

Dental Care Services Benefit Amendment

This Benefit Amendment is a supplement to your Health Plan of Nevada, Inc. ("HPN") Evidence of Coverage ("EOC") between the Group and HPN and is attached and incorporated herein, and is hereby amended as follows:

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the EOC, a Member shall be entitled to the Dental Care Services specified in this Amendment.

Section 1. Dental Care Services

- 1.1 Subject to all definitions, terms and conditions in the EOC, a Member is entitled to receive the Dental Care Services set forth in this Benefit Amendment. The Member shall be entitled to Dental Care Services only if such services are performed by a Participating Plan Dentist. A Participating Plan Dentist means those Dentists who have agreed under contract to participate in HPN's Preventive Dental Program and provide Preventive Dental Care Services to Members.
- 1.2 The maximum amount of benefits which HPN will provide under this Benefit Amendment is as follows: One thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) per Member per Calendar Year.

Section 2. Exclusions

In addition to any other applicable exclusions and/or limitations in the EOC, benefits shall not be provided for:

- 2.1 Prosthetic appliances used for the purpose of replacing an existing prosthetic appliance, if the Member has not been enrolled in Health Plan for a twelve (12) consecutive month period or if the existing prosthetic appliance is less than five (5) years old. The existing prosthetic appliance will be replaced only if the existing appliance cannot be made satisfactory.
- 2.2 Charges for the first installation of dentures and bridgework when the charges are for the replacement of natural teeth lost before the Member was covered under Health Plan's Dental Program.
- 2.3 Services rendered by an employer's dental or medical department maintained by or on behalf of such employer.
- 2.4 Services provided by non-Participating Plan Dentists.
- 2.5 Services for which coverage is available under Workmen's Compensation or Employer's Liability laws.
- 2.6 Services provided or paid for by a governmental agency or under any governmental program or law, except charges which the Member is legally obligated to pay.
- 2.7 Services performed for cosmetic purpose or to correct congenital malformations.
- 2.8 Charges for coursed of treatment, including prosthetics, which were undertaken prior to the effective date of coverage.
- 2.9 Charges for services related to temporomandibular joint dysfunctions.
- 2.10 Loss or theft of a denture.
- 2.11 Charges for any treatment, installation of dentures, or any other services after termination of coverage, even if such treatment was initiated while any individual was covered hereunder.
- 2.12 Services, including general anesthesia not considered Medically Necessary by the dentist.
- 2.13 Restorations using gold foil and any precious metal restoration when the tooth can be restored using other filling materials.
- 2.14 Bonding for cosmetic purposes.

- 2.15 Orthodontic services for Members under 8 years of age and Members who are 19 years of age or older and/or replacement of lost, stolen or broken appliances.
- 2.16 Any charges for services not specifically provided herein (including hospital services associated with any benefit in this amendment).

Section 3. General Provisions

The date upon which this Dental Care Services Benefit Amendment shall be effective is the date set forth in the EOC.

This Dental Care Services Benefit Amendment shall terminate upon termination of the EOC and under the same terms and conditions specified in the EOC. Upon such termination, the Member covered under this Dental Care Services Benefit Amendment shall cease to be entitled to any benefits provided herein.

Nothing herein contained shall be held to vary, alter, waive or extend any of the terms, conditions, provisions, agreements or limitations of the attached EOC, other than as stated above in this Preventive Dental Care Services Benefit Amendment.

Covered Services and Limitations	Plan Benefit	
Type I Services: Diagnostic and Preventive		
Routine Evaluation (exams limited to twice (2) per Calendar Year)	Member pays \$0 per visit.	
Full mouth x-rays (only if required and limited to once (1) per Calendar Year)	Member pays \$0 per visit.	
Prophylaxis, Adult or Child (limited to twice (2) per Calendar Year)	Member pays \$0 per visit.	
Space Maintenance Appliance Note: Coverage for Space Maintainers is limited to Members under the age of 19 and includes all adjustments within six (6) months after installation. Allowed for the purposes of maintaining spaces created by extraction of primary teeth or unerupted teeth.	Member pays \$0 per visit.	
Type II Services: Restorative (Includes local anesthesia and routine postoperative care)		
Restoration/Amalgam	Member pays \$5-\$25 – depending on number of surfaces	
Restoration/Composite – with reinforcing pin	Member pays \$10 per pin.	
Crowns, inlays and fixed prosthodontics	Member pays \$100 per tooth or unit.	
Cast-post and core	Member pays \$30 per tooth.	
Recement inlays and crowns	Member pays \$5 per unit.	
Sedative fillings	Member pays \$5 per tooth.	
Remove crown and decay	Member pays \$5 per tooth.	

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Type II Services: Endodontics		
Pulp Capping	Member pays \$5 per tooth.	
Therapeutic Pulpotomy	Member pays \$5 per tooth.	
Root Canal Therapy (excluding x-rays) One canal	Member \$50 per tooth.	
Two canals	Member pays \$75 per tooth.	
Three canals	Member pays \$100 per tooth.	
Type II Services: Periodontics		
Subgingival curettage and root planing, when performed by a general dentist	Member pays \$25 per quadrant.	
All other periodontal procedures	Member pays 50% of EDE.	
Type II Services: Oral Surgery (includes local anesthesia and routine postoperative care)		
Extractions, when performed by a general dentist	Member pays \$5 per tooth.	
All other oral surgical procedures	Member pays 50% of EDE.	
Type III Services: Prosthodontics – Removable (includes local anesthesia and routine postoperative care) (Subject to 12 month waiting period)		
Note: Adjustments are included in the cost of full and immediate dentures, partial dentures, relines and tissues conditionings within the first six (6) months after installation. Relines are allowed twice in a Calendar Year. Precision attachments, overdentures, specialized techniques and characterizations are considered optional and the additional expense shall be borne by the insured. All partials included conventional clasps and rests.		
Complete and partial dentures	Member pays \$150 per unit.	
Repair to dentures	Member pays \$25 per unit.	
Denture adjustments	Member pays \$5 per visit.	
Reline Denture or Partial Denture, chairside (limited to twice (2) per Calendar Year, per appliance)	Member pays \$10 per unit.	
Reline Denture or Partial Denture, laboratory process (limited to twice (2) per Calendar Year, per appliance)	Member pays \$50 per unit.	
Stress breaker	Member pays \$25 per unit.	
Precision attachment	Member pays \$25 per unit.	
All Other Dental Services		
Dental Specialists	Member pays 50% of EME.	
Emergency Services	Member pays \$5 per visit.	