



Policyholder: County of Yadkin

Group voluntary dental insurance

Benefit summary for all members electing traditional plan

Your coverage renews every July 1

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What's available to me?

Dental insurance helps pay for all, or a portion, of the costs associated with dental care, from routine cleanings to root canals.

Eligibility				
Eligible employees	Calendar-year deductible		Coinsurance your policy pays	
	In-network	Out-of-network	In-network	Out-of-network
Preventive	\$0	\$0	100%	100%
Basic	\$50	\$50	80%	80%
Major	\$50	\$50	50%	50%
Orthodontia	\$0	\$0	50%	50%
Additional provisions				
Family deductible	2 times the per person deductible amount			
Combined deductible	Your in-network deductibles for basic and major services are combined. Your out-of-network deductibles for basic and major are combined. Your services applied to the in-network deductible will apply to the out-of-network deductible and vice versa.			
Combined maximum	Your calendar year maximum for preventive, basic, and major in-network services are combined. Your calendar year maximum for preventive, basic, and major out-of-network services are combined. In-network calendar year maximums are \$1,000 per person or out-of-network calendar year maximums are \$1,000 per person. Your services applied to the in-network deductible will apply to the out-of-network deductible and vice versa.			
Orthodontia lifetime maximum	\$1,000 PPO in-network maximum / \$1,000 PPO out-of-network maximum			
Maximum accumulation	Included			
Plan type	Unscheduled			

Who can buy coverage?

- You may buy coverage if you're an active, full-time employee. Seasonal, temporary, or contract employees can't purchase.
 - If you're on regularly scheduled day off, holiday, vacation day, jury duty, funeral leave, or personal time off, you're still considered actively at work, as long as you're fulfilling your regular duties and were working the day immediately prior to your time off.
 - You must enroll within 31 days of being eligible. If you don't, you'll have to wait until the next open enrollment period, or qualifying event.

Additional eligibility requirements may apply.

Which procedures are covered, and how often?

Preventive

Routine exams	Twice per calendar year
Routine cleanings	Twice per calendar year
Bitewing X-rays	Once per calendar year
Full mouth X-rays	Once every 60 months
Fluoride	Once per calendar year (covered only for dependent children under age 14)
Sealants	Covered only for dependent children under age 14; once per tooth each 36 months

Basic

Emergency exams	Subject to routine exam frequency limit
Periodontal maintenance	If three months have passed since active surgical periodontal treatment; subject to routine cleaning frequency limit
Fillings	Replacement fillings every 24 months
Oral surgery	Simple and complex
General anesthesia / IV sedation	Covered only for specific procedures
Simple endodontics	Root canal therapy for anterior teeth
Complex endodontics	Root canal therapy for molar teeth
Non-surgical periodontics, including scaling and root planing	Once per quadrant per 24 months
Periodontal surgical procedures	Once per quadrant per 36 months
Harmful habit appliance	Covered only for dependent children under age 14

Major	
Crowns	Each 84 months per tooth if tooth cannot be restored by a filling
Core buildup	Each 84 months per tooth
Implants	Each 84 months per tooth
Bridges	84 months old (initial placement / replacement)
Dentures	60 months old (initial placement / replacement)
Repairs	Partial denture, bridge, crown, relines, rebasing, tissue conditioning and adjustment to bridge/denture, within policy limitations

Orthodontia	
Coverage	For your dependent children. Bands that are placed on a dependent child's teeth before age 19 may be covered.

Additional benefits	
Prevailing charge	When you receive care from an out-of-network-provider, benefits will be based on the 99 th percentile of the usual and customary charges.
Maximum accumulation	Some of your unused annual benefit maximum can be carried over to the next year. To qualify, you must have had a dental service performed within the calendar year and used less than the maximum threshold. The threshold is equal to the lesser of 50% of the out-of-network maximum benefit or \$1,000. If the qualification is met, 50% of the threshold is carried over to next year's maximum benefit. Individuals with fourth quarter effective dates will start qualifying for rollover at the beginning of the next calendar year. You can accumulate no more than four times the carry over amount. The entire accumulation amount will be forfeited if no dental service is submitted within a calendar year
Emergency services	If you have a dental emergency and you can't see an in-network provider in a reasonable amount of time, your claim may be paid if you see an out-of-network provider.
Participating provider services	If you require treatment and you can't see an in-network provider in a reasonable amount of time, your claim may be paid if you see an out-of-network provider.
Periodontal program	If you're pregnant or have diabetes or heart disease, you may receive scaling and root planing covered at 100% (if dentally necessary), or one additional cleaning (routine or periodontal) subject to deductible and coinsurance.
Second opinion program	You may be eligible for second opinions from dental providers at 100%. This program makes sure you get the best advice to make an informed decision about your care.

Cancer treatment oral health program	If you have cancer and are undergoing chemotherapy or head/neck radiation therapy, you may receive up to three fluoride treatments every 12 months covered at 100% plus one additional routine cleaning.
General anesthesia program	If you have autism, Down syndrome, cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy, or spina bifida you may receive general anesthesia or intravenous sedation coverage. Services must be administered in a dental office. All other contractual limitations apply.

How do I find a network dentist?

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What if my dentist isn't in the network?

You can refer your dentist to our network. Please submit the dentist's name and information by calling 800-247-4695, or submitting a form at principal.com/refer-dental-provider.

What are the limitations and exclusions of my coverage?

- Missing tooth provision –This means the initial placement of bridges, partials, dentures, and implant services to replace teeth missing before this coverage starts may not be covered. If the policy your employer purchased replaces coverage with another carrier, continuous coverage under the prior plan may be applied and you may be eligible for coverage to replace teeth missing before this coverage started. Your effective date with your current employer, along with the employer's effective date with Principal are used to determine coverage. Missing tooth provision doesn't apply to pediatric essential benefits.
- Frequency limitations for services are calculated to the month and exact date from the last date of service or placement date.

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Group voluntary vision

Benefit summary for all members electing traditional plan

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What's available to me?

Vision insurance is offered through Principal® and VSP® Vision Care. It provides choice, flexibility and savings through a VSP doctor.

If you buy this coverage, an established network of VSP doctors will provide quality care for you and your dependents.

VSP choice network

Exams	Every 12 months, one exam is covered in full after \$10 copay
Prescription glasses Lenses - 1 pair covered every 12 months	\$25 copay <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Single lenses• Lined bifocal lenses• Lined trifocal lenses• Lenticular lenses• Polycarbonate lenses for dependent children under age 18
Frames - covered up to \$200 every 12 months; 20% off amount over allowance ¹	
Lens enhancements	Standard progressive lenses covered once every 12 months with a \$0 copay ¹ Most other popular lens enhancements are covered after a copay, saving our members an average of 30% ¹
Elective contacts	Covered up to \$200 every 12 months. Contact lenses can be chosen instead of glasses.
Contact fitting and evaluation	Up to \$60 copay
Necessary contacts	Covered in full after \$25 copay every 12 months Contact lenses can be chosen instead of glasses.

¹This can vary based on state laws and provider location. Savings may not apply at participating retail chains.

Who can buy coverage?

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 - You must enroll within 31 days of being eligible. If you don't, you'll have to wait until the next open enrollment period.
- If you're covered, you may buy coverage for your dependents.

Additional eligibility requirements may apply.

What's the difference between elective and necessary contacts?

- Elective - when vision can be corrected by glasses, but contacts are worn.
- Necessary - when vision can't be corrected with glasses due to extreme vision problems.

Why am I charged an additional copay for contact fitting and evaluation?

- Contact lens wearers require an additional evaluation of the eyes' measurements, and possible follow-up appointments, for fitting and training on proper use of contact lenses.
- For these additional services, you won't pay more than \$60 at in-network providers.

Are benefits the same for all VSP doctors?

- Yes, with the exception of Costco®, Walmart®, and Sam's Club®. The frame allowance at these locations is \$110 which is equivalent to a \$200 allowance at other VSP doctor locations. Not all providers at participating retail chains are in-network for exam services.
- Benefits may also vary by location due to state law.

How do I find a VSP doctor?

- Visit vsp.com to locate VSP doctors close to you -- or to see if your current eye care professional is in the VSP network.
 - You'll need to choose the "Choice" doctor network to view the VSP doctors for your coverage.
- Call 800-877-7195.

Will I get an ID card?

- Yes, your card will have a unique member ID that your doctor will use to verify benefits.

Will my doctor submit my claim?

- If you're seeing a VSP doctor, they'll submit the claim for you.
- If you're seeing someone outside the VSP network, you're responsible for submitting your own claim. You can get that form from vsp.com after logging in as a member using your member ID. Or call 800-877-7195.

Are there any additional savings with VSP?

- Glasses and sunglasses - you can save an average of 20-25% off glasses or sunglasses from any VSP doctor within 12 months of your last covered vision exam.
- Laser vision correction - you pay an average of 15% off the regular price and 5% off the promotional price. You'll only receive these discounts from contracted clinics. Go to VSP.com and register using your member ID to see the laser vision promotions and find a contracted clinic.

These savings can vary based on state laws and provider location.

What benefits do I receive if my doctor is outside VSP's network?

Covered charges	Benefit	Frequency
Exams	Up to \$45	Once every 12 months
Single lenses	Up to \$30	One pair every 12 months
Lined bifocal lenses	Up to \$50	One pair every 12 months
Lined trifocal lenses	Up to \$65	One pair every 12 months
Lenticular lenses	Up to \$100	One pair every 12 months
Frames	Up to \$70	One set every 12 months
Elective contacts	Up to \$105	Contacts are instead of frames and lenses
Necessary contacts	Up to \$210	Contacts are instead of frames and lenses

What are the limitations of my benefits?

- Visual analysis or vision aids that aren't medically necessary aren't covered.
- No benefits will be paid for:
 - Non-prescription glasses
 - Medical or surgical treatment of the eyes
 - Claims submitted by a doctor who is part of your family

Once enrolled, you'll receive a booklet with more details regarding your plan limitations and exclusions.



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