

**Delta Dental of North Carolina**  
**Dental Benefit Highlights for**  
**Halifax County Schools #10147**



**Delta Dental PPO plus Premier™**

Coverage effective **October 1, 2022**

	Delta Dental PPO™ Dentist	Delta Dental Premier® Dentist	Nonparticipating Dentist
	Plan Pays	Plan Pays	Plan Pays*
<b>Diagnostic &amp; Preventive</b>			
<b>Diagnostic and Preventive Services</b> - exams, cleanings, fluoride, and space maintainers	100%	100%	100%
<b>Emergency Palliative Treatment</b> - to temporarily relieve pain	100%	100%	100%
<b>Brush Biopsy</b> - to detect oral cancer	100%	100%	100%
<b>Radiographs</b> - X-rays	100%	100%	100%
<b>Basic Services</b>			
<b>Sealants</b> - to prevent decay of permanent teeth	80%	80%	80%
<b>Minor Restorative Services</b> - fillings and crown repair	80%	80%	80%
<b>Oral Surgery Services</b> - extractions and dental surgery	80%	80%	80%
<b>Other Basic Services</b> - misc. services	80%	80%	80%
<b>Relines and Repairs</b> - to bridges, implants, and dentures	80%	80%	80%
<b>Major Services</b>			
<b>Endodontic Services</b> - root canals	60%	60%	60%
<b>Periodontic Services</b> - to treat gum disease	60%	60%	60%
<b>Major Restorative Services</b> - crowns	60%	60%	60%
<b>Prosthetic Services</b> - bridges, implants, dentures, and crowns over implants	60%	60%	60%
<b>Orthodontic Services</b>			
<b>Orthodontic Services</b> - braces	50%	50%	50%
<b>Orthodontic Age Limit</b> -	No Age Limit	No Age Limit	No Age Limit

\* When you receive services from a Nonparticipating Dentist, the percentages in this column indicate the portion of Delta Dental's Nonparticipating Dentist Fee that will be paid for those services. This Nonparticipating Dentist Fee may be less than what your dentist charges, which means that you will be responsible for the difference.

**Maximum Payment** - \$1,500 per Member total per Benefit Year on all services except orthodontic services. \$1,000 per Member total per lifetime on orthodontic services.

**Maximum Carryover** - If at least one Covered Service is applied toward your Maximum Payment in a Benefit Year and the total Benefit paid does not exceed \$500 in that Benefit Year, up to \$250 will carry over to the next Benefit Year's Maximum Payment. This carryover amount will accumulate from one Benefit Year to the next, but will not exceed \$1,000. If no Covered Services are paid during a Benefit Year, all accumulated carryover amounts from previous Benefit Years will be forfeited.

**Deductible** - \$50 Deductible per Member total per Benefit Year limited to a maximum Deductible of \$150 per family per Benefit Year. The Deductible does not apply to diagnostic and preventive services, emergency palliative treatment, brush biopsy, X-rays and orthodontic services.

Note - This document is only intended to provide a brief description of your benefits. Please refer to your Certificate and summary for a complete description of benefits, exclusions, and limitations.

**Welcome to North Carolina's largest dental benefits family!**

As a member of Delta Dental of North Carolina, you have access to the nation's largest dental networks: Delta Dental PPO and Delta Dental Premier.

- It's easy to find a dentist! Four out of five dentists nationwide participate in our network.
- You have superior access to care and fee savings because of our agreements with participating dentists.
- Our dentists cannot balance bill you, which means more money in your pocket!
- No troublesome paperwork! Network dentists will fill out and file your claims.
- Pay only your copayments and/or deductibles when you receive care from network dentists -- there are no hidden fees.
- You can still visit nonparticipating dentists, but you may be billed the full amount at the time of service and then have to wait to be reimbursed.

**Quality Dental Program**

With our quick and accurate claims processing, we pay more than 90% of claims in 10 days or less. Delta Dental also offers world-class customer service from our BenchmarkPortal Certified Center of Excellence call center.

**Online Access**

Our online Member Portal lets you access your dental plan securely over the Internet. You can find a dentist, check benefits, select paperless notices, review claims and amounts used toward maximums, print ID cards, and more -- all at your own convenience.

**A Healthy Smile**

Keep your smile healthy with dental benefits from Delta Dental. Your smile is a good indicator of your health. Did you know that your dentist can detect up to 120 different diseases, including diabetes and heart disease? Early detection is one of the best ways to prevent further complications.

**Questions?**

If you have questions, please call our Customer Service team at 800-662-8856 (TTY users call 711) or look online at <https://www.DeltaDentalNC.com>.