

# PEDIATRIC DENTAL BENEFIT

For Dependents Younger than 12 Years Old

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Tufts Health Plan members younger than age 12 are covered for certain pediatric dental services when they are enrolled in a medical plan that includes the pediatric dental benefit.

No copayments apply for these services.

COVERED SERVICES	HOW OFTEN IS THE SERVICE COVERED?
<b>DIAGNOSTIC</b>	
Complete initial oral exam and charting	Once per dentist
Periodic oral exam	Once every six months
<b>X-RAYS</b>	
Full mouth (complete set of x-rays)	Once every five years
Bitewings (x-rays of back teeth)	Once every six months
Periapicals (single tooth x-rays)	As needed
<b>PREVENTIVE</b>	
Oral prophylaxis (cleaning, scaling and polishing of teeth)	Once every six months
Fluoride Treatment or Topical Fluoride Varnish	Once every six months

Delta Dental of Massachusetts will mail identification cards to Tufts Health Plan subscribers who have eligible children covered on their plan.

## HOW DO I FIND A DENTIST?

In order to take advantage of this benefit, you must utilize dentists in Massachusetts who participate in the Delta Dental PPO plan. To find a participating dentist, visit [www.deltadentalma.com](http://www.deltadentalma.com).

- 1 Click "Find a Dentist" in the left navigation, then "Find a dentist now!"
- 2 Click "Delta Dental PPO" under "Product Selection." You will need to select a dentist in Massachusetts.
- 3 Enter your location and distance preferences.
- 4 Click "Search for a Dentist."

Additionally, when making an appointment, we recommend that you confirm that the dentist still participates in the Delta Dental PPO network.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have questions about your coverage or would like an updated list of participating dentists, please call a **Delta Dental Customer Service Associate at 617-886-1234 or 800-872-0500.**

Tufts Health Plan members should ask for a provider in the Delta Dental PPO network when calling.

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