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Coverage Summary for
BTU Retired Teachers Chapter
Group # 006039
Benefits Effective: 01/01/2017

Deductible: \$50 per individual. Deductible waived for Diagnostic and Preventive categories.
Calendar Year Maximum: \$1,250 per person.
Implants: \$5,000 Lifetime Maximum per person.

Category / Procedure	Qualifications	Co-insurance	
		In Network	Out of Network*
Diagnostic		100%	100%
Comprehensive Evaluation	Once every 60 months.		
Periodic Oral Exam	Once every 6 months.		
Panoramic or Full Mouth X-rays	Once every 60 months.		
Bitewing X-rays	Once every 6 months.		
Single Tooth X-rays	As needed.		
Preventive		100%	100%
Teeth Cleaning	Once every 6 months.		
Periodontal Cleaning	Once every 3 months following active periodontal treatment. Not to be combined with preventive cleanings.		
Fluoride Treatments	Once every 6 months for members under age 19.		
Space Maintainers	Required due to the premature loss of teeth. For members under age 14 and not for the replacement of primary or permanent anterior teeth.		
Sealants	Unrestored permanent molars, every 4 years per tooth for members through age 15. Sealants also covered for members age 16 up to age 19 with a recent cavity and are at risk for decay.		
Restorative		50%	50%
Silver Fillings	Once every 24 months per surface per tooth.		
White Fillings (Front Teeth)	Once every 24 months per surface per tooth.		
Inlays and White Fillings (Back Teeth)	Covered only for single surfaces. Once every 24 months per surface, per tooth, multi-surfaces will be processed as a silver filling and the patient is responsible for the difference between the discounted fee for a silver filling and the discounted fee for a white filling.		
Protective Restorations	Once per tooth.		
Stainless Steel Crowns	Once every 24 months per tooth (on primary teeth only).		
Oral Surgery		50%	50%
Extractions	Once per tooth.		
General Anesthesia	General Anesthesia and IV sedation allowed with covered surgical impacted teeth only (up to one hour).		
Periodontics (on natural teeth only)		50%	50%
Periodontal Surgery	One surgical procedure per quadrant in 36 months.		
Scaling and Root Planing	Once in 24 months, per quadrant. No more than 2 quadrants per date of service.		
Bone Grafts/GTR	No more than 2 teeth per quadrant per 36 months on natural teeth.		
Endodontics		50%	50%
Root Canal Treatment	Once per tooth.		
Root Canal Retreatment	Once per tooth after 24 months have elapsed from initial treatment		
Vital Pulpotomy	Limited to deciduous teeth.		
Prosthetic Maintenance		50%	50%
Bridge or Denture Repair	Once per bridge/denture per 12 months, after 24 months of initial insertion.		
Crown or Onlay Repair	Once per tooth per 12 months after 24 months of initial placement		
Rebase or Reline of Dentures	Once per denture within 36 months.		
Recement of Crowns & Onlays, Bridges	Once per crown, onlay or bridge.		
Emergency Dental Care		50%	50%
Palliative Treatment	Three occurrences in 12 months.		
Prostodontics		50%	50%
Dentures	Once within 60 months (age 16 and older).		
Fixed Bridges	Once within 60 months (age 16 and older).		
Implants	Endosteal Implant: Once per 60 months per Implant. (Pre-estimate recommended).	100%	100%
Implant Abutments	Once per implant only when surgical implant is benefitted.	50%	50%
Major Restorative		50%	50%
Crowns or Onlay	When teeth cannot be restored with regular fillings. Once within 60 months per tooth (age 12 and older).		
Cast Posts/Buildups	Once per tooth per 60 months only benefitted to retain a crown.		
Orthodontics: Not Covered.			

Additional Information

Eligible dependents covered up to age 26.

This plan is eligible for Rollover Maximum: To qualify for Rollover Max, you must receive at least one cleaning or oral exam in the plan year. You must be enrolled for dental coverage before the 4th quarter of the plan year (10/1-12/31) and your paid claims must not exceed the maximum "threshold" amount.			
Your plan's annual maximum benefit amount.	If your total yearly claims don't exceed this threshold amount...	Then you can roll over this amount to use next year, and beyond.	Your accumulated rollover total is capped at this amount.
\$1,250	\$600	\$450	\$1,250

Ask your dentist to submit a pre-treatment estimate to Delta Dental for any procedure that exceeds \$300. This will help you estimate any out-of-pocket expenses you may incur and will confirm that the services are covered under your dental coverage.

*Non-participating dentists may balance bill. Subscribers are responsible for the difference between the non-participating maximum plan allowance and the full fee charged by the dentist.



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