

2016 Delta Dental Premier plan benefit summary



Delta Dental of Alaska

Delta Dental Premier Mandated plan	Under age 19, members pay	Ages 19+, members pay
Calendar year costs		
Deductible per person	\$25 per person/\$75 per family	
Out-of-pocket maximum (under age 19)	NA	
Annual maximum (all ages)	\$500	
Class 1		
Exams and X-rays	0% after deductible	0% after deductible
Cleanings	0% after deductible	0% after deductible
Periodontal maintenance	Not covered	Not covered
Sealants	0% after deductible	Not covered
Topical fluoride	0% after deductible	0% after deductible ¹
Space maintainers	Not covered	Not covered
Class 2		
Restorative fillings	Not covered	Not covered
Oral surgery	Not covered	Not covered
Endodontics	Not covered	Not covered
Periodontics	Not covered	Not covered
Class 3		
Restorative crowns	Not covered	Not covered
Partial and complete dentures	Not covered	Not covered
Implants	Not covered	Not covered
Orthodontia	Not covered	Not covered
Features		
Location	All areas	
Plan enrollment options	Direct through modahealth.com only	
Provider network	Delta Dental Premier Network	
Balance bill	Delta Dental Premier Network: No Nonparticipating: Yes	

¹ Covered once in a 12-month period if there is recent history of periodontal surgery or high-risk of decay because of medical disease or chemotherapy or similar type of treatment

Limitations

- Delta Dental Premier Mandated plan includes preventive services only and has different limits. Call us for details.

Class 1

- Exam once in a six-month period
- Bitewing X-rays once in a six-month period under age 19 and once in a 12-month period age 19 and over
- Full-mouth or panoramic X-rays once in a 12-month period
- Prophylaxis (cleaning) is covered once in any 6-month period
- Fluoride once in a six-month period under age 19
- Sealants limited to unrestored occlusal surface of permanent molars once per tooth in a three-year period under age 19

Exclusions

- Anesthetics, analgesics, hypnosis and medications, including nitrous oxide except for IV sedation or general anesthesia with surgical procedures (nitrous is covered in Delta Dental Premier Pinnacle Plan)
- Athletic mouth guard covered at 50% once in any 12-month period for members age 15 and under and once in any 24-month period age 16 and over. Over-the-counter athletic mouth guards are excluded.
- Bridges and dentures once in a five-year period under age 19 and once in a seven-year period age 19 and over
- Charges above the reimbursement amount
- Charting (including periodontal, gnathologic)
- Congenital or developmental malformations for age 19 and over
- Cosmetic services
- Crowns and other cast restorations once in a five-year period under age 19 and once in a seven-year period age 19 and over
- Crown over implant once in a five year period when dentally necessary under age 19 and once per lifetime per tooth space age 19 and over
- Duplication and interpretation of X-rays
- Experimental or investigational treatment
- Hospital costs or other fees for facility or home care
- Instructions or training (including plaque control and oral hygiene or dietary instruction)
- IV sedation or general anesthesia only with surgical procedures
- Night guard (occlusal guard) covered at 50% once per year between ages 13 and 19 and once in a 5-year period up to \$150 maximum for ages 19 and over. Over-the-counter night guards are excluded.
- Orthodontia (exception for medically necessary treatment under age 19 or when an orthodontia rider is included)
- Precision attachments
- Rebuilding or maintaining chewing surfaces (misalignment or malocclusion) or stabilizing teeth
- Scaling and root planing once in a two-year period
- Services or supplies available under any city, county, state or federal law, except Medicaid
- Temporomandibular joint syndrome (TMJ)
- Tooth-colored fillings or crowns on back teeth limited to amount allowed for metallic restoration
- Treatment not dentally necessary

These benefits and Delta Dental of Alaska policies are subject to change in order to be compliant with state and federal guidelines. This document provides summaries of various health plans and is not a contract. If there is any discrepancy between the summaries and the contract, it is the contract that will control.