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Summary of Benefits for Michigan, MEDICAID

Children's Dental Services

Preventive Services

	Is the service Covered?	Frequency	List any service-specific limitations
Cleanings	Yes	1 x 6 months	
Fluoride treatments (including fluoride varnishes)	Yes	1 x 6 months	4 x per year for ages 0-3
Sealants (list any tooth-specific limits)	Yes	1 x every 3 years	permanent molars
Space maintainers	Yes	1 x every 2 years	per quadrant/arch

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Diagnostic Services

	Is the service Covered?	Frequency	List any service-specific limitations	Recommended age of first visit?
Oral health screening or assessment				
	Yes	1 x 6 months	D0190 and D0191	
Dental examinations				
	Yes	1 x 6 months	comprehensive and periodic	
Assessment of risk for tooth decay				
	No			
X-Rays				
Bitewing	Yes	1 x year		
Full Mouth	Yes	1 x every 5 years		
Panoramic	Yes	1 x every 5 years		

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Treatment Services

	Is the service Covered?	Frequency	List any service-specific limitations	Criteria for coverage
Anti-microbial treatments that stop decay from spreading				
	No			
Fillings				
Silver amalgam	Yes		1 per 2 years per tooth/surface	
Tooth colored composite	Yes		1 per 2 years per tooth/surface	
Crowns/tooth caps				
Stainless steel crowns	Yes		1 per 2 years; PA required	
Metal (only) crowns	Yes		1 per 5 years; PA required	
Metal/porcelain crowns	Yes		CSHCS only; PA required	
Porcelain (only) crowns	Yes		CSHCS only; PA required	
Root Canals (endodontics)				
Root canals on baby teeth (pulpotomies)	Yes		< age 13	
Root canals on permanent teeth	Yes		< age 13	
Gum (periodontal) therapy				
	No			

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Dentures				
Partial dentures	Yes		PA required; 1 per 5 years	
Complete dentures	Yes		PA required; 1 per 5 years	
Bridges	Yes		CSHCS only; PA required	
Orthodontics*				
Retainers (orthodontic)	Yes		CSHCS only; PA required	
Braces	Yes		CSHCS only; PA required	qualifying diagnosis
Oral surgery				
Simple extractions	Yes			
Surgical extractions	Yes			
Care of abscesses	Yes			
Cleft palate treatment	Yes			
Cancer treatment	Yes			
Treatment of fractures	Yes			
Biopsies	Yes			

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Treatment of jaw joint problems (TMJ)				
	Yes			
Emergency room services provided by a dentist				
	Yes			
Inpatient Hospital Services				
	Yes			
Anesthesia				
General anesthesia	Yes			
Intravenous conscious sedation	Yes			
Non-intravenous conscious sedation	Yes		< age 5 only	
Analgesia (nitrous oxide)	No			

* When this information is posted on the Insure Kids Now website, we will include a special note for orthodontic services explaining that parents and caretakers should work with their child's orthodontist to ensure that the treatment and payment terms and conditions are clear at the outset of treatment (for example, what happens in the case of a child who becomes ineligible for Medicaid or CHIP while he or she is undergoing orthodontic treatment?).