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| Dental Annual Election   October 31 – November 15, 2018 2012012012018 2017  Elections you make during this period will take effect January 1, 2019  The Conference Dental Insurance Plan will accept new enrollments and enrollment changes for its 3 Guardian Dental Plans for coverage effective January 1, 2019.  Guardian Dental Plan Enrollment is available to any clergy or lay employee of the conference, district or a local church working at least 1,040 hours per year (20 hrs/wk). You may:   * Enroll in coverage for yourself; add or remove an eligible child or spouse; * **NEW HIRES** – coverage available within the first 31 days of the date of hire; thereafter only at open enrollment. * Contact the Benefits Assistant for a *Guardian Dental Enrollment Form*. [insurance@gnjumc.org](mailto:insurance@gnjumc.org) or (732) 359-1036   **DO NOT ENROLL OR MAKE CHANGES TO YOUR PLAN ONLINE!**   * For general questions about your Dental benefits, call Direct Path – our participant advocacy service – **1-866-253-2273**   Monday-Friday 8 a.m. – 9-p.m., ET; Saturday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., ET  Participants can view benefits online at <www.guardiananytime.com>.   |  | | --- | | Annual Election for **Guardian Dental**  Starts: **Wednesday, October 31, 2018 at 12:01 a.m., EDT** Ends: **Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 4:00 p.m., EST**  ***Dental enrollment forms must be PROCESSED***  ***no later than 4 p.m. November 15!*** |   **After November 15, 2018 changes for 2019 Dental coverage can only be made if you experience certain qualifying events**, such as marriage, divorce, birth, adoption, death, or loss of a spouse's or eligible dependent's Dental coverage. Dependents losing eligibility, including divorced spouses, lose eligibility as a dependent in the plan at the end of month in which event occurs. |