

TRICARE® Dental Program (TDP) Enrollment



Get the Facts Straight with Snoopy!

Did you know while protecting our nation you can also protect the smiles of your spouse and/or children? Your military service entitles your family (and you, if you are a member of the National Guard or Reserve) to this Government benefit. Make sure you've got your facts straight about the TRICARE Dental Program (TDP). It provides comprehensive coverage at an affordable cost.

MYTH 1:

I have TRICARE medical, so I automatically have Dental.

Snoopy says, "You're not automatically enrolled in dental. Dental coverage requires TDP enrollment."

- Enroll now using the Beneficiary Web Enrollment site (CAC card required): www.tricare.mil/bwe
- Download the [enrollment form](#) and mail it in
- Call 1-855-638-8371 (CONUS), 1-855-638-8372 (OCONUS), 1-855-638-8373 (TDD/TTY hearing impaired)

MYTH 2:

I already have dental coverage from my work, so I don't need it.

Snoopy says, "It's always a good idea to compare your civilian employer's plan with the TDP. The TDP has no annual deductibles and no co-payments, no cost-shares on exams, cleanings and X-Rays when you visit a MetLife network dentist, and no waiting periods. It also provides worldwide coverage and affordable premiums."

MYTH 3:

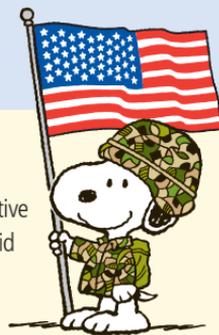
I already have dental coverage through the Government so I'm all set.

Snoopy says, "Only Active Duty Service Members are covered. Spouses and children need you to enroll them for dental coverage under the TDP." (See #1 for enrollment options)

MYTH 4:

I have great teeth and don't need dental coverage.

Snoopy says, "Prepare for the unexpected. Preventive and diagnostic dental care now may help you avoid painful and expensive procedures in the future."



MYTH 5:

I'm a spouse so I am automatically enrolled in the TDP.

Snoopy says, "Your active duty sponsor needs to sign you up for dental coverage." (See #1 for enrollment options)

MYTH 6:

It's too expensive.

Snoopy says, "It's cheaper than dog food. Premiums are affordable, there are no annual deductibles or co-payments, and there are low or no cost-shares on many dental services."



MYTH 7:

It's hard to sign up!

Snoopy says, "It's easy, if I can do it, you can do it." Visit www.tricare.mil/bwe or www.metlife.com/tricare to get started!

MYTH 8:

I don't have time to enroll – I'm too busy.

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