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**DUAL OPTION - DMO® / PPO**  
**DMO® DENTAL PLAN DESIGN AND BENEFITS**

For Option: Dual Option  
 For Subgroup: All Employees  
 Network/Service Area: Michigan

Plan Features	DMO Benefits
<b>Office Visit Copayment</b>	\$5
<b>Coverage Levels</b>	
Preventive & Diagnostic	See Copay Schedule
Basic Restorative	See Copay Schedule
Major Restorative	See Copay Schedule
<b>Orthodontics</b>	
Orthodontia Eligibility	Adults and Dependent Children
Orthodontia Coinsurance or Fixed Copay Amount	\$2,000 Copay
Orthodontia Lifetime Maximum	None
<b>Covered Dental Services</b>	
The coverage levels for some common dental services are shown below. See your coverage booklet for a complete list of covered services.	
<b>Visits and Exams</b>	
Oral examination visit - (limited to 4 exams per year)	See Copay Schedule
Prophylaxis, including scaling and polishing (2 per year)	See Copay Schedule
Fluoride (1 application per year for children under age 16)	See Copay Schedule
Sealants (1 treatment per tooth every 3 years on permanent molars only for children under age 16)	See Copay Schedule
Oral hygiene instruction	See Copay Schedule
<b>X-rays</b>	
Bitewing x-rays (1 set per year)	See Copay Schedule
Full mouth series (1 set every 3 years)	See Copay Schedule
Periapical x-rays	See Copay Schedule
<b>Endodontics</b>	
Pulpotomy	See Copay Schedule
Root canal therapy, anterior or bicuspid tooth, with x-rays and cultures	See Copay Schedule
Apicoectomy	See Copay Schedule
Root canal therapy, molar teeth, with x-rays and cultures	See Copay Schedule
<b>Minor Restorations</b>	
Amalgam (silver) fillings	See Copay Schedule
Composite fillings (anterior teeth only)	See Copay Schedule
Stainless steel crowns	See Copay Schedule
<b>Periodontics</b>	
Scaling and root planing (4 separate quadrants every 2 years)	See Copay Schedule
Subgingival curettage (4 separate quadrants every 2 years)	See Copay Schedule
Gingivectomy (1 per quadrant every 3 years)	See Copay Schedule
Osseous surgery (1 per quadrant every 3 years)	See Copay Schedule
<b>Oral Surgery</b>	
Incision and drainage of abscess	See Copay Schedule
Uncomplicated extractions	See Copay Schedule
Surgical removal of erupted tooth	See Copay Schedule
Surgical removal of impacted tooth (soft tissue)	See Copay Schedule

<b>Plan Features</b>	<b>DMO Benefits</b>
Surgical removal of impacted tooth (full or partial bony)	See Copay Schedule
<b>Prostodontics/Major Restorations</b>	
Inlays/Onlays	See Copay Schedule
Crowns	See Copay Schedule
Bridges	See Copay Schedule
Full & partial dentures	See Copay Schedule
Denture repairs	See Copay Schedule
Pontics	See Copay Schedule
<b>Anesthesia</b>	
General Anesthesia / IV Sedation	See Copay Schedule
<b>Space Maintainers</b>	See Copay Schedule



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Office Visit Copay \$5			<b>CROWNS/BRIDGES (cont.)</b>		
<b>DIAGNOSTIC</b>			D2530	Inlay, Metallic, Three or more surfaces	\$195
D0120	Exam-Periodic	No Charge	D2543-	Onlay, Metallic, Three surfaces	\$210
D0150	Exam-Comprehensive	No Charge	D2544		
D0210	X-ray, Intraoral, Complete Series (including bitewings)	No Charge	D2740	Crown, Porcelain/Ceramic Substrate	\$255
D0220	X-ray, Intraoral, Periapical first film	No Charge	D2750-	Crown, Porcelain Fused to Metal*	\$255
D0230	X-ray, Intraoral, Periapical each add.	No Charge	D2752		
D0240	X-ray, Intraoral, Occlusal	No Charge	D2781	Crown, ¾ Cast Metal*	\$255
D0250	X-ray, Extraoral, First Film	No Charge	D2790-	Crown, Full Cast Metal*	\$255
D0260	X-ray, Extraoral, each additional	No Charge	D2792		
D0270	X-ray, Bitewing, Single Film	No Charge	D2910-	Recent Inlays/Crowns	\$10
D0272	X-ray, Bitewing, Two Films	No Charge	D2920		
D0274	X-ray, Bitewing, Four Films	No Charge	D2930	Crown, Stainless Steel-Primary Tooth (Child)	\$40
D0277	Vertical Bitewings (7-8 films)	No Charge	D2931	Crown, Prefab. Stainless Steel-Permanent Tooth	\$50
D0330	X-ray, Panoramic film	No Charge	D2950	Core Buildup, including pins	\$80
D0460	Pulp Vitality Test	No Charge	D2952	Cast Post and Core, in addition to Crown	\$112
D0470	Diagnostic Casts	No Charge	D2954	Prefab. Post and Core, in addition to Crown	\$74
<b>PREVENTIVE</b>			D6210-	Pontic, Full Cast Metal*	\$255
D1110	Prophylaxis-Adult (Limit-2 per Year)	No Charge	D6212		
D1120	Prophylaxis-Child (Limit-2 per Year)	No Charge	D6240-	Pontic, Porcelain Fused to Metal*	\$255
D1203-	Topical Application of Fluoride	No Charge	D6242		
D1204	(1 per year under age 16)		D6750-	Crown, Abutment, Porcelain Fused to Metal*	\$255
D1330	Oral Hygiene Instructions	No Charge	D6752		
D1351	Sealant-per Tooth (under age 16)	No Charge	D6790-	Crown, Abutment, Full Cast Metal*	\$255
D1510-	Space Maintainers-Fixed	\$75	D6792		
D1515			D6930	Recent Bridge	\$15
D1520-	Space Maintainers- Removable	\$70		Additional Charge per Unit for Full Mouth Rehabilitation.	\$125
D1525	(includes adjustments within 6 months of installation)				
D1550	Recent Space Maintainer	\$12			
Diagnostic and Preventive services may be subject to age and frequency limitations. See your booklet for details.			Full mouth rehabilitation is defined as 6 or more units of covered crowns and/or pontics under one treatment plan.		
<b>RESTORATIVE</b>			<b>ENDODONTICS</b>		
PRIMARY OR PERMANENT TEETH			D3110-	Pulp Cap, Direct or Indirect	\$4
D2140	Amalgam-1 Surface	\$10	D3120		
D2150	Amalgam-2 Surfaces	\$12	D3220	Therapeutic Pulpotomy	\$22
D2160	Amalgam-3 Surfaces	\$16	D3310	Root Canal, Anterior	\$70
D2161	Amalgam-4 or More Surfaces	\$18	D3320	Root Canal, Bicuspid	\$109
D2330	Resin-1 Surface, Anterior	\$15	D3330	Root Canal, Molar	\$280
D2331	Resin-2 Surfaces, Anterior	\$21	D3346	Retreatment of Previous Root Canal Therapy - Anterior	\$170
D2332	Resin-3 Surfaces, Anterior	\$25	D3347	Retreatment of Previous Root Canal Therapy - Bicuspid	\$209
D2335	Resin-4 or More Surfaces or Incisal Angle, Anterior	\$45	D3348	Retreatment of Previous Root Canal Therapy - Molar	\$380
D2390	Resin-based composite crown, Anterior	\$50	D3410	Apicoectomy/Periradicular Surgery, Anterior	\$92
D2391	Resin-based composite-1 Surf, Posterior	\$35	D3421	Apicoectomy/Periradicular Surgery, Bicuspid -- 1st root	\$92
D2392	Resin-based composite-2 Surf, Posterior	\$50	D3425	Apicoectomy/Periradicular Surgery, Molar-1st Root	\$90
D2393	Resin-based composite-3 Surf, Posterior	\$60	D3426	Apicoectomy/Periradicular Surgery-each additional root	\$55
D2394	Resin-based composite-4+ Surf, Posterior	\$90	D3430	Retrograde Filling per Root	\$40
D2940	Sedative Filling	\$3	D3450	Root Amputation per Root	\$70
D2951	Pin retention, exclusive of Restoration	\$10			
<b>CROWNS/BRIDGES</b>					
D2510-	Inlay, Metallic, One surface	\$195			
D2520					



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<b>PERIODONTICS</b>			<b>REPAIRS TO PROSTHETICS (cont.)</b>		
D4210	Gingivectomy or Gingivoplasty per Quadrant (limit 1 per quad every 3 years)	\$133	D5710- D5711	Rebase Complete Upper or Lower Denture	\$100
D4211	Gingivectomy or Gingivoplasty per Tooth (limit 1 per site every 3 years)	\$57	D5720- D5721	Rebase Partial Upper or Lower Denture	\$100
D4240	Gingival Flap Procedure - per quad.	\$134	D5730- D5731	Reline Complete Upper or Lower Denture (chairside)	\$45
D4241	Gingival Flap Procedure - per quad. including Root Planning, 1-3 teeth	\$80	D5740- D5741	Reline Partial Upper/Lower Denture (chair side)	\$45
D4260	Osseous Surgery per Quadrant (including flap entry and closure) (limit 1 per quad. every 3 years)	\$300	D5750- D5751	Reline Complete Upper or Lower Denture (Laboratory)	\$102
D4261	Osseous Surgery, 1-3 teeth, per quad.	\$180	D5760- D5761	Reline Partial Upper/Lower Denture (Laboratory)	\$102
D4270	Pedicle soft tissue graft	\$230	D5820- D5821	Interim Partial Upper/Lower Partial (Stayplate)	\$90
D4271	Free soft tissue graft, including Donor	\$245	D5850- D5851	Tissue Conditioning, Upper or Lower	\$40
D4273	Subepithelial connective tissue graft	\$275	<b>ORAL SURGERY</b>		
D4275	Soft tissue allograft	\$275	D7111	Coronal remnants – deciduous Tooth	\$6
D4276	Combined Connective Tissue and Double Pedicle Graft	\$303	D7140	Extraction, erupted tooth, exposed root	\$11
D4341	Periodontal scaling/root planning per quad (Limit of 4 sep. quads every 2 yrs)	\$51	D7210	Surgical Extraction of an Erupted Tooth	\$28
D4342	Periodontal scaling/root planning per quad	\$31	D7220	Removal of Impacted Tooth, Soft Tissue	\$46
D4910	Periodontal Maintenance Procedures (limit of 2 per year following surgical therapy)	\$45	D7230	Removal of Impacted Tooth, Partially Bony	\$58
<b>PROSTHODONTICS REMOVABLE</b>			D7240- D7241	Removal of Impacted Tooth, Completely Bony	\$117
D5110- D5120	Complete Upper or Lower Denture	\$275	D7250	Surgical Removal of Root Tip, Root Recovery	\$25
D5130- D5140	Immediate Upper or Lower Denture (does not include charge for relines)	\$315	D7281	Surgical Exposure of Unerupted, Impacted Tooth to Aid Eruption	\$30
D5211- D5212	Upper or Lower Partial Denture Resin Base-Including Clasps, Rests and Teeth	\$275	D7285	Biopsy of Oral Tissue, hard	\$75
D5213- D5214	Upper or Lower Partial Cast Metal Base-Including Clasps, Rests and Teeth	\$350	D7286	Biopsy of Oral tissue, soft	\$75
D5410- D5411	Adjust Complete Denture Upper or Lower	\$10	D7310	Alveoplasty in Conjunction with Extractions (per Quadrant)	\$25
D5421- D5422	Adjust Partial Denture Upper or Lower	\$10	D7320	Alveoplasty Not in conjunction with Extractions (per Quadrant)	\$40
<b>REPAIRS TO PROSTHETICS</b>			D7510	Incision and Drainage, Intraoral Abscess	\$20
D5510	Repair Broken Acrylic, Complete Denture Upper or Lower	\$30	D7960	Frenectomy	\$34
D5520	Replace One Tooth on Complete Denture	\$20	<b>OTHER (ADJUNCTIVE) SERVICES</b>		
D5610- D5630	Repair Acrylic, Cast Frame, Broken Clasp	\$35	D9310	Consultation Appointment	No Charge
D5640	Replace Broken Tooth, Partial	\$35	D9940	Occlusal Guards-for bruxism only (limit 1 every 3 years)	\$100
D5650	Add Tooth to Existing Partial	\$35	D9951	Occlusal Adjustment, Limited	\$20
D5660	Add Clasp to Existing Partial	\$40	D9952	Occlusal Adjustment, Complete	\$80
D5670	Replace all teeth/acrylic metal frame Maxillary	\$100	<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>		
D5671	Replace all teeth/acrylic metal frame Mandibular	\$100	D0140	Oral Evaluation, Problem Focused	No Charge
<p>*Includes relines, adjustments, rebases within the 1<sup>st</sup> six months. Adjustments to dentures that are done within six months of placement of the denture, are limited to no more than four adjustments.</p>			D0160	Detailed and extensive oral evaluation	No Charge
<p>"Patient Pays" applies to those procedures provided by the member's primary care dentist or approved specialty dentist.</p>			D0180	Comprehensive Periodontal evaluation	No Charge
			D9110	Emergency Palliative Treatment	\$10



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<b>ORTHODONTICS</b>			<p><b>Some of the services not covered under the plan are:</b></p> <p>15. Those in connection with a service given to a person age 5 or older if that person becomes a covered person other than: (a) during the first 31 days the person is eligible for this coverage; or (b) as prescribed for any period of open enrollment agreed to by the employer and Aetna. This does not apply to charges incurred:</p> <p>(a) After the end of the twelve month period starting on the date the person became a covered person; or</p> <p>(b) As a result of accidental injuries sustained while the person was a covered person; or</p> <p>(c) For a primary care service in the Dental Care Schedule that applies shown under the headings Visits and Exams, and X-rays and Pathology.</p> <p>16. Those for services given by a non-participating dental provider to the extent that the charges exceed the amount payable for the services shown in the Dental Care Schedule that applies.</p> <p>17. Those for a crown, cast or processed restoration unless:</p> <p>(a) It is treatment for decay or traumatic injury and teeth cannot be restored with a filling material; or</p> <p>(b) The tooth is an abutment to a covered partial denture or fixed bridge.</p> <p>18. Those for pontics, crowns, cast or processed restorations made with high noble metals unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.</p> <p>19. Those for surgical removal of impacted wisdom teeth only for orthodontic reasons unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.</p> <p>20. Those for services needed solely in connection with non-covered services.</p> <p>21. Those for services done where there is not evidence of pathology, dysfunction, or disease other than covered preventive services.</p>
	Orthodontic Screening Exam	\$30	
	Diagnostic Records	\$150	
	<b>Comprehensive Orthodontic Treatment</b>		
	Adolescent	\$1,545	
	Adult	\$1,545	
	Orthodontic Retention	\$275	
<b>PLAN EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS</b>			
<p><b>Some of the services not covered under the plan are:</b></p> <p>1. Those for services or supplies which are covered in whole or in part:</p> <p>(a) Under any other part of this Dental Care Plan; or</p> <p>(b) Under any other plan of group benefits provided by or through your employer.</p> <p>2. Those for services and supplies to diagnose or treat a disease or injury that is not:</p> <p>(a) A non-occupational disease; or</p> <p>(b) A non-occupational injury.</p> <p>3. Those for services not listed in the Dental Care Schedule that applies; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet- Certificate.</p> <p>4. Those for replacement of a lost, missing, or stolen appliance; and those for replacement of appliances that have been damaged due to abuse, misuse, or neglect.</p> <p>5. Those for: plastic, reconstructive, cosmetic surgery, or other dental services or supplies which are primarily intended to improve, alter, or enhance appearance. This applies whether or not the services and supplies are for psychological or emotional reasons. Facings on molar crowns and pontics will always be considered cosmetic.</p> <p>6. Those for or in connection with: services, procedures, drugs, or other supplies that are determined by Aetna to be experimental or still under clinical investigation by health professionals.</p> <p>7. Those for: dentures, crowns, inlays, onlays, bridgework, or other appliances or services used for the purpose of splinting, to alter vertical dimension to restore occlusion or correcting attrition, abrasion, or erosion.</p> <p>8. Those for any of the following services:</p> <p>(a) An appliance or modification of one if an impression for it was made before the person became a covered person;</p> <p>(b) A crown, bridge, or cast or processed restoration if a tooth was prepared for it before the person became a covered person;</p> <p>(c) Root canal therapy if the pulp chamber for it was opened before the person became a covered person.</p> <p>9. Those for services that Aetna defines as not necessary for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of the condition involved. This applies even if they are prescribed, recommended or approved by the attending physician or dentist.</p> <p>10. Those for services intended for treatment of any Jaw Joint Disorder, unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.</p> <p>11. Those for space maintainers except when needed to preserve space resulting from the premature loss of deciduous teeth.</p> <p>12. Those for orthodontic treatment unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.</p> <p>13. Those for general anesthesia and intravenous sedation.</p> <p>14. Those for treatment by other than a dentist; except that scaling or cleaning of teeth and topical application of fluoride may be done by a licensed dental hygienist. In this case, the treatment must be given under the supervision and guidance of a dentist.</p>			

## DENTAL LIMITATIONS & EXCLUSIONS

Oral exams are limited to four per year for DMO dental plans, and two routine and two other exams per year for PPO and Indemnity dental plans.

Under a DMO dental plan, services performed by specialists, including general anesthesia, are eligible for coverage only when prescribed by the primary care dentist and authorized by Aetna. Copayments under the DMO plan are based on the dentist's reasonable and customary fees.

### Emergency Dental Care

Under a DMO dental plan, participating dentists will arrange for treatment for your dental emergencies at the DMO level of benefits. But, if the emergency occurs more than 50 miles from home, you have limited coverage for certain treatment by a non-participating dentist. The services must be needed to relieve pain or prevent the worsening of a condition that would be caused by delay of treatment. The benefit for certain treatment is the dentist's charge up to a \$100 limit.

Under a PPO dental plan, you may choose at the time of service either a Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) participating dentist or any out-of-network dentist. Benefit levels are generally higher if a covered person chooses a PPO participating dentist. Under a PPO dental plan, the benefits payable, when services are provided by a PPO participating dentist, are based on a negotiated fee schedule. Under the standard PPO plan design, when services are rendered by a non-network provider, payment to the dentist is based on the prevailing (usual and customary) charge level (as determined by Aetna per the terms of your benefit plan) and you may be balance billed. Under PPO Max plans, if you use a nonparticipating dentist, the dentist will be paid based on the standard negotiated fee that Aetna pays participating dentists in that geographic area for covered benefits, and you may be balance billed.

Under an Indemnity dental plan, benefits payable are limited to the prevailing (usual and customary) charge level, as determined by Aetna per the terms of your benefit plan.

### Some of the Services not covered under the plan are:

1. Those for services or supplies which are covered in whole or in part:
  - (a) Under any other part of this Dental Care Plan; or
  - (b) Under any other plan of group benefits provided by or through your employer.
2. Those for services and supplies to diagnose or treat a disease or injury that is not:
  - (a) A non-occupational disease; or
  - (b) A non-occupational injury.
3. Those for services not listed in the Dental Care Schedule that applies; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.
4. Those for replacement of a lost, missing; or stolen appliance; and those for replacement of appliances that have been damaged due to abuse; misuse; or neglect.
5. Those for: plastic; reconstructive; or cosmetic surgery; or other dental services or supplies which are primarily intended to improve; alter; or enhance appearance. This applies whether or not the services and supplies are for psychological or emotional reasons. Facings on molar crowns and pontics will always be considered cosmetic.
6. Those for; or in connection with: services; procedures; drugs; or other supplies that are determined by Aetna to be experimental; or still under clinical investigation by health professionals.
7. Those for: dentures; crowns; inlays; onlays; bridgework; or other appliances or services used for the purpose of splinting; to alter vertical dimension to restore occlusion; or correcting attrition; abrasion; or erosion.
8. Those for any of the following services:
  - (a) An appliance; or modification of one; if an impression for it was made before the person became a covered person;
  - (b) A crown; bridge; or cast or processed restoration; if a tooth was prepared for it before the person became a covered person;
  - (c) Root canal therapy; if the pulp chamber for it was opened before the person became a covered person.
9. Those for services that Aetna defines as not necessary for the diagnosis; care; or treatment of the condition involved. This applies even if they are prescribed; recommended; or approved by the attending physician or Dentist.
10. Those for services intended for treatment of any Jaw Joint Disorder; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.
11. Those for Space Maintainers except when needed to preserve space resulting from the premature loss of deciduous teeth.
12. Those for orthodontic treatment; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.
13. Those for general anesthesia and intravenous sedation unless specifically covered. For plans which cover these services, they will not be eligible for benefits unless done in conjunction with another necessary covered service.
14. Those for treatment by other than a Dentist; except that scaling or cleaning of teeth and topical application of fluoride may be done by a licensed dental hygienist. In this case, the treatment must be given under the supervision and guidance of a Dentist.
15. Those in connection with a service given to a person age five or more if that person becomes a covered person other than: (a) during the first 31 days the person is eligible for this coverage; or (b) as prescribed for any period of open enrollment agreed to by the Employer and Aetna. This does not apply to charges incurred:
  - (a) After the end of the twelve month period starting on the date the person became a covered person; or
  - (b) As a result of accidental injuries sustained while the person was a Covered Person; or
  - (c) For a Primary Care Service in the Dental Care Schedule that applies shown under the headings Visits and Exams; and X-rays and Pathology.
16. Those for services given by a Non-Par Dental Provider to the extent that the charges exceed the amount payable for the services shown in the Dental Care Schedule that applies.
17. Those for a crown; cast; or processed restoration unless:
  - (a) It is treatment for decay or traumatic injury and teeth cannot be restored with a filling material; or
  - (b) The tooth is an abutment to a covered partial denture or fixed bridge.
18. Those for pontics; crowns; cast or processed restorations made with high noble metals; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.
19. Those for surgical removal of impacted wisdom teeth only for orthodontic reasons; unless otherwise specified in the Booklet-Certificate.

- 20. Those for services needed solely in connection with non-covered services.
- 21. Those for services done where there is no evidence of pathology; dysfunction; or disease other than covered preventive services

Any exclusion above will not apply to the extent that coverage of the charges is required under any law that applies to the coverage.

**Dental Care Plan coverage is subject to the following rules:**

**Replacement Rule:** The replacement of; addition to; or modification of: existing dentures; crowns; casts or processed restorations; removable bridges; or fixed bridgework is covered only if one of the following terms is met:

- (a) The replacement or addition of teeth is required to replace one or more teeth extracted after the existing denture or bridgework was installed. Dental Care Plan coverage must have been in force for the covered person when the extraction took place.
- (b) The existing denture; crown; cast or processed restoration; removable bridge; or bridgework cannot be made serviceable; and was installed at least five years under a DMO-dental plan and at least eight years under a PPO or Indemnity dental plan before its replacement.
- (c) The existing denture is an immediate temporary one to replace one or more natural teeth extracted while the person is covered; and cannot be made permanent; and replacement by a permanent denture is required. The replacement must take place within 12 months from the date of initial installation of the immediate temporary denture.

**Tooth Missing But Not Replaced Rule:** Coverage for the first installation of removable dentures; removable bridges; and fixed bridgework is subject to the requirements that such dentures; removable bridges; and fixed bridgework are (i) needed to replace one or more natural teeth that were removed while this policy was in force for the covered person; and (ii) are not abutments to a partial denture; removable bridge; or fixed bridge installed at least five years under a DMO dental plan and eight years under a PPO or Indemnity dental plan before its replacement.

**Alternate Treatment Rule:** If more than one service can be used to treat a covered person's dental condition; Aetna may decide to authorize coverage only for a less costly covered service provided that all of the following terms are met:

- (a) The service must be listed on the Dental Care Schedule;
- (b) The service selected must be deemed by the dental profession to be an appropriate method of treatment; and
- (c) The service selected must meet broadly accepted national standards of dental practice.

If treatment is being given by a Par Dental Provider and the covered person asks for a more costly covered service than that for which coverage is approved; the specific Copayment for such service will consist of:

- (a) The Copayment for the approved less costly service; plus
- (b) The difference in cost between the approved less costly service and the more costly covered service.

Consult Aetna's on-line provider directory for the most current provider listings. Participating providers are independent contractors in private practice and are neither employees nor agents of Aetna or its affiliates. The availability of any particular provider cannot be guaranteed for referred or in-network benefits, and provider network composition is subject to change without notice. Not every provider listed in the directory will be accepting new patients. Although Aetna has identified providers who were not accepting patients as known to Aetna at the time this provider directory was created, the status of a provider's practice may have changed. For the most current information, please contact the selected provider or Member Services at the toll-free number on your ID card.

This material is for informational purposes only and is neither an offer of coverage nor medical advice. It contains only a partial, general description of plan or program benefits and does not constitute a contract or any part of one. For a complete description of the benefits available to you, including procedures, exclusions and limitations, please request a copy of your specific plan documents, which may include the Group Insurance Certificate or Booklet, Group Insurance Policy and any applicable riders to your plan. All the terms and conditions of your plan or program are subject to and governed by applicable contracts, laws, regulations and policies. The availability of a plan or program may vary by geographic service area, and not all plans or programs are available in all areas. All benefits are subject to coordination of benefits.

Specific products may not be available on both a self-funded and insured basis. The information in this document is subject to change without notice. In case of a conflict between your plan documents and this information, the plan documents will govern.

In the event of a problem with coverage, members should contact Member Services at the toll-free number on their ID cards for information on how to utilize the grievance procedure when appropriate.

All member care and related decisions are the sole responsibility of participating providers. Aetna does not provide health care services and, therefore, cannot guarantee any results or outcomes.

Dental benefits are provided or administered by: Aetna Life Insurance Company, Aetna Dental of California Inc., Aetna Health Inc. and Aetna Dental Inc.

In Arizona, Advantage Plus Dental, Advantage Dental, Basic Dental and Family Preventive Dental Plans are provided or administered by Aetna Health Inc.; PPO and Indemnity Dental plans are provided or administered by Aetna Life Insurance Company.

For members residing in the state of Texas, PDN substitutes the reference to PPO Dental.

