

# GROUP VOLUNTARY ACCIDENT INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS



Nearly 3 million  
emergency  
department visits  
every year are  
caused by youth  
sports.<sup>1</sup>

## PARKWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

With Accident insurance, you'll receive payment(s) associated with a covered injury and related services. You can use the payment in any way you choose – from expenses not covered by your major medical plan to day-to-day costs of living such as the mortgage or your utility bills.



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## COVERAGE INFORMATION

This insurance provides benefits when injuries, medical treatment and/or services occur as the result of a covered accident. Unless otherwise noted, the benefit amounts payable under each plan are the same for you and your dependent(s).

PLAN INFORMATION		
Coverage Type		On and off-job (24 hour)
BENEFITS		
EMERGENCY, HOSPITAL & TREATMENT CARE		
Accident Follow-Up	Up to 3 visits per accident	\$100
Acupuncture/Chiropractic Care/PT	Up to 10 visits each per accident	Up to \$75
Ambulance – Air	Once per accident	\$2,000
Ambulance – Ground	Once per accident	\$750
Blood/Plasma/Platelets	Once per accident	\$300
Child Care	Up to 30 days per accident while insured is confined	\$35
Daily Hospital Confinement	Up to 365 days per lifetime	\$400
Daily ICU Confinement	Up to 30 days per accident	\$600
Diagnostic Exam	Once per accident	\$300
Emergency Dental	Once per accident	Up to \$450
Emergency Room	Once per accident	\$200
Hospital Admission	Once per accident	\$1,500
Initial Physician Office Visit	Once per accident	\$100
Lodging	Up to 30 nights per lifetime	\$150
Medical Appliance	Once per accident	\$200
Rehabilitation Facility	Up to 15 days per lifetime	\$300
Transportation	Up to 3 trips per accident	\$600
Urgent Care	Once per accident	\$150
X-ray	Once per accident	\$150
SPECIFIED INJURY & SURGERY		
Abdominal/Thoracic Surgery	Once per accident	\$3,000
Arthroscopic Surgery	Once per accident	\$500
Burn	Once per accident	Up to \$15,000
Burn – Skin Graft	Once per accident for third degree burn(s)	50% of burn benefit
Concussion	Up to 3 per year	\$200
Dislocation	Once per joint per lifetime	Up to \$8,000
Eye Injury	Once per accident	Up to \$750
Fracture	Once per bone per accident	Up to \$10,000

Hernia Repair	Once per accident	\$400
Joint Replacement	Once per accident	\$4,000
Knee Cartilage	Once per accident	Up to \$2,000
Laceration	Once per accident	Up to \$1,000
Ruptured Disc	Once per accident	\$2,000
Tendon/Ligament/Rotator Cuff	Once per accident	Up to \$2,000

### CATASTROPHIC

Accidental Death	Within 90 days; Spouse @ 50% and child @ 25%	\$75,000
Common Carrier Death	Within 90 days	\$150,000
Coma	Once per accident	\$15,000
Dismemberment	Once per accident	Up to \$75,000
Home Health Care	Up to 30 days per accident	\$75
Paralysis	Once per accident	Up to \$75,000
Prosthesis	Once per accident	Up to \$3,000

### FEATURES

Ability Assist® EAP <sup>2</sup> – 24/7/365 access to help for financial, legal or emotional issues	Included
HealthChampion <sup>SM3</sup> – Administrative & clinical support following serious illness or injury	Included

## PREMIUMS

The amounts shown are semi-monthly amounts (24 payments/deductions per year).<sup>4</sup>

COVERAGE TIER	
Employee Only	<b>\$4.48</b> (\$0.29 per day)
Employee & Spouse	<b>\$7.06</b> (\$0.46 per day)
Employee & Child(ren)	<b>\$7.68</b> (\$0.50 per day)
Employee & Family	<b>\$12.01</b> (\$0.79 per day)

## ASKED & ANSWERED

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible for this insurance if you are an active full-time administrator who works at least 30 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis.

Your spouse and child(ren) are also eligible for coverage. Any child(ren) must be under age 26.

### AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?

This insurance is guaranteed issue coverage – it is available without having to provide information about your or your family's health. All you have to do is elect the coverage to become insured.

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

Premiums are provided above. You may elect insurance for you only, or for you and your dependent(s), by choosing the applicable coverage tier.

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 from 11/1/2023 to 11/30/2023.

### WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE BEGIN?

The effective date of this coverage is 1/1/2024.

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), unless already insured with the prior carrier.

### WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE END?

This insurance will end when you or your dependents no longer satisfy the applicable eligibility conditions, premium is unpaid, you are no longer actively working, you leave your employer, 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 coverage with you. Coverage may be continued for you and your dependent(s) under a group portability policy. Your spouse may also continue insurance in certain circumstances. The specific terms and qualifying events for portability are described in the certificate.

<sup>1</sup>National Health Statistics Reports, November 2019. CDC/National Center for Health Statistics: <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nhsr/nhsr133-508.pdf>, as viewed as of 10/14/2020

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## GROUP CRITICAL ILLNESS INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS

Underwritten by Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Company

For Employee of:

**PARKWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT (Policyholder)**



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Facing a serious illness at any age can be challenging – physically, emotionally and financially. Primary health insurance may pick up some or most of the tab, but can still leave medical and other recovery expenses that add up quickly. **Critical Illness insurance can provide a lump-sum cash benefit upon diagnosis of a covered illness that can be used however you choose.**

### CLASS & POLICY INFORMATION

**Eligible Class(es):** All Eligible Full-Time Administrator

**Policy Situs/Issue State:** Missouri

**Policy Number:** VCI-715343

**Policy Effective Date:** January 1, 2024

**Policy Anniversary:** January 1

### ELIGIBILITY & ENROLLMENT INFORMATION (Additional conditions may apply as described in the Certificate.)

<b>Employee</b>	To be eligible for coverage, an Employee must be performing the normal duties of their regular job for the policyholder for 30 or more hours each week and be receiving compensation from the policyholder for work performed.
<b>Dependent(s)</b>	Dependent(s) must be able to perform normal and customary activities and not be confined (at home or in any medical facility) to be eligible for coverage. In addition, Dependent Child(ren) must be under age 26, unless otherwise allowed by the policy.
<b>New Hire Enrollment</b>	An Employee may enroll for coverage for the Employee and any Dependent(s) within 31 days following the day the Employee or Dependent(s) first become(s) eligible for coverage under the Policy. If an Employee does not elect coverage during the Employee's or Dependent's initial enrollment period, future enrollment may only occur as provided in the Changes in Coverage provision of the Certificate.
<b>Ongoing Enrollment</b>	An Employee may enroll for coverage for the Employee and any Dependent(s) within an Annual Enrollment Period specified by the Policyholder.

### COVERAGE ELECTION & AMOUNT(S)

In order to be insured under the Policy an Employee must elect coverage for themselves and any Dependent(s). The Employee is required to pay premium for the coverage elected. Payment of premium does not guarantee eligibility for coverage.

Any amount of insurance for a Spouse or Dependent Child(ren) will be rounded to the next higher multiple of \$1,000, if not already an even multiple of \$1,000. All Coverage Amount(s) are Guaranteed Issue.

<b>Employee</b>	\$20,000
<b>Spouse</b>	100% of the Employee's elected Coverage Amount
<b>Dependent Child(ren)</b>	50% of the Employee's elected Coverage Amount (per child)

### CRITICAL ILLNESS BENEFITS

All Critical Illness Benefits are subject to all of the applicable Definitions, Additional Requirements, maximums, limitations, Exclusions and other provisions of the Policy. The amounts shown below may be adjusted or reduced based on other benefits payable or previously paid under the Policy.

All **Initial Occurrence Benefit Amounts** are a percentage of the applicable Coverage Amount in effect for a Covered Person at the time of Diagnosis of a Critical Illness, unless otherwise stated as a specific dollar amount. All **Reoccurrence Benefit Amounts** are a percentage of the Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount for the applicable Critical Illness that is payable or was previously paid under the Policy for a Covered Person.

CANCER & BENIGN TUMOR CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Cancer (Invasive)	100%	100%
Carcinoma in Situ (Non-Invasive)	25%	100%
Skin Cancer	\$250	None

Bone Marrow Failure	50%	None
Benign Brain or Spinal Cord (Intradural) Tumor		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None

HEART & VASCULAR CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Heart Attack (Myocardial Infarction)		
• ST-Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction (STEMI)	100%	100%
• Non-ST Segment Elevation Myocardial Infarction (NSTEMI)	25%	100%
Sudden Cardiac Arrest	100%	None
Coronary Artery Disease		
• Minor Diagnosis	10%	100%
• Major Diagnosis	100%	100%
Stroke		
• Stroke Without Impairment (including Transient Ischemic Attack (TIA))	10%	100%
• Mild Stroke	25%	100%
• Moderate Stroke	50%	100%
• Severe Stroke	100%	100%
Aneurysm		
• Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm or Thoracic Aortic Aneurysm		
- Major Diagnosis	100%	100%

MAJOR ORGAN CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Major Organ Failure	100%	100%
End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD)	100%	None

NEUROLOGICAL CONDITIONS CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Dementia		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None
Parkinson's Disease		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None
Multiple Sclerosis (MS)		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None
Huntington's Disease (HD)		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None

CHRONIC/PROGRESSIVE & INFECTIOUS CONDITIONS CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Other Chronic/Progressive Condition		
• Advanced Diagnosis	50%	100%
Severe Infectious Disease		
• Major Diagnosis	25%	None

FUNCTIONAL LOSS & CATASTROPHIC CONDITIONS CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Coma	100%	100%
Loss of Hearing	100%	None
Loss of Sight	100%	None
Loss of Speech	100%	None
Permanent Paralysis	100%	None
Severe Burn		
• Greater than 36% of Total Body Surface Area	100%	None

CHILD CONDITIONS CATEGORY	Initial Occurrence Benefit Amount:	Reoccurrence Benefit Amount:
Cerebral Palsy		
• Advanced Diagnosis	100%	None

Congenital Heart Defect	100%	None
Congenital Metabolic Disorder	100%	None
Genetic Disorder	100%	None
Structural Congenital Defect	100%	None
Type 1 Diabetes	25%	None
Critical Illnesses included in the Child Conditions Category must be Diagnosed during Childhood, with the exception of Type 1 Diabetes which may be Diagnosed during Childhood or Adolescence.		

#### ADDITIONAL BENEFITS

All Additional Benefits are subject to the applicable Definitions, Exclusions and other provisions of the Policy. The amounts and maximums shown below may be adjusted or reduced based on other benefits payable or previously paid under the Policy, as described in the Additional Benefit(s) and General Limitations & Exclusions sections of this Certificate.

Benefit:	Benefit Amount:	Benefit Maximum:
Health Screening	\$50	Once per Policy Year

#### GENERAL LIMITATIONS & EXCLUSIONS

The limitations and exclusions included below apply to all benefits included in the Certificate unless otherwise noted below. Please note that certain Critical Illness Benefits and Additional Benefits may have additional limitations or requirements presented in the benefit provisions and definitions of the Certificate. All limitations and exclusions are fully described in the Certificate.

Unless otherwise stated in the Certificate, We will not pay benefits for any Critical Illness included in the Policy if a Covered Person was Diagnosed with such illness or condition prior to the Covered Person's effective date under the Policy.

<b>Related Critical Illness Limitation</b>	Once a Critical Illness is Diagnosed for which an Initial Occurrence Benefit is payable for a Covered Person, in order for an Initial Occurrence Benefit to be payable for any Related Critical Illness for the Covered Person, the date of Diagnosis of any Related Critical Illness must occur more than 30 days after the date Diagnosis for the prior Critical Illness. This limitation is fully described in the Certificate.
<b>Reoccurrence Benefit Separation Period</b>	Once a Critical Illness is Diagnosed for which a benefit is payable for a Covered Person, in order for a Reoccurrence Benefit to be payable for that same Critical Illness, a Reoccurrence Benefit Separation Period of 180 days must be satisfied.
<b>Exclusions</b>	<p>No benefits are payable under the Policy for any Critical Illness that results from, is caused by or that takes place during a Covered Person's:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• intentional self-inflicted illness or Injury, while sane</li> <li>• voluntarily taking or using any drug, narcotic, medication or sedative, unless it is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- taken or used as prescribed by a Physician, or</li> <li>- taken according to package directions, for any over-the-counter drug, medication or sedative</li> </ul> </li> <li>• voluntary commission of or attempt to commit a felony, voluntary participation in illegal activities (except for misdemeanor violations), or voluntary engagement in an illegal occupation</li> <li>• incarceration or imprisonment in any type of penal or detention facility</li> <li>• active duty service or training in the military (naval force, air force or National Guard/Reserves or equivalent) for service/training extending beyond 31 days of any state, country or international organization, unless specifically allowed by a provision of this Certificate</li> <li>• involvement in any declared or undeclared war or act of war (not including acts of terrorism), while serving in the military or an auxiliary unit attached to the military, or working in an area of war whether voluntarily or as required by an employer</li> </ul> <p>In addition, no benefits are payable under the Policy for any Critical Illness that results from or is caused by a Covered Person's Substance Use Disorder.</p> <p>In addition, no benefits are payable under the Policy for any Critical Illness for which Diagnosis is made outside the United States or Canada, unless the Diagnosis is confirmed in the United States. The date of Diagnosis in such circumstances is the date the Diagnosis was originally made outside the United States or Canada.</p>

## FEATURES

<b>Continuation of Coverage</b>	You may be able to continue insurance for You and Your Dependent(s) in certain circumstances when You are no longer Actively at Work, with payment of premium and subject to certain conditions. The available continuation option(s) are described in the Certificate.
<b>Extended Continuation</b>	You or an insured Spouse, in certain circumstances, may continue coverage under the Policy when insurance would otherwise end under the Termination of Coverage provision, with payment of premium and subject to certain conditions. This provision is fully described in the Certificate.
<b>Ability Assist® EAP<sup>1</sup></b>	24/7/365 access to help for financial, legal or emotional issues
<b>HealthChampion<sup>SM1</sup></b>	Administrative and clinical support following serious illness or injury

## COVERAGE EFFECTIVE DATE (WHEN COVERAGE BEGINS)

In no event will Dependent insurance become effective before an Employee becomes insured. The Coverage Effective Date for any Employee or Dependent is subject to the Deferred Coverage Effective Date provision of the Certificate. Additional eligibility conditions may apply as described in the Certificate.

<b>Annual Enrollment</b>	Coverages will start on the later to occur of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the Policy Anniversary on or next following the last day of an Annual Enrollment Period, if an Employee or Dependent is enrolled during an Annual Enrollment Period</li></ul>
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## TERMINATION OF COVERAGE (WHEN COVERAGE ENDS)

Coverage for an Employee and any Dependent(s) will end on the last day of the month during which an Employee is no longer eligible for insurance under any provision of the Policy. Coverage for a Dependent will also end on the last day of the month during which a Dependent no longer satisfies the definition of Spouse or Dependent Child(ren). Additional circumstances under which coverage will end are described in the Certificate. Termination of coverage has no effect on benefits payable for a Critical Illness that is Diagnosed or Treatment that is received while a Covered Person was insured under the Policy.

## HOW TO OBTAIN A COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Certificate will become available after the enrollment period is complete and the terms of insurance under the Policy are finalized between the Policyholder and Us. The Policyholder should provide you with access to (or a copy of) the Certificate at that time. If You do not receive what you need from the Policyholder at that time, you may then contact Us at 800-523-2233 (toll-free).

## PREMIUMS

The premium rate structure for this insurance is comprised of attained age rates per \$1,000 dollars of insurance for each Covered Person, with specified age bands. You are responsible for the payment of premiums for insurance under the Policy if you elect coverage. Payment of premium does not guarantee eligibility for insurance.

**Please see the Critical Illness Insurance Premium Worksheet to calculate/determine the premium for the coverage you elect.**

Premiums will be automatically deducted from your paychecks by the Policyholder, then remitted to Us as authorized by you during the enrollment process. Please contact the Policyholder for information regarding your paycheck deductions.

Additional considerations for premium payment may apply when insurance is continued under any continuation option, as described in the Certificate. Premiums for this coverage are subject to change in accordance with the provisions of the Policy. Contact the Policyholder or your benefits administrator for additional information on the current premium structure for the Policy.

## NOTICES

**NOTICE TO BUYER:** This is a Critical Illness insurance policy. The policy provides limited benefits payable ONLY when certain losses occur as a result of diagnosis of covered specified diseases. Benefits are supplemental and are not intended to cover all medical expenses. The policy does not constitute comprehensive health insurance coverage and does not satisfy the minimum coverage requirements of the Affordable Care Act. You should not enroll for this insurance unless you are already covered by comprehensive health insurance coverage. Persons covered under Medicaid or an equivalent state or Title XIX program should not enroll for this insurance.

This benefit summary provides a very brief summary of the terms and conditions of the Policy. For a complete description refer to the appropriate section of the Certificate or Policy (available as noted above). In the event of a discrepancy between this document and the Policy, the terms of the Policy apply. The capitalization of a term not normally capitalized according to the rules of standard punctuation, indicates a word or phrase that is a defined term in the Certificate or refers to a specific provision contained within the Certificate or Policy. A person is not entitled to insurance because they received this benefit summary. A person is only entitled to insurance if they are eligible and insured in accordance with the terms of the Policy.



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THIS POLICY PROVIDES LIMITED BENEFITS FOR SPECIFIED DISEASES ONLY. 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 policy provides limited benefits health 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.

Critical Illness Form Series includes GBD-3600, GBD-3700 or state equivalent.

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# GROUP VOLUNTARY HOSPITAL INDEMNITY INSURANCE BENEFIT HIGHLIGHTS



The average cost for a hospital stay is \$2,607 per day<sup>1</sup>

## PARKWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hospital Indemnity (HI) insurance pays a cash benefit if you or an insured dependent (spouse or child) are confined in a hospital for a covered illness or injury. Even with the best primary health insurance plan, out-of-pocket costs from a hospital stay can add up.

The benefits are paid in lump sum amounts to you, and can help offset expenses that primary health insurance doesn't cover (like deductibles, co-insurance amounts or co-pays), or benefits can be used for any non-medical expenses (like housing costs, groceries, car expenses, etc.).



To learn more about Hospital Indemnity insurance, visit [www.thehartford.com/employee-benefits/employees](http://www.thehartford.com/employee-benefits/employees)

## COVERAGE INFORMATION

Benefit amounts are based on the plan in effect for you or an insured dependent at the time the covered event occurs. Unless otherwise noted, the benefit amounts payable under each plan are the same for you and your dependent(s).

PLAN INFORMATION		PLAN
Coverage Type		On and off-job (24 hour)
Covered Events		Illness and injury
HSA Compatible		Yes
BENEFITS		
HOSPITAL CARE <sup>2</sup>		PLAN
First Day Hospital Confinement	Up to 1 day per year	\$1,000
Daily Hospital Confinement (Day 2+)	Up to 90 days per year	\$150
Daily ICU Confinement (Day 2+)	Up to 30 days per year	\$300
FEATURES		PLAN
Ability Assist® EAP <sup>3</sup> – 24/7/365 access to help for financial, legal or emotional issues		Included
HealthChampion <sup>SM4</sup> – Administrative & clinical support following serious illness or injury		Included

## PREMIUMS

The amounts shown are semi-monthly amounts (24 payments/deductions per year).<sup>5</sup>

COVERAGE TIER	PLAN
Employee Only	<b>\$8.54</b> (\$0.56 per day)
Employee & Spouse	<b>\$15.98</b> (\$1.05 per day)
Employee & Child(ren)	<b>\$15.43</b> (\$1.01 per day)
Employee & Family	<b>\$24.01</b> (\$1.58 per day)

## ASKED & ANSWERED

### IS THIS COVERAGE HSA COMPATIBLE?

If you (or any dependent(s)) currently participate in a Health Saving Account (HSA) or if you plan to do so in the future, you should be aware that the IRS limits the types of supplemental insurance you may have in addition to a HSA, while still maintaining the tax-exempt status of the HSA.

This plan design was designed to be compatible with Health Savings Accounts (HSAs). However, if you have or plan to open an HSA, please consult your tax and legal advisors to determine which supplemental benefits may be purchased by employees with an HSA.

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible for this insurance if you are an active full-time administrator who works at least 30 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis

Your spouse and child(ren) are also eligible for coverage. Any child(ren) must be under age 26.

### **AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?**

This insurance is guaranteed issue coverage – it is available without having to provide information about your or your family's health. All you have to do is elect the coverage to become insured.

This coverage is subject to a pre-existing condition limitation, which is detailed on the Limitations & Exclusions sheet.

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

Premiums are provided above. You may elect insurance for you only, or for you and your dependent(s), by choosing the applicable coverage tier.

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### **WHEN CAN I ENROLL?**

You may enroll from 11/1/2023 to 11/30/2023.

### **WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE BEGIN?**

The effective date of this coverage is 1/1/2024.

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), unless already insured with the prior carrier.

### **WHEN DOES THIS INSURANCE END?**

This insurance will end when you or your dependents no longer satisfy the applicable eligibility conditions, premium is unpaid, you are no longer actively working, you leave your employer, 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 coverage with you. Your spouse/partner may also continue insurance in certain circumstances.

<sup>1</sup>Kaiser Family Foundation, November 2019. Adjusted expenses per inpatient day include expenses incurred for both inpatient and outpatient care; inpatient days are adjusted higher to reflect an estimate of the volume of outpatient services: <https://www.kff.org/health-costs/state-indicator/expenses-per-inpatient-day>, viewed as of 4/16/2021.

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Hospital does not include: convalescent homes, or convalescent, rest or nursing facilities; facilities affording primarily custodial, educational or rehabilitative care; or facilities primarily for care of the aged/elderly, persons with substance abuse issues/disorders or mental/nervous disorders. Confinement means the assignment to a bed in a medical facility for a period of at least 20 consecutive hours. Required hours may vary by state. The Hartford compensates both internal and external producers, as well as others, for the sale and service of our products. For additional information regarding Hartford's compensation practices, please review our website <http://thehartford.com/group-benefits-producer-compensation>. Hospital Indemnity Form Series includes GBD-2800, GBD-2900, or state equivalent.

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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 ACCIDENT INSURANCE

### LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

The benefits payable are based on the insurance in effect on the date of the covered accident, subject to the definitions, limitations, exclusions and other provisions of the policy.

You and your dependent(s) must be citizens or legal residents of the United States, its territories and protectorates.

This insurance does not provide benefits for any loss that results from or is caused by:

- Suicide or attempted suicide, whether sane or insane, or intentionally self-inflicted injury
- War or act of war, whether declared or undeclared, or a nuclear, chemical, biological, or radiological event
- A covered person's participation in a felony, riot or insurrection
- A covered person's service in the armed forces or units auxiliary to it
- A covered person's taking drugs, unless as prescribed by or administered by a physician, or being intoxicated as defined by the jurisdiction in which the cause of loss was incurred
- A covered person's sickness or bacterial infection
- A covered person's participation in bungee jumping or hang gliding
- A covered person's participation or competition in semi-professional or professional sports
- Cosmetic surgery or any other elective procedure that is not medically necessary
- While a covered person is on any aircraft: as a pilot, crewmember or student pilot; as a flight instructor or examiner; if it is owned, operated or leased by or on behalf of the policyholder, or any employer or organization whose eligible persons are covered under the policy; or being used for tests, experimental purposes, stunt flying, racing or endurance tests
- Operating, learning to operate, serving as a crew member of or jumping or falling from any aircraft
- Riding in or driving any motor-driven vehicle in a race, stunt show or speed test

All exclusions may not be applicable, or may be adjusted, as required by state regulations in the situs state of a group.

## NOTICES

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5962g NS 05/21 Accident Form Series includes GBD-2000, GBD-2300, or state equivalent.

## GROUP HOSPITAL INDEMNITY INSURANCE

### LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

The benefits payable are based on the insurance in effect on the date of the covered event, subject to the definitions, limitations, exclusions and other provisions of the policy.

You and your dependent(s) must be citizens or legal residents of the United States, its territories and protectorates.

**Pre-Existing Condition Limitation.** Benefits will not be paid for any covered event or for any increase in benefits for any covered event for a pre-existing condition, unless at the time of the covered event a covered person has been continuously insured under the policy or any prior group plan for 12 months. Pre-existing condition, as used in this limitation, means any illness or injury for which a covered person receives treatment within the 12 month period prior to the effective date of insurance for a covered person, or prior to the effective date of any increase in coverage for a covered person, under the policy or any prior group plan.

**Other Hospital Indemnity Policy Limitation (Over-insurance Limitation):** If an employee is insured under any other hospital indemnity policy underwritten by The Hartford, any claim for benefit is only payable under the one policy elected by the employee (or beneficiary or estate, in the event of death). We will return the amount of premium paid for any other policy that is declined by the employee retroactive to the later of:

- the last date any benefit was paid for any covered person under the other policy
- the effective date of insurance for the employee under the other policy

**Exclusions.** This insurance does not provide benefits for any loss that results from or is caused by:

- Suicide or attempted suicide, whether sane or insane, or intentional self-infliction
- Voluntary intoxication (as defined by the law of the jurisdiction in which the illness or injury occurred) or while under the influence of any narcotic, drug or controlled substance, unless administered by or taken according to the instruction of a physician or medical professional
- Voluntary intoxication through use of poison, gas or fumes, whether by ingestion, injection, inhalation or absorption
- Voluntary commission of or attempt to commit a felony, voluntary participation in illegal activities (except for misdemeanor violations), voluntary participation in a riot, or voluntary engagement in an illegal occupation
- Incarceration or imprisonment following conviction for a crime
- Travel in or descent from any vehicle or device for aviation or aerial navigation, except as a fare-paying passenger in a commercial aircraft (other than a charter airline) on a regularly scheduled passenger flight or while traveling on business of the policyholder
- Ride in or on any motor vehicle or aircraft engaged in acrobatic tricks/stunts (for motor vehicles), acrobatic/stunt flying (for aircraft), endurance tests, off-road activities (for motor vehicles), or racing
- Participation in any organized sport in a professional or semi-professional capacity
- Participation in abseiling, base jumping, Bossaball, bouldering, bungee jumping, cave diving, cliff jumping, free climbing, freediving, freerunning, hang gliding, ice climbing, Jai Alai, jet powered flight, kite surfing, kiteboarding, luge, missed climbing, mountain biking, mountain boarding, mountaineering, parachuting, paragliding, parakiting, paramotoring, parasailing, Parkour, proximity flying, rock climbing, sail gliding, sandboarding, scuba diving, sepak takraw, slacklining, ski jumping, skydiving, sky surfing, speed flying, speed riding, train surfing, tricking, wingsuit flying, or other similar extreme sports or high risk activities
- Travel or activity outside the United States or Canada
- Active duty service or training in the military (naval force, air force or National Guard/Reserves or equivalent) for service/training extending beyond 31 days of any state, country or international organization, unless specifically allowed by a provision of the certificate
- Involvement in any declared or undeclared war or act of war (not including acts of terrorism), while serving in the military or an auxiliary unit attached to the military, or working in an area of war whether voluntarily or as required by an employer

This insurance also does not provide benefits, unless required by law, for:

- Elective abortion or complications thereof

- Artificial insemination, in vitro fertilization, test tube fertilization
- Sterilization, tubal ligation or vasectomy, and reversal thereof
- Aroma therapeutic, herbal therapeutic, or homeopathic services
- Any mental and nervous disorder, unless specifically allowed by a provision of the certificate
- Substance abuse, unless specifically allowed by a provision of the certificate
- Medical mishap or negligence on the part of any physician, medical professional, or therapist, including malpractice;
- Treatment, supplies or services provided by, through or, behalf of any government agency or program; unless payment is required by a covered person
- Custodial care, unless specifically allowed by a benefit provision in the certificate or any rider attached to the policy (if applicable)
- Elective or cosmetic surgery or procedures, except for reconstructive surgery:
  - Incidental to or following surgery for disease, infection or trauma of the involved body part
  - Due to congenital anomaly or disease of a dependent child which has resulted in a functional defect
- Dental care or treatment, except for:
  - Treatment due to an Injury to sound natural teeth within 12 months of an accident
  - Treatment necessary due to congenital disease or anomaly

Exclusions will vary by the jurisdiction/state in which the policy is issued.

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THIS IS A HOSPITAL CONFINEMENT INDEMNITY POLICY. THE 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 policy provides limited benefits health 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.

The Policy may provide payment of several benefits as a result of claims from a single hospitalization or covered incident. Payment of one benefit under the Policy does not constitute acceptance of liability for all claims made under the Policy nor does it prohibit Us from further investigation of subsequent claims.

Please note: For residents of CA, GA, NJ and NY, since this is a limited benefit health product, persons without comprehensive health benefits from an individual or group health insurance policy or an HMO, or an employer plan providing essential health benefits are not eligible for this insurance. For residents of CT, ID, ME, NH, and WV, a person covered by any Title XIX program (Medicaid or any similar name) is not eligible for this insurance.

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