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PEBB Communication re: Willamette Dental changes
Subject: Qualified Change on Curtailment of Service

Dear PEBB Member:

This letter tells you of

- Upcoming changes by Willamette Dental
- How these changes affect your choice of dental plan in the PEBB program

In the next few months, Willamette Dental will consolidate operations and close some offices. This action results in a qualified status change (curtailment of service) for PEBB members enrolled in Willamette Dental.

This status change allows you to enroll in a new dental plan. You are not required to change plans. You may choose to stay on the Willamette Dental plan and use a different Willamette Dental office for services. If you choose to enroll in a new dental plan, you must do so within 60 days of receiving this letter or 60 days of the date of the event that causes the status change.

Please review the following tables to understand your choices and time frames.

Willamette Dental Nampa Office Closure	
Date	May 9, 2009
Affected Members	Willamette Dental enrollees who access care in the Nampa office
Allowed Change	Enroll for coverage in a different PEBB-sponsored dental plan
Enrollment Windows	1. 60 days from the date you receive this letter 2. 60 days from the date the office closes (May 9 – July 8, 2009)

Willamette Dental North Bend Office Closure	
Date	July 31, 2009
Affected Members	Willamette Dental enrollees who access care in the North Bend office
Allowed Change	Enroll for coverage in a different PEBB-sponsored dental plan
Enrollment Windows	1. 60 days from the date you receive this letter 2. 60 days from the date the office closes (July 31 – Sept. 29, 2009)

To change dental plans based on this status change

1. Download and complete a PEBB Medical and Dental Update Form (www.oregon.gov/das/pebb/forms)
2. Submit the completed form to your agency. The agency must receive the completed form by 5 p.m. on the last day of the enrollment window.

If you have questions about enrolling in a different dental plan, please contact your agency (www.oregon.gov/das/pebb/pdb/contact_us.shtm).

Sincerely,
Your Benefit Board