

Delta Dental PPO Network



The Delta Dental PPO network is a Preferred Provider Option (PPO) network, available to any employer group looking for an alternative to our traditional fee-for-service dental programs. It offers additional savings to your patients with options for enhanced benefits and lower out-of-pocket costs when plan members choose a Delta Dental PPO network dentist. More employers are choosing this option to retain better benefits for their employees.

Subscribers of our Delta Dental PPO plan may choose to receive services from any dentist and still receive benefits, however, out-of-pocket costs increase. Subscribers receive enhanced benefits and lower out-of-pocket costs when they received services from a Delta Dental PPO participating dentist. Members will have an employee ID card that identifies them as participating in the Delta Dental PPO program.

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Participation in the Delta Dental PPO network requires an additional agreement between Delta Dental and the dentist. The agreement states that the participating Delta Dental PPO dentist will accept payments based on the Delta Dental PPO fee maximum, which is discounted rather than Delta Dental's standard customary fee maximum.

Participation in Delta Dental PPO network automatically enrolls you in the Delta Dental's PPO national network of participating dentists. As a member of this network, you are assured direct payment even if another Delta Dental administers the patient's dental program. You also have access to benefits and eligibility on a local and national basis.

Provider Participation Requirements

Dentists interested in participating in the Delta Dental PPO network must also participate in the Delta Dental Premier network, and they must sign a Delta Dental PPO network dentist agreement. No other paperwork or credentialing is necessary.

Network Dentist Reimbursement

Payment of the dental plan benefit is made directly to the participating dentist. The plan's payment is based on the allowed amount after deductibles and coinsurance. The allowed amount is determined by taking the lesser of the submitted amount, the dentist's pre-filed fee allowance, and the Delta Dental PPO maximum allowable fee table. Delta Dental PPO dentists agree by their contract to accept this reimbursement as payment in full for services covered under the plan.

As with all DDNE networks, this fee table is not published. However, a network representative can assist you in determining how your fees generally compare to the Delta Dental PPO reimbursement table.

Additional Information Request

If you would like to talk to a representative about provider participation or any other questions regarding the plan, please call:

Network Representative:
651-406-5900, ext. 4170
or 800-328-1188, ext. 4170