

Who Provides the Dental Services

We have over 2,000 qualified dentists and specialists in the tri-state area on our panel. This extensive network of professionals offers union members and their families a choice of location as well as dentist.

Each of our participating dentists has been screened to ensure the highest standards of dental care available. These dentists are not retail outlets or clinics. They are neighborhood dentists in private practice. Each dentist can provide you with the full range of modern dentistry and offers courteous treatment and personal care.

How can I take advantage of these services?

Simply call 1-800-255-5681 and identify yourself as a member of Local 1181 Benefits Fund and ask for the dentist nearest you. You will be given the dentist's name, address, and telephone number, which you will use to make an appointment. You may also search for a panel dentist on our website, WWW.DDSINC.NET, click on Patients Only, Find a Provider, and under Union #, enter 1181.

What happens if I have a Dental Emergency

Just call 1-800-255-5681 and we will see to it that you are under a dentist's care within 24 hours. If our office is closed, we advise you to see the nearest dentist. You will be reimbursed for the emergency services, up to the limits of your plan.

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Div. 1181 A.T.U. NY Welfare Fund



Partial Listing of Covered Services

List of charges for Participating Dentists

\$2,000 annual maximum per patient

| | Patient |
|--|------------|
| | Co-Payment |
| Diagnostics & Preventative Services | |
| Full Mouth x-ray..... | None |
| Single Films (periapical or bitewing) | None |
| Bitewing Series | None |
| Oral Examination | None |
| Treatment in case of dental emergency..... | None |
| Cleaning of Teeth..... | None |
| Panoramic x-rays..... | None |
| Sealant per Tooth | None |
| Fluoride Treatment | None |
| Space Maintainers..... | None |

Restorative Dentistry

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|--|------|
| Amalgam, one surface | None |
| Amalgam, two surfaces..... | None |
| Amalgam, three surfaces | None |
| Amalgam, four or more surfaces | None |
| Composite filling, one surface | None |
| Composite filling, two surfaces | None |
| Composite filling, three surfaces..... | None |
| Composite filling, four or more surfaces | None |

Root Canal Therapy

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|-----------------------------|------|
| Pulp Capping, Direct | None |
| Pulpotomy | None |
| Root Therapy—Anterior | None |
| Root Therapy—Premolar..... | None |
| Root Therapy—Molar | None |
| Apicoectomy (Anterior)..... | None |

Prosthetics—Crowns

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|---------------------------------|------|
| Resin..... | None |
| Porcelain/Ceramic Crown | None |
| Porcelain with metal crown..... | None |
| Post and core..... | None |
| Recement crown | None |

Prosthetics—Fixed Bridges

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| Resin with metal crown or pontic | None |
| Porcelain with metal crown or pontic | None |
| Recement bridge..... | None |

Prosthetics—Removable

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|--|------|
| Full upper or lower denture | None |
| Partial upper or lower denture, resin/cast | None |
| Denture Adjustments | None |
| Replacement of Broken/Missing Teeth..... | None |

Partial Listing of Covered Services (cont'd)

List of charges for Participating Dentists

| | Patient |
|---|------------|
| | Co-Payment |
| Oral Surgery | |
| Routine extractions—per tooth..... | None |
| Surgical extractions | None |
| Soft tissue impactions..... | None |
| Partial Bony impactions | None |
| Full Bony impactions..... | None |
| Alveoloplasty w/ext | None |
| General Anesthesia per 15 minutes | None |
| Incision & Drainage..... | None |

Periodontics (\$1,200 annual perio max applies)

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| Perio scaling per quad | None |
| Gingivectomy per quad..... | None |
| Osseous Surgery per quad | None |

Orthodontics (Courtesy fees—not payable by the Fund)

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| Diagnostic and Appliance insertion..... | \$600.00 |
| Active Monthly Treatment..... | \$125.00 |
| Retention | \$400.00 |

For further information regarding
your plan, please contact the Fund
Office at:

718-845-5800

To receive the names and addresses
of the dentists nearest you, please
call

1-800-255-5681

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**Welcome to the DDS
Dental Panel**

DDS is a Preferred Provider
Organization (PPO) that has
been selected by your Fund to
provide an extensive panel of
providers to eligible members
and their dependents.

The DDS panel of participating
dentists accepts full
assignment for all covered
services, up to the limits of the
plan. This means there are
limited out-of-pocket expenses
when you or a family member
visits one of our participating
dentists. Over 400,000 union
members and their families
are currently enjoying the
benefits provided by the DDS
plans.