

# A DENTAL PLAN THAT FITS YOUR NEEDS

## The Cigna Dental Care Plan<sup>®1</sup> W1-09



**THIS MATRIX IS INTENDED TO BE USED TO HELP YOU COMPARE COVERAGE BENEFITS AND IS A SUMMARY ONLY. THE EVIDENCE OF COVERAGE AND HEALTH SERVICES AGREEMENT SHOULD BE CONSULTED FOR A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF COVERAGE BENEFITS AND LIMITATIONS.**

Regular dental care is important for a healthy smile and a healthy body. With the Cigna Dental Care plan, you get comprehensive dental coverage that's easy to use. This overview shows you a sampling of covered services and your estimated costs with and without dental coverage. For a full listing of covered services, please call Customer Service at **800.Cigna24 (800.244.6224)**.

### Get the most value from your plan

With the Cigna Dental Care plan, some preventive services are covered at no extra cost to you. The plan also covers many other dental services that can help your mouth stay healthy.

The Cigna Dental Care plan being offered to you is a copayment plan. This means when you get a dental service with a dentist in your plan's network, you pay a fixed dollar amount to the dentist for the covered service, in addition to any allowable charge for upgraded materials (such as gold, high noble metal or porcelain used in molar restorations), CAD/CAM services, complex rehabilitation. There are no annual dollar maximums and no deductibles to meet before coverage begins!

Review your plan materials for more information about how your plan works. If you have questions before enrollment, call **800.Cigna24 (800.244.6224)** and select the "Enrollment Information" prompt.

### Choosing a Dentist

- › You must choose a network general dentist to manage your overall care. You won't be covered if you go to a dentist who's not in our network.<sup>2</sup>
- › Each family member can choose their own dentist
- › Referrals are required for specialty care services, except for pediatric dentists for children under 13 and orthodontics.\*

### Finding a network dentist is easy.

Visit **Cigna.com** to find a network general dentist before enrollment.

Call 800.Cigna24 (800.244.6224) to speak with a customer service representative. You can ask for a dental directory to be sent to you via email

\* Coverage for treatment by a pediatric dentist ends on your child's 13th birthday. Effective on your child's 13th birthday, dental services generally must be obtained from a network general dentist.

**Together, all the way.<sup>®</sup>**



**Offered by: Cigna Health and Life Insurance Company or its affiliates.**

## WHAT YOU'LL PLAY<sup>3</sup>

Sampling of covered procedures	With Cigna Dental Care	Without dental coverage
Adult cleaning (two per calendar year – each at \$0) (additional cleanings available at \$45.00 each)	\$0	\$76 - \$173
Child cleaning (two per calendar year – each at \$0) (additional cleanings available at \$30.00 each)	\$0	\$59 - \$135
Periodic oral evaluation	\$0	\$45 - \$100
Comprehensive oral evaluation	\$0	\$70 - \$159
Topical application of fluoride (two per calendar year – each at \$0) (additional topical application of fluoride available at \$15.00 each)	\$0	\$31 - \$70
X-rays – (bitewings) 2 films	\$0	\$37 - \$84
X-rays – panoramic film	\$0	\$93 - \$211
Sealant – per tooth	\$17.00	\$46 - \$105
Amalgam filling (silver colored) – 2 surfaces	\$22.00	\$130 - \$296
Composite filling (tooth – colored) – 1 surface, Anterior	\$22.00	\$132 - \$301
Molar root canal (excluding final restoration)	\$530.00	\$936 - \$2,133
Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the adolescent dentition – Banding	\$515.00	\$1,078 - \$2,455
Periodontal (gum) scaling & root planning – 1 quadrant	\$115.00	\$206 - \$461
Periodontal (gum) maintenance	\$78.00	\$119 - \$271
Removal/extraction of erupted tooth	\$53.00	\$38 - \$214
Removal/extraction of impacted tooth – completely bony	\$230.00	\$406 - \$920
Crown – porcelain fused to high noble metal*	\$470.00	\$936 - \$2,130
Implant supported retainer for porcelain fused to metal fixed partial denture*	\$770.00	\$1,203 - \$2,740
Occlusal appliance, by report (for treatment of TMJ)	\$455.00	\$814 - \$1,852

\*The co-payments for fixed and removable restorations (crowns, bridges, implant/abutment supported prosthetics, complete and partial dentures) do not include additional charges for material upgrades (such as gold/high noble metal or porcelain used in molar restorations), CAD/CAM services, complex rehabilitation or characterizations (for dentures). Any additional allowable charge for these upgrades is the patient's responsibility as specifically outlined in your Patient Charge Schedule (PCS). For questions regarding these charges you may contact Customer Service at 800.Cigna24 (800.244.6224). Please refer to your PCS for full details.

## Limitations

PROCEDURE	LIMIT
Oral evaluations	Oral evaluations are limited to a combined total of 4 of the following evaluations during a 12 consecutive month period: Periodic oral evaluations (D0120), comprehensive oral evaluations (D0150), comprehensive periodontal evaluations (D0180), and oral evaluations for patients under 3 years of age (D0145)
X-rays (non-routine)	Full mouth: 1 every 3 calendar years Panorex: 1 every 3 calendar years
Periodontal root planing and scaling	Limited to once per quadrant per consecutive 12 months
Periodontal maintenance	Limited to 4 per year and (Only covered after active periodontal therapy)
Crowns and inlays	Replacement 1 every 5 years
Bridges	Replacement 1 every 5 years
Dentures and partials	Replacement 1 every 5 years
Orthodontic treatment	Coverage is provided for twenty-four (24) months of active treatment. Cases beyond 24 months require an additional payment by the patient.

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Relines, rebases	One every 24 months
Denture adjustments	Four within the first 6 months after installation
Prosthesis over implant	Replacement 1 every 5 years if unserviceable and cannot be repaired
TMJ treatment	One occlusal orthotic device per 24 months
Athletic mouth guard	One athletic mouth guard per 12 months
General anesthesia/IV sedation	General anesthesia/IV sedation: coverage is provided when medically necessary for covered surgical procedures listed on the Patient Charge Schedule. Clinical guidelines related to the use of general anesthesia/IV sedation should be discussed with your treating network specialist.

**Listed below are the services or expenses which are NOT covered under your Dental plan. You will be responsible for these services at the dentist's usual fees. There's no coverage for:**

- › Services for or in connection with an injury arising out of, or in the course of, any employment for wage or profit
- › Charges which would not have been made in any facility, other than a hospital or a correctional institution owned or operated by the United States government or by a state or municipal government if the person had no insurance
- › Services received to the extent that payment is unlawful where the person resides when the expenses are incurred or the services are received
- › Services for the charges which the person is not legally required to pay
- › Charges which would not have been made if the person had no insurance
- › Services received due to injuries which are intentionally self-inflicted
- › Services not listed on the PCS
- › Services provided by a non-network dentist without Cigna Dental's prior approval (except emergencies, as described in your plan documents)<sup>3</sup>
- › Replacement of fixed and/or removable appliances (including fixed and removable orthodontic appliances) that have been lost, stolen, or damaged due to patient abuse, misuse or neglect
- › Any services related to surgical implants, including placement, repair, maintenance, removal, and implant abutment(s) unless specifically listed on your PCS considered unnecessary or experimental in nature or do not meet commonly accepted dental standards
- › Procedures or appliances for minor tooth guidance or to control harmful habits
- › Services and supplies received from a hospital
- › Services to the extent you or your enrolled dependent are compensated under any group medical plan, no-fault auto insurance policy, or uninsured motorist policy.<sup>5</sup>
- › Services related to an injury or illness paid under workers' compensation, occupational disease or similar laws
- › Services provided or paid by or through a federal or state governmental agency or authority, political subdivision or a public program, other than Medicaid
- › Services required while serving in the armed forces of any country or international authority or relating to a declared or undeclared war or acts of war<sup>4</sup>
- › Services performed primarily for cosmetic reasons unless specifically listed on your PCS
- › General anesthesia, sedation and nitrous oxide, unless specifically listed on your PCS
- › General anesthesia or IV sedation when used for the purpose of anxiety control or patient management
- › Prescription medications
- › Procedures, appliances or restorations if the main purpose is to: a. change vertical dimension (degree of separation of the jaw when teeth are in contact); b. restore teeth which have been damaged by attrition, abrasion, erosion and/or abfraction
- › Intentional root canal treatment in the absence of injury or disease to solely facilitate a restorative procedure
- › Services performed by a prosthodontist
- › Localized delivery of antimicrobial agents when performed alone or in the absence of traditional periodontal therapy
- › Any localized delivery of antimicrobial agent procedures when more than eight of these procedures are reported on the same date of service
- › Infection control and/or sterilization
- › The recementation of any inlay, onlay, crown, post and core or fixed bridge within 180 days of initial placement
- › The recementation of any implant supported prosthesis (including crowns, bridges and dentures) within 180 days of initial placement

- The completion of crowns, bridges, dentures, or root canal treatment already in progress on the effective date of your Cigna Dental coverage<sup>6</sup>
- The completion of implant supported prosthesis (including crowns, bridges and dentures) already in progress on the effective date of your Cigna Dental coverage, unless specifically listed on your PCS<sup>6</sup>
- Consultations and/or evaluations associated with services that are not covered
- Endodontic treatment and/or periodontal (gum tissue and supporting bone) surgery of teeth exhibiting a poor or hopeless periodontal prognosis
- Bone grafting and/or guided tissue regeneration when performed at the site of a tooth extraction unless specifically listed on your PCS
- Bone grafting and/or guided tissue regeneration when performed in conjunction with an apicoectomy or periradicular surgery
- Services to correct congenital malformations, including the replacement of congenitally missing teeth
- The replacement of an occlusal guard (night guard) beyond one per any 24 consecutive month period, when this limitation is noted on the PCS
- Crowns, bridges and/or implant supported prosthesis used solely for splinting
- Resin bonded retainers and associated pontics
- As to orthodontic treatment: incremental costs associated with optional/elective materials; orthognathic surgery appliances to guide minor tooth movement or correct harmful habits; and any services which are not typically included in orthodontic treatment.

If any law requires coverage for any particular service(s) noted above, the exclusion or limitation for that service(s) does not apply.

**This document outlines the highlights of your plan. For a complete list of both covered and non-covered services, including benefits required by your state, see your official plan documents (the Group Contract and Plan Booklet/ Combined Evidence of Coverage and Disclosure Form/Certificate of Coverage). If there are any differences between the information contained here and the plan documents, the information in the plan documents takes precedence.**



1. "Cigna Dental Care" is the brand name used to refer to product designs that may differ by state of residence of enrollee, including but not limited to, prepaid plans, managed care (including Dental HMO) plans, and plans with open access features. Cigna Dental Care plans are not available in all states.
2. A benefit is paid for covered out-of-network emergency dental care. Certain states mandate coverage for dental care received out-of-network. For example, in Minnesota, the plan will pay 50% of the value of your network benefit for covered out-of-network services. In Oklahoma, the plan will pay the same amount it pays network dentists for covered out-of-network services. You are responsible for any charges not covered by the plan. Other states may have similar mandates. Refer to your plan documents for cost and coverage details.
3. Costs listed for the Cigna Dental Care plan do not vary. Estimated costs without dental coverage may vary based on location and dentists' actual charges. These estimated costs are based on charges submitted to Cigna in 2019/2020 and are intended to reflect national average charges as of July 2021 assuming an annual cost increase of three percent. Estimates have been adjusted to reflect the 2021 Cigna Dental Care geographical membership distribution. Office visit fee may also apply.
4. **Oklahoma residents:** This exclusion is replaced by the following: War or act of war (whether declared or undeclared) while serving in the military or an auxiliary unit attached to the military or working in an area of war whether voluntarily or as required by an employer.
5. **Arizona and Pennsylvania residents:** This exclusion does not apply. **Kentucky and North Carolina residents:** Services compensated under no-fault auto insurance policies or uninsured motorist policies are not excluded. **Maryland residents:** Services compensated under group medical plans are not excluded.
6. **California and Texas residents:** Treatment for conditions already in progress on the effective date of your coverage are not excluded if otherwise covered under your PCS.

Dentists who participate in Cigna's network are independent contractors solely responsible for the treatment provided to their patients. They are not agents of Cigna.

Cigna Dental Care plans are insured by Cigna Dental Health Plan of Arizona, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of California, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Colorado, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Delaware, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Florida, Inc., **a Prepaid Limited Health Services Organization licensed under Chapter 636, Florida Statutes**, Cigna Dental Health of Kansas, Inc. (KS & NE), Cigna Dental Health of Kentucky, Inc. (KY & IL), Cigna Dental Health of Maryland, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Missouri, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of New Jersey, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of North Carolina, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Ohio, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Pennsylvania, Inc., Cigna Dental Health of Texas, Inc., and Cigna Dental Health of Virginia, Inc. In other states, Cigna Dental Care plans are insured by Cigna Health and Life Insurance Company or Cigna HealthCare of Connecticut, Inc., and administered by Cigna Dental Health, Inc. Policy forms: OK - HP-POL115; TN-HP-POL134/HC-CER17V1 et al.