

for Employees of Los Angeles County

An accident or injury may stop you from working, but it won't stop your bills. If you're unable to work, do you have enough money set aside to cover your expenses while you recover?

Disability Income insurance helps replace income and maintain financial stability if you become disabled and are unable to work, providing a reliable stream of income and peace of mind.

Group Short-Term Disability Income insurance pays a weekly benefit **directly to you if you** are sick or injured and can't work.

# **Key Features**

- Pays benefits if you become totally disabled and can't perform the important duties of your occupation, as long as you are not working another job and are under the care of a physician
- ☑ Weekly benefit from \$100 to \$750, subject to maximum benefit of 40% of weekly income
- Residual disability coverage included if disability results in a loss of at least 20% of your prior weekly income

**Know you** and your family are protected.

It's easy sign up today



# **Group Short-Term Disability Income Benefits - Class 3 - California**

Forms G H1808/G H1808C

# 24-Hour, Accident & Sickness Protection

| Total Disability                                    | After the elimination period has been satisfied, pays the total disability weekly benefit while the insured person is totally disabled due to an injury or sickness resulting in the insured person being unable to perform with reasonable continuity the substantial and material duties necessary to pursue their usual occupation and requiring a physician's care unless the physician certified the insured person has reached the maximum point of recovery. Benefits continue while the insured person is totally disabled, or to the end of the benefit period, whichever is first. Benefits are payable for only one of two or more concurrent disabilities. |
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| <b>Residual Disability</b><br>(Rider Form R G1814C) | Pays a residual disability weekly benefit while the insured person is residually disabled resulting in a loss of at least 20% of the insured person's prior weekly income provided the elimination period has been satisfied by any continuous period of total disability and/or residual disability. The residual disability weekly benefit is equal to the total disability weekly benefit times the percentage loss of income. Residual disability benefits will continue until the insured person is no longer residually disabled or to the end of the maximum benefit period, whichever is first.  |
| Presumptive Disability                              | Waives the elimination period and pays the total disability benefits for the maximum benefit period when an insured person suffers a permanent and irrevocable loss of speech, hearing in both ears, sight in both eyes, use of both feet, use of both hands, or use of one hand and one foot.   |
| Recurrent Disability                                | Pays the weekly benefit for a recurrent total disability if it is separated from the ending date of the prior total disability by a period of 30 days, in which the insured person is actively employed on a continuous basis and not receiving any disability benefits under the certificate or any riders. The recurrent total disability is subject to a new elimination period and starts a new maximum benefit period. The insured person's total disability must start while this policy is in force and require a physician's care unless their physician certifies they have reached the maximum point of recovery.  |
| Childbirth  | For childbirth, the insured person will be considered totally disabled for a period of six weeks for non-Caesarean delivery or eight weeks for Caesarean delivery. The number of weekly benefits payable will be reduced by the elimination period. For example, if the elimination period for sickness is 14 days, the benefit is payable for four weeks for non-Caesarean delivery and six weeks for Caesarean delivery.   |
| Organ Donor   | Pays policy and rider benefits on the same basis as any other sickness if the insured person becomes disabled as the result of surgery for transplanting an organ or donating bone marrow from the insured person to another person.   |
| Substance Abuse                                     | Pays policy and rider benefits on the same basis as any other sickness if the insured person is disabled as the result of substance abuse. Substance abuse related disability benefits are subject to normal elimination period and maximum benefit period conditions, in addition to a total lifetime disability weekly benefit limit for these conditions of:  • 52 weeks if the maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks; or  • 104 weeks if the maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks.   |
| Waiver of Premium                                   | Waives premiums starting on the first premium due date after the insured person has been totally disabled for 30 days. Premiums continue to be waived until the insured person is no longer totally disabled or to the end of the maximum benefit period, whichever is first.  |
| Accidental Death                                    | Pays a lump sum benefit of 25 times the total disability weekly benefit if the insured person dies as the result of an injury within 90 days of the date of the injury.  |

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### Survivor

Pays a lump sum benefit to a beneficiary if the insured person dies while receiving total disability weekly benefits, subject to certain conditions and limitations.

- If maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least six consecutive weeks; lump sum benefit equals three times the total disability weekly benefit amount, subject to a maximum of \$3,000.
- If maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least 13 consecutive weeks; lump sum benefit equals six times the total disability weekly benefit amount, subject to a maximum of \$6,000.
- This benefit not payable if Terminal Illness Benefit paid.

## Terminal Illness

Pays a lump sum benefit if the insured person is diagnosed with a terminal illness with life expectancy of six months or less and is receiving total disability weekly benefits, subject to certain conditions and limitations.

- If maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least six consecutive weeks; lump sum benefit equals three times the total disability weekly benefit amount, subject to a maximum of \$3,000.
- If maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least 13 consecutive weeks; lump sum benefit equals six times the total disability weekly benefit amount, subject to a maximum of \$6,000.
- If this benefit is paid, Survivor Benefit is not payable.

# Workplace Modification

Pays the actual costs incurred modifying the workplace to help the insured person remain at work or return to work, subject to certain conditions and limitations.

• If maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least six consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to three times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$3,000 for the insured's lifetime.

 If maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least 13 consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to six times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$6,000 for the insured's lifetime.

# **Vocational Rehabilitation**

Pays the actual costs of an Assurity-approved vocational rehabilitation program to help the insured person return to work, subject to certain conditions and limitations.

- If maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least six consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to three times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$3,000 for the insured's lifetime.
- If maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least 13 consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to six times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$6,000 for the insured's lifetime.

Home and Vehicle Modification Pays the actual costs towards modification of the insured person's existing residence or vehicle to accommodate their disability, subject to certain conditions and limitations.

- If maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least six consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to three times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$3,000 for the insured's lifetime.
- If maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks, benefit payable if insured received total disability benefits for at least 13 consecutive weeks; actual costs reimbursed limited to six times the total disability weekly benefit, not to exceed \$6,000 for the insured's lifetime.

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### Limitations. Conditions and Exclusions

The following represents some policy limitations, conditions and exclusions. For complete details of the coverage, please contact your agent, Assurity or ask to review the policy. Provisions may vary by state.

## Limitations

# GROUP DISABILITY INCOME INSURANCE PROVIDES LIMITED BENEFIT COVERAGE.

This insurance does not provide major medical coverage and does not satisfy the requirement for minimum essential coverage under the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

Availability of this product, and its benefits and premiums as presented, is subject to the approval of Assurity. Some applicants with pre-existing conditions may not be eligible for coverage. Product availability, features and rates may vary by state. All benefits, premiums, conditions, exclusions and limitations are governed by the actual contract as provided by Assurity, not this proposal.

Elimination Period: This contract has an elimination period. Benefits are not payable during the elimination period.

Foreign Travel and Residency: Up to a maximum of three disability weekly benefits will be paid for any disability continued outside the United States or Canada.

**Substance Abuse:** Total lifetime disability weekly benefit limit for these conditions of 52 weeks if the maximum benefit period is 13 or 26 weeks, or 104 weeks if the maximum benefit period is 52 or 104 weeks.

**Pre-existing condition:** A pre-existing condition is a physical condition or sickness for which, during the 12 months before the issue date, the Insured Person received diagnosis, advice or treatment from a physician or had taken prescribed medication. Assurity will not pay benefits for a total disability that is caused by a pre-existing condition unless the total disability starts after the certificate has been in force for 12 months from the issue date or for 12 months from the most recent reinstatement date. The Insured Person is not covered for a disability caused or substantially contributed to by a pre-existing condition or medical or surgical treatment of a pre-existing condition.

# **Coverage Conditions**

Actively Employed - The employee must be actively employed to be eligible for coverage.

Right to Cancel – The contract contains a 30-day free look period.

**Termination** – Coverage will terminate and no benefits will be payable under the certificate or any attached riders on the earliest of the following: the date the policy terminates; when any premium due for the certificate is not paid before the end of the grace period; the date the Insured Person no longer meets the definition of employee, unless coverage is continued as described in the Continuation of Coverage section; the date the Insured Person's class is no longer eligible; the date Assurity receives written notice to terminate; or upon the Insured Person's death.

# **Exclusions**

Assurity will not pay benefits for losses caused by or the result of any Insured Person(s):

- having cosmetic surgery or other elective procedures that the treating physician considers not to be necessary and appropriate for the diagnosis or treatment of a condition, nor are they intended to effect a substantial improvement or restoration of a bodily function;
- having visible scars that are not painful or disfiguring;
- having elective sterilization;
- having elective circumcision;
- operating, learning to operate, or serving as a crew member of any aircraft;
- engaging in hang-gliding, hot air ballooning, bungee jumping, parachuting, scuba diving, sail gliding, parasailing, parakiting, mountain or rock climbing, B.A.S.E. jumping, sky diving or cave diving;
- riding in or driving any motor-driven vehicle in an organized race, stunt show or speed test;
- officiating, coaching, practicing for or participating in any semi-professional or professional competitive athletic contest for which any type of compensation or remuneration is received;
- being exposed to war or any act of war, declared or undeclared;
- actively serving in any of the armed forces, or units auxiliary thereto, including the National Guard or Army Reserve, except during active duty training of less than 60 days;
- being intoxicated or under the influence of any controlled substance, unless administered on the advice of a Physician;
- having dental treatment;
- committing or attempting to commit a felony;
- participating in a riot, insurrection or rebellion;
- engaging in an illegal occupation;
- intentionally self-inflicting an injury; or
- committing or attempting to commit suicide, while sane or insane.
- We will not pay benefits during any period in which the insured person is incarcerated in a penal institution or government detention facility.
- We will not pay benefits for disabilities that occur while the insured person is incarcerated in a penal institution or government detention facility.
- Rider forms may contain additional conditions, limitations and exclusions.

# We are never more than one call away.



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# Helping people through difficult times

As a mutual organization, Assurity was founded on the simple concept of people coming together to support each other in moments of need. We continue our mission of helping people through difficult times by providing affordable insurance protection that is easy to understand and buy. Our financial stability has stood the test of time. It shows our commitment to be there when our customers need us. Owned by our policyholders, we conduct our business to serve only their best interests. Whether paying benefits, offering service with a human touch, giving back to our community, or practicing sustainable habits that provide for our planet, we embrace our capacity to improve lives. We all share in the future we create, and Assurity believes in using our business as a force for good.



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