

Dental Office Update



2025 CDT Code and Processing Changes

Effective **January 1, 2025**, Delta Dental of Alaska (DDAK) will implement new codes that the ADA has outlined in the CDT-2025 handbook. The table below shows which new codes may be covered by DDAK. Any new CDT codes not listed on the chart are not covered under DDAK plans.

Please refer to the group limitations of each patient’s plan in Benefit Tracker for specific benefits information as some plans may benefit the new codes differently.

Also, the following codes **will be deleted** in the CDT-25 revision and DDAK will no longer accept these deleted codes after April 1, 2025.

- D2941
- D6095

CDT-2025 code books can be purchased through the American Dental Association at ada.org.

New 2025 CDT Codes:

Code	Nomenclature	2025 Coverage
D2956	Removal of an indirect restoration on a natural tooth	Inclusive of other procedures and is not billable to the patient.
D6180	Implant maintenance procedures when a full arch fixed hybrid prosthesis is not removed, including cleansing of prostheses and abutments	For plans that cover implants: Covered once in a 36-month period. If billed within 12 months of D6114 or D6115 the fee is not billable to the patient.
D6193	Replacement of an implant screw	For plans that cover implants: Covered once in a 24-month period per implant. If billed on the same day as D6089 or within 6 months of initial implant placement, the fees are not billable to the patient.

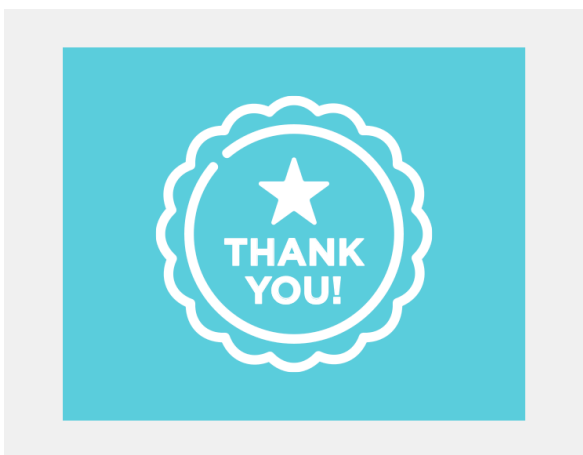
Code	Nomenclature	2025 Coverage
D7252	Partial extraction for immediate implant placement	For plans that cover implants: Benefits are limited to once per tooth per lifetime in conjunction with immediate implant placement.
D8091	Comprehensive orthodontic treatment with orthognathic surgery	Covered for plans with orthodontia benefits. If billed with other orthodontia treatment, the fees are not billable to the patient.
D8671	Periodic orthodontic treatment visit associated with orthognathic surgery	Covered for plans with orthodontia benefits. If billed with other orthodontia treatment, the fees are not billable to the patient.

Tips to expedite claims processing

When billing for procedures with multiple quantities, such as periapical x-rays or units of anesthesia, please create separate line items on the dental claim form. Unfortunately, our system does not recognize the quantity box (29b) of the 2024 ADA claim form and will default to only allowing one unit if not listed individually. This will help ensure that all covered treatment is considered.

Webinars

Thank you to everyone who attended our last providers workshop!



We appreciate you!

Thank you for taking time out of your busy day to attend our provider workshop. We know your time is valuable and we appreciate you sharing it with us!

Next providers workshop

If you missed our previous workshop, please join us **Thursday, Feb. 6th** from **12-1 pm** to learn more about DDAK's latest policies and procedure changes, best practices, preventative programs, and more!



Watch your inbox the first two weeks of January for an official invite for our next provider workshop. All staff members are welcome to attend. We hope to see everyone there!

Thank you for helping update our dental provider directory

We'd like to thank each office that responded to our dental provider accuracy request. Your participation is very important in helping us meet our goal of 100 percent accuracy so patients can easily find you. We appreciate your time and thank you for helping provide our members access to the highest quality dental services in the state.



Happy Holidays!



Wishing you and yours
a very merry
season and a healthy
new year!



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