# Montana Healthcare Programs Dental Hygienist Fee Schedule Explanation

Effective July 1, 2018

## **Definitions:**

#### **Modifier:**

When a modifier is present, this indicates system may have different reimbursement or code edits for that procedure code/modifier combination. For example:

EP = EPSDT service (Early Periodic Screening Diagnosis and Treatment)

### **Description:**

Procedure code short description. You must refer to the appropriate official CPT-4, HCPCS or CDT-5 coding manual for complete definitions In order to assure correct coding.

#### **Effective**

This is the first date of service for which the listed fee is applicable. 999\* Indicates benefit open to members though age 20 ONLY from July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018, benefit will then be open for members of all ages beginning October 1, 2018 and after. Service limits apply.

#### **Method – Source of Fee Determination:**

Note: If a valid, current code is not present, that code may be a non-covered service

**Fee Sched:** Based on Relative Value for Dentists (RVD) X Montana Medicaid Dental Conversion Factor. Conversion factor for fiscal year 2018 is \$32.77 \$33.78

Medicare: Medicare-prevailing fee.

**Anes Value:** Number of anesthesia base value units.

**RBRVS:** Based on Medicare Relative Value Units (RVU's) x Montana Medicaid conversion factor x policy adjuster.

## **Global Days**

Global surgery indicator

Global surgery periods are pre- and post-operative time frames assigned to surgical procedures.

**000:** Same day as procedure

**010:** Same day and ten days following procedure Indicators

**090:** One day prior to and ninety days following procedure

MMM: In maternity cases, the global period is per the CPT-4 code description

**ZZZ**: Add-on code, global period does not apply. An add-on code must be billed with its associated primary code

## PA:

**Prior Authorization** 

**Y:** Prior authorization is required by this code

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