GROUP ACCIDENT INSURANCE INITIAL ACCIDENT TREATMENT BENEFIT – MID

	BENEFIT AMOUNT
INITIAL TREATMENT (once per accident, within 7 days after the accident, not payable for telemedicine services) Payable when an insured receives initial treatment for a covered accidental injury. This benefit is payable for initial treatment received under the care of a doctor when an insured visits the following:	
Hospital emergency room with X-Ray / without X-Ray	$200/$150
Urgent care facility with X-Ray / without X-Ray	$200/$150
Doctor's office or facility (other than a hospital emergency room or urgent care) with X-Ray / without X-Ray	$100/$75
AMBULANCE (within 90 days after the accident) Payable when an insured receives transportation by a professional ambulance service due to a covered accidental injury.	$300 Ground $900 Air
MAJOR DIAGNOSTIC TESTING (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured requires one of the following exams: Computerized Tomography (CT/CAT scan), Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), or Electroencephalography (EEG) due to a covered accidental injury. These exams must be performed in a hospital, a doctor's office, a medical diagnostic imaging center or an ambulatory surgical center.	$150
EMERGENCY ROOM OBSERVATION (within 7 days after the accident) Payable when an insured receives treatment in a hospital emergency room, and is held in a hospital for observation without being admitted as an inpatient because of a covered accidental injury.	$70 Each 24 hour period $35 Less than 24 hours, but at least 4 hours
PRESCRIPTIONS (2 times per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable for a prescription filled that - due to a covered accidental injury - is ordered by a doctor, dispensed by a licensed pharmacist and medically necessary for the care and treatment of the insured (in Alaska and Montana prescriptions do not have to be medically necessary). This benefit is not payable for therapeutic devices or appliances; experimental drugs; drugs, medicines or insulin used by or administered to a person while he is confined to a hospital, rest home, extended-care facility, convalescent home, nursing home or similar institution; or immunization agents, biological sera, blood or blood plasma. This benefit is not payable for pain management techniques for which a benefit is paid under the Pain Management Benefit (if available).	$5
BLOOD/PLASMA/PLATELETS (3 times per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable for each day that an insured receives blood, plasma or platelets due to a covered accidental injury.	$200
PAIN MANAGEMENT (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured, due to a covered accidental injury, is prescribed and receives a nerve ablation and/or block, or an epidural injection administered into the spine. This benefit is only payable for pain management techniques (as shown above) that are administered in a hospital or doctor's office. This benefit is not payable for an epidural administered during a surgical procedure.	$75
CONCUSSION (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured is diagnosed by a doctor with a concussion due to a covered accident.	$350

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TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured is diagnosed by a neurologist with Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) due to a covered accident. To qualify as TBI, the neurological deficit must require treatment by a neurologist and a prescribed course of physical, speech and/or occupational therapy under the direction of a neurologist.	$3,500
COMA (once per accident) Payable when an insured is in a coma lasting 30 days or more as the result of a covered accident. For the purposes of this benefit, Coma means a profound state of unconsciousness caused by a covered accident.	$7,500
EMERGENCY DENTAL WORK (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured's natural teeth are injured as a result of a covered accident.	$30 Extraction $120 Repair with a crown
BURNS (once per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable when an insured is burned in a covered accident and is treated by a doctor. We will pay according to the percentage of body surface burned. First degree burns are not covered.	
Second Degree	
Less than 10%	$75
At least 10% but less than 25%	$150
At least 25% but less than 35%	$375
35% or more	$750
Third Degree	
Less than 10%	$750
At least 10% but less than 25%	$3,750
At least 25% but less than 35%	$7,500
35% or more	$15,000
EYE INJURIES Payable for eye injuries if, because of a covered accident, a doctor removes a foreign body from the eye, with or without anesthesia.	$175
FRACTURES (once per accident, within 90 days after the accident) Payable when an insured fractures a bone because of a covered accident and is treated by a doctor. If the fracture requires open reduction, 200% of the benefit is payable for that bone. For multiple fractures (more than one fracture in one accident), we will pay a maximum of 200% of the benefit amount for the bone fractured that has the highest dollar amount. For a chip fracture (a piece of bone that is completely broken off near a joint), we will pay 25% of the amount for the affected bone. This benefit is not payable for stress fractures.	Up to $3,000 based on a schedule
DISLOCATIONS (once per accident, within 90 days after the accident) Payable when an insured dislocates a joint because of a covered accident and is treated by a doctor. If the dislocation requires open reduction, 200% of the benefit for that joint is payable. We will pay benefits only for the first dislocation of a joint. We will not pay for recurring dislocations of the same joint. If the insured dislocated a joint before the effective date of his certificate and then dislocates the same joint again, it will not be covered by the plan. For multiple dislocations (more than one dislocated joint in one accident), we will pay a maximum of 200% of the benefit amount for the joint dislocated that has the highest dollar amount. For a partial dislocation (joint is not completely separated, including subluxation), we will pay 25% of the amount for the affected joint.	Up to $2,250 based on a schedule
LACERATIONS (once per accident, within 7 days after the accident) Payable when an insured receives a laceration in a covered accident and the laceration is repaired by a doctor. For multiple lacerations, we will pay a maximum of 200% of the benefit for the largest single laceration requiring stitches. Lacerations requiring stitches (including liquid skin adhesive):	
Over 15 centimeters	$600
5-15 centimeters	$300
Under 5 centimeters	$75
Lacerations not requiring stitches	$37.50

OUTPATIENT SURGERY AND ANESTHESIA (per day / performed in hospital or ambulatory surgical center, within one year after the accident) Payable for each day that, due to a covered accidental injury, an insured has an outpatient surgical procedure performed by a doctor in a hospital or ambulatory surgical center. Surgical procedure does not include laceration repair. If an outpatient surgical procedure is covered under another benefit in the plan, we will pay the higher benefit amount.	$300
FACILITIES FEE FOR OUTPATIENT SURGERY (surgery performed in hospital or ambulatory surgical center, within one year after the accident) Payable once per each eligible Outpatient Surgery and Anesthesia Benefit (in a hospital or ambulatory surgical center).	$75
OUTPATIENT SURGERY AND ANESTHESIA (per day / performed in a doctor's office, urgent care facility, or emergency room; maximum of two procedures per accident, within one year of the accident) Payable for each day that, due to a covered accidental injury, an insured has an outpatient surgical procedure performed by a doctor in a doctor's office, urgent care facility or emergency room. Surgical procedure does not include laceration repair. If an outpatient surgical procedure is covered under another benefit in this plan, we will pay the higher benefit amount.	$35
INPATIENT SURGERY AND ANESTHESIA (per day / within one year after the accident) Payable for each day that, due to a covered accidental injury, an insured has an inpatient surgical procedure performed by a doctor. The surgery must be performed while the insured is confined to a hospital as an inpatient. If an inpatient surgical procedure is covered under another benefit in the plan, we will pay the higher benefit amount.	$750
TRANSPORTATION (greater than 100 miles from the insured's residence, 3 times per accident, within 6 months after the accident) Payable for transportation if, because of a covered accident, an insured is injured and requires doctor-recommended hospital treatment or diagnostic study that is not available in the insured's resident city.	$350 Plane $150 Any ground transportation
SUCCESSOR INSURED BENEFIT If spouse coverage is in force at the time of the employee's death, the surviving spouse may elect to continue coverage. Coverage would continue according to the existing plan and would also include any dependent child coverage in force at the time.	

Surgical Procedures may include, but are not limited to, surgical repair of: ruptured disc, tendons/ligaments, hernia, rotator cuff, torn knee cartilage, skin grafts, joint replacement, internal injuries requiring open abdominal or thoracic surgery, exploratory surgery (with or without repair), etc., unless otherwise noted due to an accidental injury.

EXCLUSIONS

Plan exclusions apply to all riders unless otherwise noted.
We will not pay benefits for accidental injury, disability or death contributed to, caused by, or resulting from*:

- **War** – voluntarily participating in war, any act of war, or military conflicts, declared or undeclared, or voluntarily participating or serving in the military, armed forces or an auxiliary unit thereto, or contracting with any country or international authority. (We will return the prorated premium for any period not covered by the certificate when the insured is in such service.) War also includes voluntary participation in an insurrection, riot, civil commotion or civil state of belligerence. War does not include acts of terrorism.
  - In California: voluntarily participating in war, any act of war, or military conflicts, declared or undeclared, or voluntarily participating or serving in the military, armed forces, or an auxiliary unit thereto or contracting with any country or international authority. (We will return the prorated premium for any period not covered by the certificate when the insured is in such service.) War also includes voluntary participation in an insurrection or riot.
  - In Idaho: participating in any war or act of war, declared or undeclared, or participating or serving in the armed forces or units auxiliary thereto. War also includes participation in a riot or an insurrection.
  - In Illinois: the statement "war does not include acts of terrorism" is deleted.
  - In Michigan: voluntarily participating in war or any act of war. War also includes voluntary felonious participation in an insurrection, riot, civil commotion or civil state of belligerence. War does not include acts of terrorism.
  - In North Carolina: War – voluntarily participating in war, any act of war, or military conflicts, declared or undeclared, or voluntarily participating or serving in the military, armed forces or an auxiliary unit thereto, or contracting with any country or international authority. (We will return the prorated premium for any period not covered by the certificate when the insured is in such service.) War also includes civil participation in an active riot. War does not include acts of terrorism.
- **Suicide** – committing or attempting to commit suicide, while sane or insane.
  - In Montana: committing or attempting to commit suicide, while sane
  - In Illinois, Michigan and Minnesota: this exclusion does not apply
- **Sickness** – having any disease or bodily/mental illness or degenerative process. We also will not pay benefits for:
  - Allergic reactions
  - Any bacterial, viral, or microorganism infection or infestation or any condition resulting from insect, arachnid or other arthropod bites or stings. In Illinois: any bacterial infection, except an infection which results from an accidental injury or an infection which results from accidental, involuntary or unintentional ingestion of a contaminated substance; any viral or microorganism infection or infestation; or any condition resulting from insect, arachnid or other arthropod bites or stings. In North Carolina: any viral or microorganism infestation or any condition resulting from insect, arachnid or other arthropod bites or stings
  - An error, mishap or malpractice during medical, diagnostic, or

surgical treatment or procedure for any sickness
  - Any related medical/surgical treatment or diagnostic procedures for such illness
- **Self-Inflicted Injuries** – injuring or attempting to injure oneself intentionally.
  - In Idaho: intentionally self-inflicting injury.
  - In Montana: injuring or attempting to injure oneself intentionally, while sane
  - In Michigan: this exclusion does not apply
- **Racing** – riding in or driving any motor-driven vehicle in a race, stunt show or speed test in a professional or semi-professional capacity.
  - In Idaho: this exclusion does not apply
- **Illegal Occupation** – voluntarily participating in, committing or attempting to commit a felony or illegal act or activity, or voluntarily working at or being engaged in, an illegal occupation or job.
  - In California, Nebraska and Tennessee: voluntarily participating in, committing, or attempting to commit a felony; or voluntarily working at, or being engaged in, an illegal occupation or job.
  - In Illinois and Pennsylvania: committing or attempting to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation
  - In Michigan: voluntarily participating in, committing or attempting to commit a felony, or being engaged in an illegal occupation
  - In Idaho and South Dakota: this exclusion does not apply
- **Sports** – participating in any organized sport in a professional or semi-professional capacity for pay or profit.
  - In California and Idaho: participating in any organized sport in a professional capacity for pay or profit
- **Cosmetic Surgery** – having cosmetic surgery or other elective procedures that are not medically necessary or having dental treatment except as a result of a covered accident.
  - In Alaska and Montana: having cosmetic surgery, other elective procedures or dental treatment except as a result of a covered accident.
  - In California: having cosmetic surgery or other elective procedures that are not medically necessary ("cosmetic surgery" does not include reconstructive surgery when the service is related to or follows surgery resulting from a covered accident); or having dental treatment except as a result of a covered accident.
  - In Idaho: having cosmetic surgery or other elective procedures that are not medically necessary or having dental treatment except as a result of a covered accident. Cosmetic surgery shall not include reconstructive surgery because of a Congenital Anomaly of a covered dependent child.
- **Felony** (In Idaho only) – participation in a felony

For 24-Hour Coverage, the following exclusions will not apply:
An injury arising from any employment.
An injury or sickness covered by worker's compensation.
In North Carolina: services or supplies for the treatment of an occupational injury or sickness which are paid under the North Carolina workers' compensation act only to the extent such services or supplies are the liability of the employee, employer, or workers' compensation insurance carrier according to a final adjudication under the North Carolina Workers' Compensation Act or an order of the North Carolina Industrial Commission approving a settlement agreement under the North Carolina Workers' Compensation Act.
*"Contributed to" language doesn't apply in Illinois

DEFINITIONS

Accidental Injury means accidental bodily damage to an insured resulting from an unforeseen and unexpected traumatic event. This must be the direct result of an accident and not the result of disease or bodily infirmity. **A Covered Accidental Injury** is an accidental injury that occurs while coverage is in force. A **Covered Accident** is an accident that occurs on or after an insured's effective date while coverage is in force, and that is not specifically excluded by the plan.
Ambulatory Surgical Center is defined as a licensed surgical center consisting of an operating room; facilities for the administration of general anesthesia; and a post-surgery recovery room in which the patient is admitted and discharged within a period of less than 24 hours.
Dependent Child or Dependent Children means your or your spouse's natural children, step-children, grandchildren who are in your legal custody and residing with you, foster children, children subject to legal guardianship, legally adopted children, or children placed for adoption, who are younger than age 26 (and in Louisiana, unmarried). Newborn children may be automatically covered from the moment of birth for 60 days. Newly adopted children (and foster children in North Carolina and Florida) may also be automatically covered for 60 days. See certificate for details.
Doctor is a person who is duly qualified as a practitioner of the healing arts acting within the scope of his license, and is licensed to practice medicine; prescribe and administer drugs; or to perform surgery, or is a duly qualified medical practitioner according to the laws and regulations in the state in which treatment is made.
In Montana, for purposes of treatment, the insured has full freedom of choice in the selection of any licensed physician, physician assistant, dentist, osteopath, chiropractor, optometrist, podiatrist, psychologist, licensed social worker, licensed professional counselor, acupuncturist, naturopathic physician, physical therapist, speech-language pathologist, audiologist, licensed addiction counselor, or advanced practice registered nurse.
A Doctor does not include the insured or an insured's family member. In South Dakota however, a doctor who is an employee's family member may treat the insured if that doctor is the only doctor in the area and acts within the scope of his practice. For the purposes of this definition, family member includes the employee's spouse as well as the following members of the employee's immediate family son, daughter, mother, father, sister, and brother. This includes step-family members and family-members-in-law.
The term **Hospital** specifically excludes any facility not meeting the definition of hospital as defined in this plan, including but not limited to:

- A nursing home,
- An extended-care facility,
- A skilled nursing facility,
- A rest home or home for the aged,
- A rehabilitation facility,
- A facility for the treatment of alcoholism or drug addiction, or
- An assisted living facility.

Spouse is your legal wife, husband, or partner in a legally recognized union. Refer to your certificate for details.
Telemedicine Service means a medical inquiry with a doctor via audio or video communication that assists with a patient's assessment, diagnosis, and consultation.
Treatment is the consultation, care, or services provided by a doctor. This includes receiving any diagnostic measures and taking prescribed drugs and medicines. Treatment does not include telemedicine services.
Urgent Care is a walk-in clinic that delivers ambulatory, outpatient care in a dedicated medical facility for illnesses or injuries that require immediate care but that are not serious enough to require a visit to an emergency room.

YOU MAY CONTINUE YOUR COVERAGE

Your coverage may be continued with certain stipulations. See certificate for details.

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE

Your insurance may terminate when the plan is terminated; the 31st day after the premium due date if the premium has not been paid; or the date you no longer belong to an eligible class. If your coverage terminates, we will provide benefits for valid claims that arose while your coverage was in force. See certificate for details.

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