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Effective Date: 07/01/2019

Plan Name: PPO plus Premier®

Base Plan - Group: #1331

DELTA DENTAL PPO PLUS PREMIER®		
Covered Services	PPO and Premier Dentist	Out-of-Network Dentist <sup>1</sup>
Annual Maximum Benefit (Combination of in and out-of-network) Calendar	\$1,000	\$1,000
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Fluoride: For children to age 18		
X-rays		
Space Maintainers		
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Fillings		
Stainless Steel Crowns		
Emergency Treatment	2242	
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Periodontics: Treatment of gum disease		
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Major Services	Delta	a Dental Pays
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Bridge and Denture Repair	500/ <sup>2</sup>	
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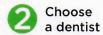
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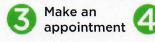
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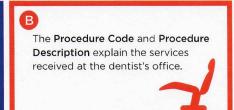
# **Understanding Your** Explanation of Benefits (EOB)

After a trip to the dentist's office, you'll likely receive an EOB from your dental benefits carrier explaining the procedures performed and what is covered by your dental plan.



This section contains subscriber and patient identification information, dentist name and the claim number, which you'll need to check on a claims status or dispute a claim.

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Submit Amount is the amount the dentist charged for the services.



Delta Dental Co-Pay

identifies the percent

the plan will cover

Patient Payment is

dentist. Your dentist

amount. Delta Dental

amount Delta Dental

paid your dentist for

should not bill you

more than this

Payment is the

the amount the

patient owes the

per procedure.

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The Approved **Amount** shows Delta Dental's contracted fees for each procedure.

# Allowed Amount

is the amount determined by the dental benefit plan. These amounts are often the same. If they differ, it's because of provisions in the contract your employer purchased.



If you have a procedure that is not completely covered by Delta Dental, the **Deductible Applied** is the amount applied to the service. You must pay the deductible before Delta Dental picks up its share of the tab (coinsurance).

# △ DELTA DENTAL

Delta Dental 123 Smile Street Chicago, IL 12345

John Doe 456 Any Street Chicago, IL 12345



1-2222-333-44 Claim Number: DELTA DENTAL PLANS ASSOC JOHN DOE Group Name: Subscriber: Subscriber ID# XXXXX5555 JANE DOE IRA M. DENTIST Dentist:

Other Carrier Paid: 0.00

0.00

**EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS \*\*THIS IS NOT A BILL\*\*** 



Proc. Code

120 EXAM

12/30/2014

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Procedure Description







41.00

















This section includes detail about Delta Dental's payment to your dentist.

175.00 175.00

49.00

Check Number CheckAmount SMILE DENTAL CARE

For Benefit Year: 01/01/2014 - 12/31/2014

The amount applied to this individual's benefit year deductible is: \$0.00

The amount applied to this individual's annual benefit year maximum is: \$647.70 The amount applied to this individual's orthodontic maximum benefit is: \$0.00

The amount applied to this individual's out-of-pocket limit is: \$0.00

\* Some EOBs will have additional messages to help patients understand why a procedure wasn't paid.

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