

**DELTA DENTAL PPO-EXCLUSIVE  
SUMMARY OF BENEFITS  
FOR COVERED EMPLOYEES OF:**

**City of Fond Du Lac**

*(See Dental Benefit Handbook for definitions of capitalized terms.)*

**GROUP NUMBER: 02224 - 00000**

**EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROGRAM: January 1, 2024**

**OPEN ENROLLMENT**

Changes in enrollment status will be considered during an Open Enrollment Period 30 days prior to the Contract renewal date, with changes becoming effective on the renewal date.

**WAITING PERIOD**

Employees and their Dependents who apply for coverage after their initial eligibility period or without a qualifying event (loss of spousal benefits, marriage, divorce, birth or adoption, or the loss of employee coverage through another insurer) will:

Wait until the next Open Enrollment Period.

**TERMS OF ELIGIBILITY**

Eligibility begins:

For eligible new employees, eligibility begins the first day of the month following the waiting period; unless hired on the first of the month, then eligibility begins the date of hire.

For eligible new employees, the waiting period is 0 days.

For employees enrolling their Dependents:

Dependent children are eligible through the end of the month in which they attain age 26, regardless of student status, or if age 26 and beyond, to the date they lose eligibility due to the Dependent's inability to meet all of the requirements in the Handbook.

Part-time employees are covered; minimum hours worked must average at least 20 per week.

## **DEDUCTIBLE LIMITATIONS**

Delta Dental shall not be obligated to pay any Deductible specified below.

The Deductible for Dental Procedures provided by Delta Dental PPO Providers is \$50 per Subscriber and per Covered Dependent, per Benefit Accumulation Period; however, no family will pay more than \$150 per Benefit Accumulation Period in Deductibles regardless of the number of family members covered.

The Deductible for Dental Procedures provided by Delta Dental Premier Providers is \$.00 per Subscriber and per Covered Dependent, per Benefit Accumulation Period; however, no family will pay more than \$.00 per Benefit Accumulation Period in Deductibles regardless of the number of family members covered.

The Deductible for Dental Procedures provided by Noncontracted Providers is \$.00 per Subscriber and per Covered Dependent, per Benefit Accumulation Period; however, no family will pay more than \$.00 per Benefit Accumulation Period in Deductibles regardless of the number of family members covered.

## **MAXIMUM BENEFIT**

The maximum total Benefit payable in any Benefit Accumulation Period is limited to the amount specified below.

The maximum total Benefit per Subscriber and per Covered Dependent, per Benefit Accumulation Period for Dental Procedures provided by Delta Dental PPO Providers is \$750, or \$.00 for Dental Procedures provided by Delta Dental Premier Providers, or \$.00 for Dental Procedures provided by Noncontracted Providers. In no case will the maximum total Benefit exceed \$750 regardless of the network chosen.

Benefit payments provided for evaluations, x-rays, prophylaxis, fluoride, space maintainers and sealants do not apply to the Maximum Benefit.

## **ORTHODONTIC MAXIMUM BENEFIT**

Delta Dental's obligation for orthodontic Benefits is limited to the maximum specified below.

This plan does not provide an orthodontic Benefit.

## **SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS, LIMITATIONS AND COVERAGE PERCENTAGE:**

This Contract provides the following Benefits subject to the Coverage percentage listed for each Benefit and subject to any applicable Deductible. The Coverage, Coinsurance percentages and application of deductible will apply only if the treating Provider is a Delta Dental PPO Provider at the time the Dental Procedure is completed.

For example, if the Coverage percentage shown is “80,” that Benefit is 80% of the Maximum Plan Allowance, after satisfaction of any applicable Deductible. In the same example, the Coinsurance (the amount the patient must pay) would be the remaining 20%.

If the Coverage percentage shown is “0”, that Benefit is not provided in the Group Contract.

The Benefit Accumulation Period begins on January 1, 2024, ends on December 31, 2024, and thereafter shall be the 12 month period beginning on January 1st.

**The Benefits listed below are only covered if  
the Dental Services are performed by a Delta Dental PPO Provider.**

<b>Does Deductible Apply Yes/No</b>	<b>Coverage Percentage</b>	<b>Benefit</b>
N	100	Evaluations two times per Benefit Accumulation Period.
N	100	Full mouth series x-rays at sixty month intervals; either individual images, or panoramic image, including bitewings.
N	100	Bitewing x-rays one time per Benefit Accumulation Period (limited to a set of four images).
N	100	Prophylaxis (teeth cleaning) or periodontal maintenance procedure two times per Benefit Accumulation Period.
Y	80	Prophylaxis. Periodontal maintenance procedure.
N	100	Topical fluoride applications two times per Benefit Accumulation Period for Covered Dependent children up to age 19.
N	100	Space maintainers for retaining space when a posterior primary tooth is prematurely lost.
Y	80	Emergency treatment to relieve pain.
N	100	Topical application of sealants for Covered Dependents up to age 19. Application is limited to the occlusal surface of bicuspids and molars which are free of decay and restorations. Benefits for sealants are limited to one application per tooth per lifetime.
Y	80	Amalgam (silver) restorations.

<b>Does Deductible Apply Yes/No</b>	<b>Coverage Percentage</b>	<b>Benefit</b>
Y	80	Composite (tooth colored) restorations for all teeth.
Y	80	Prefabricated crowns – one per tooth at three year intervals.
Y	80	Endodontics including root canal treatment.
Y	80	Surgical endodontic treatment.
Y	80	Non-surgical periodontics, including procedures necessary for the treatment of diseases of the gums and bone supporting the teeth. Benefit is limited to once per quadrant at 24 month intervals.
Y	80	Surgical periodontic treatment; benefit is limited to once per quadrant at 36 month intervals.
Y	80	Non-surgical extractions.
Y	80	Oral surgery (cutting procedures) and surgical extractions including pre-operative and post-operative care.
Y	50	<p>Crowns, inlays, or onlays are provided when teeth are broken down by dental decay or accidental injury and may no longer be restored adequately with a filling material. Coverage for the purpose of replacing a defective existing crown, inlay or onlay will be provided only after a five year period from the date on which the defective item was last supplied, whether or not Delta Dental paid for the original Dental Procedure as a Benefit under this Contract.</p> <p>Porcelain veneers on crowns are Benefits on all teeth.</p>

Does Deductible Apply Yes/No	Coverage Percentage	Benefit
Y	50	<p>Prosthetics, including fixed bridgework, implants, partial dentures, and complete dentures to replace missing permanent teeth. Coverage for the purpose of replacing a defective existing prosthetic will be provided only after a five year period from the date on which the defective item was last supplied, whether or not Delta Dental paid for the original Dental Procedure as a Benefit under this Contract.</p> <p>Porcelain veneers on crowns or pontics are Benefits on all teeth.</p> <p>Fixed bridges, implants, partial/complete dentures are provided where chewing function is impaired due to missing teeth. A fixed bridge or implant and implant related procedures may be a Benefit if no more than two teeth are missing in the dental arch in which the bridge or implant is proposed. Delta Dental will provide for replacement of missing teeth with the least elaborate procedure when three or more teeth are missing in the dental arch.</p> <p>Coverage for initial replacement of teeth is not limited to those lost while a Subscriber or Covered Dependent.</p>
Y	50	<p>Repairs and adjustments to prosthetic appliances. Denture relines or rebase is a Benefit at three year intervals.</p>

Does Deductible Apply Yes/No	Coverage Percentage	Benefit
N	0	<p>Orthodontic appliances, treatment and related services for orthodontic purposes including evaluation, x-rays, extractions, photographs, and study models, subject to the orthodontic maximum benefit.</p> <p>Repair or replacement of orthodontic appliances are not covered.</p> <p>Delta Dental calculates all orthodontic treatment schedules according to the following formula:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 25% of the total Maximum Plan Allowance (subject to the Coverage Percentage stated herein and any applicable Deductible) is considered the initial payment to be paid by Delta Dental, subject to the Coverage Percentage, any applicable Deductible and the orthodontic maximum Benefit stated herein.</li> <li>- The remainder of the Maximum Plan Allowance is divided by the months of treatment and the resulting amount is paid monthly by Delta Dental, subject to the Coverage Percentage, any applicable Deductible and the orthodontic maximum Benefit stated herein.</li> </ul> <p>If orthodontic treatment is stopped for any reason before it is complete, Delta Dental will suspend all monthly payments.</p> <p>Coverage includes orthodontic treatment in progress. Treatment is in progress if an appliance or banding has been placed and the patient is receiving treatment by the attending orthodontist according to a current treatment plan. Liability for orthodontic treatment in progress shall extend only to the unearned portion of the treatment in progress (that portion occurring after enrollment) and Delta Dental shall be the sole determinant of this unearned amount eligible for coverage. However, there are no Benefits available for Dental Procedures, including orthodontic treatment in progress, after coverage terminates.</p>

## **OPTIONAL PROCEDURES**

Delta Dental will pay the applicable Maximum Plan Allowance for the least expensive Dental Procedure that is adequate to restore the tooth or dental arch to contour and function, but only if the more expensive Dental Procedure is a Benefit of this Contract. The Subscriber or Covered Dependent will be responsible for either the remainder of the Provider's fee if a more expensive covered Dental Procedure is selected or the entire fee if the more expensive Dental Procedure is not a Benefit. The Coinsurance and Deductible will apply regardless of which Dental Procedure is selected.

**AMENDMENT  
TO  
SUMMARY OF BENEFITS  
FOR**

**City of Fond Du Lac  
02224 00000**

This Amendment modifies the group dental Benefits afforded by the Policy with Delta Dental of Wisconsin, Inc., and must be read in conjunction with the Handbook and Summary of Benefits. All terms and conditions of the Policy remain in effect, except as modified by this Amendment. Please read this Amendment carefully.

Please be advised that on January 1, 2024, the following Evidence-Based Integrated Care Plan (“EBICP”) Benefits are provided under your Policy. To participate in EBICP, eligible dental Policy enrollees or their Providers are required to set the appropriate health condition indicator online at [deltadentalwi.com](http://deltadentalwi.com) or a Delta Dental of Wisconsin representative will assist in setting the EBICP indicator by telephone. The EBICP Periodontal Disease health condition indicator will be automatically updated when non-surgical or surgical periodontal procedures are processed by Delta Dental of Wisconsin. This Amendment supersedes any previous amendment provided to you regarding EBICP.

The EBICP Benefits are as follows:

**Periodontal Disease**

1. With an indicator of surgical or non-surgical treatment of **Periodontal Disease**, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis.
2. With an indicator of surgical or non-surgical treatment of **Periodontal Disease**, a participant is eligible for topical fluoride application beyond the age limitation of the Master Group Contract.

**Diabetes**

1. With an indicator of a **Diabetes** diagnosis, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis.

**Pregnancy**

1. With an indicator of **Pregnancy**, a participant is eligible for one additional dental visit for adult prophylaxis or periodontal maintenance during the pregnancy.



## **High Risk Cardiac Conditions**

1. With an indicator for **High Risk Cardiac Conditions**, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis. High risk cardiac condition indicators are:
  - History of infective endocarditis
  - Certain congenital heart defects (such as having one ventricle instead of the normal two)
  - Individuals with artificial heart valves
  - Heart valve defects caused by acquired conditions like rheumatic heart disease
  - Hyper tropic cardiomyopathy which causes abnormal thickening of the heart muscle
  - Individuals with pulmonary shunts or conduits
  - Mitral valve prolapse with regurgitation (blood leakage)

## **Suppressed Immune System Conditions**

1. With an indicator for **Suppressed Immune System Conditions**, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis.
2. With an indicator of **Suppressed Immune System Conditions**, a participant is eligible for topical fluoride application beyond the age limitation of the Master Group Contract.

## **Kidney Failure or Dialysis Conditions**

1. With an indicator for **Kidney Failure or Dialysis Conditions**, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis.

## **Cancer Related Chemotherapy and/or Radiation**

1. With an indicator for **Cancer Related Chemotherapy and/or Radiation**, a participant is eligible for up to two additional dental visits in a Benefit year for periodontal maintenance or adult prophylaxis.
2. With an indicator of **Cancer Related Chemotherapy and/or Radiation**, a participant is eligible for topical fluoride application beyond the age limitation of the Master Group Contract.

**THIS AMENDMENT IS PART OF THE SUMMARY OF BENEFITS AND HANDBOOK REFERENCED  
HEREIN AND SHOULD BE KEPT WITH THOSE DOCUMENTS.**