



**Delta Dental PPO™ (Point-of-Service)  
Summary of Dental Plan Benefits**

**For Group# 11496-7000, 7001, 7002, 7004, 7005, 7006, 7008, 7009, 7012, 7016,  
8000, 8018, 9000, 9100  
Michigan State University  
Premium Plan**

This Summary of Dental Plan Benefits should be read along with your Certificate. Your Certificate provides additional information about your Delta Dental plan, including information about plan exclusions and limitations. If a statement in this Summary conflicts with a statement in the Certificate, the statement in this Summary applies to you and you should ignore the conflicting statement in the Certificate. The percentages below are applied to Delta Dental's allowance for each service and it may vary due to the Dentist's network participation.\*

**Control Plan** - Delta Dental of Michigan

**Benefit Year** - January 1 through December 31

**Covered Services -**

	<b>Delta Dental PPO™ Dentist Plan Pays</b>	<b>Delta Dental Premier® Dentist Plan Pays</b>	<b>Nonparticipating Dentist Plan Pays*</b>
<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>Sealants</b> - to prevent decay of permanent teeth	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>Minor Restorative Services</b> - fillings and crown repair	70%	70%	70%
<b>Endodontic Services</b> - root canals	70%	70%	70%
<b>Periodontic Services</b> - to treat gum disease	70%	70%	70%
<b>Oral Surgery Services</b> - extractions and dental surgery	70%	70%	70%
<b>Other Basic Services</b> - misc. services	70%	70%	70%
<b>Relines and Repairs</b> - to prosthetic appliances	70%	70%	70%
<b>Major Services</b>			
<b>Major Restorative Services</b> - crowns	50%	50%	50%
<b>Prosthodontic Services</b> - bridges, implants, dentures, and crowns over implants	50%	50%	50%
<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 amount may be less than what the Dentist charges and you are responsible for that difference.

- Oral exams (including evaluations by a specialist) are payable twice per calendar year.
- Prophylaxes (cleanings) are payable twice per calendar year.
- People with specific at-risk health conditions may be eligible for additional prophylaxes (cleanings) or fluoride treatment. The patient should talk with his or her Dentist about treatment.
- Fluoride treatments are payable twice per calendar year for people age 18 and under.
- Space maintainers are payable once per area per lifetime for people age 18 and under.
- Bitewing X-rays are payable twice per calendar year and full mouth X-rays (which include bitewing X-rays) or a panorex are payable once in any three-year period.
- Sealants are payable once per tooth per lifetime for first permanent molars for people age eight and under and second permanent molars for people age 13 and under. The surface must be free from decay and restorations.
- Composite resin (white) restorations are optional treatment on posterior teeth.

- Porcelain and resin facings on crowns are optional treatment on posterior teeth.
- Implants are payable once per tooth in any five-year period. Implant related services are Covered Services.
- Crowns over implants are payable once per tooth in any five-year period. Services related to crowns over implants are Covered Services.

Having Delta Dental coverage makes it easy for you to get dental care almost everywhere in the world! You can now receive expert dental care when you are outside of the United States through our Passport Dental program. This program gives you access to a worldwide network of Dentists and dental clinics. English-speaking operators are available around the clock to answer questions and help you schedule care. For more information, check our website or contact your benefits representative to get a copy of our Passport Dental information sheet.

**Maximum Payment** - \$2,000 per Member total per Benefit Year on all services, except diagnostic and preventive services, emergency palliative treatment, brush biopsy, X-rays, sealants, and orthodontic services. \$2,000 per Member total per lifetime on orthodontic services.

**Payment for Orthodontic Service** - When orthodontic treatment begins, your Dentist will submit a payment plan to Delta Dental based upon your projected course of treatment. In accordance with the agreed upon payment plan, Delta Dental will make an initial payment to you or your Participating Dentist equal to Delta Dental's stated Copayment on 30% of the Maximum Payment for Orthodontic Services as set forth in this Summary of Dental Plan Benefits. Delta Dental will make additional payments as follows: Delta Dental will pay 50% of the per month fee charged by your Dentist based upon the agreed upon payment plan provided by Delta Dental to your Dentist.

**Deductible** - None.

**Eligible People** - All regular full-time active (90 to 100 percent University status) and part-time (50 to 89.9 percent) active or retirees can be covered on an elective or contributory basis: General Eligibility - Other (7000), 1585 Service Maintenance (7001), 274 Stage Hands (7002), Faculty/Academic and Executive Management (7004), 324 Operating Engineers (7005), Administrative Professionals Association (7006), Clerical - Technical (7008), Spartan Skilled Trades (7009), Police Officers Association of Michigan (7012), Administrative Professional Supervisors (7016), Retirees (8000), Surviving Spouses (Retirees) (8018), COBRA (9000), and Long Term Disability (9100) who choose the Premium Plan.

Enrollees and Dependents choosing either dental plan are required to remain enrolled for a period of 12 months. Should an Enrollee or a Dependent choose to drop dental coverage after that time, he or she may not re-enroll prior to the date on which 12 months have elapsed. Dependents may enroll only if the Enrollee is enrolled (except under COBRA) and must be enrolled in the same plan as the Enrollee. An election may be revoked or changed at any time if the change is the result of a qualifying event as defined under Internal Revenue Code Section 125.

**Coordination of Benefits** - If you and your Spouse are both eligible to enroll in This Plan as Enrollees, you may be enrolled as both an Enrollee on your own application and as a Dependent on your Spouse's application. Your Dependent Children may be enrolled on both your and your Spouse's applications as well. Delta Dental will coordinate benefits between your coverage and your Spouse's coverage.

Benefits will cease on the last day of the month in which your employment is terminated.