



Our Policy Regarding Dental Insurance:

You are fortunate to have dental insurance whether you have purchased it or your employer has provided it for you. Though your dental insurance is *your responsibility*, we can help! We will go the extra mile to help you maximize your benefits. *As a courtesy*, we will help by filing your insurance forms, which will save you considerable time and trouble. We accept payments from all insurance companies, with the exception of medicaid and medicare, which reduces your immediate out-of-pocket expenses.

Regardless of what we may calculate your insurance occupant to pay, it is ***only an estimate***. Our estimate is based on limited information obtained from your insurance company. You must understand, we cannot guarantee what they will pay.

We must stress that you are responsible for the total treatment fee. Your dental insurance is not designed to pay the entire cost of your treatment, but it is intended to help cover a certain portion of the cost. A better term for dental insurance may be “dental assistance or benefit”.

Please remember, however, the financial obligation for dental treatment is between you and this office, and is not between this office and your insurance company.

It often takes us a considerable amount of time to try to collect your insurance payment for you. We often need your help to discuss your situation directly with your insurance.

We are not in network with any insurances, however, we have many patients in in your same situation who still choose to see Dr. Hebert due to our service and care we provide. In and out of network percent reimbursement in most cases is the same.

I have read and understand the above.

Patient's signature

Date