

# Find dental providers of your choice

## Use our Find a doctor tool

To get started, go to **blueshieldca.com/fad** and click *Dentists*. A pop-up window will ask if you are a Blue Shield member.

#### If you are a Blue Shield member

Choose *Yes*, and log in to your online account. The tool will automatically select your plan and location. Then, enter the information as requested and search for a provider.

#### If you are not a Blue Shield member

Click Continue as a quest. You will be asked for your location. Once you've entered your location, the prompt will ask you if you have a plan in mind. Select Yes. Then, choose your plan from the drop-down menu.

#### How to select dental providers in California

Once you know what plan you have, the next step is to select the type of dental providers you are looking for. Choose the dental specialty you need from the drop-down menu. If you are looking for a dentist, select *General Dentistry*.

You are searching for a dental provider, the remaining steps are the same:

- 1. Click *Search*. You'll see a list of dental providers in your selected area with their locations and contact information.
- 2. If you need to search for a dental provider in another California location, click on the location you searched for. You'll be able to change it, and the search will list providers in the new location.

### Searching outside California (applies to dental PPO plans only)\*

When searching for a dental PPO provider outside California, simply enter the location in the search box. The screen will refresh, and you'll be directed to a new page, "Outside of California Provider Links." For dental PPO providers outside of California, select the Dental Locator; You will be taken to a different site, where you will be able to find a dental PPO provider outside of California.

We work to ensure that our list of providers is current and accurate. However, because providers leave networks from time to time, this information is subject to change. We encourage you to check with providers before using their services.

<sup>\*</sup> Does not apply to dental HMO plans.