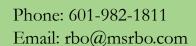


# DENTAL and VISION

# Retiree Benefit Options, Inc.

for Mississippi's public retirees



When entering retirement from a public employer, most people are faced with the problem of losing their employer-sponsored benefits. Cobra continuation is an option, but it can be expensive, and coverage can only be retained for 18 months following retirement.

Retiree Benefit Options, Inc. has resolved this issue by providing some of these benefits - Dental and Vision coverage - specifically to retirees. These plans have no limits on the length of coverage. Not only can they be kept beyond 18 months, they can even continue beyond age 65.

If you currently have Dental coverage through your employer as an active employee or under Cobra continuation, you will have no waiting periods when you enroll in RBO's Dental plan with no lapse in coverage. If you do not currently have Dental coverage, you will incur a 6-month waiting period on Major Dental services only. There are no waiting periods for Diagnostic & Preventive or Basic services.

RBO's Vision plan has no waiting periods, regardless of current coverage.

This booklet contains benefit summaries and frequently asked questions about the plans as well as an application for coverage. You may choose to enroll in either or both of these plans. Coverage is available for your dependents as well.

At this time, Retiree Benefit Options only accepts premiums to be paid by Automatic Bank Draft. You will find the bank draft authorization at the bottom of the application. Along with your application, please be sure to enclose a check <u>made payable to Retiree Benefit Options</u> in the amount of your first month's total premium. You must also include a <u>voided check</u> to set up the bank draft. Drafts will begin with your second month of coverage.

Your "effective date" of coverage (top right corner of the application) should be the first day in which any other Dental or Vision plan will expire in order to avoid a lapse in coverage and prevent waiting periods.

Should you have any questions regarding these plans, please call 601-982-1811 or email rbo@msrbo.com.

# We look forward to serving you!

Note: Monthly premiums in this brochure are guaranteed through 12/31/2018





# Retiree Dental Plan

Provided by Retiree Benefit Options, Inc.

Group # MS15876

# **Group Dental Plan Summary**

#### Coinsurance

Diagnostic & Preventive Services (D & P)

**Basic Services** 

**Major Services** 

**Deductibles** (per person)

Annual Maximum (per person)

**Waiting Periods** 

D & P and Basic Services

**Major Services** 

100%1

80%1

50%<sup>1</sup>

\$50 per calendar year (does not apply to D & P)

\$1,000 per calendar year

None

6 months<sup>2</sup>

- ¹ PPO Dentists (in network) are paid on the PPO provider fee schedule. Delta Dental Premier® dentists (out of network) are paid on the Maximum Plan Allowance (MPA). Non Delta Dental dentists (out of network) are paid up to the 80th percentile.
- 2 Waiting periods are waived based on uninterrupted coverage when replacing your Mississippi Public Employers' Group Dental Plan.

All three classes of services are covered with this plan. The percentage paid for a particular procedure is determined by the classification of that service.

#### ———- Sample Procedure Listing ————

## Diagnostic & Preventive

Routine Oral Exam
(2 per year)

Bitewing X-rays

(1 set per year >18) (2 per year < 18)

Full Mouth/Panoramic X-rays (1 in 5 years)

Cleanings

(2 per benefit period)

Fluoride for Children under 19

**Emergency Exams** 

#### **Basic**

Restorative: Amalgam, synthetic porcelain, plastic fillings and prefabricated stainless steel restorations for treatment of carious lesions)

Denture Repair

Simple Extractions

#### Major

Crowns, Jackets and
Cast Restorations
(1 in 5 years per tooth)

Complex Oral Surgery

**Endodontic Services** 

Periodontic Services

General Anesthesia

<u>Prosthodontic Services</u>: fixed bridges, complete or partial dentures; repair of fixed bridges (1 in 5 years)

- See Missing Tooth Clause in FAQs  $\,$ 

## **Monthly Rates**

\$38.98

Retiree Only (EE)

EE + 1 Dependent \$78.67

EE + Family \$122.34

(Rates effective through 12/31/2018)

## Delta Dental PPOSM

Delta Dental's customer service center is open Monday through Friday 6:15 am to 6:30pm CST

800-521-2651

After your effective date, log on to Delta Dental's website 24/7 to access benefits information, claim status, print an ID card, search for network providers and find average dental fees in your area.

### www.deltadentalins.com

<u>Claims address:</u> P.O. Box 1809 Alpharetta, GA 30023-1809

Save money with a Delta Dental PPO dentist. Delta Dental's PPO network dentists accept reduced fees for covered services they provide you, so you'll usually pay the least when you visit a PPO network dentist. This also ensures Delta Dental dentists won't balance bill you the difference between the contracted amount and their usual fee.

The PPO plus Premier "safety-net": If you don't choose to visit a Delta Dental PPO dentist, you also have access to the Delta Dental Premier® network. You'll usually pay more than if you visit a PPO dentist, but you'll still have cost protection that you don't get when you visit a non-Delta Dental dentist.

This document is a highlight of plan benefits that will be underwritten by Delta Dental Insurance Company and effective January 1, 2016. Please contact RBO for a list of covered procedures, exclusions and limitations. Delta Dental logo is a registered mark of Delta Dental Plans Association.

Carrier: **Delta Dental Insurance Company** 

# **Dental Plan Frequently Asked Questions**

Group: **MS15876** 

Customer Service: 800-521-2651

Website: www.deltadentalins.com How do I obtain a copy of my dental benefits?

After your effective date, you can access a complete listing of your benefits by logging in at www.deltadentalins.com or contact RBO for an email or paper copy of your Evidence of Coverage booklet.

Can I see any dentist or specialist or must I choose one from your list?

Want to visit a non-Delta Dental dentist? No problem. You can visit any licensed dentist, but your costs are usually lowest when you see a Delta Dental PPO<sup>SM</sup> dentist.

How do I know if my dentist or specialist is part of the PPO network?

Click on the Find a Dentist tab on the Delta Dental website (www.deltadentalins.com). Select the Delta Dental PPO Network. This site includes the name, location, hours, and languages spoken for each participating dentist or specialist in the Delta Dental PPO network. Select Delta Dental Premier® to search the Delta Dental Premier Network.

How much will I have to pay at the time of my appointment?

You may be responsible for your deductible and co-insurance. However, some dental offices will not collect the deductible or co-insurance until after the claim has been processed by insurance. Please contact your dental office to see how they handle their billing.

Will you send benefit payments to me or to the dentist/specialist?

Benefits are assigned according to how it is authorized on the claim form if services are performed in the United States. If services are performed outside of the United States, benefits will automatically be assigned to the insured. If you visit a PPO dentist or Premier Dentist, based on their contractual agreement, benefit payments are automatically issued directly to the dentist or specialist. For non-participating dentists and specialists, benefits can be assigned to the insured or to the dentist or specialist. If you would like the benefits assigned to you, please leave the authorization line blank.

#### Do I have to get a pre-treatment estimate?

No, you don't have to. However, if your dental care will be extensive, you may ask your dentist to complete and submit a request for a cost estimate, sometimes called a pre-treatment estimate. This will allow you to know in advance what procedures are covered, the amount the benefit plan will pay toward treatment and your financial responsibility. A pre-treatment estimate is not a guarantee of payment. When the services are complete and a claim is received for payment, Delta Dental will calculate payment based on your current eligibility, amount remaining in your annual maximum and any deductible requirements.

#### What is a missing tooth clause?

A missing tooth clause explains the coverage limitations relating to teeth missing or extracted prior to your effective date of coverage. Teeth missing prior to the effective date of coverage are not covered benefits.

Can my spouse and children be covered by the plan?

Yes. You (the retiree) must be the primary insured, but you can also choose to cover your spouse and unmarried dependent children under age 26.

If I choose not to sign up now, will I be able to enroll at a later date?

You will be eligible for coverage later, however if you incur a lapse in coverage between your current plan and this plan, you will be subject to a 6 months waiting period for any major (Class III) work.





# Retiree Vision Plan

Provided by Retiree Benefit Options, Inc.

# **Vision Plan Summary**

Comprehensive Eye Exam: Ophthalmologist (MD)	In Network*	Out-of Network*
Optometrist (OD)	Covered in Full	Up to \$34
	Covered in Full	Up to \$26
Standard Lenses (Per Pair):		
Single Vision		
Bifocal	Covered in Full	Up to \$26
Trifocal	Covered in Full	Up to \$39
Lenticular	Covered in Full	Up to \$49
	Covered in Full	Up to \$78
Contact Lenses (Per Pair):**		
Medically Necessary		
Elective***	Covered in Full	Up to \$210
	Up to \$120	Up to \$100
Contact Lens Fitting Exam****		
Standard		
Specialty	Covered in Full	Not Covered
	Up to \$50	Not Covered
Frames—Standard***		

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- All in-network and out-of-network allowances are at the retail value.
- \*\* Contact lenses are in lieu of eyeglass lenses and frames benefit.
- \*\*\* The insured is responsible for paying any charges in excess of this allowance.
- \*\*\*\*Standard contact lens fitting applies to an existing contact lens wearer who wears disposable, daily wear or extended wear lenses only. The specialty contact lens fitting applies to new contact lens wearers and/or a member who wears toric, gas permeable, or multi-focal lenses. For the specialty fit, the member is responsible for any charges over \$50.

## **Monthly Rates**

Retiree Only \$ 9.14

Retiree + Family \$22.94

#### Co-Payments:

\$25 Materials

\$10 Comprehensive Eye Exam

\$25 Contact Lens Fitting Exam

In-network co-pays are paid directly to the provider. Out-of-network co-pays will be deducted from the out-of-network reimbursement. Materials co-pay applies to lenses and/or frames, not contact lenses

#### Plan Frequency

Comprehensive Exam12 MonthsContact Lens Fitting Exam12 MonthsLenses12 MonthsFrames24 MonthsContact Lenses12 Months

#### **Discounts on Additional Purchases**

Prescription eyeglass lenses
Add-on charges to basic lenses
Contact lenses
Disposable contact lenses
All other prescription materials
Eyeglass frames

30% off retail
20% off retail
20% off retail
30% off retail

These discounts are provided by Superior Vision contracted providers who are identified in the provider directory as "accepts discounts".

For assistance using your plan, please contact Customer Service at 800-507-3800 or visit us online at www.superiorvision.com

Refractive Surgery Discounts: Superior has a nationwide network of refractive surgeons. These providers offer Superior Vision plan members a discounted rate off the usual and customary prices for LASIK surgery. Discounts will vary by provider.

#### **Discounts on Covered Benefits**

These discounts apply to upgrades on the <u>covered</u> frame and lenses only. For discounts on additional pairs, please refer to the Discounts on Additional Purchases.

Frames: 20% off the difference between the covered frame allowance and the retail price of the selected frame. Note: Discounts do not apply when prohibited by the manufacturer.

Add-ons to the covered pair of lenses:

### Lens Options & Upgrades

Scratch Coat (factory)
Ultraviolet coat
Standard anti-reflective coat
High Index 1.6
Polycarbonate
Standard photochromic
Plastic tints, solid or gradient
Glass Coloring

#### Member pays 20% off retail up to:

\$13 (single vision & standard multifocal lenses) \$15 (single vision & standard multifocal lenses) \$50 (single vision & standard multifocal lenses) \$55 (single vision lenses only) \$40 (single vision lenses only) \$80 (single vision lenses only) \$25 (any type lenses) \$35 (any type lenses)

All other lens options/upgrades 20% discount off retail

Higher end or brand name lens upgrades are at an additional expense to you. These upgrades will be available at a 20% discount off retail.

Progressive Lens benefit (no-line): The member pays the difference between the provider's in-office price for Standard Trifocal lenses and the price for progressive power lenses selected, less 20%.

Disclaimer: All final determinations of benefits, administrative duties, and definitions are governed by the Certificate of Insurance Coverage for your vision plan. Please check with your Benefits Administrator if you have questions.

Carrier: Superior Vision

Group: **029689** 

Customer Service: 800-507-3800

Website: www.superiorvision.com

# Vision Plan Frequently Asked Questions

#### What is the difference between an In-Network provider and Out-of-Network provider?

Your vision benefits are offered through a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) plan. We have "innetwork" providers (those for whom we have a PPO contract) and "out-of-network" providers (no PPO contract). This means that you can obtain products or services through any provider you choose, though you'll generally pay less with our in-network providers. When visiting an in-network provider, you are responsible for paying any applicable co-pay and for items that are not covered, or that exceed your benefit limitations. When visiting out-of-network providers, you pay for all services in full, and then file a claim with Superior Vision for reimbursement according to your out-of-network benefits schedule.

#### How do I find an In-Network provider?

Superior Vision members have access to the most diverse vision network available in the U.S. With over 350 provider access points in Mississippi, the network includes numerous national retail chains including: Eyemart Express, EyeMasters, JCPenney Optical, LensCrafters, Sam's Club, Sears Optical and Wal-Mart Vision Centers. You can locate a provider by simply visiting <a href="www.superiorvision.com">www.superiorvision.com</a> and clicking on Locate a Provider or you can contact Customer Service at 800-507-3800.

#### What if my present provider is not in the provider network?

A Provider Nomination form can be found and submitted from the member portal on our website. In addition, you may make the request through Customer Service or fax the information to Provider Relations at 916-852-2380.

#### Can I get my eye examination at one location and the materials at another?

Yes, you can. However each provider will need to call Superior Vision Customer Service to verify your eligibility.

#### How do I get reimbursed when using an out-of-network provider?

Obtain a Reimbursement Claim form either from the member section of our website or from a Customer Service Representative. Complete the claim form and attach a copy of your receipt or itemized bill that explains what services were provided (keep the original for your records). Mail or fax these to Superior Vision's Customer Service. You will be reimbursed the allowable amount as outlined in the out-of-network section of your Outline of Benefits.

#### How do I use the elective (cosmetic) contact lens allowance?

You may choose to wear contact lenses in lieu of glasses as your vision correction. The specified allowance may be applied toward the purchase of any type of elective contact lenses. Your benefit is greater when dispensed by an in-network provider. Remember that glasses and contacts are not covered in the same plan year.

#### How are progressive lenses (no-line lenses) covered?

Lined bifocals and trifocals are standard lenses and covered in full. If you select no-line progressive lenses, you will pay the difference between the retail price of the selected progressive lens and the retail price of the lined trifocal at your provider's office. The difference may also be subject to a discount.

#### Can I utilize in-store specials, promotions or coupons along with my Superior Vision plan benefit?

Your benefits provide discounted rates from in-network providers, and cannot be used in conjunction with coupons, promotions, sales or other types of discounts. An exception: if you use the services of an in-network provider but choose to take advantage of a sale, coupon or other in-store special, the provider may require that you pay in full and then submit your receipt to Superior Vision for reimbursement at the out-of-network rates. If you have questions about the use of discounts, call Customer Service before you seek services as rules may vary from state to state and be subject to state laws.

# **Retiree Benefit Options**

Application for Dental/Vision Coverage

Please print in black ink.			Effective Date:				
Retiree's Name Last	First	MI		Sex	Social Securit	ty Number	
Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)			City		State	Zip	
Birthdate (MM/DD/YYYY)	Phone		<u> </u>	Date of F	 Retirement (м	IM/DD/YYYY)	
Agency/School retired from	<u> </u>			Personal	Email		
Have you had Dental insurance with	in 30 days of the	e effective	e date of th	is policy?		Yes No	
Coverage selected:	If yes, current	Dental in	surance cor	npany:			
<b>Delta</b> Retiree Only	\$38.98		Superior		Retiree Only	\$9.14	
<b>Dental</b> Retiree + One	\$78.67		Vision		Family	\$22.94	
Family	\$122.34		Underwritte	en by Natio	nal Guardian Life	Insurance Comp	any
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Dependent Coverage (Please complete	if dependent coverd	age elected,	and check wh	ich coverage	e)		
Spouse Name Last First	MI		Sex	Birthdate	(MM/DD/YYYY)		Dental
Child Name Last First	MI		Sex	Birthdate	(MM/DD/YYYY)	Disabled?	Vision Dental
Child Name Last First	MI		Sex	Birthdate	(MM/DD/YYYY)	Y / N Disabled? Y / N	Vision Dental Vision
Signature				Dat	e _	, , <u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>	
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Company Name: Retiree Benefit O	ptions, Inc.		Address:	403A Tow	ne Center Blvd,	, Ridgeland, MS	<u>39157</u>
I authorize the above named Origin (our) banking account listed below		to initiate	e debit entr	ies or adju	istments for any	y debit entries	to my
Name(s) on Account:							
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