

Advantage Dental

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PURPOSE: To establish the Dental Care Organization's (DCO's) policy on Silver Diamine Fluoride, when applicable, and how to bill.	
REFERENCES: 42 CFR 438.236; OAR 410-141-3015	
FORMS: Advantage Dental Prevention and Evidence-Based Disease Management Manual	
<p>POLICY:</p> <p>The DCO's objective in treating decay is to eliminate the infection causing the disease and to preserve tooth structure. The DCO recommends that providers implement the following protocol for the medical management of dental caries. For full details of the protocols please review the Advantage Dental Prevention and Evidence-Based Disease Management Manual.</p>	
<p>PROCEDURE:</p> <p>If an enrollee is treated using SDF for arresting caries, the office should bill with code D1354. Consult the Dental Services Rulebook for coverage and frequency limitations.</p>	

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