

April 1, 2009

**TO: Registered NIHB Dental Practitioners in Nunavut**

Dear Provider:

Attached please find your copy of the new NIHB Dental Benefit Grid for General Practitioners and Specialists in Nunavut

The NIHB Regional Dental Benefit Grid for Nunavut is effective April 1, 2009. The Health Information and Claims Processing System (HICPS) has been changed to reflect the new rates indicated in your copy of the grid.

Should you have any questions, please contact the First Canadian Health NIHB Toll-Free Inquiry Centre at **1-888-471-1111**.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ronald Kelly  
Regional Dental Officer, Northern Region  
Non-Insured Health Benefits

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# ***NUNAVUT***

## ***NIHB REGIONAL DENTAL BENEFIT GRID General Practitioners and Specialists***

### ***EFFECTIVE DATE***

***April 1, 2009***

- *The coverage of dental services provided through the NIHB Dental Program will be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Program.*
- *Post-Determination will be considered in cases specified in the NIHB Provider Information Kit.*
- *Schedule B procedures require predetermination.*
- *NIHB Dental Program Guidelines (limited list) are attached for ease of reference.*

## NIHB Dental Program Guidelines\*

*\* Disclaimer: The information provided on this list is for general information purposes and is a limited list. For further reference please see the "NIHB Dental Framework".*

Services	Guidelines - Timeframe is based on a rolling year ie; 12 months refers to any given 12 month period
<b>Examinations</b>	
<i>Maximum eligibility of examinations: ages 17+: up to 3/12 months; under 17: up to 4/12 months. All eligible procedure codes under the Diagnostic section count against maximum allowable.</i>	
Complete/Extended Oral Examination and Diagnosis	1/60 months - when a complete examination is provided, it replaces the recall examination for the period.
NP Limited/Recall	Ages 17+: 1/12 months; under 17: 2/12 months
Specific/Emergency	1/12 months
Specialist Examination and Diagnosis	1/12 months (with GP referral)
<b>Radiographs</b>	
Intraoral	6/12 months
Radiographs Complete Series	1/60 months
Panoramic	1/120 months; 2/lifetime
<b>Preventive</b>	
Polishing	Ages 17+: 1/12 months; under 17: 2/12 months - Units of polishing will be limited to the cost of half unit.
Scaling	Ages 12+: 4 units/12 months in combination with root planing; Ages under 12: 1/12 months in combination with root planing
Topical Fluorides	Ages under 17: 2/12 months
Sealants/Preventive Resins	Ages under 14 : erupted permanent molar where the occlusal surface is unrestored and permanent maxillary incisors lingual surface.
Interproximal Disking of Teeth	1/12 months - Units of disking will be limited to the cost of half unit.
<b>Restorative</b>	
Caries/Trauma and Pain Control	Max 2 teeth per lifetime, emergency
Restoration, amalgam /composite; Prefabricated, Full Coverage	Primary incisor teeth are eligible only for clients under the age of 5
Cores and Posts	1/36 months (permanent tooth) - <b>Predetermination Required</b>
Post Removal	1/lifetime (permanent tooth)
Crowns	Crown Policy - <b>Predetermination Required</b>
Repair to Crowns	1/crown/lifetime
Recementation of Crowns	1/crown/lifetime
Removal of Crowns	1/crown/lifetime
<b>Endodontics - Predetermination Required</b>	
Root Canal Therapy	Endodontic Policy - <b>No Predetermination Required for anterior permanent teeth (13-23, 33-43)</b>
<b>Periodontics</b>	
Root Planing	Ages 12+: 4 units/12 months in combination with scaling; Ages under 12: 1/12 months in combination with scaling
Appliances Periodontal	1/36 months - <b>Predetermination Required</b>
Appliances Periodontal - Maintenance	3/36 months - <b>Predetermination Required</b>
<b>Prosthodontics Removable</b>	
Complete/Partial/Immediate Dentures	1/arch/96 months - <b>Predetermination Required</b>
Repairs and Additions	1/prosthesis/12 months
Reline or Rebase	1/prosthesis/24 months
Tissue Conditioning	1/prosthesis/24 months
<b>Oral Surgery</b>	
Simple extractions	<b>No Predetermination Required</b>
Complex extractions	<b>Predetermination Required</b>
<b>Orthodontics - Predetermination Required</b>	
Interceptive treatment	Orthodontic Policy
Comprehensive Treatment	Orthodontic Policy
<b>Adjunctive General - Predetermination Required</b>	
General Anaesthesia/Facilities	Ages under 12

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GENERAL PRACTITIONERS AND SPECIALISTS  
\*SCHEDULE A\***

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
<b>0.1 - DIAGNOSTIC</b>										
01101		\$48.52								
01102		\$72.80								
01103		\$72.80								
01201		\$48.52		\$58.22						
01202		\$48.52								
01204		\$48.52		\$58.24						
01205		\$48.52								
01602				\$58.24						
01902		\$53.38								
<b>0.2 - RADIOGRAPHS</b>										
02101		\$129.30		\$129.30						
02102		\$129.30		\$129.30						
02111		\$19.39		\$19.39						
02112		\$32.28		\$32.28						
02113		\$45.24		\$45.24						
02114		\$58.16		\$58.16						
02115		\$71.13		\$71.13						
02116		\$84.03		\$84.03						
02117		\$96.92		\$96.92						
02118		\$109.86		\$109.86						
02119		\$122.75		\$122.75						
02120		\$129.29		\$129.29						
02131		\$32.28		\$32.28						
02132		\$48.46		\$48.46						
02133		\$64.60		\$64.60						
02141		\$19.39		\$19.39						
02142		\$32.28		\$32.28						
02143		\$45.24		\$45.24						
02144		\$58.16		\$58.16						
02601		\$64.60		\$64.60						
02801		\$25.48		\$25.48						
02802		\$25.48		\$25.48						
<b>0.4 - LABORATORY TESTS AND EXAMINATIONS, MISCELLANEOUS</b>										
04101	L	\$46.12		\$55.36						
04311	L	\$53.38		\$64.06						
04312	L	\$53.38		\$64.06						
04322	L	\$275.75		\$330.90						
04401	L	\$46.12		\$55.36						
<b>1.0 - PREVENTIVE SERVICES</b>										
11101		\$23.89								
11111		\$48.78								
11112		\$97.56								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
11113		\$146.35								
11114		\$195.13								
12101		\$23.19								
12102		\$23.19								
13401		\$23.19								
13409		\$11.60								
13411		\$57.55								
16201		\$46.35								
16511		\$30.55								
<b>2.0 - RESTORATIVE SERVICES</b>										
20111		\$59.44								
20119		\$59.44								
20121		\$150.73								
20129		\$150.73								
20131		\$28.72								
20139		\$28.72								
21111		\$70.39								
21112		\$103.44								
21113		\$129.13								
21114		\$129.13								
21115		\$129.13								
21121		\$70.39								
21122		\$103.44								
21123		\$129.13								
21124		\$129.13								
21125		\$129.13								
21211		\$70.33								
21212		\$103.44								
21213		\$132.98								
21214		\$162.58								
21215		\$177.34								
21221		\$70.33								
21222		\$103.44								
21223		\$132.98								
21224		\$162.58								
21225		\$177.34								
21231		\$70.33								
21232		\$103.44								
21233		\$132.98								
21234		\$162.58								
21235		\$177.34								
21241		\$70.33								
21242		\$103.44								
21243		\$132.98								
21244		\$162.58								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
21245		\$177.34								
21401		\$21.83								
21402		\$32.74								
21403		\$43.65								
21404		\$54.02								
21405		\$65.28								
22201		\$129.13								
22211		\$129.13								
22301		\$172.17								
22311		\$172.17								
22401		\$120.59								
22411		\$120.59								
22501		\$165.81								
22511		\$165.81								
23101		\$75.39								
23102		\$89.94								
23103		\$105.52								
23104		\$135.67								
23105		\$165.81								
23111		\$103.44								
23112		\$118.23								
23113		\$132.98								
23114		\$162.58								
23115		\$192.13								
23211		\$75.39								
23212		\$105.52								
23213		\$120.59								
23214		\$135.67								
23215		\$150.74								
23221		\$75.39								
23222		\$105.52								
23223		\$120.59								
23224		\$135.67								
23225		\$150.74								
23311		\$103.44								
23312		\$147.79								
23313		\$177.34								
23314		\$206.90								
23315		\$236.47								
23321		\$103.44								
23322		\$147.79								
23323		\$177.34								
23324		\$206.90								
23325		\$236.47								
23401		\$78.25								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
23402		\$90.45								
23403		\$105.52								
23404		\$120.59								
23405		\$120.59								
23411		\$103.44								
23412		\$118.23								
23413		\$120.59								
23414		\$120.59								
23415		\$120.59								
23501		\$75.39								
23502		\$105.52								
23503		\$120.59								
23504		\$120.59								
23505		\$120.59								
23511		\$103.44								
23512		\$120.59								
23513		\$120.59								
23514		\$120.59								
23515		\$120.59								
25781		\$62.55								
25782		\$125.10								
27711		\$179.14								
27721		\$179.14								
29101		\$59.72								
29301		\$59.72								
<b>3.0 - ENDODONTICS</b>										
32221		\$114.35								
32222		\$114.35								
32231		\$108.92								
32232		\$54.45								
32311		\$85.77								
32312		\$114.35								
32313		\$142.93								
32314		\$171.53								
32321		\$85.77								
32322		\$142.93								
33111		\$441.82								
39201		\$55.07								
39202		\$55.07								
<b>4.0 - PERIODONTICS</b>										
43421		\$55.14								
43422		\$110.30								
43423		\$165.45								
43424		\$220.62								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
<b>5.0 - PROSTHODONTICS</b>										
54201		\$51.14								
54202		\$80.52								
54209		\$51.14								
55101	L	\$53.85								
55102	L	\$53.85								
55201	L	\$107.70								
55202	L	\$107.70								
55301	L	\$52.76								
55302	L	\$52.76								
55401	L	\$107.70								
55402	L	\$107.70								
56211		\$161.53								
56212		\$161.53								
56221		\$161.53								
56222		\$161.53								
56231	L	\$161.53								
56232	L	\$161.53								
56241	L	\$161.53								
56242	L	\$161.53								
56251	L	\$269.20								
56252	L	\$269.20								
56261	L	\$269.20								
56262	L	\$269.20								
56311	L	\$161.53								
56312	L	\$161.53								
56321	L	\$161.53								
56322	L	\$161.53								
56511		\$107.70								
56512		\$107.70								
56521		\$107.70								
56522		\$107.70								
<b>7.0 - ORAL SURGERY</b>										
71101		\$68.73		\$82.48						
71109		\$41.24		\$49.48						
72311		\$61.68		\$74.02						
72319		\$37.03		\$44.43						
74111		\$185.01		\$222.02						
74112		\$240.46		\$288.55						
74121		\$222.03		\$266.43						
74122		\$294.30		\$353.17						
74611		\$212.78		\$255.33						
74612		\$282.56		\$339.08						
74621		\$259.05		\$310.84						
74631		\$212.78		\$255.33						



Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
74632		\$282.56		\$339.08						
75111		\$135.71		\$162.85						
75112		\$135.71		\$162.85						
75121		\$141.84		\$170.21						
75211		\$306.07		\$367.29						
75301		\$808.16		\$969.79						
75302		\$808.16		\$969.79						
76116		\$222.03		\$266.43						
76141		\$123.39		\$148.07						
76142		\$123.39		\$148.07						
76911		\$692.92		\$831.51						
76912		\$692.92		\$831.51						
76921		\$692.92		\$831.51						
76922		\$692.92		\$831.51						
76941		\$231.24		\$277.48						
76949		\$231.24		\$277.48						
76951		\$70.95		\$85.13						
76952		\$141.84		\$170.21						
76961		\$147.98		\$177.58						
76962		\$166.52		\$199.82						
77801		\$136.51		\$163.80						
77802		\$136.51		\$163.80						
77803		\$136.51		\$163.80						
78102		\$117.98		\$141.56						
79101		\$101.77		\$122.13						
79601		\$61.69		\$74.03						
79602		\$64.77		\$77.72						
79605		\$64.77		\$77.72						
79606		\$64.77		\$77.72						

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\*SCHEDULE B\***

**\*ALL PROCEDURES IN SCHEDULE B HAVE A PREDETERMINATION REQUIREMENT\***

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
<b>0.1 - DIAGNOSTIC</b>										
01901		\$266.90								
<b>0.2 - RADIOGRAPHS</b>										
02501		\$48.45		\$48.45						
02502		\$80.78		\$80.78						
02503		\$113.15		\$113.15						
02504		\$145.45		\$145.45						
02701		\$77.31		\$77.31						
02702		\$121.21		\$121.21						
02703		\$162.98		\$162.98						
02704		\$201.99		\$201.99						
02751		\$53.38		\$53.38						
02752		\$106.76		\$106.76						
02931		\$77.31								
02932		\$121.26								
02933		\$67.22								
02934		\$201.99								
<b>0.4 - LABORATORY TESTS AND EXAMINATIONS, MISCELLANEOUS</b>										
04801		\$11.54		\$13.83						
04802		\$23.05		\$27.67						
04803		\$34.60		\$41.51						
04809		\$11.54		\$13.83						
04911		\$46.15								
04931	L	\$92.24								
<b>1.0 - PREVENTIVE SERVICES</b>										
14611	L	\$297.82								
14612	L	\$297.82								
14621	L	\$54.16								
14631		\$162.50								
<b>2.0 - RESTORATIVE SERVICES</b>										
21301		\$147.79								
21302		\$147.79								
23601		\$177.34								
23602		\$177.34								
25731		\$89.57								
25732		\$179.14								
25733		\$268.71								
27211	L	\$643.90								
27301	L	\$643.90								
<b>3.0 - ENDODONTICS</b>										
33115		\$571.72								
33121		\$667.00								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
33125		\$803.12								
33131		\$762.29								
33135		\$898.42								
33141		\$925.62								
33145		\$1,061.73								
33601		\$163.34								
33602		\$245.02								
33603		\$326.70								
33604		\$435.59								
34111		\$284.60		\$341.52						
34121		\$356.32		\$427.57						
34122		\$475.10		\$570.13						
34131		\$356.32		\$427.57						
34132		\$475.10		\$570.13						
34133		\$712.67		\$855.20						
34141		\$341.53		\$409.83						
34151		\$415.72		\$498.86						
34161		\$415.72		\$498.86						
34162		\$534.49		\$641.39						
34211		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34221		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34222		\$113.84		\$136.60						
34231		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34232		\$113.84		\$136.60						
34233		\$170.75		\$204.90						
34241		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34251		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34261		\$56.93		\$68.31						
34262		\$113.84		\$136.60						
<b>4.0 - PERIODONTICS</b>										
41211		\$56.86								
41221		\$73.11								
41231		\$56.86								
41301		\$56.86								
42201		\$178.68								
42311		\$203.01								
42331		\$51.44								
42339		\$51.44								
42521		\$454.64								
42531		\$454.64								
42551		\$530.42								
42821		\$54.16								
43511		\$54.16								
43519		\$54.16								
49101		\$54.16								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
49102		\$108.30								
49109		\$54.16								
<b>5.0 - PROSTHODONTICS REMOVABLE</b>										
51101	L	\$565.27								
51102	L	\$565.27								
51103	L	\$1,130.55								
51301	L	\$565.27								
51302	L	\$565.27								
51303	L	\$1,130.55								
51711	L	\$1,125.04								
51712	L	\$1,125.04								
51811	L	\$565.27								
51812	L	\$565.27								
51813	L	\$1,130.55								
52101	L	\$161.53								
52102	L	\$161.53								
52201	L	\$161.53								
52202	L	\$161.53								
52301	L	\$538.42								
52302	L	\$538.42								
52401	L	\$538.42								
52402	L	\$538.42								
53101	L	\$565.27								
53102	L	\$565.27								
53104	L	\$56.53								
53201	L	\$565.27								
53202	L	\$565.27								
53811	L	\$907.34								
53812	L	\$907.34								
53813	L	\$751.32								
53814		\$186.95								
<b>6.0 - PROSTHODONTICS - FIXED (Alternate benefit applies, approved as an exception) - Maximum \$973.91 Incl. Lab</b>										
66211		\$63.81								
66212		\$127.61								
66213		\$191.43								
66221		\$63.81								
66222		\$127.61								
66223		\$191.43								
66251		\$63.81								
66252		\$127.61								
66253		\$191.43								
66301	L	\$58.27								
66302	L	\$116.54								
66303	L	\$174.80								
66711		\$122.08								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
66719		\$122.08								
66721	L	\$58.27								
66729		\$58.27								
<b>7.0 - ORAL SURGERY</b>										
71201		\$149.67		\$179.61						
71209		\$89.81		\$107.77						
72111		\$135.71		\$162.85						
72119		\$81.42		\$97.71						
72211		\$203.55		\$244.25						
72219		\$122.12		\$146.54						
72221		\$259.05		\$310.84						
72229		\$155.44		\$186.51						
72321		\$92.54		\$111.03						
72329		\$55.52		\$66.62						
72331		\$135.71		\$162.85						
72339		\$81.42		\$97.71						
72511		\$123.41		\$148.10						
72519		\$74.05		\$88.86						
72521		\$222.02		\$266.41						
72529		\$133.21		\$159.85						
72711		\$259.05		\$310.84						
72719		\$155.44		\$186.51						
73111		\$61.68		\$74.02						
73222		\$135.71		\$162.85						
73223		\$240.86		\$289.03						
73231		\$135.71		\$162.85						
73421		\$104.05		\$124.87						
79311		\$441.44		\$529.73						
79331		\$423.83		\$508.59						
79333		\$423.83		\$508.59						
79341		\$423.83		\$508.59						
79343		\$423.83		\$508.59						
<b>8.0 - ORTHODONTIC SERVICES</b>										
80601		\$54.45								
80602		\$54.45								
80631	L	\$54.45								
80632	L	\$108.89								
80639		\$54.45								
80641		\$54.45								
80642		\$108.89								
80649		\$54.45								
80651		\$54.45								
80659		\$54.45								
80661		\$54.45								
80669		\$54.45								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
80671		\$54.45								
80679		\$54.45								
81113	L	\$217.79								
81114	L	\$217.79								
81121	L	\$217.79								
81122	L	\$217.79								
81131	L	\$217.79								
81132	L	\$217.79								
81211	L	\$217.79								
81212	L	\$217.79								
81221	L	\$163.34								
81222	L	\$163.34								
81231	L	\$217.79								
81232	L	\$217.79								
81241	L	\$217.79								
81242	L	\$217.79								
81243	L	\$163.34								
81251	L	\$272.24								
81252	L	\$272.24								
81253	L	\$217.79								
81291	L	\$217.79								
81292	L	\$217.79								
81293	L	\$217.79								
81294	L	\$217.79								
83101	L	\$163.34								
83102	L	\$163.34								
83201	L	\$217.79								
83202	L	\$217.79								
<b>9.0 - ADJUNCTIVE SERVICES</b>										
92222		\$107.07		\$107.07						
92229		\$160.61		\$160.61						
92301		\$49.89		\$49.89						
92302		\$96.90		\$96.90						
92309		\$145.34		\$145.34						
92411		\$25.60		\$29.83						
92412		\$38.41		\$44.74						
92419		\$12.81		\$14.94						
92421		\$18.46		\$21.51						
92431		\$35.32		\$35.32						
92432		\$64.92		\$64.92						
92439		\$17.67		\$17.67						
92441		\$55.37		\$55.37						
92442		\$83.04		\$83.04						
92449		\$27.69		\$27.69						
94302		\$59.99								

Proc	Lab	GP	Endo	O.Surg	Ortho	Paed	Perio	Radio	Pros	O.Path
96201		\$28.04		\$33.65						
96202		\$28.04		\$33.65						
96203		\$28.04		\$33.65						
99111		I.C.		I.C.						
99222		I.C.		I.C.						
99333		I.C.		I.C.						