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PPONEW MEXICO
is designed to offer Plan Participants comprehensive dental benefits, affordable Plan contributions, and savings at the time services are received.

PLAN PARTICIPANTS

- have direct access to any dental provider, with no referrals required and no “closed” provider panels,
- never have to pre-select a dentist and may use a different dentist for every family member,
- are initially responsible only for co-payments and deductibles, if any.

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- is offered exclusively to Plan Participants covered by the State of New Mexico General Services Department/Risk Management Division dental Plan which is administered by Delta Dental of New Mexico,
- is a preferred provider network with over 750 points of access in New Mexico.

PPONEW MEXICO DENTISTS

- have specifically agreed to a **PPONew Mexico** fee schedule,
- will not bill Plan Participants for any amount over the **PPONew Mexico** Maximum Approved Fees for covered services, which protects them from “balance bill” charges that can apply Out-of-Network,
- have agreed to bill Delta Dental first for covered services, avoiding the need for Plan Participants to pay first and wait for reimbursement.

How Benefit Payment is based

In-Network — PPONew Mexico Participating Dentists

Fee schedule agreements (Maximum Approved Fees) result in lower charges for dental services, so Plan Participants save when a **PPONew Mexico** dentist is selected. In addition, benefit levels are enhanced In-Network. Although the **PPONew Mexico** network may not include specialty dentists in every category in every area, most services are available In-Network.

*For maximum savings, select participating dentists, including specialists, whenever possible.
To locate a PPONew Mexico dentist, logon to www.deltadentalnm.com and click on the Dentist Search link.*

Out-of-Network (non-participating) Delta Dental dentists

- Not all Delta Dental dentists participate in **PPONew Mexico**. *Covered services received from dentists who do not participate in PPONew Mexico are subject to Out-of-Network benefits levels.* Be sure to ask if your dentist is part of **PPONew Mexico**.
- In addition to the difference in benefit levels, Plan Participants pay any difference between Delta Dental Premier costs and **PPONew Mexico** Maximum Approved Fees. Plan Participants are protected, however, from balance billing for amounts above the Delta Dental Premier fee maximums.

Out-of-Network dentists not participating in any Delta Dental dentist network

- Benefits apply for covered services at a non-participating dentist, but **Maximum Approved Fees are greatly reduced for non-participating dentists.** Out-of-Pocket costs can be much higher.
- *Covered services received from these dentists are subject to Out-of-Network benefit levels,* and dentists may balance bill Plan Participants for any amounts not paid by the Plan.

Maximize benefits by selecting a PPONew Mexico dentist whenever possible.

If Out-of-Network services are received, help reduce additional out-of-pocket costs by selecting a Delta Dental Premier dentist.

**QUESTIONS? Call (505) 855-7111 or (877) 395-9420 toll free .
Log on to www.deltadentalnm.com and click Subscriber Materials in the
Subscribers section to view, save or print benefit documents.**



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SERVICES	In-Network	Out-of-Network
DIAGNOSTIC & PREVENTIVE SERVICES	Plan Pays 100% You Pay: 0%	Plan Pays 100% You Pay: 0% *
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Examinations - twice in a calendar year • Routine or Periodontal Cleanings – twice in a calendar year • X-rays: Full mouth - once every 5 years / Bitewing - twice in a calendar year • Fluoride Application- through age 18, twice in a calendar year • Emergency Treatment - for relief of pain • Sealants - through age 15, permanent molars only, 3 year limitation • Space Maintainers - through age 18, five year limitation 		
BASIC SERVICES	Plan Pays 80% You Pay: 20%	Plan Pays 55% You Pay: 45% *
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amalgam or composite resin fillings • Stainless steel crowns - primary teeth only • Extractions - non-surgical • Oral Surgery—maxillofacial surgical procedures of the oral cavity, including surgical extractions • Oral Surgery - maxillofacial surgical procedures of the oral cavity • Endodontics - pulp therapy and root canal filling • Periodontics - non-surgical and surgical treatment of gum disease • Repairs to crowns, implants, onlays, bridges, partial or complete dentures • Adjustments to partial or complete dentures • General Anesthesia - intravenous sedation and general anesthesia, when dentally necessary and administered by a licensed provider for a covered oral surgery procedure 		
MAJOR SERVICES	Plan Pays 60% You Pay: 40%	Plan Pays 35% You Pay: 65% *
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Onlays, Crowns and Cast Restorations - when teeth cannot be restored with amalgam or composite resin restorations • Prosthodontics - procedures for construction of fixed bridges, partials or complete dentures • Implants – specified services and related prosthodontics, subject to clinical review/approval 		
ORTHODONTIC SERVICES Children up to 18 th birthday	Plan Pays 75% up to a \$2000 lifetime maximum You Pay: 25% *	
Adults, 18 and over	Plan Pays 60% up to a \$1,750 lifetime maximum You Pay: 40% *	
CALENDAR YEAR DEDUCTIBLE (applies to Basic and Major Services)	You Pay: \$50 per enrolled person \$150 aggregate per family	
CALENDAR YEAR MAXIMUM (excludes expenses for Orthodontic Services)	Plan Pays up to: \$1750 per enrolled person	

* The payment percentages shown for Out-of-Network services are based on the Maximum Approved Fees applicable only to Out-of-Network dentists. Because of that, Plan participants who receive services from non-participating providers can have significant out-of-pocket costs **over and above** the percentage of co-payment shown. *For more information, refer to the important PPONew Mexico network facts shown on the previous page.*

To verify eligibility, confirm deductible or plan maximum status, or check on the status of a claim, logon to www.deltadentalnm.com and click on Consumer Toolkit in the Subscriber Section.

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