



MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE

December 20, 2017

Dentist, Dental Hygienist, Denturist, and Oral Surgeon

Effective January 1, 2018

Dental Reimbursement Rate Change

Effective January 1, 2018, dental, denturist, oral surgeon, and dental hygienist provider reimbursement rates will be decreased. The 2.99% provider rate decrease was achieved by implementing legislatively mandated funding reductions in Senate Bill (SB) 261 §§ 12 and 21. The decrease will change the conversion factor from \$33.78 to \$32.77.

The new fee schedule dated January 1, 2018 includes age ranges, limits, and prior authorization requirements per procedure code and is posted on the [Provider Information website](#).

Contact Information

If you have any questions, please contact:

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