

BENEFITSBOOSTER SAVINGS

Benefits*Booster* is an Increasing Calendar Year Maximum feature included in select Solstice dental plans that puts dental care decisions directly in the hands of the consumer. Members are encouraged to seek care through an awardsbased framework that allows them to carry forward part of their unused calendar year maximum.



Highlights of the **Benefits***Booster*

- ✓ No penalty if dental services are not used in the year
- ✓ Carry forward unused balances
- ✓ Existing award balance accepted
- ✓ Award balance may be used for out-of-network claims



How does Benefits*Booster* work?

Benefits*Booster* is designed for dental plans with deductibles and annual maximums. It is administered at the member level, giving each member an opportunity to earn their own awards. Members must use their dental benefit at least once per year, and can qualify for an additional bonus if a member utilizes all in network providers.

Maximum	Claim	Carryover	Network	Increase	Maximum Benefit
Benefit	Threshold	Amount	Bonus	Limit	Limit

LIMITATIONS

- New groups sold, and new hires made, in the last three months of the benefit period (October, November or December) will have participation deferred until the 1st month of the next full benefit period.
- ✓ If a member chooses to terminate coverage, but returns prior to a six-month break in coverage with the same employer, participation will be reinstated without penalty or loss of any previously accumulated award balance, provided the employer still offers a dental plan with Benefits*Booster*. Award balance is considered depleted once the six-month window has passed or when consumer purchases another plan without the Benefits*Booster* feature.

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