



# SMILE POWER

## Why Go PPO

You may visit any licensed dentist, but you will save the most money by visiting a PPO dentist. That's because PPO dentists agree to accept lower reimbursements for services.







### Find A Dentist

It's easy to find a Delta Dental dentist near you with our provider search tool at **deltadentalaz.com** or in the Delta Dental Mobile App.

# **Easy Benefits Coordination**

If you're covered under two plans, ask your dentist to include information about both plans with your claim, and we'll handle the rest.

### No ID Card Necessary

Just give your dental office your name and member ID. Don't know your member ID? Pull up an electronic ID card on your smartphone at the dentist's office by logging in to the Delta Dental Mobile App.

### Download The Mobile App

Access your benefits and view your ID card on-the-go with the Delta Dental Mobile App. It's free for Android and iOS!

# **Know Your Coverage**

New to the Delta Dental PPO plan? This plan covers treatment started and completed after your plan's effective date of coverage. 1 Your benefit summary and benefit booklet have specific details about covered treatments.

### Register Online

Sign up for the Member Connection at **deltadentalaz.com/member** to view benefits, eligibility and claims status or to check average dental costs in your area. You can also update your delivery preference for dental benefits statements (EOBs) and go paperless!

# **Understand Common Dental Terms**

It's our goal to make your benefits simple to use and easy to understand. Here are some common terms defined:

- Annual Maximum The maximum dollar amount Delta Dental will pay toward the cost of dental care within a specific benefit period.
- **Deductible** The amount you pay for covered dental services before Delta Dental begins to pay.
- Coinsurance The percentage of dental care expenses you pay after your deductible.
- Predetermination A pre-treatment estimate that helps determine the cost of a recommended dental treatment.

1 Applies only to procedures covered under your plan. If you began treatment prior to your effective date of coverage, you or your prior carrier will be responsible for any costs. Group-specific and other exceptions may apply. Enrollees currently undergoing active orthodontic treatment may be eligible to continue treatment. Refer to your benefit booklet for specific details about your plan.

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DELTA DENTAL PPO PLUS PREMIER®	
Covered Services	PPO Dentist, Premier® Dentist and Out-of-Network Dentist <sup>1</sup>
Calendar Year Maximum Benefit (Combination of in and out-of-network)	\$1,500
Calendar Year Deductible (Individual/Family) (Combination of in and out-of-network)	\$50/150
Lifetime Orthodontia Maximum (Combination of in and out-of-network)	Child \$1,500
Preventive Services	Delta Dental Pays
Exams	100%
Routine Cleanings	
Fluoride: For children to age 19	
Sealants: For children up to age 15	
X-rays	
Emergency Treatment	
Basic Services	Delta Dental Pays
Fillings	80% <sup>2</sup>
Endodontics: Root canal treatment	
Periodontics: Treatment of gum disease	
Oral Surgery: Simple extractions.	
Oral Surgery: Surgical extractions.	
Major Services	Delta Dental Pays
Prosthodontics: Bridges, partial dentures, complete dentures	50% <sup>2</sup>
Bridge and Denture Repair	
Space Maintainers	
Implants	
Restorative: Crowns and onlays	
Orthodontic Services	Delta Dental Pays

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Members may incur higher out-of-pocket costs when seeing a Premier or out-of-network dentist. See Covered Dental Services sheet.

Benefit for children ages 8-19. Children must be banded prior to age 17.

# BENEFITS ARE SUBJECT TO ALL PROVISIONS, TERMS & CONDITIONS OF THE GROUP CONTRACT

Dependent Age Limit: 26 | Predetermination recommended for services over \$250.

How Can We Help You?

Member Connection deltadentalaz.com/member

Find A Dentist deltadentalaz.com/provider-search

Customer Service 602.938.3131, option 1 800.352.6132, option 1

50%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Deductible applies to these services.

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# **COVERED DENTAL SERVICES**

### PREVENTIVE SERVICES

- Exams, evaluations or consultations: Two in a benefit year.
- Routine Cleanings: Limited to two in a benefit year.
- Topical Application of Fluoride: One treatment per year for children under age 19; limited to one application per 12-month period.
- Sealants: For children up to age 15.
- Full mouth/Panorex or vertical bitewings X-rays: Once in a 3-year period.
- Bitewing X-rays: One set in a benefit year.
- Periapical X-rays: One set in a benefit year.
- Emergency (Palliative Treatment): Treatment for the relief of pain.

## BASIC SERVICES (Deductible applies to these services.)

- Fillings: Silver amalgam and for front teeth only, synthetic tooth color fillings. One per surface every two years.
- Difficult Cleanings: Limited to once in a benefit year.
- Periodontal Maintenance: Limited to two in a benefit year interchangeable with routine cleanings.
- Endodontics: Root canal treatment (permanent teeth). Pulpotomy primary (baby) teeth.
- Periodontics: Treatment of gum disease Non-surgical and surgical limited to once in a 24-month period for each quadrant.
- Oral Surgery: Simple extractions.
- Oral Surgery: Surgical extractions.

# MAJOR SERVICES (Deductible applies to these services.)

- Prosthodontics: Bridges, partial dentures, complete dentures 5-year waiting period for replacement last performed.
- Bridge and Denture Repair: Repair of such appliances to their original condition, including relining of dentures.
- Space Maintainers: For prematurely lost teeth for children under the age of 19.
- Implant: Covered to the benefit allowed for a comparable partial denture.
- Restorative: Crowns and onlays 5-year waiting period for replacement last performed.

### **ORTHODONTIC SERVICES**

• Benefit for children ages 8-19. Children must be banded prior to age 17. Payable in two payments - upon initial banding and 12 months after. The orthodontic maximum is separate from the annual maximum for your other dental benefits.

### **DENTIST PAYMENTS**

The Delta Dental PPO plus Premier plan leverages the PPO and Premier networks. This provides all the benefits of Delta Dental PPO plan with a plus-members that visit a dentist in the Premier network still receive the benefit of that dentist's contracted fee.

- PPO Dentist -- These in-network dentists agreed to accept lower reimbursement for services so members save the most money.
- Premier Dentist -- These in-network dentists also accept discounted reimbursement for services, but their discount is not as steep.
- Out-of-Network Dentist -- These dentists have not agreed to discount their rates for service, so members who see an out-of-network dentist will have the highest out-of-pocket costs. Members are responsible for paying the full fee charged by the dentist and can submit for reimbursement at the non-participating table of allowance.

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