

#### Adult Membership Plans

Children 0-2years are seen free of charge with adult plan registration





## Children's Membership Plan (3-18yrs)



- 2 dental examinations per year
- **⊘** Fluoride application
- Up to 2 emergency appointments per year
- 10% discount off all routine treatments
  - X-rays included (as clinically required)
- ✓ Global Dental A & E Scheme
- \*Children aged 0-2 years are seen for free with an adult plan member\*

# Membership Benefits

# **Enhance Dental Membership Benefits**

Becoming a member of Enhance Dental provides numerous advantages that make it an excellent choice for maintaining optimal oral health. Here are the primary reasons to consider joining:

## **Financial Benefits**

- 1. **Spreads the Cost of Routine Care:** Membership allows you to manage and distribute the expense of regular dental visits, making it more affordable over time.
- 2. **10% Discount on Routine Dental Treatments:** Enjoy savings on necessary treatments, making routine care more economical.
- 3. **More Cost-Effective Than Private, Pay-As-You-Go Services:** The membership plan offers a more budget-friendly option compared to private, pay-as-you-go services.

# **Health and Well-being Benefits**

- 1. **Motivation to Attend Appointments on Schedule:** Membership encourages regular attendance, helping you stay on top of your dental health and catching potential issues early.
- 2. **Access to The Global Dental Scheme:** Gain membership benefits globally, ensuring you're covered and cared for no matter where you are.

## **Emergency Benefits**

1. **Two Emergency Dental Consultations Per Year:** Members receive two emergency dental consultations annually, providing peace of mind in case of urgent dental issues.

## **Health Benefits of Good Oral Hygiene**

Maintaining good oral hygiene is crucial not only for a healthy mouth but also for overall well-being. Key benefits include:

- 1. **Prevents Bad Breath:** Regular brushing and flossing help remove food particles and bacteria that cause bad breath (halitosis).
- 2. **Reduces Risk of Strokes:** Poor oral health has been linked to an increased risk of strokes due to inflammation caused by gum disease affecting blood vessels.
- 3. **Lowers Risk of Heart Disease:** Bacteria from gum infections can enter the bloodstream, contributing to the formation of arterial plaque and leading to heart disease.
- 4. **Reduces Risk of Lung Conditions:** Poor oral hygiene can lead to respiratory infections like pneumonia, as bacteria from the mouth can be inhaled into the lungs.
- 5. **Early Detection of Mouth Cancer:** Routine dental check-ups can help in the early detection of oral cancers, significantly improving treatment outcomes.
- 6. **Improves Diabetes Management:** Good oral health can help manage blood sugar levels, crucial for people with diabetes.
- 7. **Prevents Gum Disease:** Consistent oral hygiene practices prevent gum disease, a leading cause of tooth loss.
- 8. **Avoids Tooth Loss:** By preventing dental decay and gum disease, good oral hygiene helps maintain a full set of natural teeth.
- 9. **Prevents Dental Decay:** Regular brushing and flossing remove plaque, the primary cause of tooth decay.



# Global Dental A&E Scheme Benefits

The Global Dental A&E Scheme included in Enhance Dental's membership provides a range of benefits for emergency and urgent dental care, whether at home or while traveling. Here's a detailed summary of the included benefits:

## **Emergency Treatment Away From Home**

- Eligibility: Available when more than 25 miles away from Enhance Dental.
- Service Access: Members can see any dentist anywhere in the world.
- Payment and Reimbursement:
  - o Members pay for the emergency treatment upfront.
  - o Must retain an itemised receipt of payment.
  - Submit the receipt with relevant paperwork to the Global Dental Scheme administration team for reimbursement within 30 days.

#### **Out of Hours Benefits**

- Annual Limit: £200 per year for call-out fees and associated emergency treatment.
- Coverage Times:
  - o Evening cover from 6 pm to 8 am, Monday to Friday.
  - o All-day cover on weekends and bank holidays (outside of the published practice hours).
- Patient Liability: The first £15 of the emergency treatment is the patient's responsibility.

## **Dental Accident/Trauma Benefit**

- **Coverage:** Cover for permanent treatment to make patient dentally fit following an accident/dental trauma caused
- Financial Limits:
  - o Up to £2500 per implant.
  - o Maximum of £20,000 in one year.
- Coverage Start Date: 28 days after the plan start date.
- Claim Process:
  - Submit a fully costed treatment plan and a request for assistance form to claim benefits.
  - Patient ideally needs to be assessed by a dentist within 7 days of the dental accident/trauma. If this is not possible due to being abroad/in the hospital, contact the practice for further instructions.
  - o Children are covered for 5 years or up to the age of 23 for any dental traumas.

## **Hospital Cash Benefit**

- Daily Benefit: £70 per night.
- Duration: Up to a maximum of 365 days.
- **Eligibility:** Paid if the member is admitted to the hospital as an inpatient for treatment under the care of a dental or maxillofacial consultant.

#### **Oral Cancer Benefit**

- Cash Payment: £2500 directly to the patient's bank account.
- Notification: Must inform Payment Plan Direct within 30 days of diagnosis.
- **Exclusions:** Mouth cancer diagnosed before the start of the Dental Plan or within 90 days of the start of the plan is not covered.

#### **Useful Information**

• **Direct Debit Collection:** On the 1st of every month.

- **Joining Fee:** For adult plans, there is a one-time £8.00 joining fee, included in the first collection.
- Welcome Email: You will receive a welcome email when you join, provided you supply your email address
- Global Dental Scheme Access: Available after your first successful payment.



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