

MESSA Dental plan highlights



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Effective Date: 05/01/2022

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Employee Group: 937A WCC - Teacher; 937C WCC - Administration

Group/Subgroup: 06491-0033 with medical

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Plan Features			
Diagnostic & Preventive Services 100%	Basic Services 80%	Major Services 80%	Orthodontics 80%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Examination • Prophylaxes • Topical Fluoride* • Brush Biopsy • Emergency Pallative • 2 Cleanings in 12 Months <p>* Fluoride treatments are payable twice in any period of 12 consecutive months for people up to age 19.</p> <p>Rider (If neither box below is checked, you do not have this coverage.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 3 Cleanings in 12 Months</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 4 Cleanings in 12 Months</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Radiographs (x-rays)* • Restorative • Crowns** • Oral Surgery • Endodontic Services — treatment for diseased or damaged nerves. • Periodontic Services — treatment for diseases of the gum and teeth-supporting structures. <p>* Bitewing x-rays are payable once in any period of 12 consecutive months. Full mouth panograph is payable once in 5 years.</p> <p>** Payable once in any 5-year period on the same tooth.</p> <p>Rider (If the box below is not checked, you do not have this coverage.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sealants: payable on occlusal surface of first permanent molars for patients up to age 9 and for second permanent molars for patients up to age 14 that are free from caries and restorations.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Procedures for the construction of fixed bridgework, enosteal implants, partial and complete dentures. • Payable once in any 5-year period for the same appliances. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Necessary treatment and procedures required for the correction of abnormal bite. • Orthodontic exam, radiographs and extractions are covered under Diagnostic & Preventive Services and Basic Services. <p>Rider (If the box below is not checked, you do not have this coverage.)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adult orthodontics: removes the age 19 restriction on Orthodontics coverage.</p>
<p>\$2,000 annual maximum per person Diagnostic & Preventive Services, Basic Services, and Major Services</p>			<p>\$2,000 lifetime maximum per person Orthodontics</p>

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VSP 3 G Benefits



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In-network providers

Most eye doctors are in VSP's Signature network. Staying in-network makes sure you get the most value from your benefits and limits your out-of-pocket costs. In-network doctors bill VSP directly as a convenience to you.

A directory of Signature network doctors is available at messa.org/vision or www.vsp.com. Call VSP member services at 800.877.7195 for assistance.

Out-of-network providers

(Maximum reimbursement to patient)

If you choose to see a doctor who is not in the VSP Signature network, your out-of-pocket costs will likely be higher and you must submit the itemized receipts to VSP for reimbursement. For more information, visit www.vsp.com or call VSP member services at 800.877.7195.

Benefit	In-network provider	Out-of-network provider maximum allowance
Examination		
Optometrist	No copayment	\$35
Ophthalmologist	No copayment	\$45
Contact lenses (includes examination)		
Elective lenses to improve vision	\$135 allowance	\$115
Medically necessary - <i>to correct keratoconus, irregular astigmatism, irregular corneal curvature or vision to 20/70 in the better eye</i>	MESSA pays 100% of the approved amount	\$200
Eyeglass frames	\$130 allowance	\$55
Eyeglass lenses		
Single vision	MESSA pays 100% of the approved amount	\$38
Bifocal		\$60
Trifocal		\$72
Lenticular		\$108
Eyeglass lens enhancements		
Rose #1 or #2 tint Rimless Oversize Blended Photochromic	MESSA pays 100% of the approved amount	Member must pay the difference between the approved amount and the provider charge
Progressive	Not covered	
Tinted		
Single vision	MESSA pays 100% of the approved amount	\$42
Bifocal		\$70
Trifocal		\$84
Lenticular		\$118
Polarized		
Single vision	MESSA pays 100% of the approved amount	\$56
Bifocal		\$90
Trifocal		\$110
Lenticular		\$138