

## Giving back to employers

COVID-19 is impacting everyone's lives – including trips to the dentist. Most dental offices have been temporarily closed for non-emergency services. And Principal<sup>®</sup> understands employers and their employees have had limited use of their dental benefits.

## Help for employers: 10% dental premium credit<sup>1</sup>

We're giving a premium credit of 10% for the months of June-October 2020 to employers, based on the prior month's billed premium, who have a fully insured dental policy with us.<sup>2</sup> These employers will be notified by email on May 7 and will see the credit on their group dental coverage bills.

We're working to make this compensation neutral. More information to come.

## Help for providers, too: \$7 payment for PPE<sup>1</sup>

When employers and their employees go to any in-network dental provider from June-December 2020, we'll automatically pay the provider \$7 per member for in-office visits for personal protective equipment (PPE).<sup>3</sup>

This is an unprecedented time for all of us. Let me know if you have any questions or visit our **COVID-19 advisor website** for the latest information and resources.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excludes self-funded coverage.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Self-accounting customers can calculate a 10% reduction in premium for their June-October 2020 billing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> PPE payment does not count toward the member calendar year maximum. Eligible visits are based on date of service from June 1- December 31, 2020.



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