

Canadian Dental Care Plan

Accessible. Affordable. Essential.



Eligibility

To qualify, you must:

- ✓ be a Canadian resident
- ✓ have an adjusted family net income under \$90,000
- ✓ not have access to employer/pension-sponsored or private dental insurance
- ✓ have filed your tax return in the previous year

The CDCP will ease financial barriers to accessing oral health care for up to **nine million** eligible Canadian residents.



How to Apply

CDCP Application Phases	
Group	Applications start date
Invitation to apply by mail	
Seniors aged 87 and above	December 2023
Seniors aged 77 to 86 years	January 2024
Seniors aged 72 to 76 years	February 2024
Seniors aged 70 to 71 years	March 2024
Application online	
Seniors aged 65 to 69 years	May 2024
Adults aged 18 to 64 with a valid Disability Tax Credit certificate	June 2024
Children under 18 years old	June 2024
All remaining eligible Canadian residents	2025

Oral health is important to your overall health and well-being. Regular visits to an oral health professional can reduce the risk of health problems.

In 2022, almost one in four Canadians reported avoiding visiting an oral health professional due to cost.

Every Canadian deserves accessible, affordable and essential oral health care.



Letters will be sent in phases by age group between December 2023 and March 2024 until all potential eligible seniors who are 70 years of age or older have been invited to apply for the CDCP.



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