

GROUP VOLUNTARY LONG-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

City of Fond du Lac

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 thehartford.com/employeebenefits

COVERAGE INFORMATION

BENEFIT PERCENTAGE (PERCENT OF YOUR EARNINGS)	MAXIMUM	MINIMUM (BASED ON MONTHLY INCOME LOSS BEFORE THE DEDUCTION OF OTHER INCOME BENEFITS)	BENEFIT STARTS (ELIMINATION PERIOD)	BENEFIT DURATION
60%	\$5,000	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-union employee who works at least 20 hours per week on a regularly scheduled basis.

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.³

HOW DO I PAY FOR THIS INSURANCE?

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, within 31 days of the date you have a change in family status, 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 3 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 80% of your pre-disability earnings.

Pre-disability earnings are defined in your policy.

¹U.S. Social Security Administration Fact Sheet. Web. 30 June 2017 <https://www.ssa.gov/news/press/factsheets/basicfact-alt.pdf>

²Rates and/or benefits may be changed.

³The Long Term Disability policy contains a Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion. Please refer to the certificate for more information on exclusions and limitations, such as Pre-Existing Conditions.

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



Approximately 50 million households recognize they need more life insurance (40 percent of households).¹

City of Fond du Lac

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 thehartford.com/employeebenefits

COVERAGE INFORMATION

APPLICANT	BASIC COVERAGE	SUPPLEMENTAL COVERAGE
Employee	Benefit ² : 1.5x earnings Maximum: \$150,000 AD&D: Included	Benefit ² : Increments of \$10,000 Maximum: the lesser of 5x earnings or \$500,000 AD&D: Included
Spouse	Not Included	Benefit: Increments of \$5,000 Maximum: the lesser of 50% of your supplemental coverage or \$250,000 AD&D: Included
Child(ren)	Not Included	Benefit: Increments of \$5,000 Maximum: \$10,000 AD&D: Included
Dependent(s)	Spouse Benefit: the lesser of 50% of your basic coverage or \$10,000 Child(ren) Benefit: \$5,000 AD&D: Not Included	Not 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%

²Your benefit will be reduced by 25% at age 65, 50% at age 66 and 75% at age 67. Reductions will be applied to the current amount (after all previous reductions).

Speech or Hearing in Both Ears	50%	50%
Movement of One Limb (Uniplegia)	25%	25%
Thumb and Index Finger of Either Hand	25%	25%

PREMIUMS

Your employer pays 100% of the premium for your and your dependents' basic coverage. Your contribution for voluntary coverage is shown on the Premium Worksheet.³

ASKED & ANSWERED

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

You are eligible if you are an active full time exempt, non-union administrative or professional employee, excluding non-exempt, non-union administrative or professional employees, union employees and non-exempt library employees, who works at least 20 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 19, (or under age 25 if a full-time student for basic life benefit).

AM I GUARANTEED COVERAGE?

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

If you are newly eligible and elect an amount that exceeds the guaranteed issue amount of \$150,000, 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 spouse's current coverage, your spouse 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 DO I PAY FOR THIS INSURANCE?

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 and your dependent(s) 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, within 31 days of the date you have a change in family status, 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 and your dependents 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.

¹LIMRA, Facts About Life 2016. Web. 30 June 2017. <https://www.limra.com/uploadedFiles/limra.com/LIMRA_Root/Posts/PR/_Media/PDFs/Facts-of-Life-2016.pdf>

³Rates and/or benefits may be changed. Rates are based on the age of the insured person and increase on the policy anniversary date on or following your birthday 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

- Your benefit will be reduced by 25% at age 65, 50% at age 66 and 75% at age 67. Reductions will be applied to the current amount (after all previous reductions).
- A 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

- Your benefit will be reduced by 25% at age 65, 50% at age 66 and 75% at age 67. Reductions will be applied to the current amount (after all previous reductions).
- 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
- Injury sustained on aircraft in certain circumstances
- Taking prescription or illegal drugs unless prescribed by or administered by a licensed physician
- Injury sustained while riding, driving, or testing any motor vehicle for racing
- 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 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 6 months before the effective date of your insurance, or
 - You have not received treatment for your condition for 6 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 Limitation.** If you are disabled because of Mental Illness, benefits will be payable for a maximum of 24 months in your lifetime, unless at the end of that 24 months, you are confined to a hospital or other place licensed to provide medical care for your disability.
- **Substance Abuse Limitation.** If you are disabled because of alcoholism or use of narcotics, sedatives, stimulants, hallucinogens or other similar substance, benefits will be payable for a maximum of 24 months in your lifetime, unless at the end of that 24 months, you are confined to a hospital or other place licensed to provide medical care for your disability.

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
 - Retirement benefits that your employer fully or partially pays for (such as a pension plan)
- 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
 - Most personal disability policies
 - Social Security cost-of-living increases

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 disability income insurance only. It does NOT provide basic hospital, basic medical or major medical insurance as defined by the New York Department of Financial Services.

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