

# Comparison of Cypress Dental Contract

## Cypress Dental

## Average Carrier

<b>PREVENTIVE</b>		
Cleaning (Prophylaxis) Frequency	2 per Calendar year. NOT combined with Perio Treatments	1 per 6 months. Combined with Perio Treatments
Full Mouth X-ray Frequency	1 per 36 months	1 per 60 months
Bitewing X-ray Frequency	4 films, 1 per Calendar Year	4 films, 1 per Calendar Year
Periapical X-ray Frequency	12 films per Calendar Year. Not combined.	10 films in any 60 month period. Combined with FMX and bitewings
Fluoride Frequency	1 per Calendar Year Up to Age 16	1 per 6 months Up to Age 14
Sealants	Up to Age 16	Up to Age 14

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<b>BASIC</b>		
Periodontics	In Basic	In Basic
Perio Maintenance Frequency	2 per Calendar Year. NOT combined with prophylaxis	1 per 6 months. Combined with prophylaxis
Perio Scaling and Root Planing	1 per Quadrant per 24 Months	1 per Quadrant per 36 Months. Allowed for 5 mm + gaps
Gingivectomy	1 per Quadrant per 24 Months	1 per Quadrant per 36 Months. Combined with other Perio Services
Gingival Flap Surgery	1 per Quadrant per 24 Months	1 per Quadrant per 36 Months. Combined with other Perio Services
Osseous Surgery	1 per Quadrant per 24 Months	1 per Quadrant per 36 Months. Combined with other Perio Services
Soft Tissue Grafts	1 per Quadrant per 24 Months	1 per Quadrant per 36 Months. Combined with other Perio Services
Endodontics	6 month waiting period for retreatment	24 month wait for retreatment
Oral Surgery	Includes Surgical extractions and Complex Oral Surgery	Simple Oral Surgery in Basic. Complex Oral Surgery in Major

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<b>MAJOR</b>		
Replacement of Crowns	5 Years	10 Years
Replacement of Dentures & Bridges	5 Years	10 Years
Implants	Available	Available
Orthodontia	Available	Available

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OTHER ADVANTAGES		
Exclusive Network	Enhanced Copays and Deeper Network Discounts	Nothing Similar
Open Enrollment	Open Enrollment is Standard	Late Entrant Penalties; 6 months for Basic, 24 months for Major & Ortho
True 90th Percentile UCR	Standard; Use FAIR Health 3rd party data	Includes "Lesser Than" language potentially downgrading non-network reimbursement
ID Cards	Included	Generic or None
Pre-Authorizations	Recommended on charges over \$300 but NOT required	Required for Major Services
Account Management	Singe Point of Contact	800 # phone tree
Customer Service	All California based	Off-shore call center
Claims Detail Reports	For groups of 10 employees +	For groups of 250+

This is for summary purposes only, not intended as a contract. Please see the Cypress COI for details of coverage.