



AF™ Long-Term Disability Income Insurance

College Station ISD

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EMPLOYER BENEFIT SOLUTIONS FOR YOUR INDUSTRY

Focus on Recovery, Not Expenses

How would you cover your everyday expenses if you experienced an Injury or Sickness and couldn't work for a period of time? AF™ **Long-Term Disability Income Insurance** provides a steady benefit to cover everyday expenses while you are unable to work due to a covered Disability.

Plan Highlights



Benefits are Payable Directly to You

You have the freedom to use the funds for your daily expenses such as: groceries, mortgage, daycare, etc.



Return-to-Work Benefit

Employees may receive a partial benefit for going back to work part-time while still on Disability.

Choose the Right Plan for You

BENEFITS BEGIN on the day of Disability due to a covered Injury or Sickness.

Plan I	On the 91st day	\$0.27*
Plan II	On the 91st day	\$0.24*

*The premium is per \$100 of covered monthly compensation.

Disability Benefit

The available benefit amount is 60% of your Monthly Compensation, not to exceed:

Plan I - a maximum covered Monthly Compensation of \$3,000.00 and the amount for which premium is paid. If applicable, your Disability Benefit will be reduced by Deductible Sources of Income. **This is a 100% Employer Paid plan.**

Plan II - a maximum covered Monthly Compensation of \$13,333.00 and the amount for which premium is paid. If applicable, your Disability Benefit will be reduced by Deductible Sources of Income. **This is a voluntary buy-up plan for additional coverage.**



Injury means physical harm or damage to the body you sustained which results directly from an accidental bodily Injury, is independent of disease or bodily infirmity; and takes place while your coverage is active.



Sickness means a disease or illness (including pregnancy). Disability must begin while your coverage is active.



Hospital - the term "Hospital" shall not include an institution used by you as a place for rehabilitation; a place for rest or for the aged; a nursing or convalescent home; a long-term nursing unit or geriatrics ward; or an extended care facility for the care of convalescent, rehabilitative, or ambulatory patients.



Disability or disabled for the first 24 months of Disability means that you are unable to perform the material and substantial duties of your regular occupation. After that, Disability means you are unable to perform the material and substantial duties of any gainful occupation for wage or profit for which you are reasonably qualified by training, education, or experience.

Plan Benefit Highlights

Maximum Benefit Period

Benefits are payable up to the period of time shown in the chart below, based on your age as of the Disability date for when a covered Injury or Sickness begins.

Age	Maximum Benefit Period
Less than age 60	To Social Security Normal Retirement Age (SSNRA)*
60	60 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
61	48 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
62	42 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
63	36 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
64	30 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
65	24 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
66	21 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
67	18 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
68	15 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater
Age 69 or older	12 months, or to SSNRA*, whichever is greater

*Age at which you are entitled to unreduced Social Security benefits based on current Social Security Amendments.

Social Security Filing Assistance

If you are a candidate for social security Disability benefits, we can assist you with the application and appeal process.

When Coverage Begins

Certificates will become effective on the requested effective date following the date we approve the application, provided you are on active employment and premium has been paid.

Survivor Benefit

A lump sum benefit equal to 3 times the Disability payment will be paid if on the date of your death your Disability had continued for 90 or more consecutive days and you were receiving or entitled to receive Disability payments. The Survivor Benefit may be paid earlier if you have a terminal illness.

Waiver of Premium

No premium payments are required while you are receiving payments under the plan after Disability payments have been received for 90 consecutive days. We will require proof annually that you remain Disabled during that time.

Donor Benefit

If you are Disabled as a result of being an organ or tissue donor, we will pay your benefit as any other Sickness under the terms of the plan.

Offsets With Other Sources of Income

Deductible Sources of Income include:

- Other group Disability income.
- Governmental or other retirement system, whether due to Disability, normal retirement or voluntary election of retirement benefits.
- United States Social Security Act or similar plan or act, including any amounts due your dependent(s) on account of your Disability.
- State Disability.
- Unemployment compensation.
- Sick leave or other salary or wage continuance plans provided by the employer which extend beyond 365 calendar days from the date of Disability.

We reserve the right to estimate these Deductible Sources of Income that you may receive as defined in your certificate.

Minimum Disability Benefit

The Minimum Disability Benefit is 10% of the Monthly Disability Benefit or \$100.00, whichever is greater.

If You Are Disabled Due to a Covered Disability and Not Working

For the first 12 months you are Disabled due to a covered Disability and not working, we will pay the Disability benefit described in the schedule.

After 12 months, your Disability payment will be the Disability benefit described in the schedule less any Deductible Sources of Income you receive or are entitled to receive. No Disability payment will be provided for any period in which you are not under the regular and appropriate care of a physician.



Return To Work Incentives: Disabled and Working

If you are Disabled and working, you may be eligible to continue to receive a percentage of your Disability payment in addition to your Disability earnings. If your Disability earnings exceed 80% of your monthly compensation, payments will stop and your claim will end.

- **Worksite Accommodation**

As a part of our claims evaluation process, if worksite modifications may assist your return to work, we will evaluate your claim for appropriate action.

Mental Illness Limited Benefit

If you are Disabled due to a mental illness, benefits will be provided for up to 2 years, not to exceed the maximum Disability period.

Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Limited Benefit

If you are Disabled due to alcoholism or drug addiction, a limited benefit of up to 2 years for each Disability will be paid. Benefits will not be paid beyond the maximum benefit period. If drug addiction is sustained at the hands of, or while under the regular and appropriate care of a physician in the course of treatment for Injury or Sickness, it will be covered the same as any other Sickness.

Special Conditions Limited Benefit

If you are Disabled due to Special Conditions and under the regular and appropriate care of a physician, benefits will be provided for up to 2 years. Special Conditions means: chronic fatigue syndrome; fibromyalgia; any disease, disorder, accident or Injury of the neck or back not resulting in hemiplegia, paraplegia, or quadriplegia; environmental allergic illness including, but not limited to sick building syndrome and multiple chemical sensitivity; and Self-Reported Symptoms. Self-Reported Symptoms are symptoms that the insured tells their physician that are not verifiable using tests, procedures or clinical examinations. Examples include: headaches, pain, fatigue, stiffness, soreness, ringing in ears, dizziness, numbness, or loss of energy.

Pre-Existing Condition Limitation

No Disability Benefit will be payable if Disability is caused by or resulting from a Pre-Existing Condition and begins before you have been continuously covered under the policy for 12 months. This provision will not apply if you have: gone treatment-free; incurred no expense; taken no medication; and received no diagnosis or advice from a physician, for 12 consecutive months for such condition(s).

This limitation will not apply to a Disability resulting from a Pre-Existing Condition that begins after you have been continuously covered under the policy for 12 months.

Pre-Existing Condition means a disease, Injury, Sickness, physical condition or mental illness for which you: had treatment; incurred expense; took medication; received care or services including diagnostic testing or related measures; or received a diagnosis or advice from a physician, during the 3 month period immediately before your effective date of coverage. The term Pre-Existing Condition will also include conditions which are related to such disease, Injury, Sickness, physical condition, or mental illness.

Policy Exclusions

The policy does not cover any loss, fatal or non-fatal, resulting from:

- Intentionally self-inflicted Injury while sane or insane.
- An act of war, declared or undeclared.
- Injury sustained or Sickness contracted while in the service of the armed forces of any country.
- Committing a felony.
- Penal incarceration. We will not pay benefits for Disability or any other loss during any period for which you are incarcerated in a penal or correctional institution for a period of 30 consecutive days or longer.
- Injury or Sickness arising out of and in the course of any occupation for wage or profit or for which you are entitled to Workers' Compensation.

The term "entitled to Workers' Compensation" shall also include Workers' Compensation claim settlements that occur via compromise and release. Further, no benefits will be paid under this policy for any period during which you are entitled to Workers' Compensation benefits.

Your coverage may be extended for up to 1 year during a leave of absence approved in writing by your employer. Coverage will continue as long as the group policy remains in force, the premiums are paid and you remain eligible for the coverage under the policy. Your coverage will end when you no longer qualify as an insured, you retire, you are not on active employment, or your employment terminates. Your coverage can be terminated or premiums may be increased on any premium due date with 31 days advance notice.



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