



DENTAL BENEFITS

An additional benefit when you need it: The Special Health Care Needs Benefit from Delta Dental

Delta Dental members (children and adults) with qualifying special healthcare needs, now have access to additional benefits.

Seeing the dentist can be overwhelming for a person with special health care needs. In the U.S., 6.5 million people with disabilities can't access necessary dental care, despite being at a higher risk for oral health issues. We're working to change that.

Delta Dental of Alaska is has additional benefits for members with special health care needs. These benefits will reduce barriers to getting dental care and help make dentist visits a more positive experience, because everyone deserves a healthy smile.

What are special health care needs?

As defined by the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry, special health care needs include any physical, developmental, mental, sensory, behavioral, cognitive or emotional impairment or limiting condition requiring medical management, health care intervention and/or use of specialized services or programs. The condition may be congenital, developmental or acquired through disease, trauma or environmental causes, and may impose limitations in performing daily self-maintenance activities or substantial limitation in a major life activity.

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What is included in the enhanced benefit?

- Additional exams and/or consultations
- Up to two additional dental cleanings in a benefit year
- Treatment delivery modifications to help dental staff provide oral health care for patients with sensory sensitivities, behavioral challenges, severe anxiety or other barriers to treatment

How do I get these benefits for myself/my spouse/my dependent?

Call the Delta Dental Customer Service team at **888-374-8906**.

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