



CHILD DENTAL BENEFITS SCHEDULE (Summary)

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Your child may be eligible for a **\$1000 dental voucher** from Medicare.

[What is the Child Dental Benefits Schedule?](#)

Covers part or the full cost of some dental services for children aged between 2-17, if you get certain payments from Medicare.

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Check if your child is eligible for the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS). You don't need to apply or register for CDBS. If your child is eligible the Government will send you a letter.

Your child can get CDBS when:

- they are eligible for Medicare
- they are between 2 and 17 years old for at least 1 day that year
- You or they get an **eligible payment** at least once that year.

You can be either the child's:

- parent or guardian
- Approved care organisation.

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Find out what child dental services are covered and how much are covered

Medicare cover up to \$1,000 over 2 calendar years for basic dental services under the CDBS.

The services covered include:

- Check-ups
- X-rays
- Cleaning
- Fissure sealing
- Fillings
- Root canals
- Extractions.

**** Note: There are some restrictions for basic dental services. You should check with your dentist if there are any items or time restrictions before starting your service. ****



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You can get child dental benefits for services at most dentists. Don't forget you can only claim benefits for:

- Up to \$1,000 in a [2 year period](#)
- The types of [services Medicare cover](#).

How to Claim >

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How to claim dental services covered by the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS).

You can't claim from Medicare and a private health insurer for the same dental service.

You can claim your benefit either:

- At the dentist when you pay
- Directly from Medicare if your dentist doesn't bulk bill.

**** NOTE: Not all dentists bulk bill. You should check if yours does when you make an appointment. To find a dentist who bulk bills, use the [find a health service tool](#) on the healthdirect website.**

What information relates >

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Department of Human Services have other payments, services and subjects to help you with the Child Dental Benefits Schedule.

For more detailed Information, [Click Here](#)

Note:

The Information on this page was taken from the Government Human services web site, last updated on the 20th June 2019, this document is intended as a summary only, to ensure correct Information and any possible legislative changes we suggest you check the following Government web site in advance of any procedures, for any potential changes that may happen from time to time, in regards to the "CHILD DENTAL BENEFITS SCHEDULE" (CDBS), Dental On Victoria cannot be held responsible for any incorrect information.

For Full details of the "CHILD DENTAL BENEFITS SCHEDULE (CDBS), PLEASE check the following Government Web Site

<https://www.humanservices.gov.au/individuals/services/medicare/child-dental-benefits-schedule>