



**Group Short-Term Disability Insurance  
Voluntary**

**SUMMARY OF BENEFITS**

**Sponsored by:** University of Alabama in Huntsville

**All Full-Time Employees Electing the Option 1 Benefit**

Short-term disability is intended to protect your income for a short duration in case you become ill or injured.

**STD Benefit**

Weekly Benefit	Elimination Period	Maximum Duration
60% of weekly salary up to \$1,000 per week	Benefits begin on: Accident: 15th day Illness: 15th day	11 weeks

**Pre-Existing Condition** You may not be eligible for benefits if you have received treatment for a condition within 12 months prior to your effective date under this policy until you have been covered under the policy for 12 months.

**Integration of Benefits** The benefits from this policy will be reduced by benefits you receive from state disability or worker's compensation programs.

**Additional Benefits**

**See your Schedule of Benefits on your Certificate for more information**

**Enrolling for Coverage**

**Eligibility:** All employees in an eligible class. You are able to take advantage of this coverage now without a health examination. You may not be offered this opportunity again, or may be responsible for the cost of required examinations.

Semi-Monthly Premium Calculation**			Attained Age	Premium Factor
		EXAMPLE		
		Age 35		
List your weekly earnings (Maximum covered payroll is \$1,667 weekly)	\$ _____	\$610	<55	0.00630
Multiply by the premium factor	_____	_____	55 - 59	0.00840
Your Estimated Semi-Monthly Premium	\$ _____	\$ _____	60 - 64	0.00990
			65 - 69	0.01110
			70 - 74	0.01230
			75 - 99	0.01350

\*\*This is an estimate of premium cost. Actual deductions may vary slightly due to rounding and payroll frequency.

## Understanding Your Benefits

<b>Total Disability</b>	Due to an injury or illness, you are unable to perform each of the main duties of your regular occupation.
<b>Partial Disability</b>	Due to an injury or illness, you are unable to perform one or more of the main duties of your regular occupation on a full-time basis. Partial Disability benefits may be payable if you are earning at least 20% of the income you earned prior to becoming disabled, but not more than 99%. Partial disability benefits allow you to work and earn income from your employer as well as continue to receive benefits, which may enable you to receive 100% of your income during your time of disability.
<b>Continuation of Disability</b>	If you return to work full-time but become disabled from the same disability within 2 weeks of returning to work, you will begin receiving benefits again immediately.
<b>Pre-Existing Condition</b>	Any sickness or injury for which you have received medical treatment, consultation, care, or services (including diagnostic measures or the taking of prescribed medications) during the specified months prior to your coverage effective date. A disability arising from any such sickness or injury will be covered only if it begins after you have performed your regular occupation on a full-time basis for the specified months following the coverage effective date.
<b>Benefit Exclusions</b>	You will not receive benefits in the following circumstances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Your disability is the result of a self-inflicted injury.</li><li>• You are not under the regular care of a doctor when requesting disability benefits.</li><li>• Your disability is covered under a worker's compensation plan and/or is due to a job-related sickness or injury.</li></ul>
<b>Benefit Reductions</b>	Your benefits may be reduced if you are receiving benefits from any of the following sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Any governmental retirement system earned as a result of working for the current policyholder;</li><li>• Any disability or retirement benefit received under a retirement plan;</li><li>• Any Social Security, or similar plan or act, benefits;</li><li>• Earnings the insured earns or receives from any form of employment;</li><li>• Disability income benefits received under state disability benefit laws.</li></ul>
<b>Coverage Termination</b>	This coverage will terminate when you terminate employment with this policyholder, or at your retirement.

**For assistance or additional information Contact Lincoln Financial Group at**

**(800) 423-2765; reference ID: UNIVALHUNT**

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NOTE: This is not intended as a complete description of the insurance coverage offered. Controlling provisions are provided in the policy, and this summary does not modify those provisions or the insurance in any way. This is not a binding contract. A certificate of coverage will be made available to you that describes the benefits in greater detail. Should there be a difference between this summary and the policy, the policy will govern.

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