



## **The 2026 NYS Medicaid Dental Policy and Procedure Code Manual and Updated Fee Schedule are available on eMedNY**

**Policies in the 2026 Dental Manual became effective January 1, 2026.**

Please follow the links in eMedNY to the [2026 Dental Policy and Procedure Codes Manual](#) and [Fee Schedule](#). A "New for 2026" section on page 6 summarizes changes. New language also appears in a **purple font**, throughout.

### Highlights:

- Updates to the Prior Authorization checklist (page 18)
- Deletion of code D9248 and new replacement codes
- New Appendix with links to find General Billing Guidance (page 76)
- Medicaid Update Archive (pages 74-75)
- Table of benefits for the Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (IDD) population (pages 70-71)

**Reminder:** A completed Evaluation of the Dental Implant Patient Form is required for all Implant-related prior authorization requests.

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