REMINDER: AHCCCS Dental Requirement Periodicity Schedule and Uniform Warranty

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Dear Provider,

As a reminder, all BCBSAZ Health Choice members under 21 years of age are assigned to a dental home by six months of age or upon enrollment. Members under 21 years of age must be seen by a dentist for routine preventive care according to the dental periodicity schedule contained in the AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual located at https://azahcccs.gov/shared/MedicalPolicyManual/ (AMPM431- Attachment A).

The AHCCCS Dental Periodicity Schedule gives dental providers the necessary information regarding the time frame in which age-related required screening and services are to be rendered by the providers.

Please post a copy of the schedule in your office for easy reference and to utilize at every dental visit to ensure all age-appropriate screening and services are conducted during each visit.

Providers are also encouraged to refer to the AHCCCS Dental Uniform Warranty List to determine the frequency a restoration or other services can be replaced.

AHCCCS Dental Uniform Warranty List is located at: https://azahcccs.gov/PlansProviders/GuidesManualsPolicies/

If you have any questions, please contact the BCBSAZ Health Choice Dental Department at 480- 968-6866, ext. 254006.

Thank you for your continued commitment to serving our members and providing quality care and services.

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