



# TEXAS ASSOCIATION *of* COUNTIES HEALTH AND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS POOL

## Webb County Dental-Custom

Type of Service	Benefit**
<b>General Provisions</b>	
Calendar Year Deductible (4 <sup>th</sup> quarter carryover applies)	\$50 Individual / \$150 Family
Deductible credit from prior carrier (Applied on initial group enrollment only)	Yes
Calendar Year Maximum per Participant	\$1,000
<b>Diagnostic and Preventive Care Benefits (deductible waived)</b>	
Oral Examinations (2 exams per Calendar Year)	100%
Prophylaxis (2 cleanings per Calendar Year)	
Fluoride Treatment	
Sealants	
Dental X-rays (Subject to booklet provision)	
Labs and Tests	
<b>Miscellaneous Services</b>	
Space Maintainers	80%
Palliative Care	
<b>Restorative Services</b>	
Amalgams and Composites	80%
Simple Extractions	
Pin Retention	
<b>General Services</b>	
Anesthesia	80%
Stainless Steel Crowns	
Recementation of crowns, inlays/onlays	
Crown repair	
Reline/Rebase	
Recementation and repair of bridges	
Denture repair	
<b>Endodontic Services</b>	
Root canal therapy	80%
Direct pulp cap	
Apicoectomy/Apexification	
Retrograde filling	
Root amputation/hemisection	
Therapeutic pulpotomy	
Gross pulpal debridement	
<b>Periodontal Services</b>	
Periodontal scaling and root planing	80%
Full mouth debridement	
Gingivectomy/gingivoplasty	
Gingival flap procedure	
Osseous surgery and grafts	
Soft tissue grafts	
<b>Oral Surgery Services</b>	
Surgical tooth extractions	80%
Alveoloplasty	
Vestibuloplasty	
<b>Crowns, Inlays/Onlays Services</b>	
Prefabricated post and cores	50%
<b>Prosthodontic Services</b>	
Bridges and dentures	50%
<b>Orthodontic Benefits</b>	
Orthodontic Diagnostic Procedures and Treatment	50%
Available to all Webb County employees	
Services provided no more than 24 months	
Lifetime Maximum per Participant	\$1,000



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**\*\*Each time you need dental care, you can choose to:**

See a Contracting Dentist		See a Non-Contracting Dentist
BlueCare Dentist	DentaBlue Dentist	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your out-of-pocket cost will generally be the least amount because BlueCare Dentists have contracted to accept a lower Allowable Amount as payment in full for Eligible Dental Expenses</li> <li>You are not required to file claim forms</li> <li>You are not balance billed for costs exceeding the BCBSTX Allowable Amount for BlueCare Dentists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your out-of-pocket cost may be greater because DentaBlue Dentists have contracted to accept a higher Allowable Amount as payment in full for Eligible Dental Expenses</li> <li>You are not required to file claim forms</li> <li>You are not balance billed for costs exceeding the BCBSTX Allowable Amount for DentaBlue Dentists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Your out-of-pocket cost may be greater because Non-Contracting Dentists have not entered into a contract with BCBSTX to accept any Allowable Amount determination as payment in full for Eligible Dental Expenses</li> <li>You are required to file claim forms</li> <li>You are balance billed for costs exceeding the BCBSTX Allowable Amount</li> </ul>

### EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

This is a general summary of your benefit design. Please refer to your benefit booklet for other details and for limitations and exclusions. The following eligibility provisions apply:

- Dependent children are covered to age 26. Disabled dependent children can be covered beyond age 26.
- Retirees may be eligible, depending on employer contract.
- Employees may enroll dependent children up to age 5, on the first of the month following application with no late enrollment penalty.
- No age limit for orthodontic benefits.

An exclusion will apply to expenses involving the replacement of teeth that were missing prior to the effective date of the dental contract. All other benefits will begin on the first day of coverage. This exclusion will not apply to:

- Any participant who becomes effective on the dental contract date who was covered under a previous group dental care contract by the Employer.
- Any participant who has been continuously covered for 24 months under a group dental care contract with BCBSTX which included prosthetic benefits.
- A partial or full denture or fixed bridge which includes replacement of a missing tooth which was extracted after coverage becomes effective.

When the course of treatment will be in excess of \$300, a predetermination request should be submitted to BCBSTX in advance of treatment.

Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_