Canadian Dental Care Plan Eligibility Update

Health Canada / Canada Revenue Agency are doing an eligibility review for national dental. To support retired members who waived or cancelled dental coverage from the Teachers' Pension Plan **before December 11, 2023,** Health Canada and Canada Revenue Agency have made proof of eligibility letters available through your TPP My Account.

Here is some information to assist you should you qualify.

Canadian Dental Care Plan proof of eligibility

Retired TPP members **who receive a request** from Health Canada to provide proof of eligibility for the Canadian Dental Care Plan can use a Teachers' Pension Plan letter instead of completing the Health Canada form. The letter does not require a signature and can be submitted directly to Health Canada.

Retired members can download their letter through My Account:

1. Sign in to My Account
2. Select **Statements**
3. Select **Canadian Dental Care Plan letter**
4. Save or print a copy
5. Submit the letter to Health Canada

You can contact BC's Teachers' Pension Plan toll-free at 1-800-665-6770 (Canada and U.S.) from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm PT, Monday through Friday for assistance.

This service is **available only** to retired members who waived or cancelled dental coverage with the Teachers' Pension Plan **before December 11, 2023**.

Note: The dental-related code on your T4A, **is correct** because it indicates that as a TPP member you had access to dental at the time of retirement, but it **does not** indicate eligibility for national dental. For more information on what the code on the T4A means, or Canadian Dental Care Plan eligibility rules, visit the Teachers' Pension Plan Home - Teachers - Teachers or the Canadian Dental Care Plan website. Canadian Dental Care Plan - Canada.ca