

## LIMITED PURPOSE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS

## Examples of Eligible Expenses under a Limited Purpose Flexible Spending Account

### **Dental Services**

- Artificial Teeth
- Crowns/Bridges
- **Dental Cancer Screenings**
- Dental Implants
- **Dental Sealants**
- Dental X-rays
- **Dentures**
- Exams/Teeth Cleaning
- Extractions
- **Fillings**
- Fluoride Treatments
- Mouth Guards
- Occlusal Guards
- Oral Surgery Orthodontia\*\*\*
- Prophylaxis
- Retainers
- **Space Maintainers**

## **Insurance Related Items**

- **Dental Copay Amounts**
- Dental Co-insurance
- **Dental Deductibles** Vision Copay Amounts
- Vision Co-insurance
- Vision Deductibles

### **Prescription Medications**

Prescription medication to the extent that the prescription is for dental or vision treatment

### **Dental Practitioners**

- Dentist
- Denturist
- Endodontist
- Ophthalmologist (but not for medical eye care)
- Optometrist
- Periodontist

# **Other Equipment**

#### Supplies, and Services

- Contact Lens Materials and Equipment
- Denture Adhesives
- **Dental Records Charges**
- Vision Records Charges

#### **Vision Services**

- Contact Lenses, Materials and Supplies
- Eye Examinations
- Glasses
- Lasik/Laser Vision Correction
- **Prescription Sunglasses**
- Radial Keratotomy
- Reading Glasses

# \*\*Over the Counter Medications may only be covered when accompanied by a medical practitioner's note or prescription. Items must be used to treat a specific medical condition of limited duration:

**OTC Temporary Fillings** 

Toothache Relievers

Visine and other Eye Drops

# Examples of expenses that are not eligible for reimbursement under a Limited Purpose Flexible **Spending Account:**

**COBRA Premiums** 

Concierge, Boutique or Practice

Fees

Cosmetic Dentistry

Dental bleaching or any other

teeth whitening

Discount Plan Expenses

Finance Charges

Illegal operations, treatments and

medications

Items paid or payable by insurance

Insurance Premiums

Late Fees

Medical Eye Treatment Missed Appointment Fees Non-Prescription Glasses Non-Prescription Sunglasses Personal hygiene products Prepayments for Services

Premiums for group coverage

Teeth whitening **Toiletries** 

Toothpaste or toothbrushes (electric or otherwise), even if a dentist recommends treating a condition

Veneers

Vision Discount Program Cost Warranties for glasses or other

medical devices

## Whose Expenses can I Reimburse?

You can generally include medical expenses you pay for yourself as well as those you pay for someone who was your spouse, qualifying child or qualifying relative when the product or services were acquired. Domestic partners do not qualify for reimbursement unless they are a qualifying relative.

A qualifying child is an individual who (a) bears a specified relationship to the employee (relationship test); (b) has the same principal abode as the employee for more than half of the year (residency test); (c) meets certain age requirements (age test); (d) has not provided more than half of his or her own support for the year (limited selfsupport test); and (5) has not filed a joint tax return (other than only for claim of refund) with his or her spouse for the year (marital/tax filing status test).

- A qualifying relative is an individual (a) who bears a specified relationship to the employee (relationship test); (b) whose gross income is less than the exemption amount in Code §151(d) (income test); (c) with respect to whom the employee provides over half of the individual's support (support test); and (d) who is not anyone's qualifying child.
- Individuals Who Generally Are Ineligible Under Code §152. An individual generally will not be a Code §152 dependent if he or
  she is a dependent of a Code §152 dependent, a married dependent filing a joint tax return, or a citizen or national of a country
  other than the United States.

## Orthodontia Special Note:

As orthodontia treatment typically spans over a period of years, individuals are often charged an initial, up-front payment and then must make periodic payments over the rest of the treatment period. FSA reimbursement is based on <u>service date(s)</u>, therefore **the expense** must be claimed within the active treatment period. The contract <u>Start Date</u> and estimated <u>Length of Treatment</u> are required to determine the amount eligible for reimbursement within the FSA plan year.

If orthodontic contract does not indicate insurance information, we will require you to submit the <u>lifetime maximum</u> for orthodontia from insurance carrier.

### Convert Your Account to a full Health Care Flexible Spending Account:

While you are meeting your Medical Plan deductible, and are enrolled in a Limited Health Care Spending Account, your plan expenses are limited to reimbursing only your qualified dental, vision, and preventive expenses. Once you have met your Medical Plan deductible, you may opt to rollover your plan into a full Health Care Flexible Spending Account, from which all qualifying medical, dental, vision, and prescription expenses may be reimbursed.

To rollover your account, please complete the **Limited Health Care FSA Post-Deductible Expense Certification Form**, available online in the Spending Account portal under Tools & Support.

Once the Spending Account Service Center has received your Certification, your account will be rolled into a full Health Care Flexible Spending Account and your MMA Blue Card will allow for the reimbursement of post-deductible medical expenses