

Preferred Dental

Effective March 1, 2025

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Alabama's Dental Network is a statewide dental network. This managed care program is designed to promote quality and cost effective dental care. Currently more than 2,800 dentists, approximately 93% of the dentists in Alabama, have joined this program.

### ***Dental Network Provisions:***

- Network dentists will file all claims and accept the Blue Cross payment as payment in full (after any deductible and coinsurance you owe).
- Payments for covered services provided by in-network dentists in Alabama are based on the dental network fee schedule that offers an average savings of approximately 20% off billed charges.
- Payments for covered services provided by out-of-network dentists in Alabama will be made according to the dental network fee schedule at the same level as in-network services. However, you may be responsible for the difference between the Blue Cross payment and the dentist's charge (plus any deductible and coinsurance). You may also have to file the claim if your dentist's office will not.
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