



Elderplan Plus Long Term Care - Plan 007

Plan description

One of the keys to good oral hygiene is making sure you have regular dental visits. Even if you wear dentures, getting your teeth and gums checked is very important and may help prevent many bigger medical conditions. Services such as cleanings, x-rays, and exams as well as fillings are covered at no cost to you!

Your plan follows the New York State Medicaid Management Information System handbook of rules. All plans that follow these rules use the same handbook to determine what dental services are 'essential' for your health and are covered.

There are no copayments for the below services.

Category	Covered Services	Frequency
Diagnostic & Preventive	Oral Exam	Once every 6 months
	Limited Oral Exam for Urgent Issue	Once every month
	Full Mouth Series or Panoramic X-Ray	Once every 36 months
	Single X-rays (<i>periapical</i>)	Not applicable
	Bitewing Series	Once every 6 months
	Prophylaxis (<i>cleaning</i>)	Once every 6 months
Basic Restorative	Fillings (<i>Silver or Tooth Colored</i>)	Once every 12 months, per tooth
Oral Surgery	Extractions	Once per lifetime, per tooth
	Full Bony Impacted Extraction	Once per lifetime, per tooth
*Endodontics	Root Canal Therapy: Anterior/Bicuspid/Molar	Once per lifetime, per tooth
*Periodontics	Periodontal Maintenance	Once every 6 months
	Scaling/Root Planing, per quadrant	Once every 24 months
*Prosthetics	Single Crowns	Once per 60 months, per tooth
	Post	Once per 60 months, per tooth
	Recementation, Crown	Not applicable
*Prosthetics Removable	Complete Upper and/or Lower Denture	Once per 48 months
	Partial Upper and/or Lower Denture	Once per 48 months
	Denture Adjustments	Once per 3 months
	Denture Rebase/Relines	Once per 36 months
	Denture Repairs	Once per 12 months

*Services like root canals, crowns, dentures, and partial dentures will only be approved in special situations. Implants are covered **only** when a doctor says they are necessary in order for you to properly chew your food and therefore keep you healthy.

