



Slovenia (Member of the EU)

Population: 2.1 million

Public Health Coverage:

All Slovenian citizens are covered by public health insurance (compulsory insurance, co-insurance via family members, etc.). Of the about 1,623 practicing dentists in Slovenia, around 35 % have a contract with the health insurance fund (ZZZS-Zavod za zdravstveno zavarovanje Slovenije).¹ Contracted dentists are provider under the public insurance scheme, so that insured people can use their services with (at least partial) coverage. It doesn't mean *all* treatments are reimbursed. Dental services are partially covered (80%) and it is common for citizens to enroll in supplementary health plans. Dental services for children, adolescents and students are covered 100%.

Before the ban on dental amalgam:

The public reimbursement for dental fillings was revised by 1. January 2025 – 18 Month before the ban on dental amalgam enters into force.²

- Composite- and Compomere Fillings are reimbursed with **36€ to 46€** for deciduous teeth, depending on the size of the filling.
- Composite Fillings are reimbursed with **26€ to 51€** for the visible sector and with **38€ to 58€** for molars in patients up to 26 years.
- Dental Amalgam is still reimbursed with **15€ to 41€** for molars in adults over 26 years, but only until 1. July 2026.³

After the ban on dental amalgam:

- By 1. July 2026, Composite Fillings will further be reimbursed with **51€ to 84€** for molars in adults older than 26 years (**+140% compared to amalgam before**).⁴

Private Dentistry:

The estimated cost for a Multi-layered Composite filling in private dentistry may range between **100 € and 150 €** depending on the dentist and the size and complexity of the filling.

¹ <https://www.zzs.si/zzs-api/health-care-providers/by-type-of-health-care-provider/>

² <https://zavarovanec.zzs.si/pravice-do-zdravstvenih-storitev/cene-zdravstvenih-storitev/>

³ https://www.zd-lj.si/zdli/images/stories/ceniki/zobozdravstvena_dejavnost/Cenik_doplacil_Zobozdravstveno_varstvo_odraslih.pdf

⁴ https://www.zurnal24.si/zdravje/ze-od-prvega-julija-vam-bo-to-storitev-krila-zavarovalnica-460754#google_vignette

