

Delta Dental Premier Network



Delta Dental of Nebraska is one of the largest non-profit dental benefits providers in Nebraska. Approximately 70% of all practicing Nebraska dentists are members of the Delta Dental Premier network. This network provides dental care to plan members who participate in Delta Dental's local and national dental plans.

Advantages of becoming a Delta Dental Premier network provider include:

- ◆ Automatic participation in the national participating provider network
- ◆ Opportunity to gain new patients and retain existing patients covered by one of DDNE's many group and individual dental plans
- ◆ Great marketing opportunities by having your name and dental practice in the directory that is distributed to plan members.
- ◆ Swift claims payment
- ◆ Payment of claims issued directly to the participating dentist instead of to the plan member.
- ◆ Access to the DDNE's local and national website, which allows your office to check patient eligibility, benefits, and claim status.

Provider Participation Requirements

Any licensed dentist in Nebraska is eligible to become a DDNE participating dentist to serve Nebraska and national Delta Dental members.

Dentists interested in participating in the Delta Dental Premier network must complete the following information before active participation is considered:

- DDNE Membership and Participation Provider Agreement
- Provider and Facility Credentialing Standards
- Specialty Declaration Process
- Confidential Filed Fee Schedule
- W-9 Taxpayer Identification Number
- National Provider Identification (NPI) Number
- Statement of Provider Consent
- Signature on File

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 Premier maximum allowable fee table. Delta Dental Premier 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 Premier 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