DisabilityFLEX® INSURANCE PLAN FOR THE STATE OF NEW YORK

DisabilityFLEX is customizable short-term disability insurance designed to help protect an employee's income. Coverage includes a weekly benefit of up to \$1,000 with no offsets for New York's state-mandated coverage plus provisions to help employees return to work sooner.

DisabilityFLEX from **The Hartford's Employee Choice Benefits**[™] is an important consideration for any employee benefit package. Here are the facts.

PLAN DESIGN & BENEF	IT INFORMATION	OPTIONS AVAILABLE 50+ ELIGIBLE LIVES
Eligibility Basics	• Employee (EE) – Actively working 30 hours/week	Required work hours can be set by the employer; Minimum is 20/week
Funding Options	• 100% employee-paid (voluntary) • Fully insured	
Coverage Amounts	 Flat benefit amounts Up to \$1,000 in increments of \$100, not to exceed 50% of earnings State exceptions apply 	Maximum benefit can be any \$100 increment between \$100 - \$1,000
Minimum Benefit	\$100	Any \$100 increment between \$100 - \$1,000
Coverage Election	Employee Only	
UNDERWRITING GUIDELINES		OPTIONS AVAILABLE 50+ ELIGIBLE LIVES
Required Info to Quote	 Group - Name, state, SIC, effective date, current participation Employee census - DOB, gender, salaries, occupations, work zip code, current amount No census required for 10-49 lives 	
Participation Assumptions	10 enrolled lives	
Rate Structure	per \$100 of weekly benefit4 age bands, Under 35, 35-49, 50-65, and 65+	
Rate Guarantee Period	2 years	1 year and 3 years
Guaranteed Issue	All Amounts	
STANDARD PRODUCT PROVISIONS		OPTIONS AVAILABLE 50+ ELIGIBLE LIVES
Benefits	Weekly payments for duration of disability	
Offsets	None	
Benefit Commencement Period	 Choice of 8/8, 15/15 or 30/30 (calendar days) Injury and sickness periods must match (i.e. 15/15) Employer selects up to 2 choices to offer 	3 or more choices may be offered to employees



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Benefit Duration Period	 50+ lives: Choice of 13, 26, 52 or 104 weeks 10 - 49 lives: Choice of 13, 26, 52 weeks Employer selects up to 2 choices to offer to employees 	3 or more choices may be offered to employees
Total Disability	20% or less of pre-disability earnings	
Disabled and Working (Partial Disability)	• 20% - 80% of pre-disability earnings • Proportionate loss formula	
Rehabilitative Employment Benefit	 Pays a greater benefit to the employee if engaged in approved rehabilitative employment while disabled and working 50% offset formula 	
Survivor Benefit	Any benefits owed in the event of death are paid to the employee's estate	
Maternity, Mental Illness & Substance Abuse	Treated as any other illness	
Pre-existing Conditions Limitation	None	
Recurrent Disability Period	15 calendar days	Period may vary if sold with LTD
Definition of Disability	Own Occ - Partial: Total Disability must be satisfied before Disabled and Working Benefits can be received	Total Disability
Ability Assist®1 EAP	24/7/365 access to help for financial, legal or emotional issues	
HealthChampion ^{SM1}	Administrative and clinical support following serious illness or injury	
ENROLLMENT		OPTIONS AVAILABLE 50+ ELIGIBLE LIVES
Enrollment Type	 1,000+ lives: Traditional (EOI) enrollment 50 - 999 lives: Annual open enrollment 10 - 49 lives: Traditional (EOI) enrollment 	• 1,000+ lives: Annual open enrollment • 50 - 999 lives: Traditional (EOI) enrollment

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