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Remittance Advice (RA) Message

Title: **Dental Services – Changes Effective 08/01/2017**

Issue Date: 07/19/2017

Run Length: 8 weeks

Provider Type(s): 030, 110

Message: Annual dental coverage limits are applied to the State fiscal year, July 1 – June 30, not the calendar year as previously stated.

Alaska Medicaid has adjusted the coverage of the following dental services for adults effective 08/01/2017:

Dental Services for Adults

- Oral evaluations (D0120, D0150) are limited to one time per *fiscal* year for adults (age 21 and older)
- Fluoride treatment applied topically (D1206, D1208) is limited to four times per *fiscal* year
- Prophylaxis - Adult (D1110) is limited to two times per *fiscal* year

Providers are reminded to review the fee schedule prior to rendering services as codes have been added, removed, or re-categorized from Emergent to Enhanced Adult Dental services. The fee schedule for dental services provided on and after July 1, 2017 is available at

<http://manuals.medicaidalaska.com/medicaidalaska/providers/FeeSchedule.asp>.

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