



Kaiser Permanente dental coverage

We believe in total health, beginning with high-quality dental and oral care. That’s why every member gets a personalized prevention and treatment plan. And that’s why dental preventive care is at the core of our philosophy.



Our philosophy of care

We emphasize preventive care to help keep your teeth and gums healthy. You’ll receive a personalized prevention and treatment plan after we assess your risk for dental disease.

Quality

For more than 2 decades, we’ve received the highest level of accreditation from the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care (AAAHC).¹ This means our Dental Program has met rigorous national standards. Currently we are the only dental practice in the Pacific Northwest with AAAHC accreditation.

Choice

Members can choose to get care from more than 160 highly skilled general and specialty dentists – and can switch any time, for any reason.

Convenience

We have 21 dental offices in the Portland-Vancouver metro area, Longview, Salem, and Eugene, so there’s sure to be one near you.

Integrated approach

Our comprehensive electronic health record system gives dental providers access to your health history. Our dentists can communicate with your medical clinicians, providing integrated care, which helps you rest easy, knowing we are looking out for your total health. Plus, with many of our dental offices located in or near our medical offices, you can save a trip by taking care of minor medical needs, like flu shots or vaccinations, during your dental appointment.²

¹www.aaahc.org

²Medical services are available at select dental locations. You must be enrolled in a Kaiser Permanente medical plan to receive medical care.



Urgent and emergency care

Emergency dental conditions include severe swelling or infection, severe traumatic injury to teeth, bleeding that doesn’t stop, and extreme pain. If you need emergency care, please call the Appointment Center any time, any day.



Getting convenient care

Our dental offices are open Monday through Friday, with Saturday hours for hygienist services and emergencies at most locations.

Hours are Monday through Friday, 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Member Services 1-800-813-2000

Language interpretation services:

Use the number above.

TTY (all areas) 711

For more information visit kp.org/dental/nw.

2020-2021 dental benefits summary

Plan benefits	Dental Plan ¹
Dental office visit copayment	\$20 per visit plus any copayment or coinsurance listed below for specific services
Deductible	None
Plan year maximum	\$4,000
Oral exams, X-rays, cleaning (prophylaxis), fluoride treatments, and space maintainers	\$0
Routine fillings, inlays, and stainless steel crowns ^{2,3,4}	\$0
Simple tooth extractions ⁴	\$0
Surgical extraction, including diagnosis and evaluation ⁴	\$50
Diagnosis, evaluation, and treatment of gum disease including scaling and root planing ⁴	\$0
Root canal and related therapy including diagnosis and evaluation ⁴	\$50
Gold or porcelain crowns and onlays ⁴	\$250
Full and partial dentures, relines, rebases ⁴	\$100
Bridge retainers and pontics ⁴	\$250
Orthodontic treatment ⁴	\$2,500 copay + \$20 per visit
Implants	50% (limit of 4 per lifetime)
Occlusal guards (once every 5 years) and athletic mouth guards (once each year)	10%

¹Services must be provided by a contracted Kaiser Permanente provider in order for benefits to be payable. See *Evidence of Coverage* for details.

²Posterior fillings paid to amalgam fee.

³Fillings are covered at 100% for all amalgam tooth surfaces, composite anteriors, and one-surface composite posteriors. Patients may request composite fillings, which are considered a buy-up, and additional fees may apply.

⁴Benefit is subject to a 12-month benefit waiting period for late enrollees.