

**Subject** Treatment for Periodontal Disease

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## Overview

Under MA and MinnesotaCare, coverage of dental services for nonpregnant adults is limited to specific services that are listed in law. This bill expands dental coverage for this group of enrollees, by adding nonsurgical treatment for periodontal disease to the list of covered services.

## Summary

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1	<b>Dental services.</b>
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Amends § 256B.0625, subd. 9.

Expands MA coverage of dental services for nonpregnant adults, to include coverage of nonsurgical treatment for periodontal disease, including scaling and root planing once every two years for each quadrant, and routine periodontal maintenance procedures. This expansion of coverage also applies to the MinnesotaCare program, through cross-reference elsewhere in statute.