DENTAL BENEFITS

Please Note: Dental claims are processed through the fund office. DO NOT PAY OUT OF POCKET OR GIVE THEM YOUR MMO/ HUMANA CARD. Claims must be <u>mailed or faxed (216-525-2002)</u> directly to the Fund Office, under the policy holders name & Social Security number <u>not</u> to the medical insurance carrier.

The following Covered Dental Services will be reimbursed at 80% of usual, customary, and reasonable price:

- 1. Dental services for gingivoplasty, osteoplasty, osseous surgery, ostectomy and root canal therapy;
- 2. Dental work due to injury to sound natural teeth sustained while a person is insured;
- 3. Removal of partial or fully bony-impacted teeth;
- 4. Anesthesia for partial or fully bony-impacted teeth or when anesthesia is determined to be Medically Necessary; and
- 5. Expenses incurred for the repair of dentures as a result of an accidental injury which requires medical care.

The following Orthodontia Services will be covered at 60% of usual, customary, and reasonable price:

The Fund office requests that a pre-treatment estimate for orthodontic services be mailed or faxed directly to the Fund office (not the medical insurance carrier) with the following detail prior to treatment:

- The cost of the orthodontic treatment.
- The length of treatment in months.
- The provider's intent to bill (monthly or quarterly).
- The Fund may request additional information from the orthodontic office for high-cost orthodontic claim justification.

Note: Allow up to 30 business days for an orthodontic pre-treatment estimate to process.

Effective January 1, 2024- The following Preventive Services will be covered at 100% of usual, customary, and reasonable price:

- Routine oral examination- limited to 2 per Calendar Year
- Prophylaxis (scaling/cleaning) limited to 2 treatments per calendar Year
- Topical fluoride treatments- limited to dependent children less than 19 years of age further limited to 1 treatment per Calendar Year
- Full mouth series or panoramic x-rays- limited to once in any 36 consecutive month period
- Bitewing films (maximum of four films per visit)- limited to 2 sets of x-rays per Calendar Year

** These Benefits are available to each member, spouse & dependent enrolled**