

# **Benefit Information Sheet - SA**



### **Staff Association**

# 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<br>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   |  |
| Out-of-country physician fees   | 100%             | For details, refer to the Medi-Passport on the Sun Life members site  |  |
| Prescription drugs              | 80%              | \$25.00 annual deductible (single/family)  Pay-Direct Drug Plan Card is sent from Sun Life.  For details, see the Benefit Booklets on <i>Insite</i>   |  |
| Vision care                     | 100%             | <ul> <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> |  |

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| Service                                  | % of<br>Coverage   | Description  |
|--|--|--|
| Eye exam                                 | 80%  | \$25.00 every two years  |
| Hearing aids                             | 80%  | \$500.00 every five years  |
| Ambulance                                | 80%  | If medically necessary — response and transportation, including air  |
| Paramedical services                     | 80%  | 80% of the costs 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  |
| Health Spending Account (HSA)            | Max \$800 every year.  For eligibility visit: Insite → Manage your Career → Compensation and Benefits → Group Benefits → Health Spending Account |  |

# 2. Life insurance and Accidental Death and Dismemberment

### Sun Life Group #83943

| Service                          | Description  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Life insurance                   | Coverage equal to two times your annual earnings to a maximum benefit of \$300,000 |
| Accidental Death & Dismemberment | Coverage equal to two times your annual earnings to a maximum benefit of \$300,000 |

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## 3. Dental Cost Summary Chart

### Sun Life Group # 25286

Limits – the Calgary Board of Education is using the provincial Dental Fee Guide from the previous calendar year 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<br>Reimbursement | Maximum   |
|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------|---|
| Diagnostic/<br>Preventive | None       | 100%                  | None  |
| Restorative               | None       | 100%                  | None  |
| Orthodontic               | None       | 50%                   | \$1,500 per person maximum payable in a lifetime  Only for covered dependent children under age 19              |
| Periodontic               | None       | 100%                  | None  |
| Denture                   | None       | 60%                   | 44.500  |
| Bridge                    | None       | 60%                   | \$1,500 per person maximum payable for expenses incurred in a calendar year for you and your covered dependents |
| Crown                     | None       | 60%                   |   |
| Endodontic                | None       | 100%                  | None  |

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## 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  |
|--|---|
| If you are unable to work due to accident or illness Sick Leave will pay you 100% of your regular salary.  | The Long Term Disability Plan may apply after the later of:  • 90 calendar days  • 60 working days  • All accumulated sick leave has been used.                               |
| Sick leave is accumulated at the rate of one day per complete pay period to a maximum of:  • 200 days for ten month employees  • 240 days for twelve month employees | The percentage of salary paid after elimination period is:  • 66.67% of the first \$2,500 of monthly earnings  • plus 45% of the remainder up to a maximum benefit of \$7,500 |

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

### 5. Retirement Plan

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

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#### Summary of the LAPP retirement plan:

There is no qualification period to be entitled to receive a pension at retirement. All contributions are vested from the first day of employment.

The maximum pensionable service you can accumulate is 35 years.

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.

The legislated benefit rate is:

- 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
- 2 per cent on your average highest pensionable salary over the YMPE up to the maximum allowed under the federal *Income Tax Act*, multiplied by your years of pensionable service.

For example: Assuming your highest 5 year average salary is \$100,000 and the corresponding 5 year average YMPE is \$64,060, your annual pension benefit would be calculated as follows:

(\$64,060 x 1.4% x Years of LAPP service) + ((\$100,000 - \$64,060) x 2% x Years of LAPP service)) = your annual pension benefit before tax

#### 6. Benefit Booklets

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

#### 7. Contact Information

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

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

www.lapp.ca

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