## Geans Dental Health Plan

## **GD** Geans Dental

Geans Dental will provide top professional Dental care in a relaxed comfortable "state of the art" environment. We are committed to continuing education and keep up to date with the latest advances in modern dentistry.

Research shows that preventive dentistry delivered on a regular basis greatly reduces the risk of dental disease and provides a platform for a lifetime of improved oral health. We encourage such an approach and with this in mind we have joined with DPAS Limited to design a dental plan to reward loyal patients. This plan will be administered by DPAS who will make a separate arrangement with you to manage your payments under the plan. The plan will provide advantages both to you and to us. It will allow us to plan your dental care more effectively and provide the best chance of keeping you dentally fit. The advantage for you is that it should reduce the need for future treatment and you will have the peace of mind that all of your preventive dental care will be covered by convenient monthly payments. Upon joining the dental plan, you will also be eligible to request assistance from the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme for dental emergencies or dental traumas whilst at home or abroad (see overleaf).

#### Health plan benefits

- · all your preventive dental care is included
- payment by convenient monthly Direct Debit, allowing you to budget
- After your initial assessment your dentist will advise as to the best plan to suit your dental needs
- early identification of dental problems to prevent pain, discomfort and inconvenience
- appointment times to suit you whenever
  possible
- 10% off treatment fees\*
- priority booking in the event of a dental emergency
- access to a 24 hour dental emergency helpline 365 days per year
- eligibility to request assistance from the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme (see overleaf).



### Who is our plan for?

Our plan is designed for patients who wish to attend the practice on a regular basis and have peace of mind that their preventive dental care is covered.

#### How do you join our plan?

Joining is very simple. After your initial assessment your dentist will advise as to the best plan to suit your dental needs. All you have to do is complete a registration form for us and a Direct Debit mandate and authorisation form for DPAS.

In addition to your first monthly payment, an initial registration fee of £10 per person will be payable by you to DPAS and will be included in your first Direct Debit payment.

Given the benefits you enjoy as part of our plan we respectfully ask that you are committed to our plan for a minimum of 12 months, if you leave the plan during this time you may be required to pay in full for any benefits or discounts received. Thereafter one month's notice is required.

#### What happens in an emergency?

You will have access to a 24 hour, 365 day worldwide dental emergency helpline which will help you find an English speaking dentist wherever you are in the world.

#### What does our plan include?

## Geans Dental Health plan **Option One** costs £16.35 per month and covers:

- · two dental health examinations per year
- one Dental Hygienist appointment per year including scale and polish and periodontal advice

## Geans Dental Health plan **Option Two** costs £22.95 per month and covers:

- two dental health examinations per year
- two Dental Hygienist appointments per year including scale and polish and periodontal advice

## Geans Dental Health plan **Option Three** costs £29.55 per month and covers:

- two dental health examinations per year
- three Dental Hygienist appointments per year including scale and polish and periodontal advice

## Geans Dental Health plan **Option Four** costs £36.15 per month and covers:

- · two dental health examinations per year
- four Dental Hygienist appointments per year including scale and polish and periodontal advice

#### Any questions?

If you have any questions about our plan, please contact our reception team who will be happy to provide further information and guidance.

## All of our plans also include the following benefits:

- x-rays as clinically necessary
- routine oral cancer screening
- 10% off treatment fees\*
- diet and oral hygiene advice
- eligibility to request assistance from the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme (see overleaf).

\*Your initial course of treatment will be covered by the 10% discount. Your routine examinations and hygienist visits will be covered after 6 months of being on our plan.

#### What is excluded from our plan?

Although non-routine services are available from the practice, some items fall outside the scope of the plan and are not covered by the monthly payment namely:

- cosmetic treatments
- facial aesthetics
- implants
- orthodontics
- treatments on referral to a specialist

Treatment not covered by this plan can be paid for separately.

## How does the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme work?

Whilst a member of the dental plan, should you suffer a dental trauma, a dental emergency or be diagnosed with oral cancer you will be eligible to make a request for assistance from the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme. The Scheme responds to such requests on a wholly discretionary basis. This means that, whilst the Scheme aims to provide benefits in most cases, the Scheme has no obligation to provide any benefit unless the Scheme Manager (the person appointed to administer the Scheme) first decides (in its sole and absolute discretion) that the Scheme should provide a benefit. There are some circumstances in which the Scheme is not designed to help (these situations being similar to exclusions under an insurance policy) and these are explained in more detail in the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme Handbook. The Scheme Manager will look at each case individually to assess the request for a benefit. Certain restrictions and limitations may apply in the event that your request for assistance is accepted and it is possible that in some cases the Scheme Manager will decide to provide no benefit.

If your request for assistance is accepted by the Scheme Manager you will be eligible to receive benefit payments from the Scheme in the following situations (up to the limits set by the Scheme and published from time to time):

- ✓ The cost of dental treatment by any dentist up to a maximum of £10,000 for any one incident of dental trauma
- ✓ The cost of:
  - emergency call-outs
  - pain relief or emergency temporary treatment
- A specified amount for each complete 24-hour period of hospitalisation wholly or partly under the care of a consultant who specialises in dental or maxillofacial surgery
- ✓ A specified amount if you are diagnosed with oral cancer and this is the primary cancer site

You will also have 24 hour access to a worldwide dental emergency helpline.

Please refer to the Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme Handbook for full details.

The Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme is operated by Worldwide Assistance Ltd (Company No. 10907861), a company registered in England and Wales.

Registered Office: Cambrian Works, Gobowen Rd, Oswestry, Shropshire SY11 1HS.

The Worldwide Dental Emergency Assistance Scheme is NOT an insurance product and is NOT regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

## **Principal Dentists**

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## **Practice Manager**

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## Contact

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## **Opening Hours**

Monday: 8.30am - 5.30pm Tuesday: 8.30am - 5.30pm Wednesday: 8.30am - 7.00pm Thursday: 8.30am - 5.30pm Friday: 8.30am - 5.00pm Saturday 9.00am - 1.00pm

#### Emergencies

01494 866138

Away from home helpline: (UK) 0808 169 8117 (Abroad) +44 1691 887 955

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