Federal Benefits and Tricare Open Season

**ACT NOW! Open Season Ends December 10, 2018.**

**Active duty uniformed service members:** are not eligible to enroll in FEDVIP. Your dental and vision coverage will still be provided by TRICARE. **Your family members:** will still be eligible to enroll in the TRICARE Dental Program (TDP).

**TRICARE Open Season** is the annual period when you can enroll in or change your TRICARE Prime or TRICARE Select plan. If you miss open season, you’ll only be able to make enrollment changes within 90 days of a Qualifying Life Event or during the next TRICARE Open Season in fall 2019. If you don’t want to change your plan, you don’t need to do anything during TRICARE Open Season.

**Federal Benefits Open Season:** The first opportunity for you to enroll your family members is this year's Federal Benefits Open Season, which runs from November 12 through December 10, 2018, with coverage effective January 1, 2019. **BENEFEDS** contact number is 1-877-888-FEDS (1-877-888-3337)

**Vision coverage** is available, for the first time ever, to **family members** of active duty uniformed service members who are enrolled in a TRICARE health plan. Coverage is effective January 1, 2019, if you enroll during the Federal Benefits Open Season.

**Compare** FEDVIP Plans vision coverage plans to make an informed choice.

**Tip:** The plans list premiums for Self, Self+1 and Self + family. “Self” does not mean the active duty service member. Self is the first family member signing up for the FEDVIP benefit.

**Enroll** your family member in a FEDVIP plan today Federal Employees Dental and Vision Insurance Program (FEDVIP).

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