# **Plan Highlight**s

# Voluntary Group Short Term Disability Insurance



## **Hood College**

#### COVERAGE

Disability income protection insurance provides a benefit for short term disability resulting from a covered injury or sickness. Benefits begin at the end of the elimination period and continue while you are disabled up to the maximum benefit duration.

## ELIGIBILITY

All eligible employees as defined by your employer.

#### **BENEFIT AMOUNT**

You may elect a weekly benefit equal to 60% of your covered earnings, from a minimum of \$50 up to a maximum benefit of \$1,500 per week.

#### DAY BENEFITS BEGIN

Injury (accident) and Sickness (illness): benefits begin on 15th consecutive day of disability.

#### **MAXIMUM BENEFIT DURATION**

Benefits for one period of disability will be paid up to a maximum of 20 weeks.

# **CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS**

Coverage is employee paid.

#### RATES

See attached Rate Sheet

#### FEATURES

- Maternity covered as any other illness
- Non-occupational coverage
- Partial disability benefit included
- Zero Day Residual: You can accumulate time toward the elimination period even while partially disabled
- FMLA Continuation
- Military Services Leave of Absence Continuation

#### LIMITATIONS

- Pre-Existing Condition Limitation A pre-existing condition is any sickness or injury, whether specifically diagnosed or not, for which you received medical treatment, consultation, care, or services, including diagnostic procedures, or for which you took prescription drugs or medicines during the look back period (3 months) before the individual effective date of coverage (or the effective date of an increase in coverage). Benefits (or an increased benefit) would not be payable due to a pre-existing condition unless the Total Disability occurs after (12 months) from the effective date of coverage (or effective date of an increase).
- Offsets: Your benefit may be reduced by other income sources such as, but not limited to, Social Security, Workers Compensation, State Disability Plans.

#### EXCLUSIONS

Benefits will not be payable for any disability caused or contributed by: an intentionally self-inflicted Injury; an act of war (declared or undeclared); an Injury or Sickness that occurs while confined in any penal or correctional institution; while confined in any penal or correctional institution; committing a felony; caused or contributed to by any of the following: cosmetic surgery or treatment primarily to change appearance; or in vitro fertilization; or embryo transfer procedures; or artificial insemination; or reversal of sterilization; or liposuction; or radial keratotomy.

For a comprehensive list of exclusions and limitations, and any applicable benefit offsets, please refer to the Certificate of Insurance. The Certificate also provides all requirements necessary to be eligible for coverage and benefits.

This Plan Highlights is a brief description of the key features of the RSL insurance plan. The availability of the benefits and features described may vary by state. It is not a certificate of insurance or evidence of coverage. Insurance is provided under group policy form LRS-6451, et al.

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