

About your new benefits:

Implants and Posterior Composites

BEST Life dental plans now include two new benefits: implants and posterior composites. These benefits offer you two more choices when you need dental work.



Which one is right for you? Your dentist will recommend the best type of restoration based on your oral health.

Posterior Composites – Posterior composites are temporary white resin (plastic) fillings that are placed on the back teeth and can be used in place of silver amalgams (silver metal fillings).

Posterior composites are popular because they provide a natural look to smiles. However, if a large area of the tooth is decayed or used for heavy chewing, your dentist may recommend another material or type of restoration. White fillings may last as long as amalgams.

This benefit is covered under Basic Services on your BEST Life dental plan.

Dental Implants – A dental implant is a natural-looking artificial tooth that is connected to your jawbone with an anchor and a post. Used to replace a missing tooth or teeth, or to prevent jawbone loss, dental implants can be used in place of a bridge or denture.

Dental implants can be thought of as a permanent, stable denture that you do not remove. They stay in your mouth and even require the same dental care as natural teeth.

Because dental implants require the jawbone to grow around the anchor that holds the implant in place, dentists may recommend this type of restoration to patients who have stable bone structure.

Oral surgery may be required and the entire procedure can take anywhere from 3 months to 6 months or longer, depending on your oral health and the healing process necessary for preparing the jaw for implantation.

This benefit is covered on your BEST Life Dental plan under Major Services and in lieu of a bridge.

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