

What dentists should know about our new Medicare Advantage benefits for 2026

With industry-leading support, Humana makes it easier for your dental practice to work with us and for your patients to use their benefits. With rich comprehensive benefits and consistently strong customer satisfaction, Humana's Medicare Advantage membership is strong and growing.

Our 2026 Medicare Advantage plan benefits:



Dental coverage on 100% of plans: Humana will cover two cleanings a year, plus exams and X-rays on 100% of Medicare Advantage (MA) plans nationwide.



Major services & periodontal scaling coverage:

- 83% of patients will have embedded benefits that cover some major services*.
- 86% of patients will have plans that cover periodontal maintenance.

Reading the patient's ID card

As a reminder, **all Medicare Advantage dental benefits use a PPO network.** The patient's ID card may say HMO, but that is only related to their medical benefits. The dental benefit is on the back of the card.



Please note: The date on the member ID card is an issue date, not an effective date. New member benefits begin on **Jan. 1, 2026**. Please be sure to look up benefits to confirm effective date before providing service.

This is the Humana medical network only. It is not related to the dental network.

On the back of the card, the letters DEN plus a three-digit number indicate the patient's specific dental plan.

2026 Dental Office Handbook

Please remember that benefits vary by plan. Be sure to verify the specific coverage of your MA patients in the Dental Office Handbook of the corresponding calendar year located at [Humana.com/sb](https://www.humana.com/sb).

Need assistance? Humana provides a trusted advisor known as a single point of contact (SPOC) to all in-network providers. Your SPOC is there to help your practice solve administrative issues, answer plan questions, and get back to patient care faster. If you do not have your SPOC's contact information, please email DentalService@humana.com to request their details.

Humana knows Medicare. To learn more about our plan offerings from a Medicare expert, ask your SPOC about a visit from a licensed, local Humana sales agent.

* Low coinsurance may apply to select major services depending on the patient's MA plan.

