Access. Discounts. Real Savings.



DRIVING MORE VALUE Percent of In-Network Claims¹ 65.8% 65.0% 63.9% 60.0% 55.6% 57.0⁹ 55.9% 55.3% 54.1% 53.1% 52.0% 49.89 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 36.2% National Average Discount¹ 34.99 33.8% 32.89 31.69 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 MetLifeIndustry

Not Just a Lot of Dentists

Finding the right dental network can be challenging. Employees want to continue to visit their dentist. And you want to provide lower costs for both your employees and your organization. MetLife's dental networks are designed to give you the access your employees want without paying more out-of-pocket.

Access. The right mix of dentists.

- PDP Plus² delivers:
 - Over 361,000 participating dentist access points³
 - 18% higher in-network utilization than the industry average¹

Discounts. Ability to maintain deep discounts.

- Negotiated fees typically 15–45% less than average charges in the same community⁴
- Discounts exceed the national industry average by 2.4%¹

Real Savings.⁵ Well-defined, data-driven approaches for participant cost protections.

- Clinically-based system logic identifying inappropriate billing
- Data analytics and predictive modeling utilization management programs backed by over 90 dentist consultants
- More than \$2.5 billion in combined plan payment and employee out-of-pocket savings based on network discounts and cost protections⁶

Customer-Focused Solutions | Exceptional Service | Proven Expertise



Expertise that Makes a Difference

- **Selection.** A well-established selection process and rigorous credentialing standards⁷ result in a rejection rate of more than 6%.⁸
- **Monitoring.** Ongoing reviews of treatment and utilization patterns ensure providers adhere to generally accepted industry standards of care.
- **Education.** Participant and dental office education helps promote better communication and healthier, safer environments for patient care.
- **Retention.** Re-credentialing is done at least every 3 years, with a low 0.6% involuntary turnover rate. 7,8

96% of plan participants and 92% of participating providers are satisfied with the MetLife Preferred Dentist Program⁹

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- ¹ Ruark Consulting Dental PPO Network Study, 2015 edition.
- ² PDP Plus is available for self-funded plans through a shared savings agreement.
- ³ MetLife data as of July 2016.
- ⁴ Based on internal MetLife analysis. Negotiated fees refer to the fees that in-network dentists have agreed to accept as payment in full for covered services, subject to any deductibles, copayments, cost sharing and benefit maximums. Negotiated fees are subject to change.

- ⁵ Savings from enrolling in a dental benefits plan will depend on various factors, including the cost of the plan, how often participants visit the dentist and the cost of services rendered.
- ⁶ Savings calculations based on analysis of 2015 claims information, comparing participating dentists' reported usual charges for services to negotiated fees for those same services.
- Ocertain providers may participate with MetLife through an agreement that MetLife has with a vendor. Providers available through a vendor are subject to the vendor's credentialing process and requirements, not MetLife's. If you should have any questions, contact MetLife Customer Service.
- ⁸ MetLife data as of year-end 2015.
- ⁹ MetLife Dental Plan Participant Satisfaction Study and Dental Practice Satisfaction Benchmarking Study, year-end 2015.



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