2025 IHCP Works Annual Seminar

Delta Dental's Partnership With MDwise

Presented by Delta Dental of Indiana on Behalf of MDwise







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Introduction to Delta Dental of Indiana



Delta Dental Overview

 Delta Dental plans are members of the Delta Dental Plans Association, a nationwide system of independently operated dental health service plans, providing coverage to more than 83 million Americans.

Invested in Oral Health

 For over 40 years, Delta Dental of Indiana (DDIN) has worked to help improve oral health by making dental care more available and affordable.

Invested in Indiana

- Currently, DDIN covers nearly 1 million Hoosiers through our commercial and Medicaid lines of business.
- DDIN is honored to bring our Medicaid experience to Indiana, serving over 300,000 members through our **partnership with MDwise** since January 1, 2025.

Invested in **Medicaid**

Provider Claim Disputes & Appeal Process



Informal and Formal Claim Disputes

Informal Claim Dispute:

- Provider must complete an informal claim dispute prior to requesting a formal claim dispute
- Informal dispute must be submitted within **90 days** after the date of the determination
- Provider will be notified of the decision within 30 days of the date the dispute was initiated

Formal Claim Dispute:

- Provider may file a formal claim dispute within 60 calendar days of the informal claim dispute decision
- Written reply will be issued within 45 calendar days of the receipt of the written request

Send informal and formal disputes in writing to:

Delta Dental of Indiana

ATTN: Claim Disputes PO Box 9230

Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9230

If you believe a claim was processed incorrectly due to incomplete, incorrect, or unclear information on the claim, submit a new claim with the accurate information or attachments. You do not need to file a dispute or appeal.

Appeals

- If a provider is appealing an adverse benefit determination on behalf of a member, this is processed according to Delta Dental's member appeal process.
- A member or member's representative may request an appeal within 60 days by either:
 - Submitting a written request for appeal

MDwise Customer Service ATTN: Appeals PO Box 44236 Indianapolis, IN 46244

Submitting an oral appeal to customer service

Call: (800)-356-1204 (TTY:711)

• Delta Dental will provide a decision within **30 calendar days** of receipt of the request for a standard appeal or within **48 hours** of the receipt of the request for an expedited appeal.

Submitting a Prior Authorization (PA)



How to Submit

- PA requests may be submitted through a clearinghouse or Dental Office Toolkit (DOT), using the current version of the ADA dental claim form
 - In the Header Information box at the top left of the claim form, under "1. Type of Transaction", check the box labeled "Request for Predetermination/Preauthorization".
 - If a PA request involves an urgent dental care procedure, write "Urgent PA Request" in the "35. Remarks" box on the claim form.
- Make certain all the required documentation is included for a given code, and include any other information that is important for Delta Dental's professional reviewers to see when making a determination.
- If Delta Dental needs more information to process a request for prior authorization, providers will receive documentation of the specific information necessary to process the request.

Timeframes for PAs

- Delta Dental will respond to non-urgent PAs within five (5) business days.
- Delta Dental will respond to urgent PAs within 48 hours of receiving the request.
- PAs are valid for 180 calendar days after issuance, after which a new PA must be submitted.
- If a PA is not approved, Delta Dental will provide information explaining the reason, along with information on how to appeal the adverse decision.
 - Appeals of adverse PA decisions must be submitted to Delta Dental within **60 calendar days** of the date of the determination.

Overview of Services Commonly Requiring PAs

Services Commonly Requiring Prior Authorization Include:

- Space Maintainers
- Unspecified Services
- Surgical Periodontics
- Removable Prosthodontics
- Multiple Oral and Maxillofacial Procedures
- Orthodontics (all covered services)
- Non-Emergency Sedation and General Anesthesia
- Hospital/Ambulatory Surgical Centers
- Certain Orthotics

Please refer to your Indiana Medicaid Provider Manual for a full listing of applicable codes by program.

Pre-Treatment Estimates (PTEs)



PTE Overview

- A pre-treatment estimate (PTE) is a function used to provide an estimate of benefit coverage and cost prior to treatment being rendered.
- Because Indiana has PA requirements for certain procedures and all pre-service reviews require a medical necessity determination, DDIN must follow the PA process and cannot accept PTEs for Indiana Medicaid.
- Policy code language in place includes:
 - **Policy API4200:** A determination was not made on this procedure. Pre-treatment estimates are for prior authorization procedures only, and this procedure does not require prior authorization.

Indiana Medicaid Coordination of Benefits (COB)



COB Processing Update

- As of September 15, 2025, DDIN is adjudicating MDwise Indiana Medicaid claims at the detail
 (line) level when we are the secondary payer.
- What this means for you:
 - Each line item on a claim will be evaluated individually, considering payments from primary payer(s).

Important Steps To Ensure COB Claims Are Processed Correctly

- Be sure to include the primary EOB statement with claim submissions, whenever possible.
 - This applies when submitting via paper, Dental Office Toolkit or through a clearinghouse.
- Confirm that your billing system and staff are aware of this change, especially those who review EOBs, Electronic Remittance Advices (ERAs) or submit claims for payment.

Adjustments to Claims Processed Since January 1, 2025

- MDwise Indiana Medicaid secondary claims processed after January 1, 2025, will be adjusted accordingly beginning September 15, 2025.
- Delta Dental of Indiana will reach out to you directly if any additional information is needed.
- There is no need to resubmit claims or request adjustments.
- These adjustments will follow our standard processes.
- If additional payment is warranted, it will be issued with the adjusted claim.
- You will receive a revised Explanation of Benefits (EOB) and any additional change in payment as appropriate.

We appreciate your patience as we work through these adjustments!

Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) and Code D9999



D9999 Overview

- Remarks are not required when submitting code D9999
- All encounters with D9999 will be passed to the state for inclusion in the wraparound payment,
 regardless of whether remarks are included or if the claim line is in a 'not billable to patient' status.
- If you submit claims via clearinghouse and/or by paper, there is no need to include remarks.
 - The claim will be accepted and pushed to Delta Dental for adjudication.
- See slide 45 for how to bypass remarks in DOT

Registering for Dental Office Toolkit (DOT)



Getting Started

• Visit https://www.dentalofficetoolkit.com/ and click register if you do not already have a profile

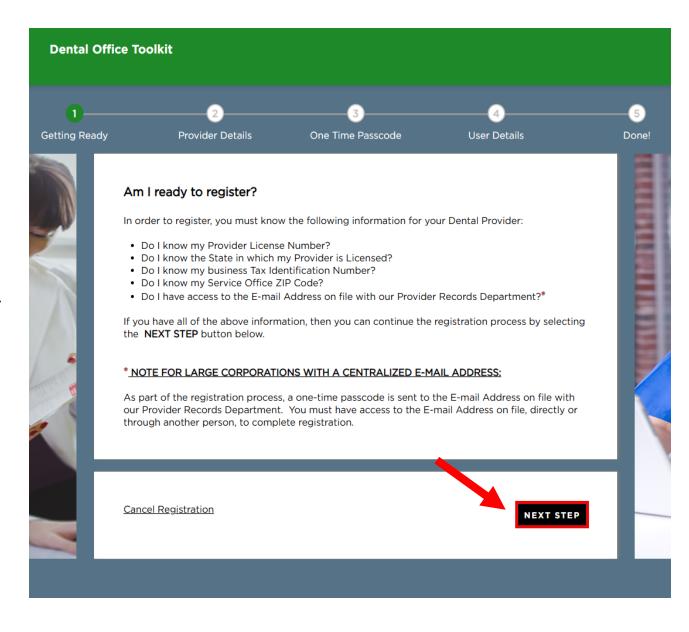
Dental Office Toolkit

△ DELTA DENTAL Username Keep me signed in NEXT Not Yet Registered? REGISTER

How to Register Your Account and Log In

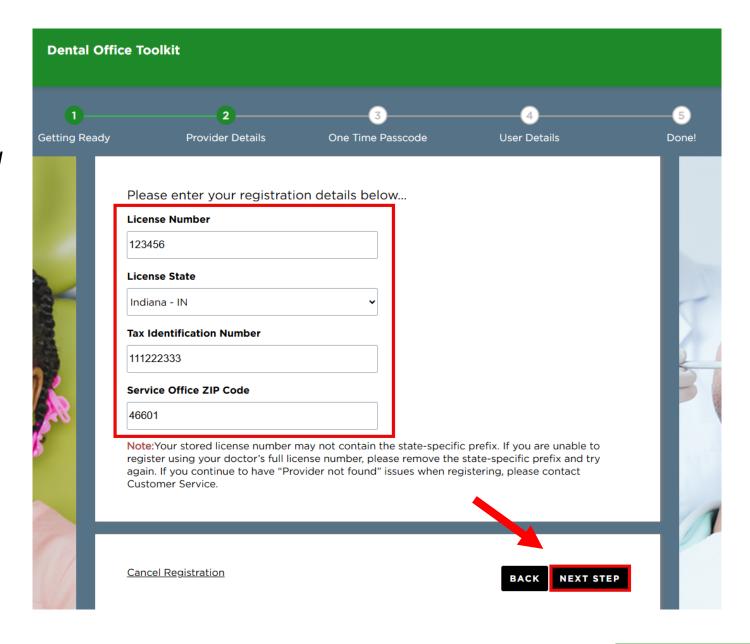
Step 1: Getting Ready

- Ensure you have the information needed to register readily available
 - Provider license number
 - State in which provider is licensed
 - Tax Identification Number (TIN)
 - Service office zip code
 - Email address on file with Delta Dental's Provider Records Department



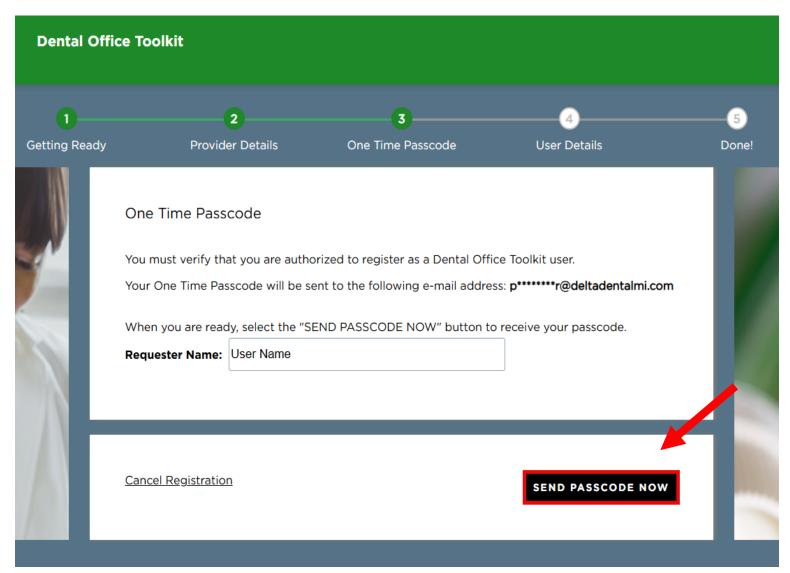
Step 2: Provider Details

- Enter registration details
 - Provider license number
 - State in which provider is licensed
 - Tax Identification Number (TIN)
 - Service office zip code



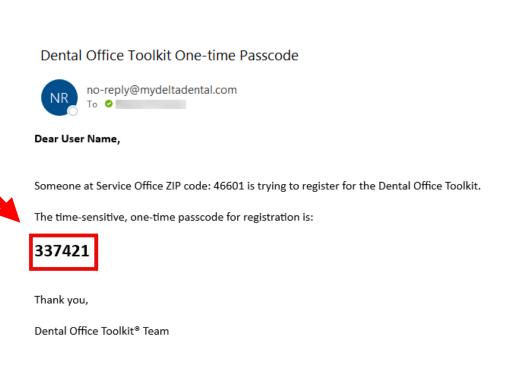
Step 3: One Time Passcode

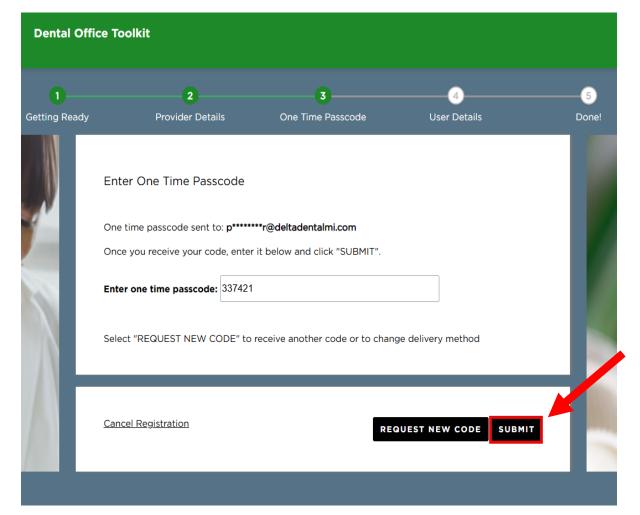
A one-time passcode will be sent to the email on file



Step 3: One Time Passcode – Submit Request

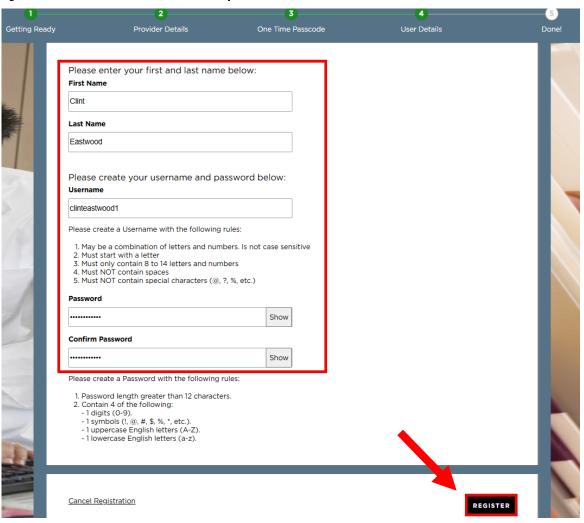
- The one-time passcode will be sent from the email address no-reply@mydeltadental.com
- Enter the passcode in the DOT window and click submit





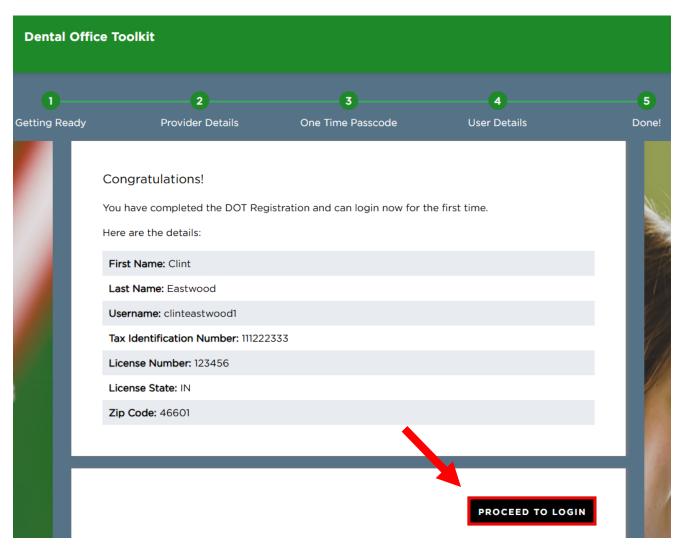
Step 4: User Details

- Finish setting up your profile by creating a username and password
 - Please take note of the username and password rules



Step 5: Done!

Congratulations! You're registered and can now log in.

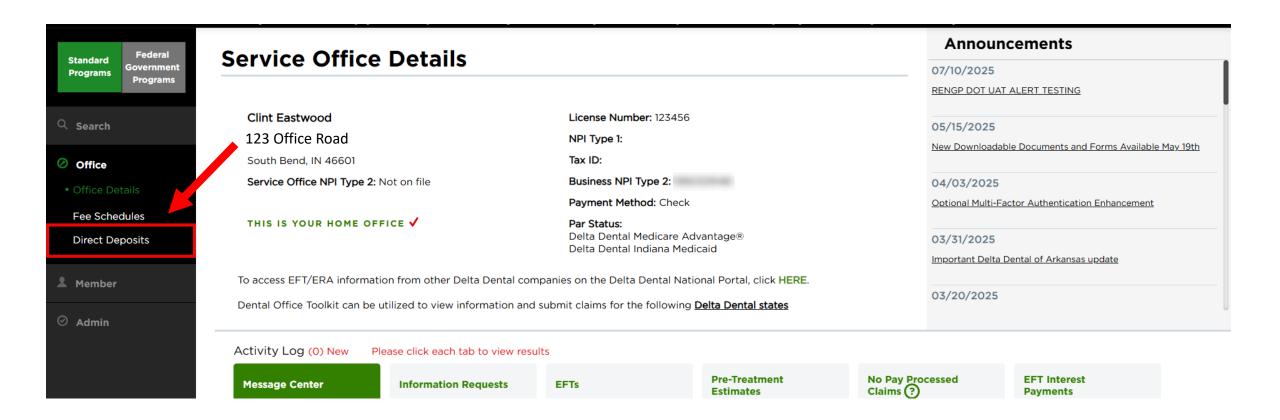


Signing Up for Electronic Fund Transfers (EFTs)



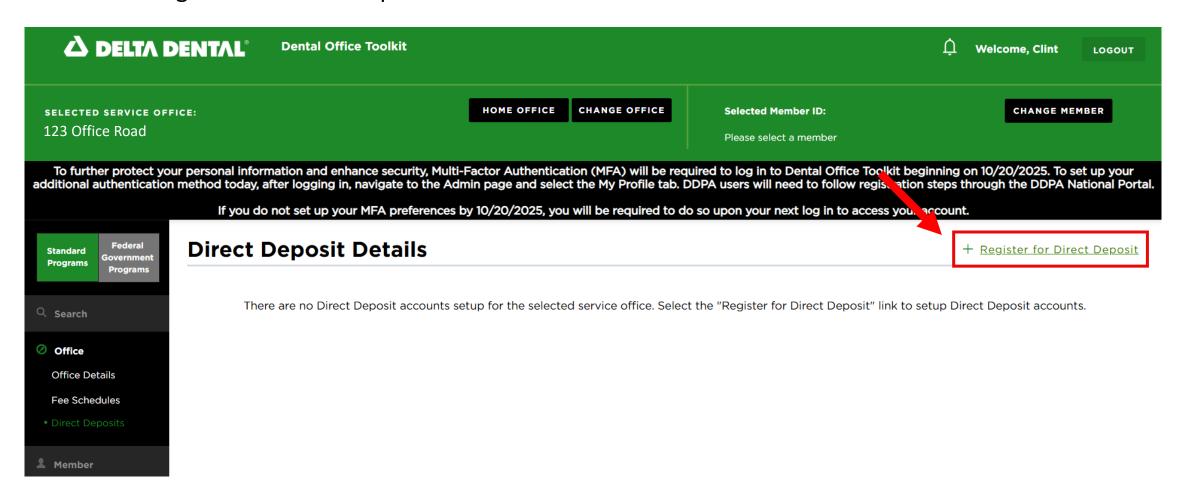
EFTs in DOT

Click "Direct Deposits" under the service office details



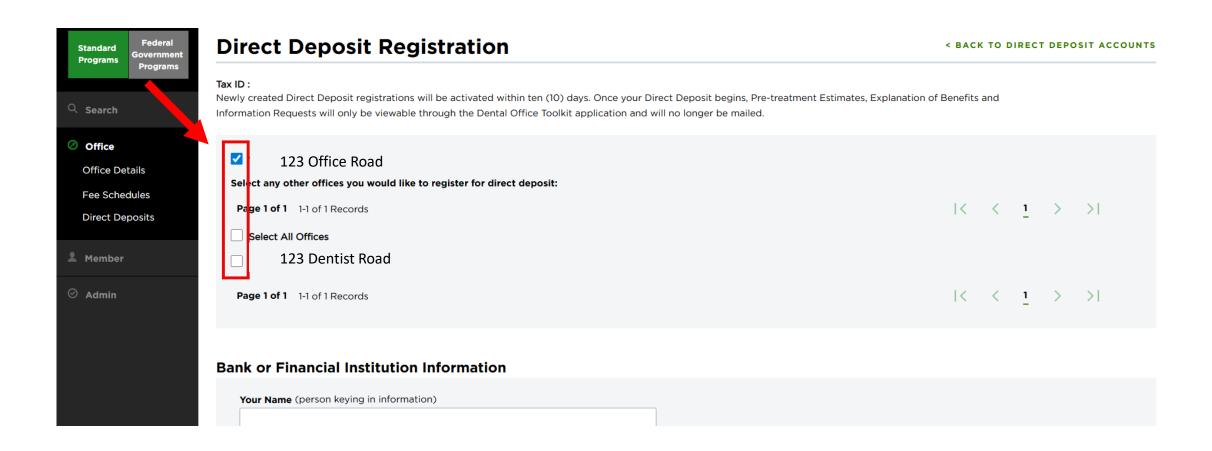
EFTs in DOT – Register for Direct Deposit

Click "Register for Direct Deposit"



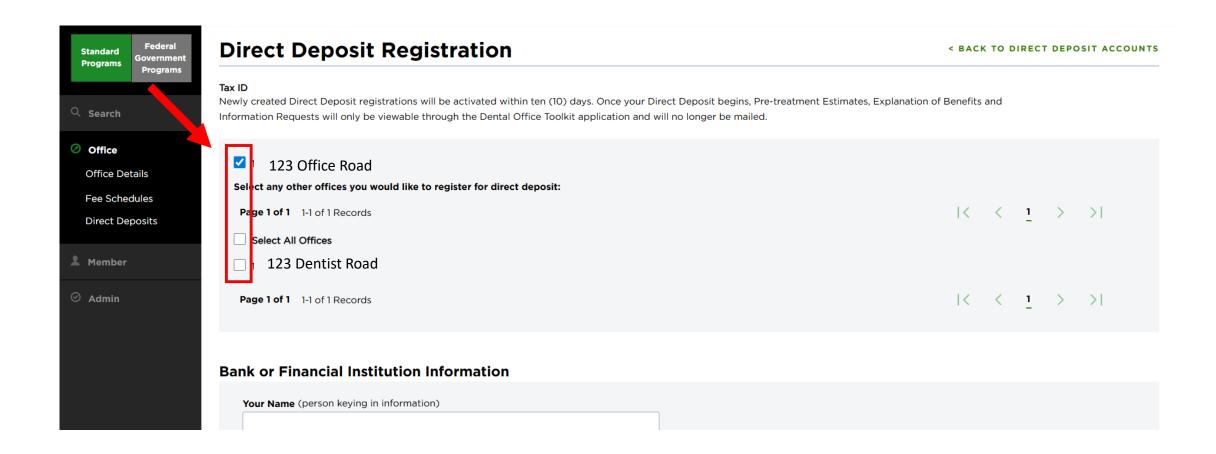
EFTs in DOT – Direct Deposit Registration

Select which office(s)



EFTs in DOT – Direct Deposit Registration Details

Input banking / financial institution information



EFTs in DOT – Review and Confirm

Proceed with the following:

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0	National EFT	
	By enrolling in National EFT, all Delta Dental plans across the U.S. will issue EFT payments to you. You can continue to view you will access your electronic EFT/EOB by logging into www.deltadental.com.	your electronic EFT/EOB within this site for the states listed below, however, for all other states,
0	Non-National EFT	
	By enrolling in Non-National EFT, only the Delta Dental plans listed below will issue EFT payments to you. All EFT/EOB information for these plans can be viewed within this site (Dental Office Toolkit). • Delta Dental of Michigan	
	Delta Dental of Ohio	
	Delta Dental of Indiana	
	Delta Dental of North Carolina	
	Delta Dental of Nebraska	
	Delta Dental of New Mexico	
	Delta Dental of Minnesota	
	Delta Dental of Tennessee	
	Delta Dental of Arizona	
	Delta Dental of Wisconsin	
	Federal Government Programs	
✓ Please review and acknowledge receipt of the accompanying procedure to follow in the event of a missing or late EFT/ERA Missing Provider EFT Procedure		

EFTs in DOT – Confirmation

Receive and enter your one-time code

✓ Please review and acknowledge receipt of the accompanying procedure to follow in the event of a missing or late EFT/ERA Missing Provider EFT Procedure

Email For One Time Code

ClintEastwood@ABCdentist.com

Save the confirmation page for your records

CANCEL CONTINUE

Direct Deposit Confirmation

< BACK TO DIRECT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS

RESET

Please print this page as a confirmation that you are registered for direct deposit.

Your direct deposit account registration has been successful for the service office(s) listed below. Your Direct Deposit account(s) activation may take up to ten (10) days. During this time, any existing EFTs will remain active. After this date, payments for claims will be electronically transferred and deposited into your new account, regardless of the method of submission.

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) users in a new Healthcare EFT Standard with the help of your financial institution, this mandate can help your office to automate the matching of claims remittance information with EFT payments. Click here to learn more.

Thank you for your participation with Dental Office Toolkit Direct Deposit program. If you have any questions, please contact Toolkit Support at <u>866-356-0301</u> or email to ToolkitSupport@DentalOfficeToolkit.com.

Service Office(s)

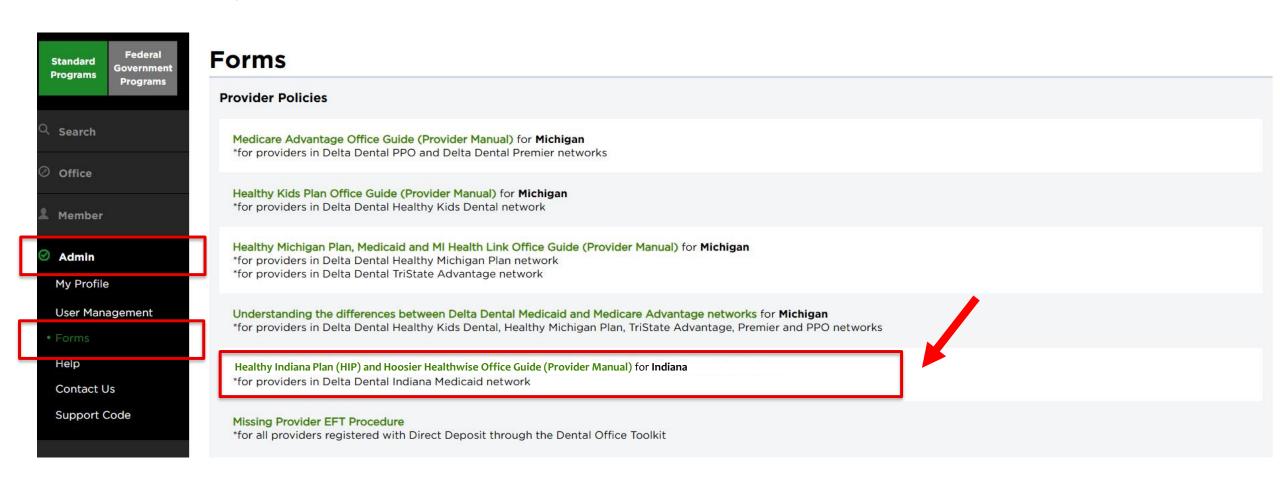
123 Office Road

Viewing the Provider Manual



How To View the Provider Manual in DOT

- Navigate to the "Admin" tab and click "Forms"
- Select Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) and Hoosier Healthwise Office Guide (Provider Manual) for Indiana

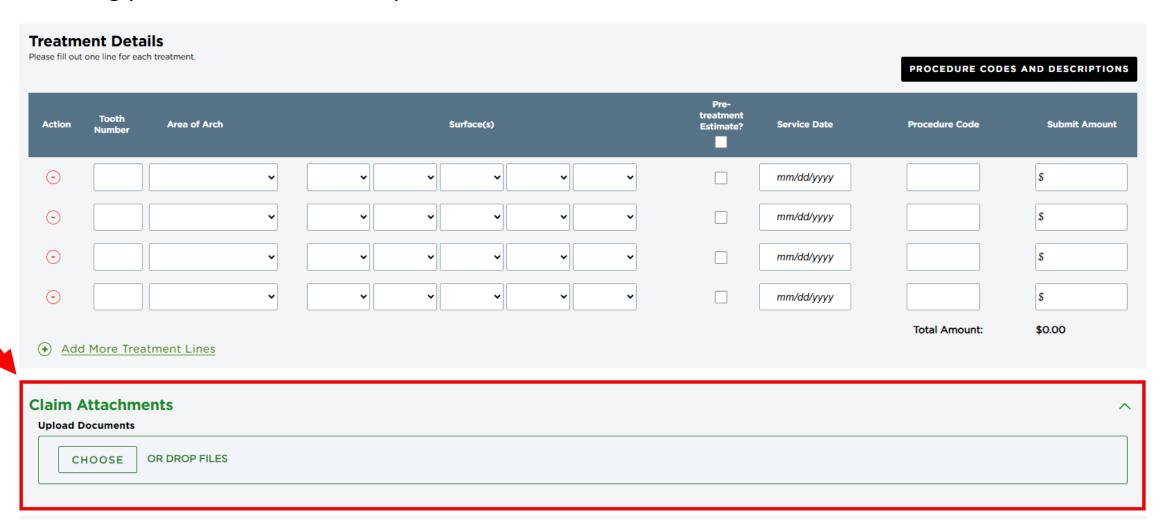


Adding Attachments During a Claim Submission



Adding Attachments During a Claim Submission

During your claim submission, upload attachments here.

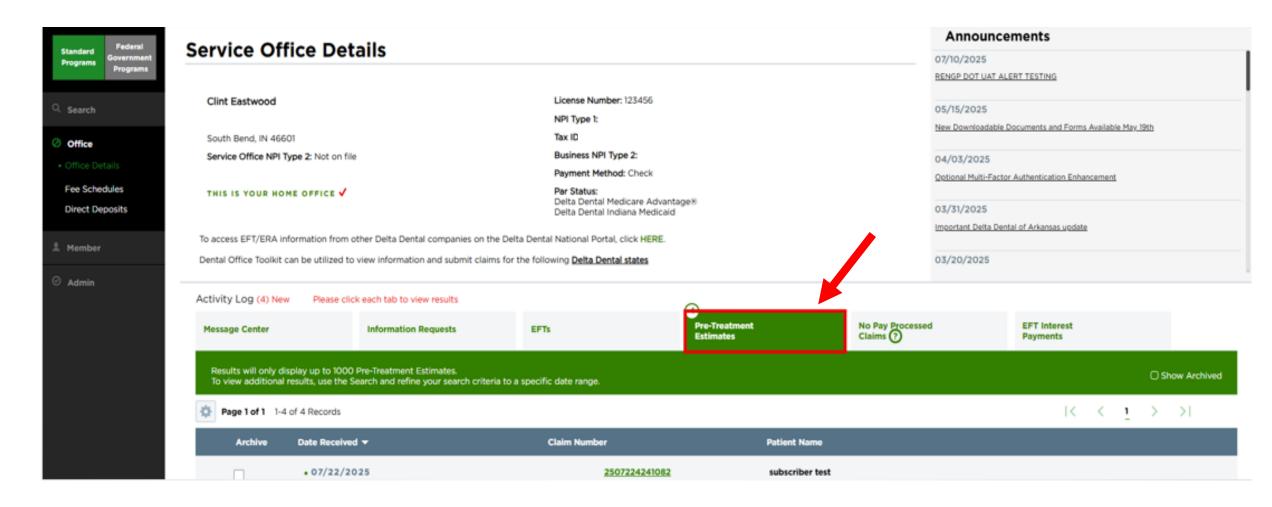


Viewing and Reviewing Prior Authorizations



Viewing Submitted Prior Authorizations

Under Service Office Details, select "Pre-Treatment Estimates" to view all submitted prior authorizations.



Reviewing Prior Authorization Benefit Information

All claims must be filed within 90 days of the service date.

Select the applicable member and navigate to "Member Details & Benefits". HOME OFFICE **CHANGE OFFICE** Selected Member ID: CHANGE MEMBER SELECTED SERVICE OFFICE: xxxxx2212 subscriber test - Sub To further protect your personal information and enhance security, Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA) will be required to log in to Dental Office Toolkit beginning on 10/20/2025. To set up your additional authentication method today, after logging in, navigate to the Admin page and select the My Profile tab. DDPA users will need to follow registration steps through the DDPA National Portal. If you do not set up your MFA preferences by 10/20/2025, you will be required to do so upon your next log in to access your account. **Member Details & Benefits** Standard **Programs Programs** Q Search **All Family Members** Member Alternate ID: 950034095456 Office Eligibility ? Patient Name Birthdate Relationship **Effective Date** 05/01/2025 subscriber test 01/01/1980 Subscriber Active Member • Member Details & Networks Enter Claim / Pre-PRINT ALL treatment Estimate **Delta Dental Indiana Medicaid** Nonparticipating Dentist Family Claims History **Processing Policies** Claim Reminders

Secure Messaging for Information Requests (IRs)

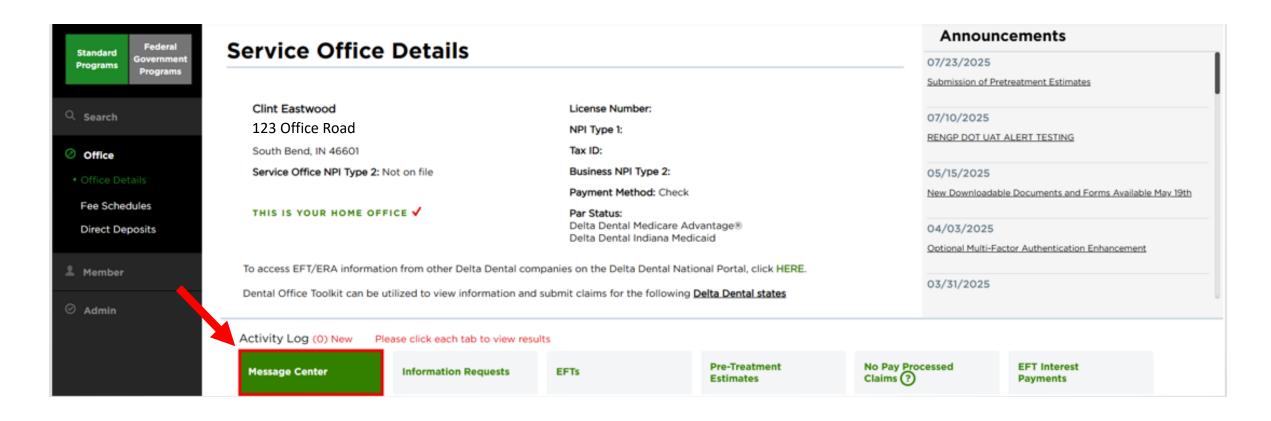


What Is an Information Request (IR)?

- An information request is a document sent to a provider requesting additional information necessary to make a decision on a service.
 - This includes but is not limited to x-ray attachments, periodontal charting, chart notes, narrative explaining the services, etc.
- If a claim is submitted and our system determines an IR is required, the IR secure message is immediately sent via the DOT account AND an email notification is sent to the service office email address.
- An example of when an IR would be necessary is if a periodontics service was submitted and x-rays are required but not provided.

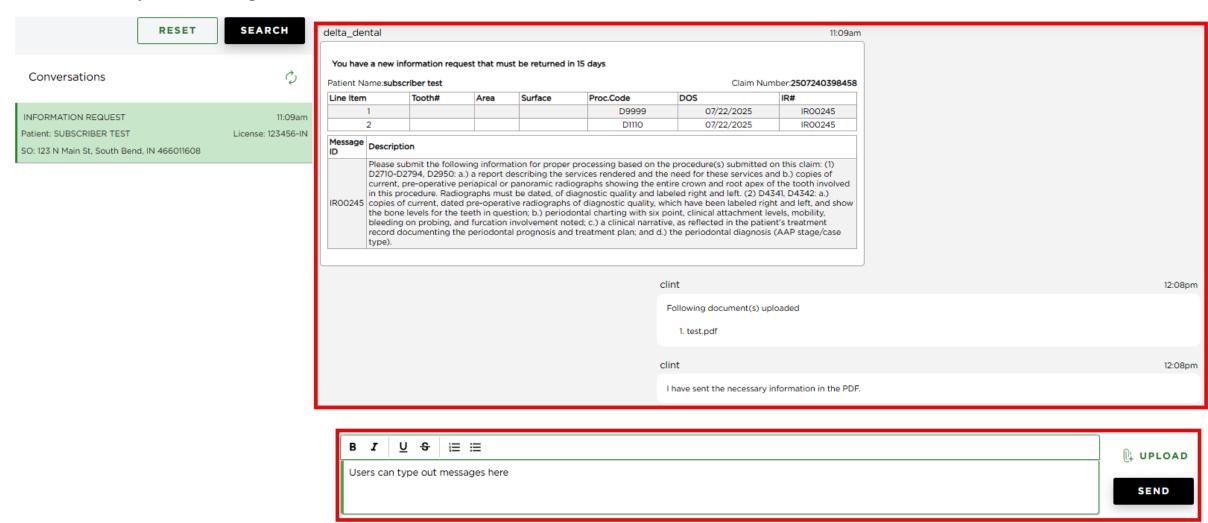
Viewing an IR in DOT

Navigate to the Message Center



Viewing an IR in DOT – Example

Enter your message



Additional Details To Note

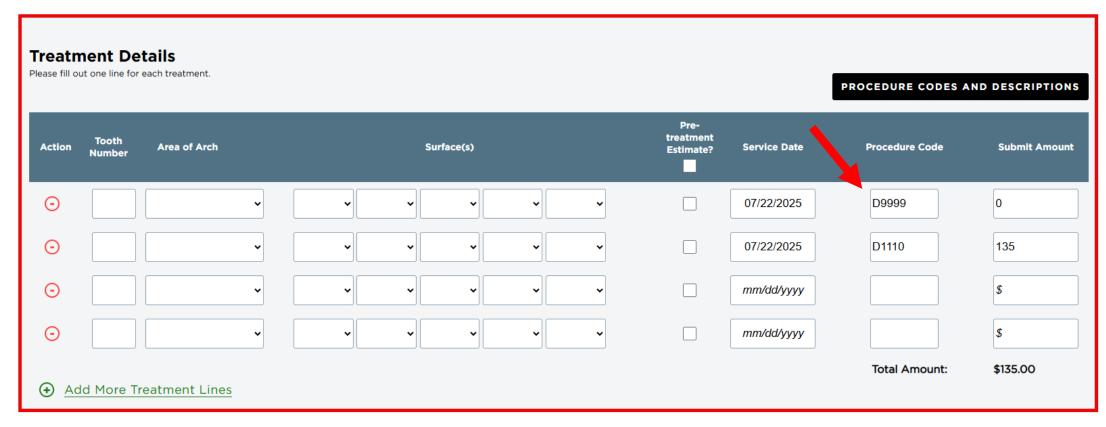
- When the user logs in, there is a Bell Icon in the upper right corner that will have a red "alert" dot indicating there are messages waiting for the user in the message center.
 - Additionally, an email will be sent to the email address on file for that user to let them know a message is available for them to view.
- This is <u>NOT</u> a live chat feature
- The response timeframe for a provider is specified directly on the IR document and is determined by the specific details of the claim.
- Currently, we do not use IRs for PAs.

D9999 for Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs)



Bypassing Remarks for D9999

Enter code D9999 in conjunction with other treatment codes





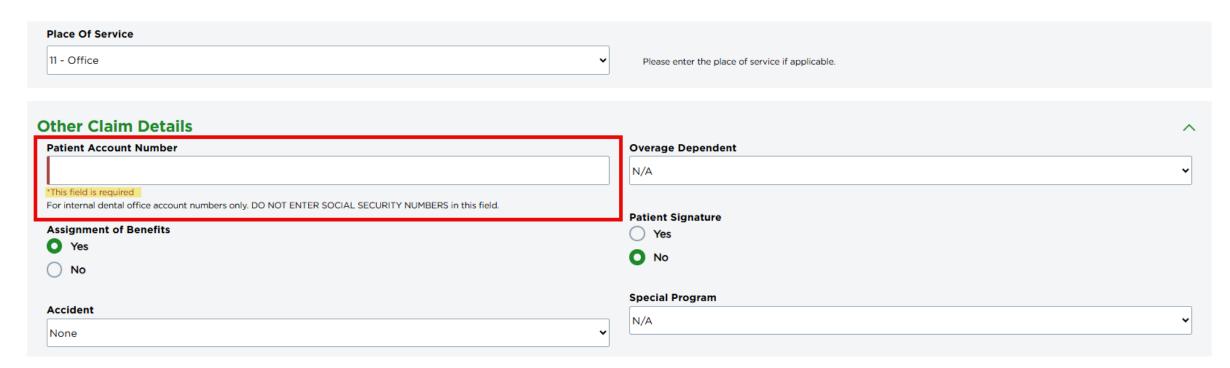
Upon submitting, click "YES" on the pop-up box to bypass remarks.

Patient Account Number Requirement



Patient Account Number for Claim Submissions

- Submitting a patient account number on a claim is an encounter requirement set forth by the state.
- In DOT, this field shows up under "Other Claim Details" and is required for submission.
- The patient account number is not the member's MID/RID assigned by the state, but a number that the provider office assigned to the member.
- DO NOT use SSN in this field.



Delta Dental of Indiana Resources



Resources to Remember

• Delta Dental Customer Service (available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. EST, or 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CST)

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For claims questions related to HIP: (800) 356-1204 (IVR 1, 2, 2, 2) For claims questions related to Hoosier Healthwise: (800) 356-1204 (IVR 1, 1, 2, 2)
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Delta Dental Provider Representatives (for contracting / credentialing questions)

Jennifer Baxter (317) 348-1815 jbaxter@deltadentalin.com

Teresa James (317) 744-1212 tjames1@deltadentalin.com

MDwise Customer Service Contact Information

(800) 356-1204

Questions?



Thank you!



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