

**Moravia Central School District**  
**FUSION Highlight Sheet**  
**Policy # 26-202100**



**LOW Plan**

**FUSION: THE ULTIMATE CHOICE<sup>SM</sup>** combines dental and eye care benefits in one easy-to-administer plan. This plan combines the annual maximum between the dental and eye care plans.

For the maximum:

- The member can use up to \$1,000 toward any covered dental expense.
- The member can use up to \$150 towards any covered eye care expense.
- Total benefits paid between the two coverages will not exceed \$1,000.

**Dental Plan Summary** *subject to FUSION plan design listed above*

<b>Plan Benefit</b>	
Type 1	MCE
Type 2	MCE
Type 3	MCE
<b>Deductible</b>	\$50/Calendar Year Type 2 & 3 Waived Type 1 \$150/family
<b>Maximum (per person)</b>	\$1,000 per calendar year
<b>Allowance</b>	MCE
<b>Waiting Period</b>	None
<b>Annual Eye Exam</b>	None
<b>LASIK Advantage®</b>	None
<b>Annual Open Enrollment</b>	None

**Eye Care Summary** *subject to FUSION plan design listed above*

	<b>Allowances</b>	<b>Frequencies Based on date of service</b>	
<b>Exam</b>	Subject to maximum	<b>Exam</b>	None
<b>Lenses (per pair)</b>		<b>Lenses</b>	None
Single	Subject to maximum	<b>Frames</b>	None
Bifocal	Subject to maximum		
Trifocal	Subject to maximum		
Lenticular	Subject to maximum	<b>Maximum</b>	\$150
Progressive	Subject to maximum	<b>Deductibles (None)</b>	\$0*
<b>Contacts</b>			
<b>Elective/Medically Necessary</b>	Subject to maximum		
<b>Frames</b>	Subject to maximum		

\*Deductible applies to the first service received

**Dental Procedure Summary**

<b>Type 1</b>	<b>Type 2</b>	<b>Type 3</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Routine Exam (2 per benefit period)</li> <li>• Bitewing X-rays (2 per benefit period)</li> <li>• Full Mouth/Panoramic X-rays (1 in 3 years)</li> <li>• Periapical X-rays</li> <li>• Cleaning (2 per benefit period)</li> <li>• Fluoride for Children 15 and under (2 per benefit period)</li> <li>• Sealants (age 16 and under)</li> <li>• Space Maintainers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Restorative Amalgams</li> <li>• Restorative Composites</li> <li>• Endodontics (nonsurgical)</li> <li>• Endodontics (surgical)</li> <li>• Periodontics (nonsurgical)</li> <li>• Periodontics (surgical)</li> <li>• Denture Repair</li> <li>• Simple Extractions</li> <li>• Complex Extractions</li> <li>• Anesthesia</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Onlays</li> <li>• Crowns (1 in 5 years per tooth)</li> <li>• Crown Repair</li> <li>• Prosthodontics (fixed bridge; removable complete; partial dentures) (1 in 5 years)</li> </ul>

Current Dental Terminology © American Dental Association.

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## **Ameritas of New York Information**

### **We're Here to Help**

This plan was designed specifically for the associates of Cayuga Onondaga BOCES. At Ameritas of New York, we do more than provide coverage - we make sure there's always a friendly voice to explain your benefits, listen to your concerns, and answer your questions. Our customer relations associates will be pleased to assist you 7 a.m. to midnight (Central Time) Monday through Thursday, and 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Friday. You can speak to them by calling toll-free: 800-659-5556. For plan information any time, access our automated voice response system or go online to [ameritas.com](http://ameritas.com).

### **Dental Health Scorecard**

How would you rate your dental health?

In 2016, you can receive your Dental Health Report Card by signing into your secure member account online. Your assessment is based on claims submitted. The report card also offers suggestions if you strive to improve your dental health. Ameritas of New York members can access the personalized report card by going to [ameritas.com](http://ameritas.com), click Account Access in the top right corner and choose the Dental/Vision/Hearing drop down. Select the Secure Member Account link and sign in to see your report.

### **Rx Savings**

Our valued plan members and their covered dependents (even their pets) can save on prescription medications through any Walmart or Sam's Club pharmacy across the nation. This Rx discount is offered at no additional cost, and it is not insurance.

To receive the Walmart Rx discount, Ameritas of New York plan members just need to visit us at [ameritas.com](http://ameritas.com) and sign into (or create) a secure member account where they can access and print an online-only Rx discount savings ID card.

### **Eyewear Savings**

Ameritas of New York plan members may receive up to 15% off eyewear frames and lenses purchased at any Walmart Vision Center nationwide. Members may also bring in their current vision prescription from any vision care provider and purchase eyewear at Walmart. This savings arrangement is not insurance: it is available to members at no additional cost to their plan premium.

To receive the eyewear savings identification card, Ameritas of New York plan members can visit [ameritas.com](http://ameritas.com) and sign-in (or create) a secure member account. Members must present the Ameritas Eyewear Savings Card at time of purchase to receive the discount.

### **Dental Network Information**

To find a provider, visit [ameritas.com](http://ameritas.com) and select **FIND A PROVIDER**, then **DENTAL**. Enter your criteria to search by location or for a specific dentist or practice.

### **Pretreatment**

While we don't require a pretreatment authorization form for any procedure, we recommend them for any dental work you consider expensive. As a smart consumer, it's best for you to know your share of the cost up front. Simply ask your dentist to submit the information for a pretreatment estimate to our customer relations department. We'll inform both you and your dentist of the exact amount your insurance will cover and the amount that you will be responsible for. That way, there won't be any surprises once the work has been completed.

### **Late Entrant Provision**

We strongly encourage you to sign up for coverage when you are initially eligible. If you choose not to sign up during this initial enrollment period, you will become a late entrant. Late entrants will be eligible for only exams, cleanings, and fluoride applications for the first 12 months they are covered.

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**Dental Cost Estimator**

Ever wonder what a dental procedure usually costs? The answer can be found using the Ameritas group division's Dental Cost Estimator tool located in our Secure Member Account portal.

Members can search by ZIP Code for a specific dental procedure and see fee range estimates for out-of-network general dentists in that area. Of course, we always suggest that members partner with their dentists, so they know what's involved in any recommended treatment plan.

The estimator tool is powered by Go2Dental and uses FAIR Health data that is updated annually. Please note, cost estimates do not reflect discounted rates available through provider networks, and the estimator does not include orthodontic estimates at this time.

In addition, when members are in their Secure Member Account, they can:

- Go paperless with electronic Explanation of Benefits statements and reduce the clutter in their mailboxes
- View their certificate of insurance and specific plan benefits information
- Access value-added extras like the Rx discount ID card

**Worldwide Support**

When our members travel abroad, they'll have peace of mind knowing that should a dental or vision need arise, help is just a phone call away. Through AXA Assistance, Ameritas of New York offers its dental and vision plan members 24-hour access to dental or vision provider referrals when traveling outside the U.S.

Immediately after a call is made to AXA, an assistance coordinator assesses the situation, provides credible provider referrals and can even assist with making the appointment. Within 48 hours following the appointment, the coordinator calls the member to find out if additional assistance is needed. If all is well, the case is closed. Then, the plan member may submit a claim to Ameritas of New York for reimbursement consideration based on applicable plan benefits. Contact AXA Assistance USA toll free by calling 866-662-2731, or call collect from anywhere in the world by dialing 1-312-935-3727.

**Language Services**

We recognize the importance of communicating with our growing number of multilingual customers. That is why we offer a language assistance program that gives you access to: Spanish-speaking claims contact center representatives, telephone interpretation services in a wide range of languages, online dental network provider search in Spanish and a variety of Spanish documents such as enrollment forms, claim forms and certificates of insurance.

This document is a highlight of plan benefits provided by Ameritas Life Insurance Corp. of New York as selected by your employer. It is not a certificate of insurance and does not include exclusions and limitations. For exclusions and limitations, or a complete list of covered procedures, contact your benefits administrator.



## FUSION: The Ultimate Choice<sup>SM</sup>

We combine two benefits — dental and vision — into one plan that lets you and your family receive the care you need most.

### Our Flexibility, Your Freedom

- It's simple — the dental and vision benefits are combined into one certificate, one enrollment form, one payroll entry.
- Annual maximum has been combined into one amount; you choose how to spend your maximum — it may be used toward dental and/or vision expenses.
- Individual plan features still apply — no more than the noted vision max may be applied to vision benefits and no more than the noted dental max can be applied to dental benefits with a ceiling of the FUSION maximum for both.
- We process both dental and vision claims for FUSION, so you can enjoy the same quick turnaround.
- Visit the providers of your choice — no networks.

### Check Your Benefits Online

Once you have enrolled, you may check your benefits online. Just go to [ameritasgroup.com](http://ameritasgroup.com). Or call us at 800-487-5553.


### Combined Features Example

	Dental	Vision	FUSION
Maximums	\$1,000	\$150	\$1,000

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# Dental Rewards<sup>®</sup>



Wouldn't it be great to reward employees for practicing good dental health? You can. With Dental Rewards' increasing annual maximum feature, employees can "earn" additional money toward future years' annual maximums. That way, the money is available when they need it most.

## plan highlights

- Available with virtually all of our dental plans
- Standard annual max options from \$500 to \$2,000
- Applies to Type 1, 2, 3 and 4 [Preventive, Basic, Major, and Select] dental procedures
- Members qualify for rewards by submitting at least one claim per year for a covered procedure and keeping total paid claims under threshold limit
- Dental Rewards benefit status is available online

## PPO bonus

- "Earn" a bonus by making your annual visit to one of our Participating Provider Organization [PPO] providers, who charge reduced rates on covered procedures
- PPO and PPO Bonus are available in most states

to learn more, contact your local sales representative

### example of how it works

Annual Maximum	Benefit Threshold	Dental Reward	PPO Bonus	Maximum Reward Total
\$1,000	\$500	\$250	\$100	\$1,000

#### Year 1 [Current reward: \$0, annual paid claims: \$400, PPO visit: yes]

Paid claims did not exceed \$500 threshold, member earns \$250 in rewards. Member visited a PPO provider and earns an additional \$100 bonus.

#### Year 2 [Current reward: \$350, annual paid claims: \$650, PPO visit: yes]

Paid claims exceed threshold, no rewards or bonus are earned. Paid claims were less than the annual max, so none of the current reward is used.

#### Year 3 [Current reward: \$350, annual paid claims: \$1250, PPO visit: yes]

Paid claims exceed \$1,000 annual max, so member uses \$250 of rewards. No reward or bonus is earned because member exceeded the threshold.

#### Year 4 [Current reward: \$100, annual paid claims: \$1100, PPO visit: yes]

Paid claims exceed \$1,000 annual max, so member uses the remaining \$100 of rewards. Threshold was exceeded, so no reward or bonus is earned.

#### Year 5 [Current reward: \$0, annual paid claims: \$350, PPO visit: no]

Paid claims did not exceed threshold, member earns \$250 in rewards. No PPO Bonus was earned, so reward for next year is \$250.



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