

# Long Term Disability Income Insurance

Explore Your Benefits & Costs



Group Name: SPARC Group  
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Class 1: All Salaried and Full-Time Hourly Associates

**It can take time to recover from a disabling illness or injury.** When that time extends past your Short Term Disability coverage, **Long Term Disability Income Insurance can help.** This document includes cost and coverage information about Long Term Disability Income Insurance. As you explore, keep in mind:



No medical questions or tests are required for coverage



Group pricing makes coverage more cost-effective



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More than one in four of today's 20-year-olds can expect to be out of work for at least a year because of a disabling condition before they reach retirement age.<sup>1</sup> Help to keep a portion of your income protected with the Long Term Disability Income Insurance that's available through your employer.

<sup>1</sup> Disability Awareness Survey, Council for Disability Awareness, 2019

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## Get basic coverage at no cost

Your employer is providing basic Long Term Disability Income Insurance at no cost to you. This means that if a disabling illness or injury prevents you from working, and your Short Term Disability coverage has run out, you'll still be able to replace a portion of your income.

### Coverage Options

#### Core Basic Coverage

50% of your monthly earnings, up to a maximum of \$1,250 per month

### Minimum Monthly Benefit

**\$100** or **10%** of your gross monthly benefit, whichever is greater

### Maximum Monthly Benefit

**\$1,250**

## Add coverage based on your needs

In addition to the coverage available to you through your employer, you'll have the option to increase your coverage for an additional cost when you enroll. You can add the following:

### Coverage Maximum

Buy Up

60% of your monthly earnings,  
up to \$15,000 per month

### Minimum Monthly Benefit

\$100 or 10% of your gross monthly benefit, whichever is greater

### Maximum Monthly Benefit

**\$15,000**



### Waiting period

#### **Waiting period: 180 consecutive days within 360 calendar days.**

Any days that you are able to work after the start of your disability will not count toward your waiting (elimination) period. You may be eligible for Short Term Disability payments during this time or you may use your available paid time off during this waiting period.

## Evidence of Insurability (health questions)

You do not need to provide evidence of insurability to be covered for basic coverage.

Any elections after your new hire enrollment period for new or increased coverage will require evidence of insurability.

When evidence of insurability is required, the insurance company will need to approve it before coverage becomes effective.



### How long benefit payments last

Long Term Disability Income benefits are available until you recover from your disability, or until you reach the maximum period of payment listed below.





Age when Disability begins	Maximum period of payment
Less than 60	To age 65, but not less than 5 years
60	60 months
61	48 months
62	42 months
63	36 months
64	30 months
65	24 months
66	21 months
67	18 months
68	15 months
69 and over	12 months

## How much does it cost?

Long Term Disability monthly rates	
Coverage	Rates per \$100 of monthly salary
60% of basic monthly earnings (benefit percentage)	\$.296

## What else is included?

The Long Term Disability Income Insurance available through your employer includes the following additional benefits. For a complete description of your available benefits, along with applicable provisions, exclusions and limitations, see your certificate of insurance and any riders.

 <b>Maintain coverage at no cost</b>	<b>Waiver of Premium</b> While you're receiving Long Term Disability Income Insurance benefits from us, you won't need to pay premiums.
 <b>Get help filing for Social Security</b>	<b>Social Security Disability Income (SSDI) filing assistance</b> When appropriate, we will help you file for SSDI benefits, which can be a very difficult process.
 <b>Leave a benefit behind for a loved one</b>	<b>Survivor Benefit</b> If you pass away while receiving Disability benefits, we may pay your eligible survivor a lump-sum benefit equal to three times your monthly payment.
 <b>Prepare for a return to work</b>	<b>Vocational rehabilitation</b> We have vocational rehabilitation services available to assist you in returning to work when possible. If applicable, we will provide you with a written plan developed specifically for you.

## Exclusions & Limitations

Benefits are not payable if your disability is caused by, contributed to or resulting from:

- Loss of a professional or occupational license or certification
- Commission of or attempt to commit a felony
- Intentionally self-inflicted injuries
- Attempted suicide, regardless of mental capacity
- Being legally intoxicated or being under the influence of any narcotic, unless taken under the direction of and as directed by a doctor
- Participation in a war, declared or undeclared, or any act of war
- Active military duty
- Active participation in a riot
- Engaging in any illegal or fraudulent occupation, work or employment
- Commission of a crime for which you have been convicted
- Elective surgery, except when required for your appropriate care as a result of your injury or sickness
- Traveling or flying on an aircraft operated by or under the authority of military or any aircraft being used for experimental purposes

**Pre-existing conditions:** A pre-existing condition is a sickness, injury or physical condition that led to medical treatment, consultation, care or services (including diagnostic measures) during the 6 month period before your coverage effective date. Benefits are not payable if your disability begins in the first 12 months after your coverage effective date, and your disability is caused by, contributed by, or the result of a pre-existing condition.

Your benefits may be limited to a shorter time period, such as 24 months during your lifetime, if:

- The disability is due to a mental illness, alcoholism or drug abuse.
- The disability is due to a special condition as defined in the certificate, such as fibromyalgia or chronic fatigue syndrome.

Your benefits will be reduced by other income (deductible sources of income) you are eligible to receive while disabled. These include but aren't limited to:

- Income received from any form of employment
- Unemployment benefits and any type of income replacement provided by your employer
- Workers' Compensation benefits or benefits from similar programs
- Judgments or settlements you receive related to disability
- Disability or retirement payments under Social Security or other federal and state plans
- Disability income payments under automobile liability insurance benefits
- Disability income payments payable under any other group insurance policy and certain retirement payments provided under your employer's retirement plan

\*Limitations and exclusions will vary by state and by your employer's benefit plan.



### Ready to Enroll?

Enrollment instructions will be provided by your employer. If you have additional questions before you enroll, please call 1-888-238-4840 or go to <https://presents.voya.com/EBRC/spargroup>

This is a summary of benefits only. A complete description of benefits, limitations, exclusions and termination of coverage will be provided in the certificate of insurance and riders. All coverage is subject to the terms and conditions of the group policy. If there is any discrepancy between this document and the group policy documents, the policy documents will govern. To keep coverage in force, premiums are payable up to the date of coverage termination. Disability Income Insurance is underwritten by ReliaStar Life Insurance Company (Minneapolis, MN), a member of the Voya® family of companies. Policy form HP08GP and/or HP13GP (may vary by state).

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