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ALLIANCE OF COALITIONS FOR AOA-0000237285 Dental Coverage Effective Date: On or after January 2025

Benefits-at-a-glance

This is intended as an easy-to-read summary and provides only a general overview of your benefits. It is not a contract. Additional limitations and exclusions may apply. Payment amounts are based on BCBSM's approved amount, less any applicable deductible and/or copay. For a complete description of benefits please see the applicable BCBSM certificates and riders, if your group is underwritten. If your group is self-funded, please see any other plan documents your group uses. If there is a discrepancy between this Benefits-at-a-Glance and any applicable plan document, the plan document will control.

Note: Pediatric members are members who are 18 years of age or younger on the group's renewal date. They will receive pediatric dental benefits up to the group's renewal date after they turn age 19.

Dentist information

With Blue Dental PPO, you can choose any licensed dentist anywhere. However, you'll get the best coverage and save the most money when you choose a Tier 1 PPO (in-network) dentist.

You have outstanding access to thousands of Tier 1 PPO dentists across the country through the Blue Dental PPO network. Tier 1 PPO dentists agree to accept our PPO approved amount as full payment for covered services, so you'll pay your applicable coinsurance and deductible amounts. To find a Tier 1 PPO dentist near you, log into your member account at **bcbsm.com** or call **1-888-826-8152.**

If you go to a non-PPO dentist, you can still save money by choosing a Tier 2 participating non-PPO (out-of-network) dentist. Tier 2 dentists participate with us on a "per claim" basis through our Blue Par Select (BPS) arrangement. They accept our BPS approved amount as full payment for covered services, so you'll pay your applicable coinsurance and deductible amounts. To find a Tier 2 participating non-PPO dentist near you, log into your member account at **bcbsm.com**. You should ask your dentist if they participate with BCBSM before every treatment.

Note: If you go to a nonparticipating dentist, you are responsible for any difference between our approved amount and the dentist's charge.

Member's responsibility (deductible, coinsurance and dollar maximums)			
Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network	
Deductibles • Applies to Class II and Class III services only	\$25 per member, \$50 for two members, \$75 per family per calendar year	\$50 per member, \$100 for two members, \$150 per family per calendar year	
Coinsurance (percentage of BCBSM's approved amount for covered services) • Class I services	None (covered at 100%)	50%	
Class II services	20%	50%	
Class III services	50%	50%	
Class IV services	50%	50%	
Dollar maximums • Annual maximum for Class I, II and III services	Combined \$1,000 per non-pediatric member per calendar year		
Lifetime maximum for Class IV services	Combined \$1,000 per member up to the member's 19th birthday		

Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Out-of-pocket maximum The maximum out-of-pocket expense pediatric members will pay in a calendar year for deductible and coinsurance amounts applied to most covered in-network dental services. The out-of-pocket maximum does not apply to charges that exceed our approved PPO fee, services provided by non-PPO dentists, non-covered services, or orthodontic services.	\$425 for one pediatric member or \$850 for two or more pediatric members per calendar year. There is no out-of-pocket maximum for non-pediatric members. Note: This out-of-pocket maximum is separate from the annual out-of-pocket maximum that applies under your hospital and medical coverage (if any).	Not applicable

Plan's responsibility

The plan's responsibility is subject to a review of the reported diagnosis, dental necessity verification and the availability of dental benefits at the time the claim is processed, as well as the conditions, exclusions and limitations, and deductible and coinsurance requirements under the applicable BCBSM certificates and riders.

Class I services		
Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Most diagnostic and preventive services: • Routine oral examinations/evaluations - twice per calendar year	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount
 Prophylaxes (cleanings) three times per calendar year for pediatric members; two times per calendar year for all other members 	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount
 Fluoride treatments or topical fluoride varnishes- twice every calendar year for members to the end of the month of their 19th birthday 	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount
 Sealants - once per fully erupted first and second permanent molar every 36 months for members to the end of the month of their 16th birthday 	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount
Bitewing X-rays - one set (up to four films) per calendar year	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount
Oral brush biopsy sample collection - twice per calendar year	100% of approved amount	50% of approved amount

Class II services		
Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Other diagnostic and preventive services: Diagnostic tests and laboratory examinations	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Space maintainers - for missing posterior primary teeth for members to the end of the month of their 15 th birthday	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Panoramic or full-mouth X-rays - once per 60 months	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Emergency palliative treatment	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Minor restorative services: Amalgam and resin-based composite fillings and fillings of similar materials - once per tooth and surface per 48 months for permanent teeth; once per tooth and surface per 24 months for primary teeth 	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Recementation or repair of posts, crowns, veneers, inlays and onlays - three times per tooth per calendar year	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Simple and surgical extractions of non-impacted teeth	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Non-surgical endodontic services: Root canal treatments - once per tooth per lifetime (retreatment of a root canal is payable once per tooth per lifetime) 	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Therapeutic pulpotomies or pulpal debridement	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Vital pulpotomies on primary teeth	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Apexification	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible

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Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Periodontal maintenance - three times per calendar year in place of routine dental prophylaxis for pediatric members; two times per calendar year in place of routine dental prophylaxis for all other members	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Periodontal scaling and root planing - once per quadrant per 24 months for pediatric members and once per quadrant per 36 months for all other members 	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Localized delivery of antimicrobial agents - one surface per tooth and three teeth per quadrant with a maximum of 12 teeth per year for non- pediatric members only 	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Limited occlusal adjustments - up to five times per 60 month for non- pediatric members only 	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Occlusal biteguards (and relines and repairs to occlusal biteguards) - once per 60 months for non-pediatric members only	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Adjustments, repairs, relines, rebases and tissue conditioning for removable prosthetic appliances: Relines or rebases of partial dentures or complete denture - once per 36 months per arch	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Tissue conditioning - once per 36 months per arch	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Adjunctive general services: General anesthesia or IV sedation	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Office visits for observation (during regularly scheduled hours) for non-pediatric members only	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Office visits after regularly scheduled hours	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
House and hospital calls for non-pediatric members only	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Antibiotic injections for non-pediatric members only	80% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible

Class III services		
Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Major restorative services:Onlays, crowns and veneers - once per permanent tooth per 60 months	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Substructures, including cores and posts	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Surgical exposure and facilitation of eruption of unerupted teeth	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Incision and drainage of cellulitis or fascial space abscesses of intraoral soft tissue 	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Removal of exostoses (excess bony growths of the upper and lower jaw) 	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Excision of hyperplastic tissue per arch	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Frenulectomies	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Surgical endodontic services:	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Apical surgery on permanent teeth	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Surgical periodontic services:	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Gingivectomy and gingivoplasty	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible

Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Osseous surgery	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Gingival flap procedures	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Soft tissue grafts	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Bone replacement grafts - for non-pediatric members only	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Prosthodontic services:	50% of approved amount after	50% of approved amount after
Complete dentures - once per 84 months	deductible	deductible
 Removable partial dentures and fixed partial dentures (bridges), including abutment crowns and pontics - once per 84 months for members age 16 and older only 	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Recementation and repairs of bridges	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
Stayplates to replace recently extracted permanent anterior (front) teeth	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible
 Endosteal implants and implant-related services - once per tooth per lifetime for teeth numbered 2 through 15 and 18 through 31 for non- pediatric members only 	50% of approved amount after deductible	50% of approved amount after deductible

Class IV services - For members up to their 19th birthday		
Benefits	In-network	Out-of-network
Orthodontics and related services	50% of approved amount	50% of approved amount