



2019 DRAFT Dental Benefit Plan Designs

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Summary of Benefits and Coverage

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Children's Dental Plan and Family Dental Plan designs can be offered in both the Individual Marketplace and Covered California for Small Business.

Individual and Small Business				
Children's Dental Plan				
		Coinsurance Plan		Copay Plan
		Pediatric Dental EHB		Pediatric Dental EHB
		Up to Age 19		Up to Age 19
Actuarial Value		86.98% 86.93%	86.98% 86.93%	85.4% 85.70%
		In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network
Individual Deductible		\$65 \$75	\$65 \$75	None
Family Deductible (Two or more children)		\$130 \$150	\$130 \$150	Not Applicable
Individual Out of Pocket Maximum		\$350	None	\$350
Family Out of Pocket Maximum (Two or More Children)		\$700	None	\$700
Office Copay		\$0	\$0	\$0
Waiting Period <small>(Waivered Condition provision, as defined in Health & Safety Code 1357.50 (a)(3)(J)(4) and Insurance Code 10198.6(d))</small>		None	None	None
Annual Benefit Limit <small>(the maximum amount the dental plan will pay in the benefit year)</small>		None	None	None
Procedure Category	Service Type	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share
Diagnostic & Preventive	Oral Exam	No charge	10%	No charge
	Preventive - Cleaning	No charge	10%	No charge
	Preventive - X-ray	No charge	10%	No charge
	Sealants per Tooth	No charge	10%	No charge
	Topical Fluoride Application	No charge	10%	No charge
	Space Maintainers - Fixed	No charge	10%	No charge
Basic Services	Restorative Procedures	20% Deductible Applies	30% Deductible Applies	See 2018 2019 Dental Copay Schedule
	Periodontal Maintenance Services			
Major Services	Periodontics (other than maintenance)	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies	See 2018 2019 Dental Copay Schedule
	Endodontics			
	Crowns and Casts			
	Prosthodontics			
	Oral Surgery			
Orthodontia	Medically Necessary Orthodontia	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies	\$350



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	Family Dental Plan			
	Coinsurance Plan			
	Pediatric Dental EHB		Adult Dental	
	Up to Age 19		Age 19 and Older	
Actuarial Value	86.98% 86.93%	86.98% 86.93%	Not Calculated	Not Calculated
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Individual Deductible	\$65 \$75	\$65 \$75	\$50	\$50
Family Deductible (Two or more children)	\$130 \$150	\$130 \$150	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Individual Out of Pocket Maximum	\$350	None	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Family Out of Pocket Maximum (Two or More Children)	\$700	None	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Office Copay	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Waiting Period <small>(Waivered Condition provision, as defined in Health & Safety Code 1357.50 (a)(3)(J)(4) and Insurance Code 10198.6(d))</small>	None	None	6 months for Major Services, Waived with Proof of Prior Coverage	6 months for Major Services, Waived with Proof of Prior Coverage
Annual Benefit Limit <small>(the maximum amount the dental plan will pay in the benefit year)</small>	None	None	\$1,500	

Procedure Category	Service Type	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share
Diagnostic & Preventive	Oral Exam	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
	Preventive - Cleaning	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
	Preventive - X-ray	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
	Sealants per Tooth	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10% if Covered
	Topical Fluoride Application	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10% if Covered
	Space Maintainers - Fixed	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10% if Covered
Basic Services	Restorative Procedures	20% Deductible Applies	30% Deductible Applies	20% Deductible Applies	30% Deductible Applies
	Periodontal Maintenance Services				
Major Services	Periodontics (other than maintenance)	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies
	Endodontics				
	Crowns and Casts				
	Prosthodontics				
Orthodontia	Oral Surgery				
	Medically Necessary Orthodontia	50% Deductible Applies	50% Deductible Applies	Not Covered	Not Covered



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		Family Dental Plan	
		Copay Plan	
		Pediatric Dental EHB	Adult Dental
		Up to Age 19	Age 19 and Older
Actuarial Value		85.4% 85.70%	Not Calculated
		In-Network	In-Network
Individual Deductible		None	None
Family Deductible (Two or more children)		Not applicable	Not Applicable
Individual Out of Pocket Maximum		\$350	Not Applicable
Family Out of Pocket Maximum (Two or More Children)		\$700	Not Applicable
Office Copay		\$0	\$0
Waiting Period <small>(Waivered Condition provision, as defined in Health & Safety Code 1357.50 (a)(3)(J)(4) and Insurance Code 10198.6(d))</small>		None	None
Annual Benefit Limit <small>(the maximum amount the dental plan will pay in the benefit year)</small>		None	None
Procedure Category	Service Type	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share
Diagnostic & Preventive	Oral Exam	No charge	No Charge if Covered
	Preventive - Cleaning	No charge	No Charge if Covered
	Preventive - X-ray	No charge	No Charge if Covered
	Sealants per Tooth	No charge	No Charge if Covered
	Topical Fluoride Application	No charge	No Charge if Covered
	Space Maintainers - Fixed	No charge	No Charge if Covered
Basic Services	Restorative Procedures	See 2018 Dental Copay Schedule	See 2018-2019 Dental Copay Schedule
	Periodontal Maintenance Services		
Major Services	Periodontics (other than maintenance)	See 2018 2019 Dental Copay Schedule	See 2018-2019 Dental Copay Schedule
	Endodontics		
	Crowns and Casts		
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Orthodontia	Medically Necessary Orthodontia	\$350	Not Covered



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		Group Dental Plan			
		Coinsurance Plan			
		Pediatric-Dental-EHB		Adult Dental	
		Up to Age 19		Age 19 and Older	
Actuarial Value		86.98%	86.98%	Not Calculated	Not Calculated
		In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Individual Deductible		\$65	\$65	\$50	\$50
Family Deductible (Two or more children)		\$130	\$130	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Individual Out of Pocket Maximum		\$350	None	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Family Out of Pocket Maximum (Two or More Children)		\$700	None	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Office Copay		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Waiting Period <small>(Waivered Condition provision, as defined in Health & Safety Code 1357.50 (a)(3)(J)(4) and Insurance Code 10198.6(d))</small>		None	None	None	None
Annual Benefit Limit <small>(the maximum amount the dental plan will pay in the benefit year)</small>		None	None	\$1,500	
Procedure Category	Service Type	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share	Member Cost Share
Diagnostic & Preventive	Oral Exam	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
	Preventive - Cleaning	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
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	Topical Fluoride Application	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
	Space Maintainers - Fixed	No charge	10%	No Charge if Covered	10%
Basic Services	Restorative Procedures	20% Deductible- Applies	30% Deductible- Applies	20% Deductible- Applies	30% Deductible- Applies
	Periodontal Maintenance Services				
Major Services	Periodontics (other than maintenance)	50% Deductible- Applies	50% Deductible- Applies	50% Deductible- Applies	50% Deductible- Applies
	Endodontics				
	Crowns and Casts				
	Prosthodontics				
	Oral Surgery				
Orthodontia	Medically Necessary Orthodontia	50% Deductible- Applies	50% Deductible- Applies	Not Covered	Not Covered

Endnotes to 2019 Dental Standard Benefit Plan Designs

The plans shall use either the 2018 CDT codes as they appear in this Standard Benefit Design, or the updated 2019 CDT codes at their discretion. Covered California understands that plans may want to use the updated 2019 CDT codes, to the extent that these codes do not diminish the benefits required in the Benchmark Plan. Covered California requests that the plan remain consistent in their use of one of the years CDT codes within a benefit design.

Pediatric Dental EHB Notes (only applicable to the pediatric portion of the Children's Dental Plan, Family Dental Plan ~~or Group Dental Plan~~)

- 1) In a coinsurance plan, each child is responsible for the individual deductible unless the family deductible has been met. Once a child's individual deductible or the family deductible is reached, cost sharing applies until the child's out-of-pocket maximum is reached.
- 2) Deductible is waived for Diagnostic and Preventive Services.
- 3) Cost sharing payments made by each individual child for in-network covered services accrue to the child's out-of-pocket maximum. Once the child's individual out-of-pocket maximum has been reached, the plan pays all costs for covered services for that child.
- 4) In a plan with two or more children, cost sharing payments made by each individual child for in-network services contribute to the family in-network deductible, if applicable, as well as the family out-of-pocket maximum.
- 5) In a plan with two or more children, cost sharing payments made by each individual child for out-of-network covered services contribute to the family out-of-network deductible, if applicable, and do not accumulate to the family out-of-pocket maximum.
- 6) Administration of these plan designs must comply with requirements of the pediatric dental EHB benchmark plan, including coverage of services in circumstances of medical necessity as defined in the Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) benefit.
- ~~7) The requirements set forth in 10 CCR 6522 (a)(4)(A) and (a)(5)(A) shall apply to the Group Dental Plan design.~~
- 8)7) Member cost share for Medically Necessary Orthodontia services applies to course of treatment, not individual benefit years within a multi-year course of treatment. This member cost share applies to the course of treatment as long as the member remains enrolled in the plan.

Adult Dental Benefit Notes (only applicable to the Family Dental Plan ~~and Group Dental Plan~~)

~~9)8)~~ Each adult is responsible for an individual deductible.

~~10)9)~~ Deductible is waived for Diagnostic and Preventive Services.

~~11) The requirements set forth in 10 CCR 6522 (a)(4)(A) and (a)(5)(A) shall apply to the Group Dental Plan design.~~

~~12)10)~~ _____ Tooth whitening, adult orthodontia, implants, ~~and veneers,~~ and adult services noted as Not Covered on the Copayment Schedule are not covered services.

~~13)11)~~ _____ The six month waiting period for major services must be waived upon a member's provision of proof of prior comprehensive dental coverage. This waiting period shall be prorated on a one to one monthly basis upon a member's provision of proof of prior comprehensive dental coverage of less than six months. Covered California leaves it to the plan to determine acceptable documentation to verify prior proof of coverage. Covered California leaves it to the plan to determine the maximum allowable gap in coverage before proration of the six month waiting period would no longer occur. Dental services obtained via a discount health plan are not considered "comprehensive" dental coverage for purposes of counting towards the waiting period.