



Professional Support Staff

1. Supplementary Health and Vision Coverage Summary Chart

Sun Life Group # 16440

The following chart summarizes some of the frequently used services covered under this plan:

Service	% of Coverage	Description
In-province hospitalization	100%	Semi-private accommodation
Out-of-province hospitalization	100%	Semi-private accommodation
Out-of-country hospitalization	100%	Emergency services only For details, refer to the Medi-Passport on the Sun Life members site
Out-of-country physician fees	100%	
Prescription drugs	100%	Pay-Direct Drug Plan Card is sent from Sun Life  For details, see the Benefit Booklets on <i>Insite</i>
Vision care	100%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$250.00 every 24 months with prescription change</li> <li>• \$250.00 every 48 months without prescription change</li> <li>• \$150.00 every 12 months for dependents up to 19 years old</li> </ul>

Service	% of Coverage	Description
Eye exam	100%	\$25.00 every two years
Hearing aids	100%	\$500.00 every five years
Ambulance	100%	If medically necessary — response and transportation, including air
Paramedical services	100%	100% of the costs up to a maximum of \$500.00 per person in each calendar year for each of the paramedical specialists  Some per visit maximums apply
Psychologist or registered social worker	50%	Up to \$400.00 per person in each calendar year
Personal Spending Account (PSA) / Health Spending Account (HSA)		<p>Max \$800 every year.</p> <p>For expense eligibility visit: Insite → Career → Benefits &amp; Pension Overview → Sun Life</p> <p>Below to details about both spending accounts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Health Spending Account (HSA)</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Personal Spending Account (PSA)</a></li> </ul>

## 2. Life Insurance and Accidental Death and Dismemberment

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### Sun Life Group # 83943

Service	Description
Life insurance	Coverage equal to three times your annual earnings to a maximum benefit of \$500,000

Service	Description
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	Coverage equal to three times your annual earnings to a maximum benefit of \$500,000

### 3. Dental Cost Summary Chart

#### Sun Life Group # 25286

Limits – the Calgary Board of Education is using the current provincial Dental Fee Guide to define maximum reimbursement for dental services rendered.

Your dentist may charge you above these limits.

Charges over the fee guide are the responsibility of the employee.

The following chart summarizes some of the frequently used dental care services (see the benefits booklet for additional information on yearly visit/service occurrence limits):

Benefit	Deductible	% of Reimbursement	Maximum
Diagnostic/ Preventive	None	100%	None
Restorative	None	100%	None
Orthodontic	None	50%	\$2,500 per person maximum payable in a lifetime  Only for covered dependent children under age 19
Periodontic	None	100%	None
Denture	None	60%	\$1,500 per person maximum payable for expenses incurred in a calendar

Bridge	None	60%	year for you and your covered dependents
Crown	None	60%	
Endodontic	None	100%	None

#### 4. Sick Leave and Long Term Disability Plan

This is a brief summary that is not intended to cover all situations.

Sick Leave	Long Term Disability
<p>If you are unable to work due to accident or illness sick leave will pay you 100% of your regular salary.</p>	<p>The Long Term Disability Plan may apply after the later of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 90 calendar days</li> <li>• 60 working days</li> <li>• All accumulated sick leave has been used.</li> </ul>
<p>Sick leave is accumulated at the rate of one day per complete pay period to a maximum of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 200 days for ten month employees</li> <li>• 240 days for twelve month employees</li> </ul>	<p>The percentage of salary paid after elimination period is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 66.67% of the first \$2,500 of monthly earnings</li> <li>• plus 45% of the remainder up to a maximum benefit of \$7,500.</li> </ul>

*Please refer to your  
Collective Agreement  
for specific details on sick leave  
with pay and the  
Long Term Disability Plan.*

## **5. Retirement Plan**

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The LAPP is a defined benefit pension plan. This means your pension at retirement will be based on:

- Your length of pensionable service
- Your highest five-year average pensionable salary
- A legislated benefit rate

### Summary of the LAPP retirement plan:

<p>There is no qualification period to be entitled to receive a pension at retirement. All contributions are vested from the first day of employment.</p>
<p>The maximum pensionable service you can accumulate is 35 years.</p>
<p>Effective January 1, 2022, active members who have less than two years of membership or pensionable service became immediately vested in LAPP. Anyone who joins the plan on or after January 1, 2022, is immediately vested as well.</p>
<p>The legislated benefit rate is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1.4 per cent on your average highest pensionable salary up to the year's maximum pensionable earnings (YMPE), multiplied by your years of pensionable service; and</li> <li>• 2 per cent on your average highest pensionable salary over the YMPE up to the maximum allowed under the federal <i>Income Tax Act</i>, multiplied by your years of pensionable service.</li> </ul> <p>For example: Assuming your highest 5 year average salary is \$100,000 and the corresponding 5 year average YMPE is \$66,580, your annual pension benefit would be calculated as follows:</p> <p><math>(\\$66,580 \times 1.4\% \times \text{Years of LAPP service}) + ((\\$100,000 - \\$66,580) \times 2\% \times \text{Years of LAPP service}) = \text{your annual pension benefit before tax}</math></p>

## 6. Benefit Booklets

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Further information on benefit coverage is available on *Insite* in the *Sun Life Benefit Booklets*.

## 7. Contact Information

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1. If you have questions about your coverage contact the Employee Contact Centre at:

403-817-7333

2. Sun Life Member Services:

[www.sunlife.ca](http://www.sunlife.ca)

3. Details of the LAPP retirement plan are available on their website at:

[www.lapp.ca](http://www.lapp.ca)