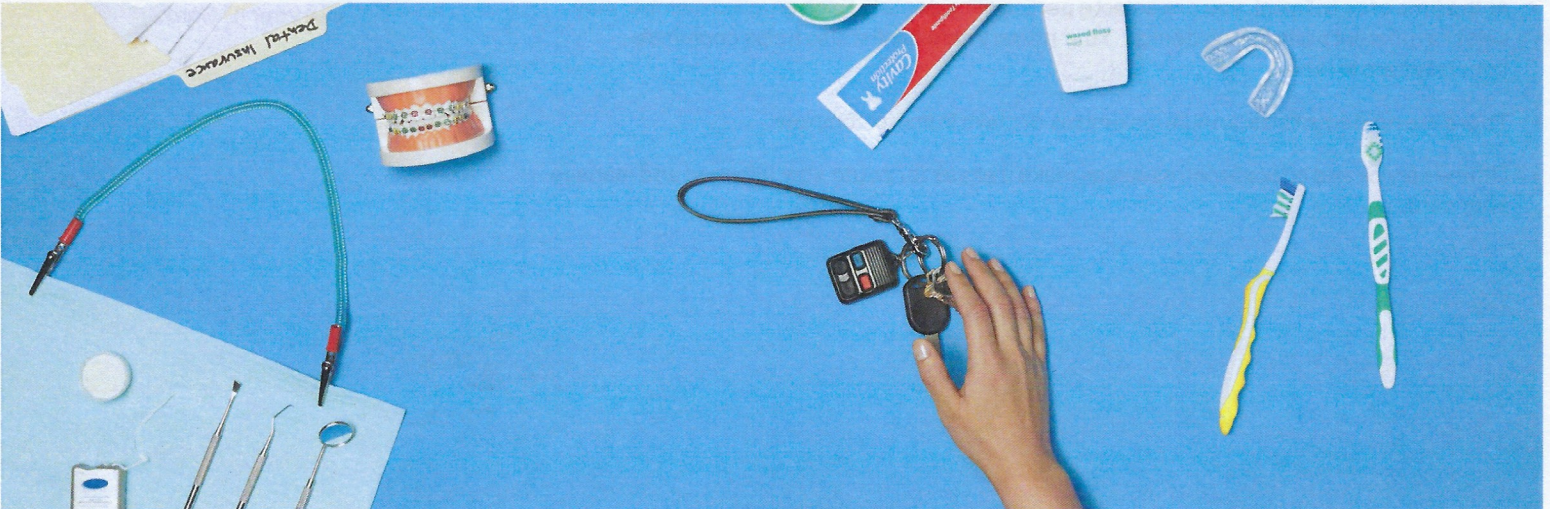


# Why is having a good dental plan so important?



Because a healthier smile can be important to maintaining overall health.

Maintaining good oral health matters. Staying on top of your care is the key to preventing costly problems that can add up. Plus, going to the dentist regularly can help prevent problems that have been linked to diabetes or heart disease.<sup>1</sup>

Having dental coverage makes it easier to visit the dentist and helps lower your costs.<sup>2</sup> You get support to keep up with dental cleanings and other preventive care that helps you avoid problems and live healthier. Now that's something to smile about.

[Regular visits to the dentist are key to having a healthy smile.<sup>2</sup>](#)

Lower out-of-pocket costs on hundreds of services.<sup>3</sup>

You get coverage for a wide range of services through a network of carefully selected participating dentists who agree to significantly lower charges than typical dental charges. There are no annual maximums, deductibles or claim forms. Here are some of the services included in this plan.<sup>3</sup> You may have to pay a co-payment or coinsurance for certain covered services. Please refer to your Schedule of Benefits for complete details.

- Cleanings
- Fillings
- Sealants
- Crowns
- Root canals
- X-rays
- Extractions
- Orthodontics

## Enroll today!

Employees must register with Businessolver for Open Enrollment. The link for registration can be accessed from the NJDPB website.

Once enrolled, you can call 866-880-2984, Monday-Friday, 8AM-11PM EST to learn more about your Dental insurance.

## Why should I enroll now?

- Help protect your smile and your wallet. You and your family can get the dental care you need in the coming year, and save money too.<sup>3</sup>

## Dental Insurance

# How can this dental plan benefit you?

By making it easier to get the care you need and lower your out-of-pocket costs.<sup>3</sup>

### Savings,<sup>4</sup> convenience and service

- Coupled with great savings on average dental costs, you get a broad network of general dentists and specialists. To locate a dentist, visit our online Find a Dentist directory at [metlife.com](http://metlife.com).
- At the time of enrollment, you pre-select a participating dentist. Each enrolled member may select a different participating dentist. Your primary care dentist also helps coordinate specialty care for you.<sup>4</sup>
- There are no deductibles, annual maximums or claim forms to complete.
- Online service and educational resources make it easier for you to stay informed and manage your care.

For added convenience, MetLife's Mobile App<sup>5</sup> is now available on the iTunes® App Store and Google Play.

- After downloading, you can use it to find a participating dentist, view your claims and to see your ID Card.

1. American Dental Association; Dentists: Doctors of Oral Health. Accessed December 2019, [www.ada.org/en/about-the-ada/dentists-doctors-of-oral-health](http://www.ada.org/en/about-the-ada/dentists-doctors-of-oral-health).
2. American Dental Association; Your Guide to Finding and Paying for Dental Care. Accessed December 2019, <https://www.mouthhealthy.org/en/dental-care-concerns/how-to-choose-a-dentist>.
3. Savings from enrolling in a dental benefits plan will depend on various factors, including the cost of the plan, how often participants visit the dentist and the cost of services rendered. Certain limitations apply to some services; please review your Schedule of Benefits for full details.
4. In California, orthodontic and pedodontic specialty services require pre-approval. Your selected participating dentist will contact SafeGuard (a MetLife company) for pre-approval. Once approved, your dentist will contact you with the name of a participating specialist.
5. To use the MetLife mobile app, employees can choose to register at [metlife.com/mybenefits](http://metlife.com/mybenefits) from a computer or directly through the app. Certain features of MetLife US Mobile App are not available for some MetLife Dental Plans.

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# Find a participating Dentist in the Dental HMO/Managed Care plan

The Dental HMO/Managed Care plan's network includes both private practice dentists and those who are in a clinic environment. You can find the names, addresses, languages spoken and phone numbers of participating dentists by searching our online **Find a Dentist** directory.



## Step 1:

Go to [metlife.com](http://metlife.com)



## Step 2:

Select "Find a Dentist" next to "What would you like to do today?"



## Step 3:

Select "Dental HMO/Managed Care" next to "Choose your network."

Enter your Zip, City or State and select the "Find a Dentist" button. You will then be prompted to select your plan from the list. The plan name is located in your Schedule of Benefits.

