you also have the right to file a police report and obtain a copy of it.

For New Mexico residents, consumers have rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, such as the right to be told if information in their credit file has been used against them, the right to know what is in their credit file, the right to ask for their credit score, and the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information. Further, pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the consumer reporting bureaus must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information; consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information; access to consumers' files is limited; consumers must give consent for credit reports to be provided to employers; consumers may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance based on information in their credit report; and consumers may seek damages from violators. Consumers may have additional rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act not summarized here. Identity theft victims and active-duty military personnel have specific additional rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act. We encourage consumers to review their rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act by visiting www.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504\_cfpb\_summary\_your-rights-under-fcra.pdf, or by writing Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

For New York residents, the New York Attorney General may be contacted at: Office of the Attorney General, The Capitol, Albany, NY 12224-0341; 1-800-771-7755; or https://ag.ny.gov.

For North Carolina residents, the North Carolina Attorney General may be contacted at: 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-9001; 1-877-566-7226 or 1-919-716-6000; and www.ncdoj.gov.

For Oregon Residents. State laws advise you to report any suspected identity theft to law enforcement, as well as the Federal Trade Commission. You can contact the Oregon Department of Justice at: Oregon Department of Justice, 1162 Court Street NE, Salem, OR 97301; 1-877-877-9392; www.doj.state.or.us.