



**Low Plan**

**Kansas City Public SD 500  
DentalGuard Value Program  
Benefit Illustration**

	<b>Percentage Paid</b>	
	<b>In-network</b>	<b>Out-of-network</b> <small>(Based on In-Network Established Fee Schedule)</small>
<b>Deductible</b> (*Waived for Preventive Services)	<b>\$50.00*</b>	<b>\$50.00*</b>
<b>Services</b>		
<b>Preventive Services</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Emergency Palliative Treatment</li> <li>○ Fluoride Treatments; every six months (to age 19).</li> <li>○ Oral Examination - every six months</li> <li>○ Periodontal Maintenance Procedure - every 6 months.</li> <li>○ Space Maintainers for Children - under age 14</li> <li>○ Teeth Cleaning - every six months</li> <li>○ Topical Sealants for unrestored molar teeth - one treatment for child(ren) under 14 in a three (3) year period</li> <li>○ X-Rays - four bitewings every twelve months</li> </ul>		
<b>Basic Services</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>80%</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Crowns: Stainless Steel</li> <li>○ X-Rays - full mouth series every five years</li> <li>○ Diagnostic Consultation- one per year</li> <li>○ Endodontic Services/Root Canal Therapy</li> <li>○ Fillings: Amalgam &amp; Anterior Composites</li> <li>○ General Anesthesia- surgical procedures only</li> <li>○ Injectable Antibiotics- for treatment of a dental condition only</li> <li>○ Laboratory Test</li> <li>○ Periodontal Services (other than Periodontal Maintenance Procedure)</li> <li>○ Repairs of dentures, bridgework, crowns, etc.</li> </ul>		
<b>Major Services</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>40%</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Bridges Installation-fixed and removable</li> <li>○ Crowns: Resin, Metal</li> <li>○ Dentures- Full and Partial</li> <li>○ Inlays, Onlays, Posts</li> <li>○ Oral Surgery - Uncomplicated extractions</li> </ul>		
<b>Orthodontic Services</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>40%</b>
\$1,000 lifetime maximum for child(ren) under age 19		

## Plan Features

- There is a \$1,000 annual maximum for Preventive, Basic and Major services combined.
- Maximum Rollover: With Maximum Rollover, we'll roll over a portion of each member's unused annual maximum, called the Maximum Rollover Amount, into his or her Maximum Rollover Account (MRA). The MRA can be used in future years, if a member reaches the plan's Annual Maximum.

Even better, if a member uses the services of Preferred Providers exclusively during the benefit year, we'll increase the amount credited to his or her MRA to the In-network Only Maximum Rollover Amount.

To qualify, a member must submit a claim and not exceed the paid claims Threshold during the benefit year. The employee and each insured dependent maintain separate MRAs based on their own claim activity. Each member's MRA may not exceed the MRA limit.

Maximum Rollover Plans based on a calendar year benefit period with a plan effective date in October, November or December; the plan features will be effective as of the first full benefit year. (Example: If a plan starts in November of 2007, claim activity in 2008 will be used and applied to MRAs for use in 2009).

PLAN ANNUAL MAXIMUM **	THRESHOLD	MAXIMUM ROLLOVER AMOUNT	IN-NETWORK ONLY MAXIMUM ROLLOVER AMOUNT	MAXIMUM ROLLOVER ACCOUNT LIMIT
\$1000	\$500	\$250	\$350	\$1000

- \*Deductible is waived for Preventive services. 3 individual deductibles per family.
- Children are covered up to age 19 or 24 if a full time student.
- Employee/Dependents enrolling outside of the plan eligibility period may be subject to Late Entrant<sup>1</sup> penalties.
- No waiting periods apply for eligible employees/dependents
- *In-network* and *Out-of-network* benefits receive the same co-insurance percentages, but all benefits are paid based on the contracted fee schedule. When seeking *In-network* care you receive regular contracted savings, and no balance billing. If choosing *Out-of-network* care, charges will be paid for only up to the maximum fee level established with our contracted network dentists; any amount that is charged over the fee schedule is the responsibility of the patient.
- Dental Claims - P. O. Box 2459, Spokane, WA 99210-2459, ph: 1-800-541-7846, fax: 509-468-4590.
- Guardian has contracted with dental providers to provide discounts off services and procedures to Guardian dental plan members. To locate a provider, please reference our On-Line Provider Directory at [www.GuardianLife.com](http://www.GuardianLife.com).
- Pre-determination Review - Guardian will gladly assist you and your dentist by determining what benefits could be payable for services and procedures over \$300. Have your dentist fax your treatment plan to Guardian, note that it is a pre-determination review and we will let your dentist know what benefits would be payable. (This includes orthodontic treatment if your plan includes it)
- **Special Limitation:** Teeth lost or missing before a covered person becomes insured by this plan. A covered person may have one or more congenitally missing teeth or have lost one or more teeth before he became insured by this plan. We won't pay for a prosthetic device which replaces such teeth unless the device also replaces one or more natural teeth lost or extracted after the covered person became insured by this plan. R3 - DG2000
- Guardian is committed to keeping your clients and their employees healthy and smiling – and helping you stand out from the competition by now offering:

**ViziLite Plus:** ViziLite Plus is a simple technology that assists dental professionals in the early detection of oral abnormalities that include pre-malignant lesions and oral cancer. The test is quick and painless. When a pre-malignant lesion or oral cancer is discovered early, treatment is simpler, less invasive and more than 90% successful. Guardian's plan covers Vizilite Plus exams for members age 40 or older, once every two years.

**Xylitol Products:** Members can now fight cavities by simply chewing gum! Guardian members receive discounts on Xylitol products, provided by Epic Dental, a leading provider of dental care products:

- A free trial of the products such as gum, mints, mouthwash and toothpaste or the option to receive a 50% discount off products purchased
- For ongoing orders, a 25% discount off products purchased

<sup>1</sup> A late entrant is a person who becomes insured more than 31 days after he is eligible; or becomes insured again, after his coverage lapsed because he did not make required payments. We won't cover charges incurred by a late entrant for (1) Group II (basic) services until 6 months from the date he is insured by this plan; and (2) Group III (major) services until 12 months from the date he is insured by this plan; (3) and Group IV (orthodontics) services until 24 months from the date he is insured by this plan .

### **DentalGuard General Limitations and Exclusions**

This policy provides dental insurance only. Coverage is limited to those charges that are necessary to prevent, diagnose or treat dental disease, defect , or injury. Deductibles apply. The plan does not pay for: oral hygiene services (except as covered under preventive services), orthodontia (unless expressly provided for), cosmetic or experimental treatments, any treatments to the extent benefits are payable by any other payor or for which no charge is made, prosthetic devices unless certain conditions are met, and services ancillary to surgical treatment, The plan limits benefits for diagnostic consultations and for preventive, restorative, endodontic, periodontic, and prosthodontic services. A 5 year limitation on prosthodontics and crowns apply. Relinings are once every 3 years. The services, exclusions and limitations listed above do not constitute a contract and are a summary only. The Guardian plan documents are the final arbiter of coverage. Contract # GP-1-DG2000 et al.

**This handout is for illustrative purposes. You will receive benefit booklets when your enrollment application is processed. If there is a discrepancy between this handout and your benefit booklet, the benefit booklet prevails.**