

## Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Healthy Kids Dental Newsletter



### NEW Amazon Gift Cards for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Healthy Kids Dental

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan will send you a \$50 Amazon gift card if you get a preventive care visit from your dentist.

- Eligible members must be enrolled in the Healthy Kids Dental program with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan.
- Limited to one gift card per member per year.
- Preventative dental visit must be completed by September 30, 2024.

Visiting your dentist and having good oral health habits are important. Remember to watch what your children eat and drink. Make sure they brush and floss after meals. Have them get regular dental check-ups. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan wants to reward you for good dental habits.



### Hydroxyurea and Oral Health

Hydroxyurea, is a medication given to children with Sickle Cell disease which is an inherited disorder of the Red Blood Cells.

Did you know that Hydroxyurea can have side effects that impact your child's teeth?

- May Cause Dry Mouth, which can lead to tooth decay and gum infections.
- May lead to sores in the mouth.
- May cause pain while brushing.

If your child experiences any of the above symptoms, see your Dentist for advice. There are mouth rinses available that could make your mouth feel more comfortable.



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## We Speak Your Language

You have the right to receive culturally competent care. If you, or someone you're helping needs assistance, you have the right to get help and information in your language at no cost. You can also get help finding a dentist that speaks your language. To talk to an interpreter, call the Customer Service number on the back of your card.

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## Report fraud, waste, and abuse in the following ways:

**Report fraud, waste, and abuse in the following ways. You can remain anonymous:**

Call:

Fraud hotline: 1-800-237-9139

Anonymous hotline: 1-866-654-3433

Mail:

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan

P.O. Box 491

Milwaukee, WI 53201-0491

Fax: 262-241-7366

**Fraud, waste, and abuse can also be reported directly to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services using the following methods:**

Write to:

Michigan Department of Health and  
Human Services

Office of Inspector General

P.O. Box 30062

Lansing, MI 48909

Call:

1-855-MIFRAUD (643-7283)

Online:

[michigan.gov/fraud](http://michigan.gov/fraud)

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## Contact us

Phone

1-800-936-0935,; TTY:711

Helpful resources available on the website:

[bcbsm.com/healthykids](http://bcbsm.com/healthykids)



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