

**Helena School District #1**  
**Retiree Health Benefit Summary**  
**October 1, 2023 – September 30, 2024**

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<p><b>Dental coverage: Reimbursed on a schedule</b></p> <p>Preventive, basic restorative and major restorative coverage. Non-preventive services are subject to a \$100 annual deductible applied per covered person. Maximum allowable per benefit plan year per covered person is \$2,000.00.</p>	<p><b>Dental coverage: Reimbursement according to schedule</b></p> <p>Preventive dental coverage only. No deductible applies. The annual benefit includes the following preventive services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• two periodic oral exams</li> <li>• one comprehensive oral evaluation (a one-time evaluation for new patients);</li> <li>• two cleanings (prophylaxis),</li> <li>• one set of x-rays - bitewing single film; bitewings two films; bitewings four films.</li> </ul>																								
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**Important Health Plan Election Information:**

Retirees may change their health benefit plan election to the Standard Plan however, the Plan requires a two year minimum commitment to remain on the Standard Plan. This change may only occur during the open enrollment period. Dependents may remain on the plan but may not be added after retirement. Also, please note that once a Retiree turns 65 they must go onto Medicare and cannot have the District Insurance as a Primary. Contact the Human Resource Benefits Manager, Richard Franco at 324-2008 or [rfranco@helenaschool.org](mailto:rfranco@helenaschool.org) if you have any questions.