

GROUP SHORT-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS



Just over 1 in 4 of today's
20 year-olds will become
disabled before they retire
(age 67).¹

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A disability can happen to anyone. A back injury, pregnancy, or serious illness can lead to months without a regular paycheck. If you're unable to work for a short period of time due to a non-work-related condition, illness or injury, short-term disability insurance offers financial protection by paying you a portion of your earnings.



To learn more about Short-Term Disability insurance, visit
www.thehartford.com/employee-benefits/employees

COVERAGE INFORMATION

BENEFIT PERCENTAGE (PERCENT OF YOUR EARNINGS)	MAXIMUM WEEKLY BENEFIT	SICKNESS BENEFIT STARTS	INJURY BENEFIT STARTS	BENEFIT DURATION
60%	\$1,000	On the 8 th day	On the 1 st day	13 weeks

PREMIUMS

Your employer pays 100% of the premium for your coverage.²

ASKED & ANSWERED

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible if you are an active full time Physician who works at least 30 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis, excluding on-call hours.

AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?

This insurance is guaranteed issue coverage - it is available without having to provide information about your health.

WHEN CAN I ENROLL?

Your employer will automatically enroll you for this coverage.

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE BEGIN?

This insurance will become effective on the date you become eligible. You must be actively at work with your employer on the day your coverage takes effect.

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE END?

This insurance will end when you no longer satisfy the applicable eligibility conditions, premium is unpaid, you leave your employer, or the coverage is no longer offered.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE DISABLED?

Disability is defined in The Hartford's certificate with your employer.

Due to accidental bodily injury, sickness, mental illness, substance abuse or pregnancy you are unable to perform the essential duties of your occupation, and as a result, you are earning 20% or less of your pre-disability weekly earnings or you are able to perform some, but not all, of the essential duties of your occupation and as a result, you are earning more than 20% but less than 80% of your pre-disability weekly earnings.

Pre-disability earnings are defined in your policy.

CAN I WORK AND RECEIVE A BENEFIT?

Yes. If you meet the definition of disability under the terms of the policy, but continue to work and earn less than 80% but more than 20% of your pre-disability earnings, you are eligible for a disabled and working benefit. For the disabled and working benefit or any return to work that is part of a rehabilitation plan approved by The Hartford, your short term disability benefits will be reduced by 50% of your work earnings. If you are earning less than 20% of your pre-disability earnings, you are eligible for your full weekly benefit under the policy. The total of your weekly benefit payment, current work earnings and other income benefits cannot exceed 100% of your weekly pre-disability earnings.

¹U.S. Social Security Administration Fact Sheet. Web. 14 October 2020 <https://www.ssa.gov/news/press/factsheets/basicfact-alt.pdf>

²Rates and/or benefits may be changed on class basis.

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GROUP VOLUNTARY LONG-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS



More than 1 in 4 adults in the U.S. has some type of disability.¹

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A disability can happen to anyone. Long-term disability insurance helps protect your paycheck if you're unable to work for a long period of time after a serious condition, injury or sickness.



To learn more about Long-Term Disability insurance, visit www.thehartford.com/employee-benefits/employees

COVERAGE INFORMATION

BENEFIT PERCENTAGE (PERCENT OF YOUR EARNINGS)	MAXIMUM MONTHLY BENEFIT AMOUNT	MINIMUM (BASED ON MAXIMUM BENEFIT BEFORE THE DEDUCTION OF OTHER INCOME BENEFITS)	BENEFIT STARTS (ELIMINATION PERIOD)	BENEFIT DURATION
60%	\$10,000	The greater of \$100 or 10% of the benefit	After 90 days disabled	Disabled before: Age 63 Benefit duration: As long as you are disabled Benefit duration maximum: The greater of your Social Security Normal Retirement Age or 4 years

PREMIUMS

See the Premium Worksheet.²

ASKED & ANSWERED

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible if you are an active full time Non-Physician employee who works at least 30 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis, excluding on-call hours.

AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?

If this is the first time you are eligible to elect coverage, evidence of insurability is not required.

If you did not elect coverage the first time it was offered to you, evidence of insurability is required to elect coverage.

This coverage is subject to a pre-existing condition exclusion, which is detailed on the Limitations & Exclusions sheet. Please refer to the Limitations & Exclusions sheet provided with this benefit highlights sheet for more information on limitations and exclusions, such as pre-existing conditions.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST AND HOW DO I PAY FOR THIS INSURANCE?

Premium is provided on the Premium Worksheet.

Premiums will be automatically paid through payroll deduction, as authorized by you during the enrollment process. This ensures you don't have to worry about writing a check or missing a payment.

WHEN CAN I ENROLL?

You may enroll during any scheduled enrollment period, or within 31 days of the completion of any eligibility waiting period established by your employer.

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE BEGIN?

Subject to any eligibility waiting period established by your employer, insurance will become effective in accordance with the terms of the certificate (usually the first day of the month following the date you elect coverage).

You must be actively at work with your employer on the day your coverage takes effect.

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE END?

This insurance will end when you no longer satisfy the applicable eligibility conditions, premium is unpaid, you leave your employer, or the coverage is no longer offered.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE DISABLED?

Disability is defined in The Hartford's certificate with your employer.

Typically, disability means that you cannot perform one or more of the essential duties of your occupation due to injury, sickness, pregnancy or other medical condition covered by the insurance, and as a result, your current monthly earnings are less than 80% of your pre-disability earnings. Once you have been disabled for 2 years following the elimination period, you must be prevented from performing one or more of the essential duties of any occupation and as a result, your current monthly earnings are less than or equal to 60% of your pre-disability earnings.

Pre-disability earnings are defined in your policy.

CAN I WORK AND RECEIVE A BENEFIT?

Yes. If you meet the definition of disability, but continue to work and earn less than 80% of your pre-disability earnings, you are still eligible to receive a benefit. Your benefit may be reduced by your work earnings. The total of your weekly benefit payment, current work earnings and other income benefits cannot exceed 100% of your weekly pre-disability earnings.

¹Center for Disease Control and Prevention "Disability Impacts All of Us," September 2020: <https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/disabilityandhealth/infographic-disability-impacts-all.html>, as viewed on 10/14/2020

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BASIC and SUPPLEMENTAL GROUP TERM LIFE and ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS



More than half of Americans
(53%) expressed a
heightened need for life
insurance because of
COVID-19.¹

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The group term Life and Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) insurance available through your employer gives extra protection that you and your family may need. Life and AD&D insurance offers financial protection by providing you coverage in case of an untimely death or an accident that destroys your income-earning ability. Life benefits are disbursed to your beneficiaries in a lump sum in the event of your death.



To learn more about Life and AD&D insurance, visit
www.thehartford.com/employee-benefits/employees

COVERAGE INFORMATION

APPLICANT	BASIC COVERAGE	SUPPLEMENTAL COVERAGE
Employee	Benefit ² : \$50,000 AD&D: Included	Benefit ³ : Increments of \$10,000 Maximum: the lesser of 5x earnings or \$500,000 AD&D: Included
Spouse	Not Included	Benefit ³ : Increments of \$5,000 Maximum: the lesser of 100% of your supplemental coverage or \$250,000 AD&D: Included
Child(ren)	Not Included	Benefit: \$10,000 AD&D: Included

AD&D BENEFITS – PERCENT OF COVERAGE AMOUNT PER ACCIDENT

Covered accidents or death can occur up to 365 days after the accident. The total benefit for all losses due to the same accident will not exceed 100% of your coverage amount.

LOSS FROM ACCIDENT	BASIC COVERAGE	SUPPLEMENTAL COVERAGE
Life	100%	100%
Both Hands or Both Feet or Sight of Both Eyes	100%	100%
One Hand and One Foot	100%	100%
Speech and Hearing in Both Ears	100%	100%
Either Hand or Foot and Sight of One Eye	100%	100%
Movement of Both Upper and Lower Limbs (Quadriplegia)	100%	100%
Movement of Both Lower Limbs (Paraplegia)	75%	75%
Movement of Three Limbs (Triplegia)	75%	75%
Movement of the Upper and Lower Limbs of One Side of the Body (Hemiplegia)	50%	50%
Either Hand or Foot	50%	50%
Sight of One Eye	50%	50%
Speech or Hearing in Both Ears	50%	50%
Movement of One Limb (Uniplegia)	25%	25%
Thumb and Index Finger of Either Hand	25%	25%

²Your basic benefit will be reduced by 35% at age 65 and 50% at age 70. Reductions will be applied to the original amount.

³Your supplemental benefit will be reduced by 35% at age 65 and 50% at age 70. Reductions will be applied to the original amount.

PREMIUMS

Your employer pays 100% of the premium for your (employee) basic coverage. Your contribution for voluntary coverage is shown on the Premium Worksheet.⁴

ASKED & ANSWERED

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible if you are an active full time Physician who works at least 30 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis, excluding on-call hours.

Your spouse and child(ren) are also eligible for coverage. Any child(ren) must be under age 2626.

CAN I INSURE MY DOMESTIC OR CIVIL UNION PARTNER?

Yes. Any reference to "spouse" in this document includes your domestic partner, civil union partner or equivalent, as recognized and allowed by applicable law.

AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?

Basic insurance is guaranteed issue coverage – it is available without having to provide information about your health.

If you are newly eligible and elect an amount that exceeds the guaranteed issue amount of the lesser of 5 times your annual earnings or \$100,000, you will need to provide evidence of insurability that is satisfactory to The Hartford before the excess can become effective. If you were previously eligible and are electing coverage for the first time or electing to increase your current coverage, you will need to provide evidence of insurability that is satisfactory to The Hartford before coverage can become effective.

If you are newly eligible and elect an amount that exceeds the guaranteed issue amount of \$30,000, your spouse will need to provide evidence of insurability that is satisfactory to The Hartford before the excess can become effective. If you were previously eligible and are electing coverage for the first time or electing to increase your current coverage, you will need to provide evidence of insurability that is satisfactory to The Hartford before coverage can become effective.

Supplemental insurance is guaranteed issue coverage – it is available without having to provide information about your child(ren)'s health.

AD&D is available without having to provide information about your or your family's health.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST AND HOW DO I PAY FOR THIS INSURANCE?

Your employer pays 100% of the premium for your (employee) basic coverage.

Premiums for supplemental coverage are provided on the Premium Worksheet. You have a choice of coverage amounts. You may elect supplemental insurance for you only, or for you and your dependent(s).

Premiums will be automatically paid through payroll deduction, as authorized by you during the enrollment process. This ensures you don't have to worry about writing a check or missing a payment.

WHEN CAN I ENROLL?

Your employer will automatically enroll you for basic coverage. If you have not already done so, you must designate a beneficiary.

You may enroll in supplemental coverage during any scheduled enrollment period, or within 31 days of the completion of any eligibility waiting period established by your employer.

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE BEGIN?

Basic insurance will become effective for you on the date you become eligible.

Subject to any eligibility waiting period established by your employer, supplemental insurance will become effective in accordance with the terms of the certificate (usually the first day of the month following the date you elect coverage).

You must be actively at work with your employer on the day your coverage takes effect. Your spouse and child(ren) must be performing normal activities and not be confined (at home or in a hospital/care facility).

WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE END?

This insurance will end when you (or your dependent(s)) no longer satisfy the applicable eligibility conditions, premium is unpaid, or the coverage is no longer offered.

CAN I KEEP THIS INSURANCE IF I LEAVE MY EMPLOYER OR AM NO LONGER A MEMBER OF THIS GROUP?

Yes, you can take this life coverage with you. Coverage may be continued for you and your dependent(s) under a group portability certificate or an individual conversion life certificate. Your spouse may also continue insurance in certain circumstances. The specific terms and qualifying events for conversion and portability are described in the certificate. Conversion and portability are not available for AD&D coverage.

¹Source: LIMRA, Facts About Life 2020: <https://www.limra.com/globalassets/limra/newsroom/fact-tank/fact-sheets/liam-facts-2020-final.pdf>, as viewed on October 14, 2020.

⁴Rates and/or benefits may be changed on a class basis.. Rates are based on the age of the insured person and increase on January 1 of each year as you enter each new age category.

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LIMITATIONS & EXCLUSIONS



This insurance coverage includes certain limitations and exclusions. The certificate details all provisions, limitations, and exclusions for this insurance coverage. A copy of the certificate can be obtained from your employer.

GROUP LIFE INSURANCE

GENERAL LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

- A supplemental or voluntary life benefit will not be paid if death occurs by suicide within two years (or as allowed by state law) of purchasing this coverage.
- You and your dependent(s) must be citizens or legal residents of the United States, its territories and protectorates.

DEPENDENT LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

- Coverage may only be elected for dependents when you elect and are approved for coverage for yourself.
- Coverage may not be elected for a dependent who has employee coverage under this certificate.
- Coverage may not be elected for a dependent who is in active full-time military service.
- Child(ren) may only be covered as a dependent of one employee.
- Infants may receive a reduced benefit prior to the age of six months.

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GROUP ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

GENERAL LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

- This insurance does not cover losses caused by:
 - Sickness; disease; or any treatment for either
 - Any infection, except certain ones caused by an accidental cut or wound
 - Intentionally self-inflicted injury, suicide or suicide attempt
 - War or act of war, whether declared or not
 - Injury sustained while in the armed forces of any country or international authority
 - Taking prescription or illegal drugs unless prescribed by or administered by a licensed physician
 - Injury sustained while committing or attempting to commit a felony
 - Injury sustained while driving while intoxicated
- You and your dependent(s) must be citizens or legal residents of the United States, its territories and protectorates.

DEPENDENT LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

- Coverage may only be elected for dependents when you elect and are approved for coverage for yourself.
- Coverage may not be elected for a dependent who has employee coverage under this certificate.
- Child(ren) may only be covered as a dependent of one employee.

DEFINITIONS

- Loss means, with regard to hands and feet, actual severance through or above wrist or ankle joints; with regard to sight, speech or hearing, entire and irrecoverable loss thereof; with regard to thumb and index finger, actual severance through or above the metacarpophalangeal joints; with regard to movement, complete and irreversible paralysis of such limbs.
- Injury means bodily injury resulting directly from an accident, independent of all other causes, which occurs while you or your dependent(s) have coverage.

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GROUP SHORT TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE

LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS

- You must be under the regular care of a physician to receive benefits.
- You cannot receive disability insurance benefit payments for disabilities that are caused or contributed to by:
 - War or act of war (declared or not)
 - The commission of, or attempt to commit a felony
 - An intentionally self-inflicted injury
 - Your being engaged in an illegal occupation
 - Sickness or injury for which workers' compensation benefits are paid, or may be paid, if duly claimed
 - Sickness or injury sustained as a result of doing any work for pay or profit for another employer, including self-employment
 - A work related injury or sickness sustained in the course of performing tasks for the Employer

OFFSETS

- Your benefit payments will be reduced by other income you receive or are eligible to receive due to your disability, such as:
 - Social Security disability insurance (please see next section for exceptions)
 - Other employer-based insurance coverage you may have
 - Unemployment benefits
 - Settlements or judgments for income loss
- Your benefit payments will not be reduced by certain kinds of other income, such as:
 - Retirement benefits if you were already receiving them before you became disabled
 - Retirement benefits that are funded by your after-tax contributions your personal savings, investments, IRAs or Keoghs profit-sharing
 - Social Security cost-of-living increases
 - Individual or association disability policies

This example is for purposes of illustrating the effect of the benefit reductions and is not intended to reflect the situation of a particular claimant under the Policy:

Insured's weekly [Pre-Disability Earnings/Basic weekly Pay] \$1,000
Short term disability benefits percentage x 60%
Unreduced maximum benefit \$600
Less Social Security disability benefit per week - \$300
Less state disability income benefit per week - \$100
Total amount of short term disability benefit per week \$200

THIS POLICY PROVIDES LIMITED BENEFITS.

This limited benefit plan (1) does not constitute major medical coverage, and (2) does not satisfy the individual mandate of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) because the coverage does not meet the requirements of minimum essential coverage.

In New York: This Disability policy provides disability income insurance only. It does NOT provide basic hospital, basic medical or major medical insurance as defined by the New York State Department of Financial Services.

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GROUP LONG TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE

LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS

- You must be under the regular care of a physician to receive benefits.
- You cannot receive disability insurance benefit payments for disabilities that are caused or contributed to by:
 - War or act of war (declared or not)
 - The commission of, or attempt to commit a felony
 - An intentionally self-inflicted injury
 - Your being engaged in an illegal occupation

PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS

- Your insurance excludes the benefits you can receive for pre-existing conditions. In general, if you were diagnosed or received care for a condition before the effective date of your certificate, you will be covered for a disability due to that condition only if:
 - You have not received treatment for your condition for 3 months before the effective date of your insurance, or
 - You have not received treatment for your condition for 12 months after the effective date of your insurance, or
 - You have been insured under this coverage for 12 months prior to your disability commencing, so you can receive benefits even if you're receiving treatment, or
 - You have already satisfied the pre-existing condition requirement of your previous insurer

LIMITATIONS

- **Mental Illness and Substance Abuse Limitation.** If you are disabled because of Mental Illness or because of alcoholism or the use of narcotics, sedatives, stimulants, hallucinogens or other similar substance, benefits will be payable for a maximum of 24 months in your lifetime.

OFFSETS

- Your benefit payments will be reduced by other income you receive or are eligible to receive due to your disability, such as:
 - Social Security disability insurance (please see next section for exceptions)
 - Workers' compensation
 - Other employer-based insurance coverage you may have
 - Unemployment benefits
 - Settlements or judgments for income loss
- Your benefit payments will not be reduced by certain kinds of other income, such as:
 - Retirement benefits if you were already receiving them before you became disabled
 - Retirement benefits that are funded by your after-tax contributions your personal savings, investments, IRAs or Keoghs profit-sharing
 - Social Security cost-of-living increases
 - Individual or association disability policies

This example is for purposes of illustrating the effect of the benefit reductions and is not intended to reflect the situation of a particular claimant under the Policy:

Insured's monthly [Pre-Disability Earnings/Basic Monthly Pay] \$3,000
Long term disability benefits percentage x 60%
Unreduced maximum benefit \$1,800
Less Social Security disability benefit per month - \$900
Less state disability income benefit per month - \$300
Total amount of long term disability benefit per month \$600

THIS POLICY PROVIDES LIMITED BENEFITS.

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In New York: This Disability policy provides disability income insurance only. It does NOT provide basic hospital, basic medical or major medical insurance as defined by the New York State Department of Financial Services.

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