

# DeltaCare® USA

Dental Health Care Plan

## ***Evidence of Coverage***

### **The Boeing Company**

*Provided by:*

ALPHA Dental Programs, Inc.  
1130 Sanctuary Parkway, Suite 600  
Alpharetta, GA 30009

*Administered by:*

Delta Dental Insurance Company  
P.O. Box 1803  
Alpharetta, GA 30023  
800-422-4234

[deltadentalins.com](http://deltadentalins.com)

Delta Dental of Washington shall determine whether services are Covered Dental Benefits in accordance with standard dental practice and the Limitations and Exclusions shown in this document. Should there be a disagreement regarding the interpretation of such benefits, the subscriber shall have the right to appeal the determination in accordance with the non-binding appeals process in this document and may seek judicial review of any denial of coverage of benefits.

# The Boeing Company

## Nonunion - Active

Labor Code	Labor Group
100	Nonunion Salaried Employees
101	Nonunion Salaried Executives (former LGC 100)
120	Nonunion Low Cost Subsidiary - Albuquerque, New Mexico
124	Nonunion Low Cost Subsidiary - El Paso, Texas (salaried employees)
126	Nonunion Low Cost Subsidiary - Heath, Ohio and Corinth/Irving, Texas (salaried, hourly, and non-exempt employees)
130	Nonunion Low Cost Subsidiary - Various locations
170A	Jeppesen
325	San Antonio Salaried Employees
415	San Antonio Hourly Employees
702A	Data Plan
703	Nonunion Employees
710	Non Union Satellite Development Center (formerly BSS)
711	Spectrolab Nonunion
713	Boeing Advance Information Systems - Maryland Operations (formerly Conquest)
717	Boeing Distribution Services Inc.
727	Nonunion Boeing Charleston

To confirm coverage of one of the eligible populations listed, please contact the Plan Administrator or The Boeing Service Center.

For questions or information regarding your coverage please contact Delta Dental of California's Customer Service department at 800-422-4234.

The Summary Plan Description for this Plan is The Boeing Company Health and Welfare Plans booklet for the eligible population, any applicable provider directory and this coverage-specific brochure issued by Delta Dental of California.

For detailed information concerning employee and dependent eligibility, enrollment, contributions, coverage terminations, leave of absence provisions, eligibility review and appeals, Qualified Medical Child Support Order (QMCSO), ERISA Special Disclosures and other general plan information, refer to The Boeing Health and Welfare Plans Summary Plan Description, which supercedes any eligibility information contained in this document, or contact the plan administrator.

The health plan benefit description is incorporated as part of the Boeing Summary Plan Description.

# The Boeing Company

## IBEW 1

Labor Code	Labor Group
423	International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, AFL-CIO, Local 1 - St. Louis, Missouri

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IBT - Active

Labor Code	Labor Group
443	International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen & Helpers of America, Local 6 - St. Louis, Missouri.

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# The Boeing Company IAFF I-66 St. Louis - Active

Labor Code	Labor Group
455	International Association of Fire-Fighters, Local I-66 - St. Louis, Missouri (Firefighters )

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## **Certificate of Coverage Introduction**

### DeltaCare® USA Dental Health Care Plan

This Certificate of Coverage (“COC”) provides information about Your DeltaCare USA Dental Health Care Plan (“Plan”) provided by Alpha Dental Programs, Inc., (“Company”), on behalf of itself, and its affiliated companies. To offer these Benefits, the Contractholder has entered into a Group Dental Insurance Contract with Us.

This document, including the Contract and any attachments, provides the terms and conditions of Your Plan’s coverage. Read this document carefully for an explanation of Your coverage, including the Definitions section for any terms with special or technical meanings.

Terms such as “You,” “Your” and “Yourself” means the individuals who are covered. “We,” “Us” and “Our” refers to the Company or Our Third Party Administrator (“Administrator”).

#### **Identification Card (ID)**

ID cards are not required to receive dental services. However, when You receive dental services, Your Enrollee identification (“ID”) number should be provided to Your Dentist. An ID card [will be mailed to each new Enrollee and] may be obtained by visiting Our website at [deltadentalins.com](http://deltadentalins.com).

#### **Contract**

The Benefit explanations contained in this COC and the attachments are subject to all provisions of the Contract. In the event there is a conflict between the COC and the Contract, the Contract prevails. This document is not a Summary Plan Description under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (“ERISA”).

#### **Contact Us**

For more information, visit Our website at [deltadentalins.com](http://deltadentalins.com) or call Customer Service at 800-422-4234 or You may submit an inquiry to:

DeltaCare USA Customer Service  
P.O. Box 1803  
Alpharetta, GA 30023

#### **Notice**

*This COC is a summary of Your dental Plan. This information is not a guarantee of covered Benefits, services or payments.*

**Please read the following information so that You will know how to obtain dental services.**

**You must obtain dental Benefits from Your Contract Dentist or be referred for Specialist Services.**

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## Definitions

Certain terms used throughout this document begin with capital letters. When these terms are capitalized, use the following definitions to understand their meanings as they pertain to Your benefits and how the dental Plan works.

**Authorization:** The process by which We determine if a procedure or treatment is a referable Benefit under Your Plan.

**Benefits:** Dental services provided by Us as described in this COC, the Contract and Schedules. See also Schedules.

**Calendar Year:** The 12 months of the year from January 1 through December 31.

**Contract Dentist:** A Dentist who provides services in general dentistry and who has agreed to provide Benefits under this Plan. Contract Dentists may provide services either personally, or through associated Dentists, or the other technicians or hygienists who may lawfully perform the services. Referrals for Specialist Services must be obtained from Your Contract Dentist.

**Contract Orthodontist:** A Dentist who specializes in orthodontics and who has agreed to provide Benefits under this Plan. Services obtained from a Contract Orthodontist must be referred by Your Contract Dentist.

**Contract Specialist:** A Dentist who provides Specialist Services and who has agreed to provide Benefits under this Plan. Services obtained from a Contract Specialist must be referred by Your Contract Dentist.

**Contract Year:** Period of twelve (12) months starting on the Contract's Effective Date and or the anniversary of the Effective Date and each subsequent 12 month period thereafter.

**Contract Term:** The period during which coverage is in effect whether on a Calendar or Contract Year.

**Contractholder:** The group that enters into or executes this Contract to obtain dental coverage.

**Copayment:** The amounts set forth in *Schedule A - Description of Benefits and Copayments* that You are responsible to pay the treating Dentist. Copayments must be paid at the time treatment is received.



**Dependents ("Dependent Enrollees"):** The Primary Enrollee's eligible Dependents and any Individuals eligible to enroll for Benefits because of their relationship with the Primary Enrollee. And includes:

- The Spouse
- Dependent children from birth to age 26 regardless of marital status
- As otherwise required by state or federal law.

Children include natural children, stepchildren, foster children, grandchildren, adopted children, children placed for adoption and children of a partner as recognized by the Contractholder.

**Dentist:** A duly licensed Dentist legally entitled to practice dentistry at the time and in the state or jurisdiction in which services are performed.

**Effective Date:** The date the Contract or coverage begins.

**Emergency Services:** Dental services immediately required for alleviation of severe pain, swelling or bleeding, or immediately required to avoid placing You in serious jeopardy. Emergency dental care is limited to palliative treatment for the elimination of dental pain.

**Enrollee ("Primary Enrollee"):** Employee or a Dependent ("Dependent Enrollee") enrolled to receive Benefits.

**Grace Period:** A period of no less than 31 days after the Premium payment is due under the Contract, in which a payment may be made and during which coverage will continue in effect, subject to the Premium payment by the end of the Grace Period.

**Open Enrollment Period:** The period the Contractholder has established for You to make changes in coverage selections for the next Contract Term.

**Optional Treatment:** Any alternative procedure that satisfies the same dental need as a covered procedure and is chosen by You subject to the limitations and exclusions described in the Schedules attached to this COC.

**Out-of-Network:** Treatment by a Dentist who has not signed a contract with Us to provide Benefits under this Plan. Also referred to as Non-participating Dentist.

**Plan:** Dental Benefits selected by the Contractholder and provided under the Contract, COC and any attachments.

**Premium:** Payment made in consideration of dental coverage.

**Schedules:** Dental services and procedures and applicable limitations and exclusions included under Your Plan and described in:

- *Schedule A, Description of Benefits and Copayments*, and
- *Schedule B, Limitations and Exclusions of Benefits*

**Special Enrollment Period:** The period of time outside Your Open Enrollment Period during which individuals eligible as Primary Enrollees or Dependents who experience certain qualifying events may enroll in this Plan.

**Specialist Services:** Services performed by a Dentist who specializes in the practice of oral surgery, endodontics, periodontics, orthodontics or pediatric dentistry. Specialist Services must be referred by a Contract Dentist.

**Spouse:** An individual who is a partner of the Primary Enrollee as:

- Defined and as may be required to be treated as a Spouse by the laws of the state where the Contract is issued and delivered;
- Defined and as may be required to be treated as a Spouse by the laws of the state where the Primary Enrollee resides; or
- May be recognized by the Contractholder.

## **Eligibility and Enrollment - When Coverage Begins**

### **Eligibility Requirements**

The Contractholder is responsible for establishing eligibility and reporting enrollment to Us. We process enrollment as reported. You are eligible to enroll if You meet the eligibility requirements defined by the Contractholder.

Eligibility is determined by the Contractholder. We do not make eligibility determinations. We will update Our files to record the eligibility information provided by the Contractholder or its designee.

Your Dependents are eligible to enroll on the same date that You enroll. Later-acquired Dependents become eligible as soon as they acquire dependent status.

Eligibility may be delayed for young children, under the age of 4, until the beginning of any Contract Term immediately following the child's birthday. For coverage to begin on young children, the eligibility notice and additional Premium payment must be received by Us within 30 days of the beginning of the Contract Term immediately following the child's birthday.

Children/students must be dependent upon You for support and maintenance.

There is no coverage under this Plan for Dependents on active military duty.

Medicare eligibility will not affect Your eligibility or Your Dependent's eligibility, if applicable.

### **Overage Children**

An overage dependent child is eligible if:

- The child is incapable of self-sustaining employment because of a physically or mentally impairment that began prior to reaching the limiting age;
- The child is chiefly dependent on the Primary Enrollee for support; and
- Proof of disability is provided within 31 days of request. Proof of disability will not be required more than one (1) time per year following a two year period after the Dependent reaches the limiting age. Eligibility will continue as long as the dependent relies on the Primary Enrollee for support because of a physically or intellectually disabling injury, illness or condition that began before the Dependent reaches the limiting age.

### **Enrollment Requirements**

If the Contractholder is responsible for Your Premium, coverage will begin on the Contract's Effective Date.

If You are responsible for Your Premium:

- All Dependents must be enrolled within 31 days after they become eligible or during an Open Enrollment Period or Special Enrollment Period.
- If You elect Dependent coverage, You must enroll all of Your Dependent Enrollees for coverage.

An exception for enrolling Dependent Enrollees within 30 days after they become eligible applies for certain young children. The

eligibility date for such children may be delayed as outlined in the *Eligibility Requirements* section.

You:

- Must pay Premiums in the manner elected by the Contractholder and approved by Us, and
- May not drop coverage and may only make coverage changes during an Open Enrollment Period or Special Enrollment Period as a result of a qualifying status change.

A Dependent may not be enrolled under more than one Primary Enrollee.

A child who is eligible as a Primary Enrollee and a Dependent can be insured under the Contract as a Primary Enrollee or as a Dependent Enrollee but not both at the same time.

### **Special Enrollment Periods - Enrollment Changes**

After Your Effective Date, You may change Your enrollment during a Special Enrollment Period as a result of a qualifying status change. Qualifying status change include, but are not be limited to, the following events:

- Marital status (Examples include, but are not limited to: marriage, divorce, legal separation, annulment or death);
- Number of Dependents (a child's birth, adoption of a child, placement of child for adoption, addition of a step or foster child or death of a child);
- Dependent child ceases to satisfy eligibility requirements;
- Employment status (change in Your or Your Dependent's employment status);
- Residence (You move);
- Court order requiring Dependent coverage;
- Loss of other group coverage;
- Any other current or future election changes permitted by Internal Revenue Code Section 125; or
- Any other changes specified by applicable law or regulation.

### **Premiums**

You are required to contribute towards the cost of Your coverage and the cost of Your Dependent's coverage, if applicable.

## How to Use the DeltaCare USA Program

### Choice of Contract Dentist

We will provide Your Plan with Contract Dentists at convenient locations. Upon enrollment, You must select a Contract Dentist from the list of Dentists provided at [deltadentalins.com](http://deltadentalins.com). If the Contract Dentist You selected becomes unavailable, We will request You make a selection to another Contract Dentist. If You fail to select a Contract Dentist, the first Contract Dentist You visit will become Your selected Dentist following Your first routine visit.

You may change Your Contract Dentist online or by contacting Customer Service at 800-422-4234. Selections made by the 15th of the month are effective immediately. Selections made on or after the 16th of the month will be effective on the first day of the following month.

We will request You select another Contract Dentist provided Your Contract Dentist:

- Is no longer taking further enrollment;
- No longer participates in the Plan; or
- Requests, for good cause, that You or Your Dependents select another Contract Dentist.

Any dental treatment in progress must be completed before You change to another Contract Dentist. For example, dental treatment may include:

- Partial or full dentures for which final impressions have been taken.
- All work on any tooth upon which work has started (such as completion of root canals in progress and delivery of crowns when teeth have been prepared).

### Contract Dentist Termination

Services for Benefits must be provided by Your Contract Dentist. Specialist Services, obtained from a Contract Orthodontist or Contract Specialist, must be referred by Your Contract Dentist.

We have no obligation or liability with respect to services provided by Out-of-Network Dentists, with the exception of Emergency Services or Specialist Services referred by a Contract Dentist and authorized by Us. All authorized Specialist Services claims will be paid less any applicable Copayments.

## **Contract Dentist Termination**

If Your Contract Dentist no longer participates in this Plan, the Contract Dentist will complete all treatment in progress as described above.

Upon termination of a Contract Dentist's agreement, We will be liable for the completion of dental treatment begun prior to the termination of the agreement. For example, the terminating Contract Dentist will complete:

- A partial or full denture for which final impressions have been taken; or
- All work on any tooth upon which work has started (such as completion of root canals in progress and delivery of crowns when teeth have been prepared).

If, for any reason, the Contract Dentist is unable to complete treatment, We will make reasonable and appropriate provisions for the completion of such dental treatment by another Contract Dentist.

## **Benefits, Limitations and Exclusions**

This Plan provides Benefits and any applicable Copayments, deductibles, annual maximums and waiting periods as shown in the attached *Schedules*. Only services, supplies or procedures listed in the *Schedules* and deemed appropriate by Your Contract Dentist are covered under this Plan. Contract Dentists may provide services directly or through associated Dentists, technicians or hygienists who may lawfully perform the services.

## **Copayments and Other Charges**

In order to keep Your Plan affordable, this Plan includes certain cost-sharing features. First, not all dental services or procedures may be included under Your Plan. If the procedure is not listed in the *Schedules*, it is not covered. You will be responsible to pay the Dentist the full charge for any service not included in Your Plan. Certain procedures require You to pay a Copayment. Copayments are listed in the *Schedules* and must be paid directly to the treating Dentist. Any charges for broken appointments and visits after normal visiting hours, if covered, are also listed in the *Schedules*.

Should We fail to pay a Contract Dentist, You will not be liable to that Dentist for any sums owed by Us. If You have not received Authorization for treatment from an Out-of-Network Dentist, and We fail to pay that Out-of-Network Dentist, You may be liable to

that Dentist for the cost of services. For further clarification, see "*Emergency Services*".

### **Emergency Services**

If you have a dental emergency, You should contact Your Contract Dentist whenever possible. Contract Dentists maintain a twenty-four (24) hour Emergency Services system seven (7) days a week. If You are unable to reach Your Contract Dentist for Emergency Services, contact Customer Service at 800-422-4234 for assistance in obtaining urgent care.

You may seek treatment from a Dentist other than Your Contract Dentist with no referral during non-business hours, or if You require Emergency Services and are 35 miles or more from Your Contract Dentist. You are only responsible for the Copayment(s) for any treatment received relating to the emergency.

Benefits for Emergency Services not provided by a Contract Dentist are limited to a maximum of \$100.00 per emergency, per Enrollee, less the applicable Copayment. If this maximum is exceeded, You are responsible for any charges for services by a Dentist other than Your Contract Dentist. You must return to Your Contract Dentist for any necessary follow-up care.

### **Specialist Services**

Specialist Services for oral surgery, endodontics, orthodontics, periodontics or pediatric dentistry must be referred by Your Contract Dentist.

If You require Specialist Services and there is no Contract Orthodontist or Contract Specialist to provide these services within 35 miles of Your home, the Contract Dentist must receive Authorization from Us to refer You to an Out-of-Network orthodontist or Out-of-Network specialist to provide the Specialist Services. Specialist Services performed by an Out-of-Network orthodontist or Out-of-Network specialist that are not authorized by Us are not covered.

### **Claims for Reimbursement**

Claims for covered Emergency Services or Specialist Services should be submitted for payment within 90 days of receiving treatment. Claims must be received within one (1) year of treatment date. The address for claims submission is:

Claims Department  
P.O. Box 1810

### **Notice of Claim**

In the case of Emergency or Specialist Services, written notice of claim must be given to the Us within twenty days after the occurrence or commencement of any loss covered by the Contract, or as soon thereafter as is reasonably possible. Notice given by or on behalf of the You or the beneficiary to Claims Department, P.O. Box 1810, Alpharetta, GA 30023, or to any other authorized agent, with information sufficient to identify the insurer, will be deemed notice to Us.

### **Claim Forms**

We, upon receipt of a notice of claim, will furnish to You such forms as are usually furnished by it for filing proofs of loss. If claim forms are not furnished within 15 days after the giving of notice, You will be deemed to have complied with the requirements of the COC as to proof of loss upon submitting, within the time fixed in this COC for filing proof of loss, written proof covering the occurrence, the character and the extent of the loss for which claim is made.

### **Time Payment of Claims**

Indemnities payable for any loss other than loss for which this Contract provides any periodic payment, will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof of such loss. Subject to due written proof of loss, all accrued indemnities for loss for which this Contract provides periodic payment will be paid no less frequently than monthly and any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

### **Payment of Claims**

Indemnity for loss of life will be payable in accordance with the beneficiary designation and the provisions respecting such payment which may be prescribed herein and effective at the time of payment. If no such designation or provision is then effective, such indemnity will be payable to the estate of the insured. Any other accrued indemnities unpaid at Your death may, at Our option, be paid either to such beneficiary or to such estate. All other indemnities will be payable to You.

### **Coordination of Benefits**

If You or Your Dependents are covered by any other dental plan and receive a service covered by this Plan and the other dental plan, Benefits will be coordinated. If this plan is the "primary" plan, We will not reduce Benefits. If this plan is the "secondary" plan, We may



reduce Benefits so that the total Benefits Paid or provided by all plans do not exceed 100% of total allowable expense.

But if this plan is the "secondary" plan, We determine Benefits after those of the primary plan and will pay the lesser of the amount that We would pay in the absence of any other dental benefit coverage or Your total out-of-pocket cost under the primary plan for Benefits covered under Your Plan.

**In Order to determine which Plan is primary, We will use the following rules.**

- The plan covering You as an employee or Primary Enrollee is primary over a plan covering You as a dependent.
- The plan covering You as an employee is primary over a plan covering You as a dependent; except that if You are also a Medicare beneficiary, and as a result of the rule established by Title XVIII of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations, Medicare is:
  - \* Secondary to the plan covering You as a dependent; and
  - \* Primary to the plan covering You as other than a dependent (e.g. a retired employee), then the Benefits of the plan covering You as a dependent are determined before those of the plan covering You as other than a dependent.
- Except as stated in the immediate above paragraph, when this plan and another plan cover the same child as a dependent of different persons, referred to as parents:
  - \* The Benefits of the plan of the parent whose birthday falls earlier in a year are determined before those of the plan of the parent whose birthday falls later in that year; but
  - \* If both parents have the same birthday, the Benefits of the plan covering one parent longer are determined before those of the plan covering the other parent for a shorter period of time.
  - \* However, if the other plan has no birthday rule, but has a rule based on the gender of the parent, and as a result, the plans do not agree on the order of Benefits, the rule in the other plan determines the order of Benefits.
- In the case of a dependent child of legally separated or divorced parents, the plan covering the child as a dependent of the parent with legal custody or as a dependent of the custodial parent's Spouse (i.e. step-parent) will be primary over the plan covering the child as a dependent of the parent without legal custody.
- If there is a court decree establishing financial responsibility for the child's health care expenses, the Benefits of a plan covering the child as a dependent of the parent with financial

responsibility will be determined before the Benefits of any other policy covering the child as a dependent child.

- If the specific terms of a court decree state that the parents will share joint custody without stating that one of the parents is responsible for the child's health care expenses, the plans covering the child will follow the order of Benefit determination rules outlined above.
- The Benefits of a plan covering You as an employee who is neither laid-off nor retired are determined before those of a plan covering You as a laid-off or retired employee. The same holds true if You are a dependent of a Primary Enrollee as a retiree or an employee. If the other plan does not have this rule, and as a result, the plans do not agree on the order of Benefits, this rule is ignored.
- If Your coverage is provided under a right of continuation pursuant to federal or state law also is covered under another plan, the following will be the order of benefit determination.
  - \* First, the Benefits of a plan covering the Enrollee as an employee or Primary Enrollee (or the Primary Enrollee's dependent).
  - \* Second, the Benefits under the continuation coverage.
  - \* If the other plan does not have the rule described above, and if, as a result, the plans do not agree on the order of Benefits, this rule is ignored.
- If none of the above rules determines the order of Benefits, the Benefits of the plan covering an employee longer are determined before those of the plan covering that insured person for the shorter term. When determination cannot be made in accordance with the rules above, the Benefits of a plan that is a medical plan covering dental as a Benefit will be primary to a standalone dental plan.

### **Enrollee Complaint Procedure**

We will provide notification when any dental services or claims are denied, in whole or in part, stating the specific reason or reasons for the denial. If You have any complaint regarding eligibility, the denial of dental services or claims, Our policies, procedures or operations, or the quality of dental services performed by a Contract Dentist, You may call Customer Service at 800-422-4234 or a written complaint may be submitted to:

Quality Management Department  
P.O. Box 1860  
Alpharetta, GA 30023

Written complaints must include, at a minimum the following information:

- Patient's name
- Primary Enrollee's name, address, telephone number and identification number
- Contractholder's name
- Treating Dentist's name and location.

### **Adverse Determinations**

Utilization review decisions are conducted by licensed Dentists in accordance with standards developed with input from a Dentist of the appropriate specialty. We use written medically/dentally acceptable screening criteria and review procedures that are established and periodically evaluated and updated with appropriate involvement from Dentists, including practicing Dentists, and other health care providers.

### **Pre-Authorization (Pre-Service) and Concurrent Reviews**

We do not condition receipt of a benefit, in whole or in part, on approval of the benefit in advance of obtaining dental care. Additionally, We do not conduct concurrent review relating to continued or extended dental services, or additional services for an insured undergoing a course of continued treatment.

Unlike medical coverage, it is unlikely that a life-threatening situation should arise, or even more unlikely due to the nature of dental care that You would need to receive authorization for an extended hospital stay or medical treatment. If You must seek emergency dental treatment, You do not need to obtain pre-authorization to seek services.

We do not make Adverse Decisions on urgent or emergency dental services

### **Retrospective (Post-Service) Reviews**

Adverse Decisions are rendered after dental services are delivered.

### **Internal Review Procedure: Adverse Determinations**

"**Necessary information**" includes the results of any face-to-face clinical evaluation or second opinion that may be required.

For complaints involving an adverse benefit determination (e.g. a denial, modification or termination of a requested benefit or claim),

You or Your authorized representative must file a request for review, referred to as a complaint, with Us within 180 days after receipt of the adverse determination. Our review will take into account all information, regardless of whether such information was submitted or considered during the initial benefit determination. The review will be conducted by a person other than the individual who made the original benefit determination, or the individual's subordinate.

Upon request and free of charge, You or Your authorized representative will be provided with copies of any pertinent documents that are relevant to the benefit determination, a copy of any internal rule, guideline, protocol and/or explanation of the scientific or clinical judgment if relied upon in making the benefit determination.

If the review of a denial is based, in whole or in part, on a lack of medical (dental) necessity, experimental treatment or a clinical judgment in applying the terms of the Plan, We will consult with a Dentist who has appropriate training and experience. If any consulting Dentist is involved in the review, the identity of such consulting Dentist will be made available upon request.

Within 10 business days of the receipt of any complaint, including adverse benefit determinations the quality management coordinator will provide You or Your authorized representative an acknowledgment of receipt of the complaint. Certain complaints may require that You be referred to a Dentist for a clinical evaluation of the dental services provided.

We will make a determination, in writing, within 30 days of receipt of all necessary information relating to the complaint or will provide a written explanation if additional time is required to report on the complaint. A review of the decision will be undertaken if a written request for an appeal of the determination is made within 30 days of the date of the written determination. We will undertake a full and fair review upon request. We may require additional documents in making such a review. A written response will be provided to You or Your authorized representative within 30 days after receipt of Your appeal and all necessary information or a written explanation if additional time is required to issue the results.

### **Reconsideration**

A treating Dentist has the opportunity to request, on Your behalf, in the case of an initial decision, reconsideration of an adverse determination. The reconsideration must occur within one (1)

working day of the receipt of the request and must be conducted between the Dentist rendering the service and the reviewer who made the adverse determination or a clinical peer designated by the reviewer if the reviewer does not resolve the difference of opinion, the adverse determination may be appealed by You or the Dentist on Your behalf. Reconsideration is not a prerequisite to an appeal of an adverse determination.

The Missouri Department of Commerce Insurance ("Department") is responsible for regulating Prepaid Dental Plans. If You have a complaint against Your dental Plan, You should first contact Your dental Plan at 800-422-4234 and use Your dental Plan's complaint process before contacting the Department. Utilizing this complaint procedure does not prohibit any potential legal rights or remedies that may be available to You. If You need help with a complaint involving an emergency, a complaint that has not been satisfactorily resolved by Your dental Plan, or a complaint that has remained unresolved for more than 30 days, You may call the Department for assistance. The Department may be reached at:

State of Missouri Department of Commerce and Insurance  
P.O. Box 690  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0690  
573-751-4362  
800-726-7390

If Your Plan is subject to ERISA, You may contact the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) for further review of the claim or if You have questions about Your rights under ERISA. You may also bring a civil action under section 502(a) of ERISA. The US Department of Labor may be contacted at:

U.S. Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA)  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20210

### **Renewal and Termination of Benefits**

This Plan renews on the anniversary of the Contract unless We provide notice of a change in Premiums or Benefits and the Contractholder does not accept the change. Your Benefits will terminate:

- As of the date that this Plan is terminated,
- You cease to be eligible under the terms of this Plan, or
- Your enrollment is canceled under the terms of this Plan.

We are not obligated to continue to provide Benefits to You or Your Dependents except for completion of dental treatment started when this Plan was in effect.

### **Cancellation of Enrollment**

Subject to the *Continuation of Coverage under USERRA* and *Continuation of Coverage under COBRA* provisions, Your enrollment may be canceled, or renewal of enrollment refused, in the following events:

Immediately:

- a) upon loss of eligibility as described in this Certificate of Coverage; or
- If You engage in conduct detrimental to safe operations and the delivery of services while receiving services from a Contract Dentist.

Upon 15 days written notice if:

- The Premiums are not paid by, or on behalf of You, on the date due. However, You may continue to receive Benefits during the Grace Period and may be reinstated during the term of the Contract upon payment of any unpaid Premium; or
- You knowingly commit or permit another person to commit fraud or deception in obtaining Benefits under this Plan.

Upon 30 days written notice if:

- the Contract is terminated or not renewed;
- You fail to pay Copayments. However, You may be reinstated during the term of the Contract upon payment of all delinquent charges; or
- A satisfactory dentist-patient relationship fails to be established with multiple Contract Dentists. We must show that We have, in good faith, provided You with an opportunity to select an alternative Contract Dentist. If You establish a history of unsatisfactory relationships, We will notify You in writing, at least 30 days in advance, that We consider the dentist-patient relationship to be unsatisfactory. We will also specify the changes that are necessary in order to avoid cancellation and show that You failed to make these changes.

The Contractholder will provide You with 15 days advance notice prior to cancellation or discontinuance of the Plan.

Cancellation of Your enrollment will automatically cancel the enrollment of any of Your Dependent Enrollees.

## **General Provisions**

### **Compliance with Administrative Simplification, Security and Privacy Regulations**

The parties will comply in all respects with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations relating to administrative simplification, security and privacy of individually identifiable information including executing any agreements as required by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA"). The parties agree that this Contract will incorporate terms as necessary and as applicable to execute the required agreements (i.e. business associate agreement) to comply with federal regulations issued under the HIPAA and HITECH Act or to comply with any other enacted administrative simplifications, security or privacy laws or regulations.

### **Conformity With Prevailing Laws**

All legal questions about the Contract will be governed by the state where the Contract was entered into and is to be performed. Any part of the Contract which conflicts with state or federal law is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such laws.

### **Entire Contract; Changes**

This Contract, including the COC, Schedules and any Attachments, is the entire agreement between the parties. No agent has authority to change or waive any of its provisions. Changes are not valid unless approved by one of Our executive officers.

### **Incontestability**

After this Contract has been in force for 2 years from the Effective Date, no statement made by the Contractholder will be used to void this Contract. No statement by an employee or You with respect to Your insurability will be used to reduce or deny a claim or contest the validity of insurance for You after that person's coverage has been in effect 2 years or more during the Your lifetime, unless the statement is contained in a written instrument signed by the person making such statement.

No claims for loss incurred or disability commencing after 2 years from the date of issue of the Contract will be reduced or denied on the ground that a disease or physical condition not excluded from coverage by name or specific description effective on the date of loss existed prior to the Effective Date of this Contract.

## **Legal Actions**

No action at law or in equity will be brought to recover on the Contract prior to expiration of 60 days after proof of loss has been filed in accordance with requirements of the Contract, nor will an action be brought at all unless brought within 3 years from expiration of the time within which proof of loss is required by the Contract.

## **Misstatements on Application; Effect**

In the absence of fraud or intentional misrepresentation of material fact in applying for or procuring coverage, all statements made by You will be deemed representations and not warranties. No such statement will be used in defense to a claim, unless it is contained in a written application.

## **Processing Policies**

The *Schedules* explain the services covered under the Plan. Contract Dentists, Contract Orthodontists and Contract Specialists use professional judgment to determine appropriate services for You. Benefits performed by Contract Dentists, Contract Orthodontists and Contract Specialists are provided subject to any Copayments. You may contact Our Customer Service at 800-422-4234 for information regarding the dental care guidelines for DeltaCare USA.

## **Severability**

If any part of the Contract, this COC, Attachments or an amendment to any of these documents is found by a court or other authority to be illegal, void or not enforceable, all other portions of these documents will remain in full force and effect.

## **Strike, Lay-off and Leave of Absence**

You will not be covered for any dental services received while on strike, lay-off or leave of absence, other than as required under the Family & Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) or other applicable state or federal law\*.

\*Your coverage is not affected if You take a leave of absence under the FMLA or other applicable state or federal law. If You are currently paying any part of the Premium, You may choose to continue coverage. If You do not continue coverage during the leave, coverage may be resumed upon their return to active work as if no interruption occurred.



**Important:** FMLA does not apply to all organizations, only those that meet certain size guidelines. Refer to Your Human Resources unit for complete information.

### **Continuation of Coverage under USERRA**

As required under the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994 ("USERRA"), if You are covered on the date Your USERRA leave of absence begins, You may continue dental coverage for Yourself and any covered dependents. Continuation of coverage under USERRA may not extend beyond the earlier of:

- Twenty-four (24) months, beginning on the date the leave of absence begins, or;
- The date You fail to return to work within the time required by USERRA.

For USERRA leave that extends beyond 31 days, the Premium for continuation of coverage will be the same as for COBRA coverage.

### **Continuation of Coverage under COBRA**

The federal Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (COBRA) provides a way for You to continue coverage for a period of time when employer coverage is lost. COBRA does not apply to all companies, only those that meet certain size guidelines. See Your Human Resources Department or website for complete information. We do not assume any of the obligations required by COBRA of the Contractholder or any employer (including the obligation to notify potential beneficiaries of their rights or options under COBRA).

### **Non-Discrimination**

We comply with applicable Federal civil rights laws and do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. We do not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

We:

- Provide free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provide free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters

- Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Customer Service at 800-471-9925.

If You believe that We have failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, You can file a grievance electronically online, over the phone with a Customer Service representative, or by mail.

DeltaCare USA  
18000 Studebaker Road, Suite 530  
Cerritos, CA 90703  
Telephone Number: 800-471-9925  
Website Address: [deltadentalins.com](http://deltadentalins.com)

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
200 Independence Avenue, SW  
Room 509F, HHH Building  
Washington, D.C. 20201  
1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

# SCHEDULE A

## Description of Benefits and Copayments

The Benefits shown below are performed as deemed appropriate by the Contract Dentist subject to the *Limitations and Exclusions* of the Plan. Please refer to *Schedule B* for further clarification of Benefits. **You should discuss all treatment options with Your Contract Dentist prior to services being rendered.**

**Text that appears in italics below is specifically intended to clarify the delivery of Benefits under the DeltaCare USA Plan and is not to be interpreted as Current Dental Terminology ("CDT"), CDT-2025 procedure codes, descriptors or nomenclature that are under copyright by the American Dental Association ("ADA"). The ADA may periodically change CDT codes or definitions. Such updated codes, descriptors and nomenclature may be used to describe these covered procedures in compliance with federal legislation.**

<u>CODE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>YOU PAY</u>
<b>D0100-D0999</b>	<b>I. DIAGNOSTIC</b>	
D0120	Periodic oral evaluation - established patient .....	No Cost
D0140	Limited oral evaluation - problem focused .....	No Cost
D0145	Oral evaluation for a patient under three years of age and counseling with primary caregiver .....	No Cost
D0150	Comprehensive oral evaluation - new or established patient .....	No Cost
D0160	Detailed and extensive oral evaluation - problem focused, by report .....	No Cost
D0170	Re-evaluation - limited, problem focused (established patient; not post-operative visit) .....	No Cost
D0171	Re-evaluation - post-operative office visit .....	\$5.00
D0180	Comprehensive periodontal evaluation - new or established patient .....	No Cost
D0190	Screening of a patient .....	No Cost
D0191	Assessment of a patient .....	No Cost
D0210	Intraoral - comprehensive series of radiographic images - <i>limited to 1 of (D0210 or D0330) per 24 months. Either one (1) D0210 or one (1) D0330 permitted.</i> ....	No Cost

D0220	Intraoral - periapical first radiographic image .....	No Cost
D0230	Intraoral - periapical each additional radiographic image .....	No Cost
D0240	Intraoral - occlusal radiographic image .....	No Cost
D0250	Extraoral - 2D projection radiographic image created using a stationary radiation source, and detector .....	No Cost
D0251	Extraoral posterior dental radiographic image .....	No Cost
D0270	Bitewing - single radiographic image .....	No Cost
D0272	Bitewings - two radiographic images .....	No Cost
D0273	Bitewings three radiographic images .....	No Cost
D0274	Bitewings - four radiographic images - <i>limited to 1 series every 6 months</i> .....	No Cost
D0277	Vertical bitewings - 7 to 8 radiographic images .....	No Cost
D0330	Panoramic radiographic image - <i>limited to 1 of (D0210 or D0330) per 24 months. Either one (1) D0210 or one (1) D0330 permitted</i> .....	No Cost
D0396	3D printing of a 3D dental surface scan .....	No Cost
D0415	Collection of microorganisms for culture and sensitivity .....	No Cost
D0419	Assessment of salivary flow by measurement - <i>1 every 12 months</i> .....	No Cost
D0425	Caries susceptibility tests .....	No Cost
D0460	Pulp vitality tests .....	No Cost
D0470	Diagnostic casts .....	No Cost
D0472	Accession of tissue, gross examination, preparation and transmission of written report .....	No Cost
D0473	Accession of tissue, gross and microscopic examination, preparation and transmission of written report .....	No Cost
D0474	Accession of tissue, gross and microscopic examination, including assessment of surgical margins for presence of disease, preparation and transmission of written report .....	No Cost
D0601	Caries risk assessment and documentation, with a finding of low risk - <i>1 every 12 months</i> .....	No Cost
D0602	Caries risk assessment and documentation, with a finding of moderate risk - <i>1 every 12 months</i> .....	No Cost
D0603	Caries risk assessment and documentation, with a finding of high risk - <i>1 every 12 months</i> .....	No Cost

D0701	Panoramic radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0702	2-D cephalometric radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0703	2-D oral/facial photographic image obtained intra-orally or extra-orally - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0705	Extra-oral posterior dental radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0706	Intraoral - occlusal radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0707	Intraoral - periapical radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0708	Intraoral - bitewing radiographic image - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0709	Intraoral - comprehensive series of radiographic images - image capture only .....	No Cost
D0999	Unspecified diagnostic procedure, by report - <i>includes office visit, per visit (in addition to other services)</i> .....	No Cost

**D1000-D1999                      II. PREVENTIVE**

D1110	Prophylaxis <i>cleaning</i> - adult - 1 D1110, D1120 or D4346 per 6 month period .....	No Cost
D1110	<i>Additional prophylaxis cleaning</i> - adult (within the 6 month period) .....	\$45.00
D1120	Prophylaxis <i>cleaning</i> - child - 1 D1110, D1120 or D4346 per 6 month period .....	No Cost
D1120	<i>Additional prophylaxis cleaning</i> - child (within the 6 month period) .....	\$35.00
D1206	Topical application of fluoride varnish - <i>child to age 19; 1 D1206 or D1208 per 6 month period</i> .....	No Cost
D1208	Topical application of fluoride - excluding varnish - <i>child to age 19; 1 D1206 or D1208 per 6 month period</i> .....	No Cost
D1310	Nutritional counseling for control of dental disease	No Cost
D1330	Oral hygiene instructions .....	No Cost
D1351	Sealant - per tooth - <i>limited to permanent molars through age 15</i> .....	\$5.00
D1352	Preventive resin restoration in a moderate to high caries risk patient - permanent tooth - <i>limited to permanent molars through age 15</i> .....	\$5.00

D1353	Sealant repair - per tooth - <i>limited to permanent molars through age 15</i> .....	\$5.00
D1354	Application of caries arresting medicament - per tooth - <i>child to age 19; 1 per 6 month period</i> .....	No Cost
D1510	Space maintainer - fixed - unilateral - per quadrant	\$10.00
D1516	Space maintainer - fixed - bilateral, maxillary .....	\$10.00
D1517	Space maintainer - fixed - bilateral, mandibular .....	\$10.00
D1520	Space maintainer - removable - unilateral - per quadrant .....	\$10.00
D1526	Space maintainer - removable - bilateral, maxillary .	\$10.00
D1527	Space maintainer - removable - bilateral, mandibular .....	\$10.00
D1551	Re-cement or re-bond bilateral space maintainer - maxillary .....	No Cost
D1552	Re-cement or re-bond bilateral space maintainer - mandibular .....	No Cost
D1553	Re-cement or re-bond unilateral space maintainer - per quadrant .....	No Cost
D1556	Removal of fixed unilateral space maintainer - per quadrant .....	No Cost
D1557	Removal of fixed bilateral space maintainer - maxillary .....	No Cost
D1558	Removal of fixed bilateral space maintainer - mandibular .....	No Cost
D1575	Distal shoe space maintainer - fixed, unilateral - per quadrant - <i>child to age 9</i> .....	\$10.00

**D2000-D2999**

**III. RESTORATIVE**

- *Includes polishing, all adhesives and bonding agents, indirect pulp capping, bases, liners and acid etch procedures.*

- *When there are more than six crowns in the same treatment plan, You may be charged an additional \$100.00 per crown, beyond the 6th unit.*

- *Replacement of crowns, inlays and onlays requires the existing restoration to be 5+ years old.*

D2140	Amalgam - one surface, primary or permanent .....	No Cost
D2150	Amalgam - two surfaces, primary or permanent ....	No Cost
D2160	Amalgam - three surfaces, primary or permanent ..	No Cost
D2161	Amalgam - four or more surfaces, primary or permanent .....	No Cost
D2330	Resin-based composite - one surface, anterior .....	No Cost

D2331	Resin-based composite - two surfaces, anterior .....	No Cost
D2332	Resin-based composite - three surfaces, anterior ...	No Cost
D2335	Resin-based composite - four or more surfaces (anterior) .....	No Cost
D2390	Resin-based composite crown, anterior .....	No Cost
D2391	Resin-based composite - one surface, posterior .....	\$45.00
D2392	Resin-based composite - two surfaces, posterior ...	\$55.00
D2393	Resin-based composite - three surfaces, posterior .	\$65.00
D2394	Resin-based composite - four or more surfaces, posterior .....	\$75.00
D2510	Inlay - metallic - one surface .....	No Cost
D2520	Inlay - metallic - two surfaces .....	No Cost
D2530	Inlay - metallic - three or more surfaces .....	No Cost
D2542	Onlay - metallic - two surfaces .....	No Cost
D2543	Onlay - metallic - three surfaces .....	No Cost
D2544	Onlay - metallic - four or more surfaces .....	No Cost
D2610	Inlay - porcelain/ceramic - one surface .....	\$135.00
D2620	Inlay - porcelain/ceramic - two surfaces .....	\$150.00
D2630	Inlay - porcelain/ceramic - three or more surfaces ..	\$160.00
D2642	Onlay - porcelain/ceramic - two surfaces .....	\$150.00
D2643	Onlay - porcelain/ceramic - three surfaces .....	\$165.00
D2644	Onlay - porcelain/ceramic - four or more surfaces ..	\$175.00
D2650	Inlay - resin-based composite - one surface .....	\$85.00
D2651	Inlay - resin-based composite - two surfaces .....	\$95.00
D2652	Inlay - resin-based composite - three or more surfaces .....	\$115.00
D2662	Onlay - resin-based composite - two surfaces .....	\$110.00
D2663	Onlay - resin-based composite - three surfaces .....	\$120.00
D2664	Onlay - resin-based composite - four or more surfaces .....	\$145.00
D2710	Crown - resin-based composite (indirect) .....	\$35.00
D2712	Crown - 3/4 resin-based composite (indirect) .....	\$35.00
D2720	Crown - resin with high noble metal .....	\$155.00
D2721	Crown - resin with predominantly base metal .....	\$55.00
D2722	Crown - resin with noble metal .....	\$95.00
D2740	Crown - porcelain/ceramic .....	\$195.00
D2750	Crown - porcelain fused to high noble metal .....	\$195.00

D2751	Crown - porcelain fused to predominantly base metal .....	\$95.00
D2752	Crown - porcelain fused to noble metal .....	\$135.00
D2753	Crown - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys .....	\$195.00
D2780	Crown - 3/4 cast high noble metal .....	\$170.00
D2781	Crown - 3/4 cast predominantly base metal .....	\$70.00
D2782	Crown - 3/4 cast noble metal .....	\$110.00
D2783	Crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic .....	\$195.00
D2790	Crown - full cast high noble metal .....	\$170.00
D2791	Crown - full cast predominantly base metal .....	\$70.00
D2792	Crown - full cast noble metal .....	\$110.00
D2794	Crown - titanium and titanium alloys .....	\$195.00
D2910	Re-cement or re-bond inlay, onlay, veneer or partial coverage restoration .....	No Cost
D2915	Re-cement or re-bond indirectly fabricated or prefabricated post and core .....	No Cost
D2920	Re-cement or re-bond crown .....	No Cost
D2921	Reattachment of tooth fragment, incisal edge or cusp ( <i>anterior</i> ) .....	No Cost
D2928	Prefabricated porcelain/ceramic crown - permanent tooth .....	No Cost
D2929	Prefabricated porcelain/ceramic crown - primary tooth - <i>anterior</i> .....	\$10.00
D2930	Prefabricated stainless steel crown - primary tooth	No Cost
D2931	Prefabricated stainless steel crown - permanent tooth .....	No Cost
D2932	Prefabricated resin crown - <i>anterior primary tooth</i> .	\$15.00
D2933	Prefabricated stainless steel crown with resin window - <i>anterior primary tooth</i> .....	\$10.00
D2940	Placement of interim direct restoration .....	No Cost
D2949	Restorative foundation for an indirect restoration ..	No Cost
D2950	Core buildup, including any pins when required .....	No Cost
D2951	Pin retention - per tooth, in addition to restoration .	No Cost
D2952	Post and core in addition to crown, indirectly fabricated - <i>includes canal preparation</i> .....	No Cost
D2953	Each additional indirectly fabricated post - same tooth - <i>includes canal preparation</i> .....	No Cost



D2954	Prefabricated post and core in addition to crown - <i>base metal post; includes canal preparation</i> .....	No Cost
D2956	Removal of an indirect restoration on a natural tooth .....	No Cost
D2957	Each additional prefabricated post - same tooth - <i>base metal post; includes canal preparation</i> .....	No Cost
D2971	Additional procedures to customize a crown to fit under an existing partial denture framework. ....	\$19.00
D2976	Band stabilization - per tooth - <i>limited to once in a lifetime per tooth</i> .....	No Cost
D2980	Crown repair necessitated by restorative material failure .....	\$10.00
D2981	Inlay repair necessitated by restorative material failure .....	\$10.00
D2982	Onlay repair necessitated by restorative material failure .....	\$10.00
D2983	Veneer repair necessitated by restorative material failure .....	\$10.00
D2989	Excavation of a tooth resulting in the determination of non-restorability .....	No Cost
D2990	Resin infiltration of incipient smooth surface lesions - <i>limited to 1 per 24 months</i> .....	\$5.00

**D3000-D3999 IV. ENDODONTICS**

D3110	Pulp cap - direct (excluding final restoration) .....	No Cost
D3120	Pulp cap - indirect (excluding final restoration) .....	No Cost
D3220	Therapeutic pulpotomy (excluding final restoration) - removal of pulp coronal to the dentinocemental junction and application of medicament .....	No Cost
D3221	Pulpal debridement, primary and permanent teeth	\$5.00
D3222	Partial pulpotomy for apexogenesis - permanent tooth with incomplete root development .....	No Cost
D3230	Pulpal therapy (resorbable filling) - anterior, primary tooth (excluding final restoration) .....	\$5.00
D3240	Pulpal therapy (resorbable filling) - posterior, primary tooth (excluding final restoration) .....	\$5.00
D3310	<i>Root canal</i> - endodontic therapy, anterior tooth (excluding final restoration) .....	\$45.00
D3320	<i>Root canal</i> - endodontic therapy, premolar tooth (excluding final restoration) .....	\$90.00

D3330	Root canal - endodontic therapy, molar tooth (excluding final restoration) .....	\$205.00
D3331	Treatment of root canal obstruction; non-surgical access .....	\$45.00
D3332	Incomplete endodontic therapy; inoperable, unrestorable or fractured tooth .....	\$45.00
D3333	Internal root repair of perforation defects .....	\$45.00
D3346	Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - anterior .....	\$60.00
D3347	Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - premolar .....	\$105.00
D3348	Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - molar .....	\$220.00
D3351	Apexification/recalcification - initial visit (apical closure/calcific repair of perforations, root resorption, etc.) .....	\$70.00
D3352	Apexification/recalcification - interim medication replacement (apical closure/calcific repair of perforations, root resorption, pulp space disinfection, etc.) .....	\$45.00
D3353	Apexification/recalcification - final visit (includes completed root canal therapy - apical closure/ calcific repair of perforations, root resorption, etc.) .....	\$45.00
D3410	Apicoectomy - anterior .....	No Cost
D3421	Apicoectomy - premolar (first root) .....	No Cost
D3425	Apicoectomy - molar (first root) .....	No Cost
D3426	Apicoectomy (each additional root) .....	No Cost
D3430	Retrograde filling - per root .....	No Cost
D3450	Root amputation - per root .....	No Cost
D3471	Surgical repair of root resorption - anterior .....	No Cost
D3472	Surgical repair of root resorption - premolar .....	No Cost
D3473	Surgical repair of root resorption - molar .....	No Cost
D3501	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - anterior .....	No Cost
D3502	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - premolar .....	No Cost
D3503	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - molar ...	No Cost

D3920	Hemisection (including any root removal), not including root canal therapy .....	No Cost
D3921	Decoronation or submergence of an erupted tooth	No Cost

**D4000-D4999                    V. PERIODONTICS**

*- Includes pre-operative and post-operative evaluations and treatment under a local anesthetic.*

D4210	Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$80.00
D4211	Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$50.00
D4212	Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty to allow access for restorative procedure, per tooth .....	No Cost
D4240	Gingival flap procedure, including root planing - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$80.00
D4241	Gingival flap procedure, including root planing - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$50.00
D4245	Apically positioned flap .....	\$75.00
D4249	Clinical crown lengthening - hard tissue .....	\$75.00
D4260	Osseous surgery (including elevation of a full thickness flap and closure) - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$175.00
D4261	Osseous surgery (including elevation of a full thickness flap and closure) - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant .....	\$140.00
D4263	Bone replacement graft - retained natural tooth - first site in quadrant .....	\$195.00
D4264	Bone replacement graft - retained natural tooth - each additional site in quadrant .....	\$60.00
D4270	Pedicle soft tissue graft procedure .....	\$195.00
D4274	Mesial/distal wedge procedure, single tooth (when not performed in conjunction with surgical procedures in the same anatomical area) .....	\$45.00
D4277	Free soft tissue graft procedure (including recipient and donor surgical sites) first tooth, implant, or edentulous tooth position in graft .....	\$195.00

D4278	Free soft tissue graft procedure (including recipient and donor surgical sites) each additional contiguous tooth, implant, or edentulous tooth position in same graft site .....	\$195.00
D4341	Periodontal scaling and root planing - four or more teeth per quadrant - <i>limited to 4 quadrants during any 12 consecutive months</i> .....	No Cost
D4342	Periodontal scaling and root planing - one to three teeth per quadrant - <i>limited to 4 quadrants during any 12 consecutive months</i> .....	No Cost
D4346	Scaling in presence of generalized moderate or severe gingival inflammation - full mouth, after oral evaluation - <i>1 D1110, D1120 or D4346 per 6 month period</i> .....	No Cost
D4355	Full mouth debridement to enable a comprehensive periodontal evaluation and diagnosis on a subsequent visit - <i>limited to 1 treatment in any 12 consecutive months</i> .....	No Cost
D4910	Periodontal maintenance - <i>limited to 1 treatment each 6 month period</i> .....	No Cost
D4910	<i>Additional periodontal maintenance (within the 6 month period)</i> .....	\$55.00
D4921	Gingival irrigation with a medicinal agent - per quadrant .....	No Cost

**D5000-D5899**

**VI. PROSTHODONTICS (removable)**

- For all listed dentures and partial dentures, Copayment includes after delivery adjustments and tissue conditioning, if needed, for the first six months after placement. For all listed immediate dentures and immediate removable partial dentures, Copayment includes after delivery adjustments and tissue conditioning, if needed, for the first three months after placement. You must continue to be eligible, and the service must be provided at the Contract Dentist's facility where the denture was originally delivered.

- Rebases, relines and tissue conditioning are limited to 1 per denture during any 12 consecutive months.

- Replacement of a denture or a partial denture requires the existing denture to be 5+ years old.

D5110	Complete denture - maxillary .....	\$100.00
D5120	Complete denture - mandibular .....	\$100.00
D5130	Immediate denture - maxillary .....	\$120.00
D5140	Immediate denture - mandibular .....	\$120.00
D5211	Maxillary partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) .....	\$80.00

D5212	Mandibular partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) .....	\$80.00
D5213	Maxillary partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth) .....	\$120.00
D5214	Mandibular partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth) .....	\$120.00
D5221	Immediate maxillary partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) .....	\$80.00
D5222	Immediate mandibular partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) .....	\$80.00
D5223	Immediate maxillary partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth) .....	\$120.00
D5224	Immediate mandibular partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth) .....	\$120.00
D5225	Maxillary partial denture - flexible base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) - prosthetic appliances will be replaced only after five years have elapsed from the time of delivery ...	\$170.00
D5226	Mandibular partial denture - flexible base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) .....	\$170.00
D5227	Immediate maxillary partial denture - flexible base (including any clasps, rests and teeth) .....	\$80.00
D5228	Immediate mandibular partial denture - flexible base (including any clasps, rests and teeth) .....	\$80.00
D5410	Adjust complete denture - maxillary .....	No Cost
D5411	Adjust complete denture - mandibular .....	No Cost
D5421	Adjust partial denture - maxillary .....	No Cost
D5422	Adjust partial denture - mandibular .....	No Cost
D5511	Repair broken complete denture base, mandibular .	\$15.00
D5512	Repair broken complete denture base, maxillary ....	\$15.00
D5520	Replace missing or broken teeth - complete denture - per tooth .....	\$5.00
D5611	Repair resin partial denture base, mandibular .....	\$15.00
D5612	Repair resin partial denture base, maxillary .....	\$15.00
D5621	Repair cast partial framework, mandibular .....	\$15.00

D5622	Repair cast partial framework, maxillary .....	\$15.00
D5630	Repair or replace broken retentive/clasping materials - per tooth .....	\$15.00
D5640	Replace missing or broken teeth - partial denture - per tooth .....	\$5.00
D5650	Add tooth to existing partial denture - per tooth ....	\$5.00
D5660	Add clasp to existing partial denture - per tooth ....	\$5.00
D5670	Replace all teeth and acrylic on cast metal framework (maxillary) .....	\$75.00
D5671	Replace all teeth and acrylic on cast metal framework (mandibular) .....	\$75.00
D5710	Rebase complete maxillary denture .....	\$35.00
D5711	Rebase complete mandibular denture .....	\$35.00
D5720	Rebase maxillary partial denture .....	\$35.00
D5721	Rebase mandibular partial denture .....	\$35.00
D5725	Rebase hybrid prosthesis .....	\$35.00
D5730	Reline complete maxillary denture (chairside) .....	No Cost
D5731	Reline complete mandibular denture (chairside) ....	No Cost
D5740	Reline maxillary partial denture (chairside) .....	No Cost
D5741	Reline mandibular partial denture (chairside) .....	No Cost
D5750	Reline complete maxillary denture (laboratory) .....	\$35.00
D5751	Reline complete mandibular denture (laboratory) ..	\$35.00
D5760	Reline maxillary partial denture (laboratory) .....	\$35.00
D5761	Reline mandibular partial denture (laboratory) .....	\$35.00
D5765	Soft liner for complete or partial removable denture - indirect .....	\$35.00
D5820	Interim partial denture (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth), maxillary - <i>limited to 1 in any 12 consecutive months</i> .....	\$45.00
D5821	Interim partial denture (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth), mandibular - <i>limited to 1 in any 12 consecutive months</i> .....	\$45.00
D5850	Tissue conditioning, maxillary .....	No Cost
D5851	Tissue conditioning, mandibular .....	No Cost

**D5900-D5999 VII. MAXILLOFACIAL PROSTHETICS - Not Covered**

**D6000-D6199 VIII. IMPLANT SERVICES - Not Covered**

**D6200-D6999 IX. PROSTHODONTICS, fixed (each retainer and each pontic constitutes a unit in a fixed partial denture [bridge])**

*- When a crown and/or pontic exceeds six units in the same treatment plan, You may be charged an additional \$100.00 per unit, beyond the 6th unit.*

*- Replacement of a crown, pontic, inlay, onlay or stress breaker requires the existing bridge to be 5+ years old.*

D6210	Pontic - cast high noble metal .....	\$170.00
D6211	Pontic - cast predominantly base metal .....	\$70.00
D6212	Pontic - cast noble metal .....	\$110.00
D6240	Pontic - porcelain fused to high noble metal .....	\$195.00
D6241	Pontic - porcelain fused to predominantly base metal .....	\$95.00
D6242	Pontic - porcelain fused to noble metal .....	\$135.00
D6243	Pontic - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys .....	\$135.00
D6245	Pontic - porcelain/ceramic .....	\$195.00
D6250	Pontic - resin with high noble metal .....	\$155.00
D6251	Pontic - resin with predominantly base metal .....	\$55.00
D6252	Pontic - resin with noble metal .....	\$95.00
D6600	Retainer inlay - porcelain/ceramic, two surfaces ....	\$150.00
D6601	Retainer inlay - porcelain/ceramic, three or more surfaces .....	\$160.00
D6602	Retainer inlay - cast high noble metal, two surfaces .....	\$100.00
D6603	Retainer inlay - cast high noble metal, three or more surfaces .....	\$100.00
D6604	Retainer inlay - cast predominantly base metal, two surfaces .....	No Cost
D6605	Retainer inlay - cast predominantly base metal, three or more surfaces .....	No Cost
D6606	Retainer inlay - cast noble metal, two surfaces .....	\$40.00
D6607	Retainer inlay - cast noble metal, three or more surfaces .....	\$40.00
D6608	Retainer onlay - porcelain/ceramic, two surfaces ....	\$150.00

D6609	Retainer onlay - porcelain/ceramic, three or more surfaces .....	\$165.00
D6610	Retainer onlay - cast high noble metal, two surfaces .....	\$100.00
D6611	Retainer onlay - cast high noble metal, three or more surfaces .....	\$100.00
D6612	Retainer onlay - cast predominantly base metal, two surfaces .....	No Cost
D6613	Retainer onlay - cast predominantly base metal, three or more surfaces .....	No Cost
D6614	Retainer onlay - cast noble metal, two surfaces .....	\$40.00
D6615	Retainer onlay - cast noble metal, three or more surfaces .....	\$40.00
D6720	Retainer crown - resin with high noble metal .....	\$155.00
D6721	Retainer crown - resin with predominantly base metal .....	\$55.00
D6722	Retainer crown - resin with noble metal .....	\$95.00
D6740	Retainer crown - porcelain/ceramic .....	\$195.00
D6750	Retainer crown - porcelain fused to high noble metal .....	\$195.00
D6751	Retainer crown - porcelain fused to predominantly base metal .....	\$95.00
D6752	Retainer crown - porcelain fused to noble metal ...	\$135.00
D6753	Retainer crown - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys .....	\$195.00
D6780	Retainer crown - 3/4 cast high noble metal .....	\$170.00
D6781	Retainer crown - 3/4 cast predominantly base metal .....	\$70.00
D6782	Retainer crown - 3/4 cast noble metal .....	\$110.00
D6783	Retainer crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic .....	\$195.00
D6784	Retainer crown - 3/4 titanium and titanium alloys ..	\$170.00
D6790	Retainer crown - full cast high noble metal .....	\$170.00
D6791	Retainer crown - full cast predominantly base metal .....	\$70.00
D6792	Retainer crown - full cast noble metal .....	\$110.00
D6930	Re-cement or re-bond fixed partial denture .....	No Cost
D6940	Stress breaker .....	No Cost
D6980	Fixed partial denture repair necessitated by restorative material failure .....	\$10.00



**D7000-D7999 X. ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY**

- Includes pre-operative and post-operative evaluations and treatment under a local anesthetic.

D7111	Extraction, coronal remnants - primary tooth .....	No Cost
D7140	Extraction, erupted tooth or exposed root (elevation and/or forceps removal) .....	No Cost
D7210	Extraction, erupted tooth requiring removal of bone and/or sectioning of tooth, and including elevation of mucoperiosteal flap if indicated .....	\$15.00
D7220	Removal of impacted tooth - soft tissue .....	\$25.00
D7230	Removal of impacted tooth - partially bony .....	\$50.00
D7240	Removal of impacted tooth - completely bony .....	\$70.00
D7241	Removal of impacted tooth - completely bony, with unusual surgical complications .....	\$90.00
D7250	Removal of residual tooth roots (cutting procedure) .....	No Cost
D7251	Coronectomy - intentional partial tooth removal, impacted teeth only .....	\$90.00
D7252	Partial extraction for immediate implant placement - <i>Once in a lifetime</i> .....	\$15.00
D7270	Tooth reimplantation and/or stabilization of accidentally evulsed or displaced tooth .....	\$50.00
D7280	Exposure of an unerupted tooth .....	\$85.00
D7282	Mobilization of erupted or malpositioned tooth to aid eruption .....	\$85.00
D7283	Placement of device to facilitate eruption of impacted tooth .....	No Cost
D7284	Excisional biopsy of minor salivary glands - <i>does not include pathology laboratory procedures</i> .....	No Cost
D7286	Incisional biopsy of oral tissue - soft - <i>does not include pathology laboratory procedures</i> .....	No Cost
D7310	Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extractions - four or more teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant .....	No Cost
D7311	Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extractions - one to three teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant .....	No Cost
D7320	Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - four or more teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant ...	No Cost
D7321	Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - one to three teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant ...	No Cost
D7450	Removal of benign odontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm .....	No Cost

D7451	Removal of benign odontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm .....	No Cost
D7471	Removal of lateral exostosis (maxilla or mandible) .	No Cost
D7472	Removal of torus palatinus .....	No Cost
D7473	Removal of torus mandibularis .....	No Cost
D7509	Marsupialization of odontogenic cyst .....	No Cost
D7510	Incision and drainage of abscess - intraoral soft tissue .....	No Cost
D7922	Placement of intra-socket biological dressing to aid in hemostasis or clot stabilization, per site .....	No Cost
D7961	Buccal/labial frenectomy (frenulectomy) .....	No Cost
D7962	Lingual frenectomy (frenulectomy) .....	No Cost
D7970	Excision of hyperplastic tissue - per arch .....	\$50.00
D7971	Excision of pericoronal gingiva .....	\$50.00

**D8000-D8999                    XI. ORTHODONTICS**

- *The listed Copayment for each phase of orthodontic treatment (limited, interceptive or comprehensive) covers up to 24 months of active treatment. Beyond 24 months, an additional monthly fee, not to exceed \$125.00, may apply.*

- *The Retention Copayment includes adjustments and/or office visits up to 24 months.*

***Pre and post orthodontic records include:***

*The Benefit for pre-treatment records and diagnostic services includes: ..... \$200.00*

D0210	Intraoral - comprehensive series of radiographic images - <i>limited to 1 of (D0210 or D0330) per 24 months. Either one (1) D0210 or one (1) D0330 permitted</i>	
D0322	Tomographic survey	
D0330	Panoramic radiographic image - <i>limited to 1 of (D0210 or D0330) per 24 months. Either one (1) D0210 or one (1) D0330 permitted</i>	
D0340	2D cephalometric radiographic image - acquisition, measurement and analysis	
D0350	2D oral/facial photographic images obtained intra-orally or extra-orally	
D0396	3D printing of a 3D dental surface scan	
D0470	Diagnostic casts	

- D0801 3D intraoral surface scan - direct
- D0802 3D dental surface scan - indirect
- D0803 3D facial surface scan - direct
- D0804 3D facial surface scan - indirect

*The Benefit for post-treatment records includes: ....* \$70.00

- D0210 Intraoral - comprehensive series of radiographic images - *limited to 1 of (D0210 or D0330) per 24 months. Either one (1) D0210 or one (1) D0330 permitted*
- D0470 Diagnostic casts
  
- D8010 Limited orthodontic treatment of the primary dentition ..... \$950.00
- D8020 Limited orthodontic treatment of the transitional dentition - *child or adolescent to age 19* ..... \$950.00
- D8030 Limited orthodontic treatment of the adolescent dentition - *adolescent to age 19* ..... \$950.00
- D8040 Limited orthodontic treatment of the adult dentition - *adults, including covered dependent adult children* ..... \$1,150.00
- D8070 Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the transitional dentition - *child or adolescent to age 19* .....\$1,700.00
- D8080 Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the adolescent dentition - *adolescent to age 19* .....\$1,700.00
- D8090 Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the adult dentition - *adults, including covered dependent adult children* .....\$1,900.00
- D8091 Comprehensive orthodontic treatment with orthognathic surgery - *adults, including covered dependent adult children* .....\$2,190.00
- D8660 Pre-orthodontic treatment examination to monitor growth and development ..... \$25.00
- D8680 Orthodontic retention (removal of appliances, construction and placement of *removable* retainers) ..... \$275.00
- D8681 Removable orthodontic retainer adjustment ..... No Cost
- D8999 Unspecified orthodontic procedure, by report - *includes treatment planning session* ..... \$100.00

**D9000-D9999****XII. ADJUNCTIVE GENERAL SERVICES**

D9110	Palliative treatment of dental pain - per visit .....	\$5.00
D9211	Regional block anesthesia .....	No Cost
D9212	Trigeminal division block anesthesia .....	No Cost
D9215	Local anesthesia in conjunction with operative or surgical procedures .....	No Cost
D9219	Evaluation for moderate sedation, deep sedation or general anesthesia .....	No Cost
D9222	Deep sedation/general anesthesia - first 15 minutes .....	\$80.00
D9223	Deep sedation/general anesthesia - each subsequent 15 minute increment .....	\$80.00
D9239	Intravenous moderate (conscious) sedation/analgesia - first 15 minutes .....	\$80.00
D9243	Intravenous moderate (conscious) sedation/analgesia - each subsequent 15 minute increment ..	\$80.00
D9310	Consultation - diagnostic service provided by dentist or physician other than requesting dentist or physician .....	No Cost
D9311	Consultation with a medical health care professional .....	No Cost
D9430	Office visit for observation (during regularly scheduled hours) - no other services performed ....	\$5.00
D9440	Office visit - after regularly scheduled hours .....	\$20.00
D9450	Case presentation, subsequent to detailed and extensive treatment planning .....	No Cost
D9912	Pre-visit patient screening .....	No Cost
D9932	Cleaning and inspection of removable complete denture, maxillary .....	No Cost
D9933	Cleaning and inspection of removable complete denture, mandibular .....	No Cost
D9934	Cleaning and inspection of removable partial denture, maxillary .....	No Cost
D9935	Cleaning and inspection of removable partial denture, mandibular .....	No Cost
D9943	Occlusal guard adjustment .....	\$10.00
D9944	Occlusal guard - hard appliance, full arch - <i>limited to 1 D9944, D9945 or D9946 in 3 years</i> .....	\$95.00
D9945	Occlusal guard - soft appliance, full arch - <i>limited to 1 D9944, D9945 or D9946 in 3 years</i> .....	\$95.00

D9946	Occlusal guard - hard appliance, partial arch - <i>limited to 1 D9944, D9945 or D9946 in 3 years</i> .....	\$95.00
D9951	Occlusal adjustment, limited .....	\$20.00
D9952	Occlusal adjustment, complete .....	\$40.00
D9975	External bleaching for home application, per arch; includes materials and fabrication of custom trays - <i>limited to one bleaching tray and gel for two weeks of self-treatment</i> .....	\$125.00
D9986	Missed appointment - <i>without 24 hour notice - per 15 minutes of appointment time</i> .....	\$10.00
D9987	Canceled appointment - <i>without 24 hour notice - per 15 minutes of appointment time</i> .....	\$10.00
D9990	Certified translation or sign-language services - per visit .....	No Cost
D9991	Dental case management - addressing appointment compliance barriers .....	No Cost
D9992	Dental case management - care coordination .....	No Cost
D9995	Teledentistry - synchronous; real-time encounter ...	No Cost
D9996	Teledentistry - asynchronous; information stored and forwarded to Dentist for subsequent review ....	No Cost
D9997	Dental case management - Patients with special Health Care Needs .....	No Cost

If services for a listed procedure are performed by the Contract Dentist, You pay the specified Copayment. Listed procedures which require a Dentist to provide Specialist Services and are referred by the Contract Dentist must be authorized by Us. You pay the Copayment(s) specified for such services.

## SCHEDULE B

### Limitations and Exclusions of Benefits

#### Limitations

1. The frequency of certain Benefits is limited. All frequency limitations are listed in *Schedule A, Description of Benefits and Copayments*.
2. If You accept a treatment plan from the Dentist that includes any combination of more than six crowns, bridge pontics and/or bridge retainers, You may be charged an additional \$100.00 above the listed Copayment for each of these services after the sixth unit has been provided.
3. General anesthesia and/or intravenous sedation/analgesia is limited to treatment by a contracted oral surgeon and in conjunction with an approved referral for the removal of one or more partial or full bony impactions (Procedures D7230, D7240, and D7241).
4. Benefits provided by a pediatric Dentist are limited to children through age 13 less applicable Copayments. Exceptions for medical conditions, regardless of age limitation, will be considered on an individual basis.
5. Your cost for receiving orthodontic treatment when coverage is cancelled or terminated for any reason will be based on the Contract Orthodontist's submitted fee for the treatment plan. The Contract Orthodontist will prorate the amount for the number of months remaining to complete treatment. You make payment directly to the Contract Orthodontist as arranged.
6. Orthodontic treatment in progress is available to You, if at the time of Your original effective date, You are in active treatment started under Your previous group dental plan, as long as You continue to be eligible under the DeltaCare USA Plan. Active treatment means tooth movement has begun. You are responsible for all Copayments and fees subject to the provisions of Your prior dental plan. We are financially responsible only for amounts unpaid by the prior dental plan for qualifying orthodontic cases.
7. Teledentistry services provided by a Dentist other than Your Contract Dentist are considered Out-of-Network and may result in an out-of-pocket cost to You.

8. Coverage for orthodontic treatment is limited to conventional orthodontic services, which includes clear aligner therapy (e.g., Invisalign<sup>TM</sup> and Sure Smile<sup>TM</sup>). We consider lingual brackets, clear (composite or ceramic) brackets to be specialized services. When treatment using lingual brackets or clear (composite or ceramic) brackets is provided, We will make an allowance for conventional orthodontic services. You are responsible for Your Copayment for the conventional orthodontic treatment plus the additional fees related to the specialized services (lingual brackets or clear brackets).
9. X-ray Limitations:
- When the frequencies for the comprehensive radiographic images (D0210) and panoramic images (D0330) differ, the least restrictive frequency will apply.
  - Panoramic images are not considered part of a comprehensive intraoral series.
  - Bitewing x-rays of any type are included in the fee of a comprehensive series when taken within 6 months of the comprehensive images.
  - Bitewing x-rays are limited to two images for under age 10.
  - Image capture procedures are not separately billable services.

## Exclusions

1. Any procedure that is not specifically listed under *Schedule A, Description of Benefits and Copayments*.
2. Any procedure that in the professional opinion of the Contract Dentist:
  - \* has poor prognosis for a successful result and reasonable longevity based on the condition of the tooth or teeth and/or surrounding structures, **or**
  - \* is inconsistent with generally accepted standards for dentistry.
3. Services solely for cosmetic purposes, with the exception of procedure D9975 (External bleaching for home application, per arch), or for conditions that are a result of hereditary or developmental defects, such as cleft palate, upper and lower jaw malformations, congenitally missing teeth and teeth that are discolored or lacking enamel, except for the treatment of newborn children with congenital defects or birth abnormalities.
4. Porcelain crowns, porcelain fused to metal, cast metal or resin with metal type crowns and fixed partial dentures (bridges) for children under 16 years of age.
5. The replacement of lost or stolen appliances including, but not limited to, full or partial dentures, space maintainers, and crowns and fixed partial dentures (bridges).
6. Procedures, appliances or restorations if the purpose is to change vertical dimension, or to diagnose or treat abnormal conditions of the temporomandibular joint (TMJ).
7. Procedures that may include:
  - \* precious metal for removable appliances;
  - \* metallic or permanent soft bases for complete dentures;
  - \* porcelain denture teeth;
  - \* precision abutments for removable partials or fixed partial dentures including but not limited to overlays and related specialized appliances; and/or
  - \* personalization and characterization of complete and partial dentures.
8. Consultations for non-covered Benefits.
9. Dental services received from any dental facility other than the Contract Dentist, an authorized dental specialist, or a Contract Orthodontist except for *Emergency Services* as described in the Evidence of Coverage.



10. All related fees for admission, use, or stays in a hospital, out-patient surgery center, extended care facility, or other similar care facility.
11. Prescription drugs.
12. Dental expenses incurred in connection with any dental or orthodontic procedure started before Your eligibility with the DeltaCare USA Plan. Examples include: teeth prepared for crowns, root canals in progress, full or partial dentures for which an impression has been taken and orthodontics unless qualified for the orthodontic treatment in progress provision.
13. Lost, stolen or broken orthodontic appliances.
14. Changes in orthodontic treatment necessitated by accident of any kind.
15. Myofunctional and parafunctional appliances and/or therapies.
16. Treatment or appliances that are provided by a Contract Dentist whose practice specializes in prosthodontic services.
17. Orthodontic treatment must be provided by a licensed Dentist. Self-administered orthodontics are not covered.

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