

# DENTAL CREDIT CARDS

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KNOW YOUR RIGHTS



Dental care can be expensive, but if you have Medi-Cal the services you receive may be fully covered under the Medi-Cal Dental Program.

Before you sign up for a dental credit card, your dentist is required to tell you whether the services are covered under your dental insurance.



Is this really a  
payment plan?



Check whether the “payment plan”  
your dentist offered you might be a  
high-interest credit card.

Don't sign up for a credit card unless you understand its terms.



The terms and conditions should be in your primary language.



If you have Medi-Cal, your fees may be covered.



The **Denti-Cal** program **covers** a variety of dental services for **Medi-Cal customers.**

- Exams and X-rays
- Cleanings
- Fluoride Treatments
- Fillings
- Other dental services (medically necessary)
- Root Canals
- Crowns
- Dentures

For questions/additional information about Denti-Cal, or to find a dentist, call Denti-Cal at **(800)322-6384**

Or visit the Denti-Cal website at **[www.denti-cal.ca.gov](http://www.denti-cal.ca.gov)**

**#DentiCal**  
Something to *Smiley* about.



**dpss.lacounty.gov** 

The graphic features a vertical strip of dental-related icons on a light blue background, including a tooth, pliers, a magnifying glass, a dental X-ray, a toothbrush, a tooth, a syringe, and a bottle of toothpaste. To the right of this strip is a dark blue background containing text and a cartoon illustration of a tooth character holding a dental chair.

# QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS WITH YOUR DENTAL CREDIT CARD?

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Call NLSLA: 800-896-3202

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