

# Dental Coverage

## Children

Children who have health coverage through **Medi-Cal** or a **Covered California** health plan also have dental coverage.

Dental services include:

- Exams
- Cleanings
- X-rays
- Fillings
- Relief of pain and infection
- Medically necessary orthodontics
- Sealants
- Fluoride treatments
- Tooth extractions
- Root canals
- Emergency services

*Children should visit a dentist as soon as their first tooth appears or by age 1.*

## Adults

Adults who have health coverage through **Medi-Cal** also have dental coverage.

Dental services include:

- Exams
- Cleanings
- X-rays
- Prefabricated Crowns (stainless steel or tooth colored)
- Other medically necessary dental services
- Fluoride treatments
- Fillings
- Full dentures
- Root canals in front teeth

Dental services may exceed the annual \$1,800 limit if shown to be medically necessary.

Adults who have a **Covered California** health plan may also be eligible for many dental benefits.

## Finding a Dentist

### Medi-Cal

*The Medi-Cal Benefits Identification Card is also the card used for dental coverage, called Denti-Cal .*

To find a dentist that accepts Medi-Cal, call **Denti-Cal** at **(800) 322-6384**, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. or visit the Denti-Cal website at **www.denti-cal.ca.gov** and click on "Find a Medi-Cal Dentist"

### Covered California

Contact the health plan to find a dentist or for questions about dental care, call **(800) 300-1506**

