

This short term disability plan provides financial protection for you by paying a portion of your income while you are disabled. The amount you receive is based on the amount you earned before your disability began. In some cases, you can receive disability payments even if you work while you are disabled.

#### WHO PAYS FOR THE COVERAGE:

Your Employer pays the cost of your coverage.

### **ELIMINATION PERIOD:**

14 days for disability due to an injury

14 days for disability due to a sickness

Benefits begin the day after the elimination period is completed.

## **WEEKLY BENEFIT:**

60% of weekly earnings to a maximum benefit of \$500 per week

Your payment may be reduced by deductible sources of income and disability earnings. Some disabilities may not be covered under this plan.

#### MAXIMUM PERIOD OF PAYMENT:

11 weeks

Premium payments are required for your coverage while you are receiving payments under this plan.

Your Short Term Disability plan does not cover disabilities due to an occupational sickness or injury.

#### REHABILITATION AND RETURN TO WORK ASSISTANCE BENEFIT:

10% of your gross disability payment to a maximum benefit of \$250 per week.

In addition, we will make weekly payments to you for 3 weeks following the date your disability ends if we determine you are no longer disabled while:

- you are participating in the Rehabilitation and Return to Work Assistance program;
- you are not able to find employment.

# WHAT DEFINES A DISABILITY?

You are disabled when Unum determines that:

- you are limited from performing the material and substantial duties of your regular occupation due to your sickness or injury; and
- you have a 20 or more loss in weekly earnings due to the same sickness or injury.

You must be under the regular care of a physician in order to be considered disabled.

The loss of a professional or occupational license or certification does not, in itself, constitute disability.

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## **OTHER FEATURES:**

Minimum Benefit

The above items are only highlights of this plan. For a full description of your coverage, continue reading your certificate of coverage section.

The plan includes enrollment, risk management and other support services related to your Employer's Benefit Program.