Dental Benefits

MHPSA dental benefits provide two options — the Dental PPO (DPPO) and the Dental DHMO — for you and your family. These plans are designed to cover a portion of your dental expenses after you meet an annual deductible, if applicable. Both provide coverage for four classes of services: Preventive (Class I), such as X-rays or cleanings; Basic Restorative (Class II), such as fillings; Major Restorative (Class III), such as crowns or casts; and Orthodontia (Class IV), such as braces. Dental elections will become effective on the first of the month after your date of hire.

2018 Dental Benefits at a Glance

Review the chart below to learn more about the differences between the DPPO and DHMO plans.

	DPPO		DHMO	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network Benefits Only	
Annual Deductible (Deductible Applies to Basic and Major Services Only)				
Individual	\$50	\$50	\$50	
Family	\$100	\$100	\$100	
Type A – Preventive	100%	100%*	100%	
Type B – Basic	80%	80%*	65%	
Type C – Major	50%	50%*	50%	
Calendar Year Maximum (In- and Out-of-Network Benefit Combined)	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$1,500	
Orthodontia	50%	50%*	50%	
Lifetime Orthodontic Maximum	\$1,500 (In- and Out-of-Network Benefit Combined)		\$1,500	

^{*}Out-of-network costs are based on reasonable and customary rates. Employees may be responsible to cover costs that exceed what is considered reasonable and customary as determined by UMR.

2018 Dental Rates

	DPPO	DHMO
Coverage Levels	Employee Biweekly Contribution	Employee Biweekly Contribution
Employee	\$5.74	\$1.26
Employee & Spouse	\$14.27	\$3.14
Employee & Child(ren)	\$11.43	\$2.51
Employee & Family	\$17.12	\$3.77