

Update on Delta Dental COVID-19 Premium Relief for Your Vimly Clients

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Dear Valued Producer,

Payment details of Delta Dental of Washington's **COVID-19 Premium Relief** plan have been updated for your groups that utilize Vimly Benefit Solutions as their third-party administrator.

Instead of monthly credits on invoices in July through October, Delta Dental will include all four months of adjusted premium in an upcoming invoice. Please be aware that the premium relief will not be reflected on July invoices, but it will be included in the final adjustment.

Your Delta Dental clients do not need to take any action to receive the COVID-19 Premium Relief, which is being provided in addition to Delta Dental's 60-day grace period for premium payments.

Delta Dental of Washington launches Practice Reopening Support Program

As **dental offices reopen across Washington state**, Delta Dental of Washington has launched the Practice Reopening Support Program (PRSP) to help offset the potential costs of implementing new protocols to further protect the health and safety of patients and staff. Key elements of the program include:

- The DDWA PRSP will pay participating DDWA dentists a per patient per visit fee of \$10.
- This fee will be paid by DDWA and is not part of the groups' benefits contracts. Groups will not be charged.
- This PRSP will be paid automatically to all Delta Dental Network Dentists in Washington state.*
- Payment made through the PRSP will not count towards usage of patient benefits and will not appear on the explanation of benefits (EOB).
- In line with our Network Dentist agreement, dentists should not bill patients separately for Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) or other infection control procedures or protocols.

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*PRSP includes only Washington state network dentists. Most Delta Dental member companies in states outside of Washington are supplying similar payments to their Network dentists. Contact us for more information.