Cigna Dental Benefit Summary TWU Local 100 Retirees Association DPPOH- High Plan w/Implants Effective Date 7/1/2023



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Receiving regular dental care can not only catch minor problems before they become major and expensive to treat - it may even help improve your overall health. Gum disease is increasingly being linked to complications for pre-term birth, heart disease, stroke, diabetes, osteoporosis and other health issues. That's why this dental plan includes Cigna Dental WellnessPlusSM features. When you or your family members receive any preventive care service in one plan year, the annual dollar maximum will increase in the following plan year. When you or your family members remain enrolled in the plan and continue to receive preventive care, the annual dollar maximum will increase in the following plan year, until it reaches the level specified below. Please refer to your plan materials for additional information on this plan feature. Your DPPO plan allows you to see any licensed dentist, but using an in-network dentist may minimize your out-of-pocket expenses

Cigna Dental PPO						
Network Options	In-Network: Total Cigna DPPO Network		Non-Network:			
Reimbursement Levels	Based on Contracted Fees		Maximum Allowable Charge			
Progressive Maximum Benefit: Progressive Benefit Year 2: Increase contingent up Progressive Benefit Year 3: Increase contingent up Progressive Benefit Year 4: Increase contingent up	on receiving Preventive Servi	ces in Plan Years 1 and 2.				
Calendar Year Benefits Maximum Applies to: Class I, II, III, IX expenses	Year 1: \$3000 Year:2:\$3150 Year 3 :\$3300 Year:4:\$3450		Year 1: \$3000 Year:2:\$3150 Year 3 :\$3300 Year:4:\$3450			
Calendar Year Deductible Individual Family	\$100 \$300		\$100 \$300			
Benefit Highlights	Plan Pays	You Pay	Plan Pays	You Pay		
Class I: Diagnostic & Preventive Oral Evaluations Prophylaxis: routine cleanings X-rays: routine X-rays: non-routine Fluoride Application Sealants: per tooth Space Maintainers: non-orthodontic Emergency Care to Relieve Pain	100% No Deductible	No Charge	100% No Deductible	No Charge		
Class II: Basic Restorative Restorative: fillings Root canal/Endodontics: minor and major Periodontics: minor and major Oral Surgery: simple extractions Oral Surgery: Except simple extractions Crowns: prefabricated stainless steel / resin Brush Biopsy	80% After Deductible	20% After Deductible	80% After Deductible	20% After Deductible		

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Class III: Major Restorative Crowns Inlays and Onlays Prosthesis Over Implant Crowns: permanent cast and porcelain Bridges and Dentures Surgical Extraction of Impacted wisdom Teeth Anesthetics Denture Relines, Rebases and Adjustments Repairs: Bridges, Crowns and Inlays Repairs: Dentures Dentures Bridges	60% After Deductible	40% After Deductible	60% After Deductible	40% After Deductible	
Class IX: Implants	60%	40%	60%	40%	
Calendar year plan max applies	After Deductible	After Deductible	After Deductible	After Deductible	
Benefit Plan Provisions:					
In-Network Reimbursement	For services provided by a Cigna Dental PPO network dentist, Cigna Dental will reimburse the dentist according to a Fee Schedule or Discount Schedule.				
Non-Network Reimbursement	For services provided by a non-network dentist, Cigna Dental will reimburse according to the Maximum Allowable Charge. The dentist may balance bill up to their usual fees.				
Cross Accumulation	All deductibles, plan maximums, and service specific maximums cross accumulate between in and out of network. Benefit frequency limitations are based on the date of service and cross accumulate between in and out of network.				
Calendar Year Benefits Maximum	The plan will only pay for covered charges up to the yearly Benefits Maximum, when applicable. Benefit-specific Maximums may also apply.				
Calendar Year Deductible	This is the amount you must pay before the plan begins to pay for covered charges, when applicable. Benefit-specific deductibles may also apply.				
Late Entrant Limitation Provision	There is no Late Entrant Provision on this plan				
Pretreatment Review	Pretreatment review is a	vailable on a voluntary bas	sis when dental work in ex	cess of \$200 is proposed.	
Alternate Benefit Provision	When more than one covered Dental Service could provide suitable treatment based on common dental standards, Cigna HealthCare will determine the covered Dental Service on which payment will be based and the expenses that will be included as Covered Expenses.				
Oral Health Integration Program (OHIP)	Cigna Dental Oral Health Integration Program offers enhanced dental coverage for customers with the following medical conditions: diabetes, heart disease, stroke, maternity, head and neck cancer radiation, organ transplants and chronic kidney disease. There's no additional charge for the program, those who qualify get reimbursed 100% of coinsurance for certain related dental procedures. Eligible customers can also receive guidance on behavioral issues related to oral health and discounts on prescription and non-prescription dental products. Reimbursements under this program are not subject to the annual deductible, but will be applied to and are subject to the plan annual maximum. Discounts on certain prescription and non-prescription dental products are available through Cigna Home Delivery Pharmacy only, and you are required to pay the entire discounted charge. For more information including how to enroll in this program and a complete list of program terms and eligible medical conditions, go to www.mycigna.com or call customer service 24/7 at 1.800.CIGNA24.				
Timely Filing	Out of network claims su	ibmitted to Cigna after 365	days from date of service	will be denied.	
Benefit Limitations:					
Missing Tooth Limitation	There is no Missing Tooth Provision on this plan				
Oral Evaluations	2 per calendar year				
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X-rays (routine)	Bitewings: 2 per calendar year	
X-rays (non-routine)	Complete series of radiographic images and panoramic radiographic images: Limited to a combined total of 1 per 36 months	
Cleanings	2 per calendar year, including periodontal maintenance procedures following active therapy	
Fluoride Application	1 per calendar year for children under age 19	
Sealants (per tooth)	Limited to posterior tooth. 1 treatment per tooth every 36 months for children under age 14	
Space Maintainers	Limited to non-orthodontic treatment for children under age 19	
Inlays, Crowns, Bridges, Dentures and Partials	Replacement every 60 months if unserviceable and cannot be repaired. Benefits are based on the amount payable for non-precious metals. No porcelain or white/tooth-colored material on molar crowns or bridges.	
Denture and Bridge Repairs	Reviewed if more than once	
Denture Relines, Rebases and Adjustments	Covered if more than 6 months after installation	
Prosthesis Over Implant	Replacement every 60 months if unserviceable and cannot be repaired. Benefits are based on the amount payable for non-precious metals. No porcelain or white/tooth-colored material on molar crowns or bridges.	

Benefit Exclusions:

Covered Expenses will not include, and no payment will be made for the following:

Procedures and services not included in the list of covered dental expenses;

Diagnostic: cone beam imaging; Preventive Services: instruction for plaque control, oral hygiene and diet;

Restorative: veneers of porcelain, ceramic, resin, or acrylic materials on crowns or pontics on or replacing the upper and or lower first, second and/or third molars;

Periodontics: bite registrations; splinting;

Prosthodontic: precision or semi-precision attachments; initial placement of a complete or partial denture per plan guidelines;

Procedures, appliances or restorations, except full dentures, whose main purpose is to: change vertical dimension; diagnose or treat conditions or dysfunction of the temporomandibular joint (TMJ); stabilize periodontally involved teeth; or restore occlusion;

Athletic mouth guards; services performed primarily for cosmetic reasons; personalization; replacement of an appliance per benefit guidelines;

Services that are deemed to be medical in nature; services and supplies received from a hospital; Drugs: prescription drugs

Charges in excess of the Maximum Allowable Charge.

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