Your BlueCHiP for Medicare Dental Benefits





Congratulations! With BlueCHiP for Medicare Dental, you can protect your oral health—which contributes to your overall health. Here is a summary of your benefits:

Plan Features	
Plan Premium and Coverage	
Monthly Premium	\$38.90
Calendar Year Coverage Limit	\$1,000
Deductible	No Deductible
Covered Services	You Pay:
Diagnostic and Preventive Services	
Oral exam, bitewing X-rays, complete X-ray series, single X-rays, cleanings, fluoride treatments, sealants	\$0
Space maintainers	20%
Basic Services Fillings, palliative treatment (treatment to relieve acute pain), repairs to existing partial or complete dentures, rebasing or relining of partial or complete dentures, simple extractions	20%
Recementing crowns or bridges	20%
Major Restorative Services Crowns over natural teeth, build-ups, posts and cores	50%
Endodontic Services Root canal therapy	20%
Non-Surgical Periodontal Services Periodontal maintenance following active therapy, root planing, scaling	20%
Surgical Periodontal Services Osseous (bone) surgery, soft tissue grafts, crown lengthening, guided tissue regeneration	50%
Prosthodontic Services Bridges, build-ups, posts and cores with a fixed bridge, partial and complete dentures, single tooth implants	Not Covered
Oral Surgery Services Extractions and other routine oral surgery when not covered by your medical plan, general anesthesia or intravenous sedation for certain surgical procedures	20%
Oral Appliances Night guards	50%

How to Receive Covered Dental Care

- Choose a participating dental provider from the BlueCHiP for Medicare Dental Provider Directory or call the BlueCHiP for Medicare Concierge Team to find out if your dental provider participates.
- Bring your BlueCHiP for Medicare member ID card to your appointments.

Your dental provider will bill BlueCHiP for Medicare for covered services, and you will be responsible for your share of the bill according to your benefits outlined on the previous page.

Once you reach the \$1,000 calendar year coverage limit, you will be responsible for 100% of the cost of services for the remainder of the year.

How to Contact Us

If you have any questions or concerns about your BlueCHiP for Medicare Dental coverage, please call the BlueCHiP for Medicare Concierge Team at 1-800-267-0439 (TTY/TDD: 711).

Our hours are:

October 15, 2014 – February 14, 2015: Seven days a week, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.; February 15, 2015 - September 30, 2015, Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Note: You may disenroll from BlueCHiP for Medicare Dental at any time during the year with a 30-day notice and still keep your BlueCHiP for Medicare health coverage. If you disenroll, you must wait a minimum of 12 months to re-enroll, and you can only do that during the Medicare Annual Enrollment Period or another qualifying event (such as after a change in employment status). To disenroll, please call the BlueCHiP for Medicare Concierge Team. You will not be billed for dental benefits for the remainder of the year.

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