Implant Tip Sheet for IAM 751 Members with BCBSIL Traditional Medical Plan

STEPS TO TAKE IF YOU NEED A DENTAL IMPLANT

There are two procedures when receiving a dental implant. First, there is the surgical placement of the implant post. Then, after a period of time allowed for healing, there is the second procedure which is the attachment of the implant crown or denture to the implant post. Depending on your dental and medical coverage you will want to be sure that you take advantage of all coverage options available to you.

Step 1: Get a Predetermination: You will want your dentist\(^1\) to submit a predetermination to Delta Dental of Washington for the surgical portion of the implant and implant crown or denture. Delta Dental of WA will let you know what coverage is available to you through your dental plan.

Step 2: Notify Your Dentist That You Have Medical Coverage\(^2\): You will want to let your dentist know that you have coverage for the surgical placement of the implant post under your medical plan. Please provide your dentist with your medical ID card so they can check eligibility and benefits through your medical plan for you.

Step 3: Claim Filing Process: If you have dental and/or medical coverage for implants, the claim filing process should be as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>DENTAL PLAN</th>
<th>COVERAGE</th>
<th>CLAIMS SUBMISSION PROCESS</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| Network Dental PPO Group #’s: 4020 & 4021 | Traditional Medical Plan Group # 71M100 Covers:  
   • Abutments\(^1\) and the surgical placement of the implant post  
   Dental Plan Covers:  
   • Implant crown or denture | • Your dentist does not need to submit a claim to Delta Dental for the surgical placement of the implant post. They can submit the claim directly to your medical carrier. The claim can be submitted using a dental claim form and dental procedure codes.  
   • The claim for the implant crown or denture should be submitted to Delta Dental. |
| DeltaCare Prepaid Plan Group#: 4100 | Traditional Medical Plan Group # 71M100 Covers:  
   • Abutments and the surgical placement of the implant post  
   Dental Plan Does Not Cover:  
   • Abutments and the surgical placement of the implant post  
   • Implant crown or denture | • Your dentist does not need to submit a claim to Delta Dental for the surgical placement of the implant post. They can submit the claim directly to your medical carrier. The claim can be submitted using a dental claim form and dental procedure codes. |

Dental and Medical Claims Addresses:
Dental:  
Delta Dental of Washington  
PO Box 75983  
Seattle, WA 98175-0983  
Customer Service: (877) 521-2101  
Fax: (206) 523-9287  
www.DeltaDentalWA.com Boeing  

Medical:  
BCBSIL  
PO Box 805107  
Chicago, IL 60680-4112  
Customer Service: (888) 802-8776  
Fax: (312) 946-3620  
Send a secure email to: boeingescalations@bcbsil.com  
www.bcbsil.com/boeing

Please note: \(^2\)Kaiser and BCBSIL Selections Plus plans do not cover implants.
\(^1\)Dentist, Oral Surgeon or Periodontist
\(^2\)Abutment: A tooth or implant fixture used as a support for a prosthesis