



**Delta Dental PPO (Point-of-Service)  
Summary of Dental Plan Benefits  
For Group# 1555-0520  
Lake Erie Regional Council  
Lorain County Educational Service Center**

This Summary of Dental Plan Benefits should be read along with your Certificate. Your Certificate provides additional information about your Delta Dental plan, including information about plan exclusions and limitations. If a statement in this Summary conflicts with a statement in the Certificate, the statement in this Summary applies to you and you should ignore the conflicting statement in the Certificate. The percentages below are applied to Delta Dental's allowance for each service and it may vary due to the dentist's network participation.\*

**Control Plan** - Delta Dental of Ohio

**Benefit Year** - January 1 through December 31

**Covered Services** -

|   | <b>Delta Dental<br/>PPO Dentist<br/>Plan Pays</b> | <b>Delta Dental<br/>Premier Dentist<br/>Plan Pays</b> | <b>Nonparticipating<br/>Dentist<br/>Plan Pays*</b> |
|---|---|---|--|
| <b>Diagnostic &amp; Preventive</b>  |   |   |  |
| <b>Diagnostic and Preventive Services</b> - exams, cleanings, fluoride, and space maintainers | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Emergency Palliative Treatment</b> - to temporarily relieve pain                           | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Radiographs</b> - X- rays, including TMJ films   | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Periodontal Maintenance</b> - cleanings following periodontal therapy                      | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Professional Visits</b> - includes consultations   | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Caries Susceptibility Test</b>   | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Pulp Vitality Test</b>   | 100%  | 100%  | 100%   |
| <b>Basic Services</b>   |   |   |  |
| <b>Brush Biopsy</b> - to detect oral cancer   | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Minor Restorative Services</b> - fillings and crown repair                                 | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Endodontic Services</b> - root canals  | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Periodontic Services</b> - to treat gum disease  | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Oral Surgery Services</b> - extractions and dental surgery                                 | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Other Basic Services</b> - misc. services  | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Relines and Repairs</b> - to prosthetic appliances   | 80%   | 80%   | 80%  |
| <b>Major Services</b>   |   |   |  |
| <b>Major Restorative Services</b> - crowns  | 60%   | 60%   | 60%  |
| <b>Prosthodontic Services</b> - bridges, implants, dentures, and crowns over implants         | 60%   | 60%   | 60%  |
| <b>Orthodontic Services</b>   |   |   |  |
| <b>Orthodontic Services</b> - braces  | 50%   | 50%   | 50%  |
| <b>Orthodontic Age Limit</b> -  | Dependent Children up to age 23                   |   |  |

\* When you receive services from a Nonparticipating Dentist, the percentages in this column indicate the portion of Delta Dental's Nonparticipating Dentist Fee that will be paid for those services. This amount may be less than what the Dentist charges or Delta Dental approves and you are responsible for that difference.

- Oral exams (including evaluations by a specialist) are payable twice per calendar year.
- Prophylaxes (cleanings) are payable twice per calendar year.
- Fluoride treatments are payable once per calendar year for people age 18 and under.
- Benefits for space maintainers are unlimited for people age 18 and under.
- Bitewing X-rays are payable twice per calendar year. Full mouth X-rays (which include bitewing X-rays) are payable once in any three-year period.
- Non-surgical treatments of TMJ disorders, including films, are a covered benefit.
- Caries susceptibility tests are Covered Services.

- Composite resin (white) restorations are optional treatment on posterior teeth.
- Gold foils are Covered Services.
- Porcelain and resin facings on crowns are optional treatment on posterior teeth.
- Biopsy of hard and soft tissue and vestibuloplasty are Covered Services.
- Precision attachments on dentures are payable once in any five-year period.
- Precision attachments on bridges are payable once in any five-year period.
- Implants are payable once per tooth in any five-year period. Implant related services are Covered Services.
- Crowns over implants are payable once per tooth in any five-year period. Services related to crowns over implants are Covered Services.
- Occlusal guards are not Covered Services. Antibiotic drug injections are Covered Services.

Having Delta Dental coverage makes it easy for you to get dental care almost everywhere in the world! You can now receive expert dental care when you are outside of the United States through our Passport Dental program. This program gives you access to a worldwide network of dentists and dental clinics. English-speaking operators are available around the clock to answer questions and help you schedule care. For more information, check our Web site or contact your benefits representative to get a copy of our Passport Dental information sheet.

**Maximum Payment** - \$1,500 per person total per Benefit Year on all services except orthodontic services. \$1,000 per person total per lifetime on orthodontic services.

**Payment for Orthodontic Service** - When orthodontic treatment begins, your Dentist will submit a payment plan to Delta Dental based upon your projected course of treatment. In accordance with the agreed upon payment plan, Delta Dental will make an initial payment to you or your Participating Dentist equal to Delta Dental's stated Copayment on 30% of the Maximum Payment for Orthodontic Services as set forth in this Summary of Dental Plan Benefits. Delta Dental will make additional payments as follows: Delta Dental will pay 50% of the per monthly fee charged by your Dentist based upon the agreed upon payment plan provided by your Dentist to Delta Dental.

**Deductible** - \$25 Deductible per person total per Benefit Year limited to a maximum Deductible of \$50 per family per Benefit Year. The Deductible does not apply to diagnostic and preventive services, emergency palliative treatment, X-rays, periodontal maintenance, caries susceptibility and pulp vitality tests, professional visits, and orthodontic services.

**Waiting Period** - Enrollees who are eligible for Benefits are covered on the first of the month following 25 calendar days from the first date of employment.

**Eligible People** - All eligible active employees as defined by Lorain County Educational Service Center who choose the dental plan (0520) and COBRA (Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985) enrollees.

Also eligible are your Spouse and your Children to the end of the month in which they turn 26, including your Children who are married, who no longer live with you, who are not your Dependents for Federal income tax purposes, and/or who are not permanently disabled.

You and your eligible Dependents may only enroll during an open enrollment period or when the enrollment is the result of a qualifying event as defined under Internal Revenue Code Section 125. Your Dependents may only enroll if you are enrolled (except under COBRA) and must be enrolled in the same plan as you. Plan changes are only allowed during open enrollment periods, except that an election may be revoked or changed at any time if the change is the result of a qualifying event as defined under Internal Revenue Code Section 125.

**Coordination of Benefits** - If you and your Spouse are both eligible to enroll in This Plan as Enrollees, you may be enrolled as both an Enrollee on your own application and as a Dependent on your Spouse's application. Your Dependent Children may be enrolled on both your and your Spouse's applications as well. Delta Dental will coordinate benefits between your coverage and your Spouse's coverage.

Benefits will cease on the last day of the month in which the employee is terminated.

This plan complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex. This plan does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.

This plan provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- Qualified sign language interpreters
- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats)

This plan provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Information written in other languages

If you need these services, call 1-800-524-0149 (TTY users call 711).

If you believe that this plan has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a grievance with the civil rights coordinator at PO Box 9089, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9089; by phone at 1-800-524-0149 (TTY users call 711) or fax to 517-706-3513. You can file a grievance by mail, fax or phone. If you need help filing a grievance, the civil rights coordinator is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201; 1-800-368-1019, 1-800-537-7697 (TDD). Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

KUJDES: Nëse flitni shqip, për ju ka në dispozicion shërbime të asistencës gjuhësore, pa pagesë. Telefononi në 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

انتباه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية، فتتوفر خدمات المساعدة اللغوية مجاناً بالنسبة لك. اتصل على الهاتف رقم 1-800-524-0149 (رقم الطابعة الهاتفية: 711).

মনোযোগ দিন: আপনি যদি বাংলা ভাষায় কথা বলেন, তাহলে ভাষাগত সহায়তা পরিষেবাগুলি, আপনার জন্য বিনামূল্যে পাওয়া যাবে। ফোন করুন 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711)।

သတိပြုရန်- သင် မြန်မာဘာသာစကား ပြောဆိုပါကဘာသာစကားအကူအညီဝန်ဆောင်မှုများကိုအခမဲ့ရရှိနိုင်ပါသည်။ခေါ်ဆိုရန် 1-800-524-0149 (TTY- 711)။

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-800-524-0149 (TTY : 711)。

XIYYEEFFANNA: Afaan dubbattu Oroomiffa, tajaajila gargaarsa afaanii, kanfaltiidhaan ala, ni argama. Bilbilaa 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

AANDACHT: Als u nederlands spreekt, kunt u gratis gebruikmaken van de taalkundige diensten. Bel 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

ATTENTION: Si vous parlez français, des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Appelez le 1-800-524-0149 (ATS: 711).

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिन्दी बोलते हैं, तो भाषा सहायता सेवाएँ, आप के लिए निःशुल्क उपलब्ध हैं। कॉल करें 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

ATTENZIONE: In caso la lingua parlata sia l'italiano, sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Chiamare il numero 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

注意事項：日本語を話される場合、無料の言語支援をご利用いただけます。  
1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711) まで、お電話にてご連絡ください。

주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다.  
1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.

ਧਿਆਨ ਦਿਓ: ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਭਾਸ਼ਾਈ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਮੁਫਤ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹਨ। ਇੱਥੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

Wann du [Deutsch (Pennsylvania German / Dutch)] schwetzsch, kannscht du mitaus Koschte ebber gricke, ass dihr helft mit die englisch Schprooch. Ruf selli Nummer uff: Call 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

UWAGA: Jeżeli mówisz po polsku, możesz skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Zadzwoń pod numer 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

ATENȚIE: Dacă vorbiți limba română, vă stau la dispoziție servicii de asistență lingvistică, gratuit. Sunați la 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните 1-800-524-0149 (телетайп: 711).

OBAVJEŠTENJE: Ako govorite srpsko-hrvatski, usluge jezičke pomoći dostupne su vam besplatno. Nazovite 1-800-524-0149 (TTY- Telefon za osobe sa oštećenim govorom ili sluhom: 711).

ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

يرجى الانتباه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية السورية، تتوفر لك خدمات المساعدة اللغوية المجانية. يرجى الاتصال بالرقم: 1-800-524-0149 (الهاتف النصي: 711).

PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).

УВАГА! Якщо ви розмовляєте українською мовою, ви можете звернутися до безкоштовної служби мовної підтримки. Телефонуйте за номером 1-800-524-0149 (телетайп: 711).

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-800-524-0149 (TTY: 711).