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## Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan

# Master Summary Plan Description

Effective January 1, 2022

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This document, together with the additional documents provided along with it, constitute the written plan document required by ERISA § 402 and the Summary Plan Description required by ERISA § 102.

**If you (and/or your dependents) have Medicare or will become eligible for Medicare in the next 12 months, a Federal law gives you more choices about your prescription drug coverage. Please see the notice reproduced in Appendix B for more details.**

**This Wrap Summary Plan Document (SPD) has been formally modified through the Summary of Material Modification document(s) attached at the back of this document.**

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## 1. Definitions

Capitalized terms used in this document have the following meanings:

**"AD&D"** means accidental death and dismemberment insurance.

**"Affordable Care Act"** means the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as amended.

**"COBRA"** means the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, as amended.

**"Code"** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

**"Company"** means Kong Inc. or any successor thereto, and any affiliated entity within the same controlled group, as that term is defined under section 414(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, that participates in the plan.

**"DCAP"** means a dependent care assistance program that may be established by the Company under a separate document. The DCAP is a benefit program under the Plan. It may allow you to use pre-tax dollars to pay for the care of your eligible dependents while you are at work. It is not subject to ERISA.

**"Employee"** means any common-law employee of the Company who satisfies the eligibility provisions of in this document and is not excluded from participation by the terms of an applicable benefit program, except individuals classified or treated by the Company as independent contractors (regardless of any subsequent reclassification), or as an employee of an employment agency.

**"ERISA"** means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended.

**"Health FSA"** means a health flexible spending account plan that may be established by the Company under a separate document. The health FSA is a benefit program under the Plan. It allows you to use before-tax dollars to pay for most medical and dental expenses not reimbursed under other programs.

**"HIPAA"** means the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, as amended.

**"NMHPA"** means the Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act of 1996, as amended.

**"Plan"** means the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan and includes this document, written amendments and updates to this document, and the terms of all policies and component benefit programs listed in Section 15.

**"Plan Administrator"** means the Company.

**"SPD"** means the Summary Plan Description required by ERISA § 102 summarizing this Plan and includes this document, information booklets supplied by insurance carriers, and other benefits descriptions provided to participants with this document or at any other period as appropriate to provide updates to the document, such as during open enrollment.

**"WHCRA"** means the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998, as amended.

## 2. Introduction

The Company maintains the Plan for the exclusive benefit of eligible Employees and eligible family members or “dependents.” It is important that you share this document and the materials referenced here in with your covered dependents. The Plan provides health and welfare benefits through the benefit programs listed in Section 15. See Section 15 for a listing of benefit programs and the entities that help administer the programs.

Each of these benefit programs is summarized in a certificate of insurance booklet issued by an insurance company, a summary plan description or another document (a “Benefit Description”). A Benefit Description will be available from the insurer (if the benefit is fully-insured) or Plan Administrator (if the benefit is self-funded). Whether a benefit program is fully-insured or self-funded is noted in Section 15.

This document and its attachments constitute the plan document required by ERISA § 402. This document and its attachments, coupled with the information booklets and other descriptive materials provided for benefits as described in Section 15 constitutes the wrap Summary Plan Description as required by ERISA § 102.

## 3. General Information about the Plan

<b>Plan Name:</b>	Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan.
<b>Type of Plan:</b>	Welfare plan providing coverages listed in Section 15. The Plan also includes funding through a cafeteria plan under Code § 125.
<b>Plan Year:</b>	January 1 to December 31.
<b>Plan Number:</b>	501
<b>Effective Date:</b>	January 1, 2022.
<b>Funding Medium and Type of Plan Administration:</b>	<p>Some benefits under the Plan are self-funded, and some are fully-insured. See Section 15 for a description of the benefit programs and whether they are self-funded or fully-insured.</p> <p>For benefit programs which are fully-insured, benefits are insured under a group contract entered into between the Company and insurance companies or HMO.</p> <p>The insurance companies and/or HMO, not the Company, are responsible for paying claims with respect to these programs. The Company shares responsibility with the insurance companies and/or HMO for administering these program benefits, as described below.</p> <p>For benefit programs which are self-funded, the Company is responsible for processing and paying appropriate claims. The Company may hire a third party administrator (a “TPA”) to process claims.</p>



Premiums for Employees and their eligible family members may be paid in part by the Company out of its general assets and in part by Employees' pre-tax and/or post-tax payroll deductions. The Plan Administrator provides a schedule of the applicable premiums during the initial and subsequent open enrollment periods and on request for each of the benefit programs, as applicable.

The Company provides Employees the opportunity to pay for benefits on a pre-tax basis through a cafeteria plan. Appendix C provides information with regard to such a plan.

**Plan Sponsor:**

The employer is the Plan Sponsor.

Kong Inc.  
150 Spear Street, Suite 1600  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
(628) 243-7512

**Plan Sponsor's Employer  
Identification Number:**

98-0629818

**Insurance Companies/HMO:**

See a complete list under the heading Plan Provider Information later in this document.

**Plan Administrator:**

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150 Spear Street, Suite 1600  
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Process:**

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Service for legal process may also be made on the Plan Administrator.

Language assistance is available. If you have difficulty understanding any part of this Summary Plan Description, contact the Plan Administrator at (628) 243-7512.

Benefits hereunder may be provided pursuant to an insurance contract or pursuant to a governing document adopted by the Company. If so, these contracts are made a part of this Plan document, and the contracts and Plan document should be construed as consistent, if possible. If the terms of this Plan document conflict with the terms of such insurance contract or other governing document, then the terms of the insurance contract or governing document will control, with the exception of defining eligible employees and dependents, which is determined by the Company, unless otherwise required by law.

## 4. Eligibility and Participation Requirements

### Eligibility and Participation

An eligible Employee with respect to the Plan will be an Employee who is eligible to participate in and receive benefits under one or more of the benefit programs. To determine whether you or your family members are eligible to participate in a benefit program, please see Section 15. Reclassification from non-employee to employee status by a court or any agency or by the Company will not create any retroactive right to coverage.

Certain benefit programs require that you make an annual election to enroll for coverage.

**Generally, you cannot enroll, drop coverage, or change your or your dependents coverage under the plan except during annual Open Enrollment.** However you may be able to add or drop coverage for yourself or a dependent during the plan year if you experience an event that triggers a HIPAA Special Enrollment Right (see discussion below) or if you have a Status Change Event (see Appendix C for an explanation of Status Change Events). Please review the rules for changing your benefits elections described in Appendix C very carefully as the rules regarding making benefits changes mid-year must be strictly enforced.

Information about enrollment procedures is provided by the Company. Information about when your participation begins in various benefit programs is found under Section 15. You must follow any required enrollment procedures. **Always make sure the Company has your current home address and other contact information for you and your covered dependent to correctly administer your benefits and to send you important benefits information.**

### Eligible Dependent Status

Section 15 describes whether your spouse and or child can participate in a particular benefit program. Section 15 also describes any limits on such participation. For example, children covered under the Medical benefit program generally can be covered until the end of the month during which they reach age 26. However, coverage may end earlier for other benefits (or may not be available at all). For specifics on eligibility for each benefit offered refer to Section 15. Note that the definition of dependent may be different for the different benefits offered under the Plan.

You cannot be covered both as an employee and as a dependent under the plan.

## Full Time Status and the ACA

Under the ACA, employers are required to report specific benefits information to IRS on “full-time” employees as defined by the ACA. A “full-time” employee is generally an employee who works on average 130 hours per month. Employers may also face penalties if they do not offer major medical coverage to substantially all full-time employees or if the coverage they offer is unaffordable or does not meet a minimum value standard. The Company determines full-time status using the “Monthly” method. ACA full-time status is not a guarantee of major medical benefits eligibility. Benefits eligibility is described in Section 15.

## Special Enrollment Provisions under HIPAA

Under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), a special enrollment period for the Medical benefit program (or similar benefit programs providing medical benefits) may be available, usually if you lose medical coverage under certain conditions or when you acquire a new dependent by marriage, birth, or adoption.

If you are declining enrollment for yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance coverage, you may in the future be able to enroll yourself or your dependents in this Plan, provided that you request enrollment within 30 days your other coverage ends. In addition, if you acquire a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents, provided that you request enrollment within 30 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption.

In addition, if you declined enrollment in the Plan for yourself or your dependents (including a spouse) because of coverage under Medicaid or a State Children's Health Insurance Program, there may be a right to enroll in this Plan if there is a loss of eligibility for the government-provided coverage. However, a request for enrollment must be made within 60 days after the government-provided coverage ends.

Finally, if you declined enrollment in the Plan for yourself or your dependents (including a spouse), and you or a dependent later becomes eligible for state “premium assistance” through Medicaid or a State Children's Health Insurance Program which provides help with paying for Plan coverage, then there may be a right to enroll in this Plan. However, a request for enrollment must be made within 60 days after the determination of eligibility for the state assistance. ***Medicaid and State Children's Health Insurance Program premium assistance are not available with respect to coverage under a health FSA or a high-deductible health plan. Thus, this special enrollment event will not apply to such plans.***

## Coverage during Certain Leaves of Absence

Certain Federal (and State) statutes like the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) require that eligibility for medical benefits continue for employees on those protected leaves of absence under the same terms as active employees. When wages continue during such a leave, your contributions will be deducted from those wages on a pre-tax basis. When such a leave is unpaid, you are still required to pay your portion of the premium. Your portion of the premium may be paid as regular monthly intervals during the leave on a post-tax basis.

You may also generally discontinue coverage at the beginning of such an unpaid leave and when you return your benefits will either be reinstated or you may re-enroll for the remainder of the coverage period or plan year.

Human Resources must determine whether or not you are eligible for a statutory or other leave of absence.

## **Terms of Participation**

Your participation and the participation of your spouse and dependents in a benefit program will terminate according to the terms of the specific benefit program. Generally, coverage for most benefit programs terminates on the last day of the month in which you terminate employment, but certain benefit programs may provide coverage only through the date your employment terminates. Please see Section 15 for further information on the date participation in a specific benefit program will terminate.

Coverage may also terminate if you fail to pay your share of an applicable premium, if your hours drop below the required hourly threshold for the particular benefit, if you engage in fraud or make an intentional misrepresentation of a material fact, or for any other reason as set forth in the attached documents. You should consult Section 15 for a general summary and the attached documents for specific termination events and information.

Coverage may be terminated retroactively in the normal course of business due to a participant's termination of employment, nonpayment of premiums, loss of dependent eligibility or other, similar factors. When you or a dependent lose eligibility for benefits, regardless of whether or not you timely report that loss of eligibility, a change to any existing salary reduction election will be made automatically. To the extent that the coverage at issue does not allow for retroactive termination of that coverage and election to the date of the loss of eligibility, such changes will be prospective. If coverage can be terminated retroactively to the date of the loss of eligibility, or sometime thereafter, excess salary reduction contributions will be refunded on a post-tax basis to the date the termination of coverage can be made effective.

Any person claiming benefits under the Plan shall furnish the Company, any insurance company or other entity working on behalf of the Plan or a benefit program with such information and documentation as may be necessary to verify eligibility for and/or entitlement to benefits under the Plan or a benefit program. This may include but is not limited to providing social security numbers, birth certificates, marriage certificates, or proof of dependent eligibility. Failure to cooperate and provide such information will lead to a loss of eligibility for benefits.

Knowingly enrolling an ineligible dependent in plan benefits constitutes fraud and is considered a material misrepresentation that will result in termination of coverage as well as other disciplinary action up to and including termination of employment. Eligibility for benefits is described in Section 15. If you have questions about whether a dependent is eligible you must contact Human Resources before enrolling that dependent.

## **COBRA Rights**

You may be eligible for COBRA continuation coverage or conversion policies when your coverage for a medical benefit program under this Plan terminates. Information about continuation coverage or conversion is contained in Appendix A. If you have questions about this law or these rights, please contact the Plan Administrator (for benefit programs that are self-

funded) or the insurance carrier (if the benefit is fully-insured). You can determine whether a benefit program is self-funded or fully-insured by consulting Section 15.

For the Health FSA benefit program, COBRA continuation coverage is available if your account is underspent (if the COBRA premium for the account (the monthly salary reduction election + 2%) for the remainder of the coverage period is less than the account's balance) but generally cannot extend beyond the end of the Plan Year (including any 2½ month grace period). COBRA continuation coverage will not be offered with respect to the Health FSA benefit program if your Health FSA is overspent, unless otherwise required by applicable law.

## 5. Summary of Plan Benefits

### **Benefits and Contribution**

The Plan provides you and your eligible spouse and dependents with the benefit programs listed in Section 15. A summary of each benefit program provided under the Plan may be provided in the attached documents (such as a certificate of insurance booklet, summary plan description for a specific benefit program or other governing document). Note that some of the attached documents may be labeled as a "summary plan description." If so, that document will only be a summary of the specific benefit program to which it relates. Notwithstanding any of the terms of such a document, that document is not the formal, single "Summary Plan Description" for this Plan. Rather, this document constitutes the formal, single "Summary Plan Description."

The cost of the benefits provided through the benefit programs may be funded in part by Company contributions and in part by pre-tax and/or post-tax employee contributions. The Company will determine and periodically communicate your share of the cost, if any, of the benefit programs. The Company reserves the right to change that determination.

The Company will make its contributions, if any, in an amount that (in the Company's sole discretion) is at least sufficient to fund the benefits or a portion of the benefits that are not otherwise funded by your contributions. The Company will pay its contribution and your contributions to any insurance carrier or, with respect to benefits that are self-insured, will use these contributions to pay benefits directly to, or on behalf of, you or your eligible family members from the Company's general assets. Your contributions toward the cost of a particular benefit program will be used in their entirety prior to using Company contributions to pay for the cost of such benefit program.

Medical benefits under this Plan may be subject to cost-sharing provisions, premiums, deductibles, co-insurance, copayment amounts, annual or lifetime limits, pre-authorization requirements or utilization review. There may also be limitations on the selection of primary care or network providers, limits on emergency medical care, or limited coverage for preventive services, drugs, medical tests, medical devices or medical procedures. These limitations are set forth in the attached documents.

Certain prescription drug benefits are considered "Creditable Coverage" under Medicare Part D. The attached documents provide details regarding this coverage and an annual

notice (attached and incorporated by reference in Appendix B) explains how this creditable coverage works for these prescription drug benefit programs.

The Plan will provide benefits in accordance with the requirements of all applicable Federal laws regulating group health plans, such as COBRA, HIPAA, NMHPA, WHCRA and the Affordable Care Act. A brief summary of some of these laws is below.

#### **Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act (NMHPA) of 1996**

Group health plans and health insurance issuers generally may not, under Federal law, restrict benefits for any hospital length of stay in connection with childbirth for the mother or newborn child to less than 48 hours following a vaginal delivery, or less than 96 hours following a cesarean section. However, Federal law generally does not prohibit the mother's or newborn's attending provider, after consulting with the mother, from discharging the mother or her newborn earlier than 48 hours (or 96 hours as applicable). In any case, plans and issuers may not, under Federal law, require that a provider obtain authorization from the plan or the issuer for prescribing a length of stay not in excess of 48 hours (or 96 hours).

#### **Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act (WHCRA) of 1998**

If you have had or are going to have a mastectomy, you may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998. For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided in a manner determined in consultation with the attending physician and the patient, for:

- All stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed;
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance;
- Prostheses; and
- Treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedemas.

These benefits will be provided subject to the same deductibles and coinsurance applicable to other medical and surgical benefits provided under this Plan.

#### **Qualified Medical Child Support Orders**

Group health plans and health insurance issuers generally must provide benefits as required by any qualified medical child support order, or "QMCSO." The Plan has detailed procedures for determining whether an order qualifies as a QMCSO.

Participants and beneficiaries can obtain, without charge, a copy of such procedures from the Plan Administrator.

#### **Lifetime and Annual Limits**

Lifetime or annual limit on the dollar value of "essential health benefits" are no longer permitted under the major medical plans offered by the Plan. For more information on "essential health benefits" refer to the terms of policies and benefit program materials listed in Section 15. These documents are provided to you during enrollment and are available from Human Resources, the insurer (if the benefit is fully-insured), or Plan Administrator (if the benefit is self-funded).

## 6. Grandfathered Status under the Affordable Care Act

### Non-Grandfathered Benefit Programs under the Affordable Care Act

The following benefit programs that provide health benefits are not “grandfathered health plans” under the Affordable Care Act:

- Cigna Open Access Plus HDHP
- Cigna OAP Base
- Cigna OAP Buy Up
- Kaiser Deductible HMO

These benefit programs must, under the Affordable Care Act, provide additional protections. The protections provided by the Affordable Care Act include the following:

#### **Preventive Services covered at 100%**

In-network preventive care services will be covered at 100% with no cost sharing (e.g., copayment, coinsurance percentage, deductible, etc.). Preventive services include those services outlined in the US Preventive Services Taskforce recommendations (services rated “A” or “B”). Please see the attached documents for the preventive services included at no cost share.

#### **Non-Network Emergency Services covered as In-Network**

Emergency services must be covered without the need for prior authorization, regardless of the participating status of the provider or facility, and at the in-network cost sharing level.

#### **Access to Primary Care Physicians**

The Affordable Care Act generally allows participants the right to designate any primary care provider who participates in the network and who is available to accept the participant and his or her family members. If the benefit program requires that a primary care provider be designated, but one is not designated, the benefit program or a health insurance issuer will designate one until the participant or family member makes such a designation.

- For children, you may designate a pediatrician as the primary care provider.
- You do not need prior authorization from the Plan or from any other person (including a primary care provider) in order to obtain access to obstetrical or gynecological care from a health care professional in our network who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology. The health care professional, however, may be required to comply with certain procedures, including obtaining prior authorization for certain services, following a pre-approved treatment plan, or procedures for making referrals.

## **7. How the Plan Is Administered**

### **Plan Administration**

The administration of the Plan is under the supervision of the Plan Administrator. The Plan Administrator is a named fiduciary within the meaning of ERISA § 402 and has full discretionary authority to administer the Plan, to interpret the Plan, and to determine eligibility for participation and for benefits under the terms of the Plan. However, insurers and parties that have entered into administrative service agreements (Third Party Service Providers or TPAs) assume sole responsibility for their performance under applicable policies or administrative services agreements and, under ERISA, may be fiduciaries with respect to their performance.

The principal duty of the Plan Administrator is to see that the Plan is carried out, in accordance with its terms, for the exclusive benefit of persons entitled to participate in the Plan. The administrative duties of the Plan Administrator include, but are not limited to, interpreting the Plan, prescribing applicable procedures, determining eligibility for and the amount of benefits, and authorizing benefit payments and gathering information necessary for administering the Plan. (However, as noted below, one or more insurance companies may have these responsibilities with respect to fully-insured benefits.)

The Plan Administrator may delegate any of these administrative duties among one or more persons or entities, provided that such delegation is in writing, expressly identifies the delegate(s) and expressly describes the nature and scope of the delegated responsibility. The Plan Administrator has the discretionary authority to interpret the Plan in order to make eligibility and benefit determinations as it may determine in its sole discretion. The Plan Administrator also has the discretionary authority to make factual determinations as to whether any individual is entitled to receive any benefits under the Plan.

### **Power and Authority of Insurance Company**

As detailed in Section 15, certain benefits under the Plan may be fully insured. The insurance companies are responsible for: (1) determining eligibility for and the amount of any benefits payable under their respective benefit programs, and (2) prescribing claims procedures to be followed and the claims forms to be used by employees pursuant to their respective benefit programs.

### **Questions**

If you have any general questions regarding the Plan, or your eligibility for or the amount of any benefit payable under any benefit program, please contact the Plan Administrator or the appropriate insurance company as applicable.

## **8. Circumstances Which May Affect Benefits**

### **Denial or Loss of Benefits**

Your benefits (and the benefits of your eligible spouse and dependents) will cease when your participation in the Plan terminates. See Section 15. Your benefits will also cease on termination of the Plan.



## **Right to Recover Benefit Overpayments and Other Erroneous Payments**

The Plan and its benefit programs (including any insurance company on behalf of a benefit program) have all necessary or helpful rights to subrogation or reimbursement of benefits. If, for any reason, any benefit under the Plan is erroneously paid or exceeds the amount appropriately payable under the Plan, the recipient of such benefit (the "Recipient") shall be responsible for refunding the overpayment to the Plan or insurance company to the fullest extent permitted by law. In addition, if the Plan or insurance company makes any payment that, according to the terms of the Plan, policy or contract should not have been made, the insurance company, the Plan Administrator, or the Plan Sponsor (or designee) may, to the fullest extent permitted by law, recover that incorrect payment, whether or not it was made due to the insurance company's or Plan Administrator's (or its designee's) own error, from the person to whom it was made or from any other appropriate party.

As may be permitted in the sole discretion of the Plan Administrator or insurance company, the refund or repayment may be made in one or a combination of the following methods: (a) as a single lump-sum payment, (b) as a reduction of the amount of future benefits otherwise payable under the Plan, (c) as automatic deductions from pay, or (d) any other method as may be required or permitted in the sole discretion of the Plan Administrator or the insurance company. The Plan may also seek recovery of the erroneous payment or benefit overpayment from any other appropriate party.

Any benefit payments or reimbursements made by check must be cashed or deposited within one year after the check is issued. If any check or other payment for a benefit is not cashed or deposited within one year of the date of issue, the Plan will have no liability for the benefit payment and the amount of the check will be deemed a forfeiture. No funds will escheat to any state.

## **9. Amendment or Termination of the Plan**

### **Amendment or Termination**

The Plan and any benefit program under the Plan may be amended or terminated at any time, in the sole discretion of the Company as Plan sponsor, by a written instrument signed by an authorized individual. Some benefit programs may also be amended or terminated by an insurance carrier, as more fully described in any attached documents from an insurance carrier. The policies and agreements may also be amended or terminated at any time in accordance with their terms. No individual (including a retired employee) shall have a right to continuing benefits except to the extent required by law.

## **10. No Contract of Employment**

The Plan is not intended to be, and may not be construed as, constituting a contract or other arrangement between you and the Company to the effect that you will be employed for any specific period of time.

## **11. No Assignment**

Except as may otherwise be specifically provided in this Plan, the benefit programs, or applicable law, an individual's rights, interests or benefits under this Plan or the benefit programs shall not be subject in any manner to anticipation, alienation, sale, transfer, assignment, pledge, encumbrance, charge, garnishment, execution or levy of any kind, either voluntary or involuntary, prior to being received by the persons entitled thereto under the terms of the benefit programs, and any such attempt shall be void.

Specifically, participants and beneficiaries covered under this plan cannot assign their rights to medical providers to pursue direct payment of claims either as the participant or beneficiaries' agent or under power of attorney. Under the terms of this plan, medical providers cannot take action enforcing a patient's right to recover benefits under ERISA or assert any claims under ERISA on behalf of patients, even where the patient(s) have assigned their rights to their medical providers.

## **12. Claims Procedure**

### **Claims for Fully-Insured Benefits**

For purposes of determining of the amount of, and entitlement to, benefits of the benefit programs provided under insurance contracts or policies, the respective insurer is the named fiduciary under the Plan, with the full power to interpret and apply the terms of the Plan as they relate to benefits.

To obtain benefits from the insurer of a benefit program, you must follow the claims procedures under the applicable insurance contract, which may require you to complete, sign and submit a written claim on the insurer's form.

The insurance company will decide your claim in accordance with its reasonable claims procedures as required by ERISA.

See the appropriate certificate of insurance or booklet for details regarding the insurance company's claims procedures. You must fully follow and exhaust these claims procedures before you can file a lawsuit in state or federal court. You may have a right to seek external review of your claims, if so noted in the applicable insurance contract or policy.

### **Claims for Self-Funded Benefits**

For purposes of determining the amount of, and entitlement to, benefits under the benefit programs which are self-funded, the Plan Administrator is the named fiduciary under the Plan, with the full power to make factual determinations and to interpret and apply the terms of the Plan.

To obtain benefits from a benefit program which is self-funded you must complete, execute, and submit to the Plan Administrator a written claim on the form available from the Plan Administrator. The Plan Administrator has the right to secure independent medical advice and to require such other evidence, as it deems necessary to decide your claim.

The Plan Administrator will decide your claim in accordance with reasonable claims procedures, as required by ERISA. You may have a right to seek external review of your claims, if so noted in the applicable attached document for the self-funded benefit program.

See the appropriate benefits description for information about how to file a claim and for details regarding the claims procedures applicable to your claim. You must fully follow and exhaust these claims procedures before you can file a lawsuit in court.

### **The Role of Authorized Representatives**

Under ERISA and the ACA participants and beneficiaries have the right to designate an Authorized Representative for certain purposes. These purposes are generally limited to requesting documents or other information on behalf of a participant or beneficiary or acting on their behalf during claims and appeals procedures that can follow an adverse benefits determination. In any situation that does not constitute an urgent care claim, to designate any third party as an Authorized Representative a participant or beneficiary must use the signed statement included as an appendix of this document with the required witness signature. A medical provider will not become a participant or beneficiary's Authorized Representative as a result of an attempt to secure an assignment of benefits. The Plan does not guarantee that any purported assignment will be valid under the terms of the Plan.

## **13. Statement of ERISA Rights**

This Statement of ERISA Rights applies to those benefit programs which are subject to ERISA. Not all benefit programs which are part of this Plan will be subject to ERISA. The following benefit programs are not subject to ERISA:

- Health Savings Account
- Dependent Care Spending Account

### **Your Rights**

As a participant in an ERISA plan you are entitled to certain rights and protections under ERISA. ERISA provides that, as a participant, you are entitled to:

- examine, without charge, at the Plan Administrator's office and at other specified locations, the Plan documents, including insurance contracts, and copies of all documents filed by the Plan with the U.S. Department of Labor (if any) such as annual reports and Plan descriptions;
- obtain copies of the benefit program documents and other program information on written request to the Plan Administrator (the Plan Administrator may make a reasonable charge for the copies);
- receive a summary of the Plan's annual financial report, if any (the Plan Administrator is required by law to furnish each participant with a copy of this summary annual report);
- continue health care coverage for yourself, spouse, or dependents if there is a loss of coverage under the Plan as a result of a qualifying event. You or your dependents

may have to pay for such coverage. Review this Summary Plan Description and the documents governing the Plan on the rules governing your COBRA continuation coverage rights.

## **Fiduciary Obligations**

In addition to creating rights for participants, ERISA imposes duties on the people who are responsible for the operation of the benefit program. These people, called "fiduciaries" of the program, have a duty to operate the program prudently and in the interest of you and other program participants. Fiduciaries who violate ERISA may be removed and may be required to reimburse the Plan for any losses they have caused the program.

## **No Discrimination**

No one, including the Company or any other person, may fire you or discriminate against you in any way with the purpose of preventing you from obtaining welfare benefits or exercising your rights under ERISA.

## **Right to Review**

If your claim for a welfare benefit is denied in whole or in part, you must receive a written explanation of the reason for the denial. You have a right to have the Plan Administrator review and reconsider your claim.

## **Filing Suit**

Under ERISA, there are steps you can take to enforce these rights. For instance, if you request materials from the Plan Administrator and do not receive them within 30 days, you may file suit in a federal court. In such a case, the court may require the Plan Administrator to provide the materials and pay you up to \$110 a day until you receive the materials, unless the materials were not sent because of reasons beyond the control of the Plan Administrator. If you have a claim for benefits that is denied or ignored, in whole or in part, and if you have exhausted the claims procedures available to you under the Plan, you may file suit in a court.

Any lawsuit must be filed within 36 months of the final decision on the claim. Exhaustion of the internal claims and appeals procedure is required prior to filing suit.

If it should happen that benefit program fiduciaries misuse the Program's money, or if you are discriminated against for asserting your rights, you may seek assistance from the U.S. Department of Labor, or you may file suit in a federal court. The court will decide who should pay court costs and legal fees. If you are successful, the court may order the person you have sued to pay these costs and fees. If you lose (for example, if the court finds your claim is frivolous), the court may order you to pay these costs and fees.

## **Questions**

If you have any questions about this statement or your rights under ERISA, you should contact the nearest office of the Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, listed in your telephone directory, or the Division of Technical Assistance and Inquiries, Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210. You may also obtain certain publications about your rights and

responsibilities under ERISA by calling the publications hotline of the Employee Benefits Security Administration.

## **14. General Information**

### **COBRA**

Benefit programs which provide health benefits generally are subject to the federal law known as COBRA. COBRA generally allows covered participants and beneficiaries to continue in the benefit program, even after a "qualifying event" occurs. For more information about COBRA please see Appendix A. You may also have state law continuation or conversion rights.

### **Subrogation and Reimbursement**

If an individual has a claim for benefits under this Plan or any benefit program, and that individual acquires any right or action against a third party for the person's injury, sickness or other illness which is so covered, then: (a) the Plan shall be entitled to reimbursement for such benefits from such third party up to 100% of the benefits paid by the Plan; and (b) the Plan is automatically subrogated to all such rights or claims of the covered person. The covered person shall cooperate fully with the Plan in the enforcement of the Plan's subrogation and reimbursement rights. In addition, the person shall permit suit to be brought in the person's name under the direction of and at the expense of the Company if the Company so chooses. The Plan shall not be liable for such a person's attorney's fees absent prior written approval from the Plan. The Plan Administrator may require the receipt of a signed and dated subrogation and reimbursement agreement from the person before advancing any monies.

The failure or refusal of a covered person to fully cooperate with the Plan in the enforcement of the Plan's subrogation and reimbursement rights shall result in a forfeiture of all benefits payable to that person, even if such benefits have already been paid, in which event the Company shall retain a right to recover paid benefits which are forfeited in such a manner.

The Company, on behalf of this Plan, shall have a first priority right to recover from and a lien against any payment, whether designated as a payment for medical benefits or any other type of damages, from the proceeds of any recovery, including but not limited to any settlement, award or judgment which results from a claim or lawsuit by or on behalf of a covered person who received benefits under this Plan (even if such covered person is not made whole). The plan is not required to contribute to any expenses or fees (including attorney's fees or costs) incurred in obtaining the funds. The plan's recovery will not be limited or reduced by doctrines (equitable or other) including but not limited to, the make-whole doctrine, contributory or comparative negligence, or the common fund doctrine. The plan's right to full recovery is not reduced if settlement funds or other payments to you are spent or no longer in an individual's possession or control. Notice of the Plan's claim shall be sufficient to establish this Plan's lien against the third party or insurance carrier. The Company shall be entitled to deduct the amount of the lien from any future claims payable to or on behalf of the covered person or payee if the covered person or payee fails to promptly notify the Plan Administrator of a payment received from a third party or insurance carrier that is subject to this Plan's subrogation and reimbursement rights.

In the event that the Plan obtains a recovery against a third party in excess of payments made to or on behalf of the covered person and reasonable out of pocket expenses of the recovery, then the Plan shall pay to the covered person that excess amount recovered by the Plan.

In the event of any direct conflict between this Section 13 and the subrogation and reimbursement provisions in any benefit program, the subrogation and reimbursement provisions in the benefit program shall control. Otherwise, the provisions of this Section 13 shall apply and may supplement those contained in any benefit program.

The above provisions of this "Subrogation and Reimbursement" section apply with respect to a benefit program that is self-funded and does not, in its governing documents (but excluding this Plan document) have a subrogation and reimbursement section. If the benefit program does have such a section that section shall control. With respect to a fully-insured benefit program, the contract or policy from the insurer shall control with respect to subrogation and reimbursement matters.

### **No Vesting of Benefits**

Nothing in the Plan, nor anything in any benefit program, shall be construed as creating any vested rights to benefits in favor of any employee, former employee or covered person.

### **Waiver and Estoppel**

No term, condition, or provision of this Plan or any benefit program shall be deemed to be waived, and there shall be no estoppel against enforcing any provision of the Plan or benefit program, except through a writing of the party to be charged by the waiver or estoppel. No such written waiver shall be deemed a continuing waiver unless explicitly made so, and shall operate only with regard to the specific term or condition waived, and shall not be deemed to waive such term or condition in the future, or as to any act other than as specifically waived. No covered person other than as named or described by class in the waiver shall be entitled to rely on the waiver for any purposes.

### **Effect on Other Benefit Plans**

Amounts credited or paid under this Plan or any benefit program shall not be considered to be compensation for purposes of any benefit program hereunder or any qualified or nonqualified pension plan maintained by the Company unless expressly provided in such benefit program or qualified or nonqualified pension plan, as applicable, or if required by applicable law. The treatment of amounts paid under this Plan or any benefit program for purposes of any other employee benefit plan maintained by the Company shall be determined under the provisions of the applicable employee benefit plan.

### **Severability**

If any provision of this Plan or any benefit program is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions hereof shall continue to be fully effective.

### **Rebates**

In some situations, a rebate may be paid by an insurance company which provides coverage under the Plan. For example, a rebate may be provided under the Medical Loss Ratio ("MLR") rules, which are part of the Affordable Care Act. Except as specifically and unambiguously

provided in a Benefit Description, or as otherwise required by applicable law, any rebate from any source will be:

- ☐ Considered an asset of the Company, not the Plan. The Company does not need to use such a rebate to benefit Employees, participants or beneficiaries. The Company can use such a rebate for the Company's own purposes
- ☒ An asset of the Plan in proportion to how much of the rebate relates to Employee, participant, or beneficiary contributions. The portion relating to Company contributions shall not be considered a Plan asset. The Company will have the ability to make certain assumptions or minor changes (such as rounding to the nearest \$1 or \$10) when determining the amount which is considered a plan asset. The Company shall have discretion to determine how to use all amounts. Amounts which are plan assets will be used to benefit individuals selected by the Company. This group of individuals may not be identical to the group which relates to the rebate. In addition, certain individuals can receive the rebate (or the benefit of the rebate) even if the rebate related to a different benefit, to the extent allowed by applicable law.
- ☐ The entire amount shall be an asset of the Plan, to be used for the benefit of individuals covered by the Plan.

In all situations where ERISA applies the use of any ERISA-covered plan assets will be governed by applicable law, including but not limited to U.S. Department of Labor Technical Release 2011-04.

## **Controlling Law**

This Plan shall be administered, construed, and enforced according to the federal law and the laws of the State of California, to the extent not preempted by federal law. However, with respect to a fully-insured benefit program, the applicable insurance policy or contract will control with respect to which state's laws apply.

## 15. Benefit Program Information

### Summary of Eligibility and Participation Provisions

Note: If you have any questions about eligibility or participation, contact the Plan Administrator.

<b>Benefit Program</b>	<b>Fully-insured or self-funded?</b>	<b>Policy or Group #</b>	<b>Who is Eligible</b>	<b>When Participation Begins</b>	<b>When Participation Ends<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>To File a Claim, Contact:</b>
<b>Medical PPO</b>	Fully-Insured / Cigna Open Access Plus HDHP, Cigna OAP Base, Cigna OAP Buy Up	00627502	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week. Spouse/ domestic partner and children are generally covered.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Continuation coverage usually is available.	Cigna Medical Customer Service P.O. Box 188061 Chattanooga TN, 37422-8061 (866) 494-2111
<b>Medical HMO</b>	Fully-Insured / Kaiser Permanente Medical HMO (California Only)	715657	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week. Spouse/ domestic partner and children are generally covered.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Continuation coverage usually is available.	Kaiser Permanente Member Services/Claims Nor Cal: P.O. Box 12923 Oakland, CA 94604-2923 So Cal: P.O. Box 7004 Downey, CA 90242-7004 (800) 464-4000
<b>Dental</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Dental PPO & Dental HMO (California Only)	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week. Spouse/ domestic partner and children are generally covered.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Continuation coverage usually is available.	MetLife Dental Member Services P.O. Box 981282 El Paso, TX 79998-1282 (800) 438-6388
<b>Vision</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Vision	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week. Spouse/ domestic partner and children are generally covered.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Continuation coverage usually is available.	MetLife Vision Member Services P.O. Box 385018 Birmingham, AL 35238-5018 (800) 438-6388

<sup>1</sup> Other Events (such as fraud or intentional misrepresentation of a material fact) can also terminate coverage -- see the benefit program details.



<b>Benefit Program</b>	<b>Fully-insured or self-funded?</b>	<b>Policy or Group #</b>	<b>Who is Eligible</b>	<b>When Participation Begins</b>	<b>When Participation Ends<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>To File a Claim, Contact:</b>
<b>Employee Assistance Program</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Employee Assistance Program (EAP)	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week. All household members are generally covered.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Continuation coverage usually is available.	MetLife EAP (888) 319-7819
<b>Life AD&amp;D</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Basic Term Life/AD&D, Voluntary Life	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Conversion is usually available.	MetLife Life & AD&D Member Services (800) 438-6388 Lifeclaimsubmit@metlife.com (password protected emails only)
<b>Disability</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Short-Term Disability, Long-Term Disability	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week.	Date of hire.	The date on which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Conversion is usually available.	MetLife Life Member Services P.O. Box 14590 Lexington, KY 40511-4590 (800) 438-6388
<b>Accident/ Critical Illness/ Hospital</b>	Fully-Insured / MetLife Accident, Critical Illness, Hospital Indemnity	5966783	Full-time employees working 30+ hours per week.	Date of hire.	At the end of the month in which coverage is dropped or employment is terminated. Conversion is usually available.	MetLife (800) 858-6506
<b>Health FSA</b>	Self-Funded / WEX	36163	Full time employees working 30+ hours per week. Expenses of spouse/domestic partner and children generally can be reimbursed.	Date of hire.	Immediately upon termination of employment. Continuation coverage usually is available unless Health FSA is "overspent."	WEX P.O. Box 2926 Fargo, ND 58108-2926 (866) 451-3399 File online: <a href="http://www.DiscoveryBenefits.com/benefitslogin">www.DiscoveryBenefits.com/benefitslogin</a>

<sup>1</sup> Other Events (such as fraud or intentional misrepresentation of a material fact) can also terminate coverage -- see the benefit program details.

# Appendix A: COBRA Continuation

Kong Inc.

## **\*\* Continuation Coverage Rights Under COBRA\*\***

### **Introduction**

You're getting this notice because you recently gained coverage under a group health plan (Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan). This notice has important information about your right to COBRA continuation coverage, which is a temporary extension of coverage under the Plan. **This notice explains COBRA continuation coverage, when it may become available to you and your family, and what you need to do to protect your right to get it.** When you become eligible for COBRA, you may also become eligible for other coverage options that may cost less than COBRA continuation coverage.

The right to COBRA continuation coverage was created by a federal law, the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (COBRA). COBRA continuation coverage can become available to you and other members of your family when group health coverage would otherwise end. For more information about your rights and obligations under the Plan and under federal law, you should review the Plan's Summary Plan Description or contact the Plan Administrator.

**You may have other options available to you when you lose group health coverage.** For example, you may be eligible to buy an individual plan through the Health Insurance Marketplace. By enrolling in coverage through the Marketplace, you may qualify for lower costs on your monthly premiums and lower out-of-pocket costs. Additionally, you may qualify for a 30-day special enrollment period for another group health plan for which you are eligible (such as a spouse's plan), even if that plan generally doesn't accept late enrollees.

### **What is COBRA Continuation Coverage?**

COBRA continuation coverage is a continuation of Plan coverage when it would otherwise end because of a life event. This is also called a "qualifying event." Specific qualifying events are listed later in this notice. After a qualifying event, COBRA continuation coverage must be offered to each person who is a "qualified beneficiary." You, your spouse, and your dependent children could become qualified beneficiaries if coverage under the Plan is lost because of the qualifying event. Under the Plan, qualified beneficiaries who elect COBRA continuation coverage must pay for COBRA continuation coverage.

If you're an employee, you'll become a qualified beneficiary if you lose your coverage under the Plan because of the following qualifying events:

- Your hours of employment are reduced, or
- Your employment ends for any reason other than your gross misconduct.

If you're the spouse of an employee, you'll become a qualified beneficiary if you lose your coverage under the Plan because of the following qualifying events:

- Your spouse dies;
- Your spouse's hours of employment are reduced;
- Your spouse's employment ends for any reason other than his or her gross misconduct;
- Your spouse becomes entitled to Medicare benefits (under Part A, Part B, or both); or
- You become divorced or legally separated from your spouse.

Your dependent children will become qualified beneficiaries if they lose coverage under the Plan because of the following qualifying events:

- The parent-employee dies;
- The parent-employee's hours of employment are reduced;
- The parent-employee's employment ends for any reason other than his or her gross misconduct;
- The parent-employee becomes entitled to Medicare benefits (Part A, Part B, or both);
- The parents become divorced or legally separated; or
- The child stops being eligible for coverage under the Plan as a "dependent child."

#### **When is COBRA continuation coverage available?**

The Plan will offer COBRA continuation coverage to qualified beneficiaries only after the Plan Administrator has been notified that a qualifying event has occurred. The employer must notify the Plan Administrator of the following qualifying events:

- The end of employment or reduction of hours of employment;
- Death of the employee;
- The employee's becoming entitled to Medicare benefits (under Part A, Part B, or both).

**For all other qualifying events (divorce or legal separation of the employee and spouse or a dependent child's losing eligibility for coverage as a dependent child), you must notify the Plan Administrator within 60 days after the qualifying event occurs. You must provide this notice to:**

WEX Inc.  
P.O. Box 2926  
Fargo, ND 58108-2926  
(866) 451-3399

#### **How is COBRA continuation coverage provided?**

Once the Plan Administrator receives notice that a qualifying event has occurred, COBRA continuation coverage will be offered to each of the qualified beneficiaries. Each qualified beneficiary will have an independent right to elect COBRA continuation coverage. Covered employees may elect COBRA continuation coverage on behalf of their spouses, and parents may elect COBRA continuation coverage on behalf of their children.

COBRA continuation coverage is a temporary continuation of coverage that generally lasts for 18 months due to employment termination or reduction of hours of work. Certain qualifying events, or a second qualifying event during the initial period of coverage, may permit a beneficiary to receive a maximum of 36 months of coverage.

There are also ways in which this 18-month period of COBRA continuation coverage can be extended:

#### ***Disability extension of 18-month period of COBRA continuation coverage***

If you or anyone in your family covered under the Plan is determined by Social Security to be disabled and you notify the Plan Administrator in a timely fashion, you and your entire family may be entitled to get up to an additional 11 months of COBRA continuation coverage, for a maximum of 29 months. The disability would have to have started at some time before the 60th day of COBRA continuation coverage and must last at least until the end of the 18-month period of COBRA continuation coverage.

### ***Second qualifying event extension of 18-month period of continuation coverage***

If your family experiences another qualifying event during the 18 months of COBRA continuation coverage, the spouse and dependent children in your family can get up to 18 additional months of COBRA continuation coverage, for a maximum of 36 months, if the Plan is properly notified about the second qualifying event. This extension may be available to the spouse and any dependent children getting COBRA continuation coverage if the employee or former employee dies; becomes entitled to Medicare benefits (under Part A, Part B, or both); gets divorced or legally separated; or if the dependent child stops being eligible under the Plan as a dependent child. This extension is only available if the second qualifying event would have caused the spouse or dependent child to lose coverage under the Plan had the first qualifying event not occurred.

### **Are there other coverage options besides COBRA Continuation Coverage?**

Yes. Instead of enrolling in COBRA continuation coverage, there may be other coverage options for you and your family through the Health Insurance Marketplace, Medicaid, or other group health plan coverage options (such as a spouse's plan) through what is called a "special enrollment period." Some of these options may cost less than COBRA continuation coverage. You can learn more about many of these options at [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov).

### **If you have questions**

Questions concerning your Plan or your COBRA continuation coverage rights should be addressed to the contact or contacts identified below. For more information about your rights under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA), including COBRA, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, and other laws affecting group health plans, contact the nearest Regional or District Office of the U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) in your area or visit [www.dol.gov/ebsa](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa). (Addresses and phone numbers of Regional and District EBSA Offices are available through EBSA's website.) For more information about the Marketplace, visit [www.HealthCare.gov](http://www.HealthCare.gov).

### **Keep your Plan informed of address changes**

To protect your family's rights, let the Plan Administrator know about any changes in the addresses of family members. You should also keep a copy, for your records, of any notices you send to the Plan Administrator.

### **Plan contact information**

Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan  
150 Spear Street, Suite 1600  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
(628) 243-7512

## **Appendix B: Medicare Part D**

### **Important Notice from Kong Inc. About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare**

**Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with Kong Inc. and about your options under Medicare's prescription drug coverage. This information can help you decide whether or not you want to join a Medicare drug plan. If you are considering joining, you should compare your current coverage, including which drugs are covered at what cost, with the coverage and costs of the plans offering Medicare prescription drug coverage in your area. Information about where you can get help to make decisions about your prescription drug coverage is at the end of this notice.**

**There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare's prescription drug coverage:**

- 1. Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.**
- 2. Kong Inc. has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.**

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#### **When Can You Join A Medicare Drug Plan?**

**You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from October 15th to December 7th.**

However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

### **What Happens To Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join A Medicare Drug Plan?**

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your Kong Inc. coverage will not be affected. See below for more information about what happens to your current coverage if you join a Medicare drug plan.

Since the existing prescription drug coverage under Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is creditable (e.g. as good as Medicare coverage), you can retain your existing prescription drug coverage and choose not to enroll in a Part D plan; or you can enroll in a Part D plan as a supplement to, or in lieu of, your existing prescription drug coverage.

If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your Kong Inc. prescription drug coverage, be aware that you and your dependents may not be able to get this coverage back.

### **When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join A Medicare Drug Plan?**

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with Kong Inc. and don't join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following October to join.

### **For More Information About This Notice Or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage...**

Contact the person listed below for further information. **NOTE:** You'll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through Kong Inc. changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

### **For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage...**

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the "Medicare & You" handbook. You'll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans.

For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov)
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the "Medicare & You" handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov), or call them at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778).

**Remember: Keep this Creditable Coverage notice. If you decide to join one of the Medicare drug plans, you may be required to provide a copy of this notice when you join to show whether or not you have maintained creditable coverage and, therefore, whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).**

Date: January 1, 2022  
Name of Entity/Sender: Kong Inc.  
Contact--Position/Office: Human Resources  
Address: 150 Spear Street, Suite 1600, San Francisco, CA 94105  
Phone Number: (628) 243-7512

## **Appendix C: Cafeteria Plan and FSA Provisions**



**FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT  
CAFETERIA PLAN**

**AND ALL SUPPORTING FORMS HAVE BEEN PRODUCED FOR**

**Kong Inc**

**FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT  
CAFETERIA PLAN**

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## FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT CAFETERIA PLAN

### INTRODUCTION

The Employer has adopted this Plan effective December 1, 2019, to recognize the contribution made to the Employer by its Employees. Its purpose is to reward them by providing benefits for those Employees who shall qualify hereunder and their Dependents and beneficiaries. The concept of this Plan is to allow Employees to choose among different types of benefits based on their own particular goals, desires and needs. The Plan shall be known as Flexible Spending Account Cafeteria Plan (the "Plan").

The intention of the Employer is that the Plan qualify as a "Cafeteria Plan" within the meaning of Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and that the benefits which an Employee elects to receive under the Plan be excludable from the Employee's income under Section 125(a) and other applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The Employer also intends that, for purposes of the annual report requirement (Form 5500), this document is considered a "wrap" plan and the terms of the underlying plans for which Participants are making contributions through this Plan are hereby incorporated by reference.

### ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

1.1 **"Administrator"** means the Employer unless another person or entity has been designated by the Employer pursuant to Section 9.1 to administer the Plan on behalf of the Employer. If the Employer is the Administrator, the Employer may appoint any person, including, but not limited to, the Employees of the Employer, to perform the duties of the Administrator. Any person so appointed shall signify acceptance by filing written acceptance with the Employer. Upon the resignation or removal of any individual performing the duties of the Administrator, the Employer may designate a successor.

1.2 **"Affiliated Employer"** means the Employer and any corporation which is a member of a controlled group of corporations (as defined in Code Section 414(b)) which includes the Employer; any trade or business (whether or not incorporated) which is under common control (as defined in Code Section 414(c)) with the Employer; any organization (whether or not incorporated) which is a member of an affiliated service group (as defined in Code Section 414(m)) which includes the Employer; and any other entity required to be aggregated with the Employer pursuant to Treasury regulations under Code Section 414(o).

1.3 **"Benefit" or "Benefit Options"** means any of the optional benefit choices available to a Participant as outlined in Section 4.1.

1.4 **"Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars"** means the amount available to Participants to purchase Benefit Options as provided under Section 4.1. Each dollar contributed to this Plan shall be converted into one Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollar.

1.5 **"Code"** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended or replaced from time to time.

1.6 **"Compensation"** means the amounts received by the Participant from the Employer during a Plan Year.

1.7 **"Dependent"** means any individual who qualifies as a dependent under Code Section 152 (as modified by Code Section 105(b)). Any child of a Plan Participant who is determined to be an alternate recipient under a qualified medical child support order under ERISA Sec. 609 shall be considered a Dependent under this Plan.

**"Dependent"** shall include any Child of a Participant who is covered under an Insurance Contract, as defined in the Contract, or under the Health Flexible Spending Account or as allowed by reason of the Affordable Care Act.

For purposes of the Health Flexible Spending Account, a Participant's "Child" includes his/her natural child, stepchild, foster child, adopted child, or a child placed with the Participant for adoption. A Participant's Child will be an eligible Dependent until reaching the limiting age of 26, without regard to student status, marital status, financial dependency or residency status with the Employee or any other person. When the child reaches the applicable limiting age, coverage will end at the end of the calendar year.

The phrase "placed for adoption" refers to a child whom the Participant intends to adopt, whether or not the adoption has become final, who has not attained the age of 18 as of the date of such placement for adoption. The term "placed" means the assumption and retention by such Employee of a legal obligation for total or partial support of the child in anticipation of adoption of the child. The child must be available for adoption and the legal process must have commenced.

1.8 **"Effective Date"** means December 1, 2019.

1.9 **"Election Period"** means the period immediately preceding the beginning of each Plan Year established by the Administrator, such period to be applied on a uniform and nondiscriminatory basis for all Employees and Participants. However, an Employee's initial Election Period shall be determined pursuant to Section 5.1.

1.10 **"Eligible Employee"** means any Employee who has satisfied the provisions of Section 2.1.

An individual shall not be an "Eligible Employee" if such individual is not reported on the payroll records of the Employer as a common law employee. In particular, it is expressly intended that individuals not treated as common law employees by the Employer on its payroll records are not "Eligible Employees" and are excluded from Plan participation even if a court or administrative agency determines that such individuals are common law employees and not independent contractors.

1.11 **"Employee"** means any person who is employed by the Employer. The term Employee shall include leased employees within the meaning of Code Section 414(n)(2).

1.12 **"Employer"** means Kong Inc and any successor which shall maintain this Plan; and any predecessor which has maintained this Plan. In addition, where appropriate, the term Employer shall include any Participating, Affiliated or Adopting Employer.

1.13 **"ERISA"** means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended from time to time.

1.14 **"Key Employee"** means an Employee described in Code Section 416(i)(1) and the Treasury regulations thereunder.

1.15 **"Participant"** means any Eligible Employee who elects to become a Participant pursuant to Section 2.3 and has not for any reason become ineligible to participate further in the Plan.

1.16 **"Plan"** means this instrument, including all amendments thereto.

1.17 **"Plan Year"** means the 12-month period beginning January 1 and ending December 31. The Plan Year shall be the coverage period for the Benefits provided for under this Plan. In the event a Participant commences participation during a Plan Year, then the initial coverage period shall be that portion of the Plan Year commencing on such Participant's date of entry and ending on the last day of such Plan Year.

1.18 **"Salary Redirection"** means the contributions made by the Employer on behalf of Participants pursuant to Section 3.1. These contributions shall be converted to Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars and allocated to the funds or accounts established under the Plan pursuant to the Participants' elections made under Article V.

1.19 **"Salary Redirection Agreement"** means an agreement between the Participant and the Employer under which the Participant agrees to reduce his Compensation or to forego all or part of the increases in such Compensation and to have such amounts contributed by the Employer to the Plan on the Participant's behalf. The Salary Redirection Agreement shall apply only to Compensation that has not been actually or constructively received by the Participant as of the date of the agreement (after taking this Plan and Code Section 125 into account) and, subsequently does not become currently available to the Participant.

1.20 **"Spouse"** means spouse as determined under Federal law.

## ARTICLE II PARTICIPATION

### 2.1 ELIGIBILITY

Any Eligible Employee shall be eligible to participate hereunder as of the date he satisfies the eligibility conditions for the Employer's group medical plan, the provisions of which are specifically incorporated herein by reference.

### 2.2 EFFECTIVE DATE OF PARTICIPATION

An Eligible Employee shall become a Participant effective as of the entry date under the Employer's group medical plan, the provisions of which are specifically incorporated herein by reference.

### 2.3 APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE

An Employee who is eligible to participate in this Plan shall, during the applicable Election Period, complete an application to participate in a manner set forth by the Administrator. The election shall be irrevocable until the end of the applicable Plan Year unless the Participant is entitled to change his Benefit elections pursuant to Section 5.4 hereof.

An Eligible Employee shall also be required to complete a Salary Redirection Agreement during the Election Period for the Plan Year during which he wishes to participate in this Plan. Any such Salary Redirection Agreement shall be effective for the first pay period beginning on or after the Employee's effective date of participation pursuant to Section 2.2.

### 2.4 TERMINATION OF PARTICIPATION

A Participant shall no longer participate in this Plan upon the occurrence of any of the following events:

(a) **Termination of employment.** The Participant's termination of employment, subject to the provisions of Section 2.5;

- (b) **Death.** The Participant's death, subject to the provisions of Section 2.6; or
- (c) **Termination of the plan.** The termination of this Plan, subject to the provisions of Section 10.2.

## 2.5 TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT

If a Participant's employment with the Employer is terminated for any reason other than death, his participation in the Benefit Options provided under Section 4.1 shall be governed in accordance with the following:

- (a) **Dependent Care FSA.** With regard to the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, the Participant's participation in the Plan shall cease and no further Salary Redirection contributions shall be made. However, such Participant may submit claims for employment related Dependent Care Expense reimbursements for claims incurred through the remainder of the Plan Year in which such termination occurs and submitted within 90 days after the end of the Plan Year, based on the level of the Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account as of the date of termination.
- (b) **COBRA applicability.** With regard to the Health Flexible Spending Account, the Participant may submit claims for expenses that were incurred during the portion of the Plan Year before the end of the period for which payments to the Health Flexible Spending Account have already been made. Thereafter, the health benefits under this Plan including the Health Flexible Spending Account shall be applied and administered consistent with such further rights a Participant and his Dependents may be entitled to pursuant to Code Section 4980B and Section 11.13 of the Plan.

## 2.6 DEATH

If a Participant dies, his participation in the Plan shall cease. However, such Participant's spouse or Dependents may submit claims for expenses or benefits for the remainder of the Plan Year or until the Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars allocated to each specific benefit are exhausted. In no event may reimbursements be paid to someone who is not a spouse or Dependent. If the Plan is subject to the provisions of Code Section 4980B, then those provisions and related regulations shall apply for purposes of the Health Flexible Spending Account.

# ARTICLE III CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PLAN

## 3.1 SALARY REDIRECTION

Benefits under the Plan shall be financed by Salary Redirections sufficient to support Benefits that a Participant has elected hereunder. The salary administration program of the Employer shall be revised to allow each Participant to agree to reduce his pay during a Plan Year by an amount determined necessary to purchase the elected Benefit Options. The amount of such Salary Redirection shall be specified in the Salary Redirection Agreement and shall be applicable for a Plan Year. Notwithstanding the above, for new Participants, the Salary Redirection Agreement shall only be applicable from the first day of the pay period following the Employee's entry date up to and including the last day of the Plan Year. These contributions shall be converted to Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars and allocated to the funds or accounts established under the Plan pursuant to the Participants' elections made under Article IV.

Any Salary Redirection shall be determined prior to the beginning of a Plan Year (subject to initial elections pursuant to Section 5.1) and prior to the end of the Election Period and shall be irrevocable for such Plan Year. However, a Participant may revoke a Benefit election or a Salary Redirection Agreement after the Plan Year has commenced and make a new election with respect to the remainder of the Plan Year, if both the revocation and the new election are on account of and consistent with a change in status and such other permitted events as determined under Article V of the Plan and consistent with the rules and regulations of the Department of the Treasury. Salary Redirection amounts shall be contributed on a pro rata basis for each pay period during the Plan Year. All individual Salary Redirection Agreements are deemed to be part of this Plan and incorporated by reference hereunder.

## 3.2 APPLICATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS

As soon as reasonably practical after each payroll period, the Employer shall apply the Salary Redirection to provide the Benefits elected by the affected Participants. Any contribution made or withheld for the Health Flexible Spending Account or Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account shall be credited to such fund or account.

## 3.3 PERIODIC CONTRIBUTIONS

Notwithstanding the requirement provided above and in other Articles of this Plan that Salary Redirections be contributed to the Plan by the Employer on behalf of an Employee on a level and pro rata basis for each payroll period, the Employer and Administrator may implement a procedure in which Salary Redirections are contributed throughout the Plan Year on a periodic basis that is not pro rata for each payroll period. However, with regard to the Health Flexible Spending Account, the payment schedule for the required contributions may not be based on the rate or amount of reimbursements during the Plan Year.



## **ARTICLE IV BENEFITS**

### **4.1 BENEFIT OPTIONS**

Each Participant may elect any one or more of the following optional Benefits:

- (1) Health Flexible Spending Account
- (2) Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account
- (3) Health Savings Account Benefit

### **4.2 HEALTH FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT BENEFIT**

Each Participant may elect to participate in the Health Flexible Spending Account option, in which case Article VI shall apply.

### **4.3 DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT BENEFIT**

Each Participant may elect to participate in the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account option, in which case Article VII shall apply.

### **4.4 HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT BENEFIT**

Each Participant may elect to have a portion of his Salary Redirections contributed to a Health Savings Account, as defined in Code Section 223. The amounts contributed shall be subject to the terms of the Health Savings Account as established.

### **4.5 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS**

(a) **Intent to be nondiscriminatory.** It is the intent of this Plan to provide benefits to a classification of employees which the Secretary of the Treasury finds not to be discriminatory in favor of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur under Code Section 125.

(b) **25% concentration test.** It is the intent of this Plan not to provide qualified benefits as defined under Code Section 125 to Key Employees in amounts that exceed 25% of the aggregate of such Benefits provided for all Eligible Employees under the Plan. For purposes of the preceding sentence, qualified benefits shall not include benefits which (without regard to this paragraph) are includible in gross income.

(c) **Adjustment to avoid test failure.** If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination or possible taxation to Key Employees or a group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur in violation of Code Section 125, it may, but shall not be required to, reject any election or reduce contributions or non-taxable Benefits in order to assure compliance with the Code and regulations. Any act taken by the Administrator shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. With respect to any affected Participant who has had Benefits reduced pursuant to this Section, the reduction shall be made proportionately among Health Flexible Spending Account Benefits and Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account Benefits. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited and deposited into the benefit plan surplus.

## **ARTICLE V PARTICIPANT ELECTIONS**

### **5.1 INITIAL ELECTIONS**

An Employee who meets the eligibility requirements of Section 2.1 on the first day of, or during, a Plan Year may elect to participate in this Plan for all or the remainder of such Plan Year, provided he elects to do so on or before his effective date of participation pursuant to Section 2.2.

### **5.2 SUBSEQUENT ANNUAL ELECTIONS**

During the Election Period prior to each subsequent Plan Year, each Participant shall be given the opportunity to elect, on an election of benefits form to be provided by the Administrator, which Benefit options he wishes to select. Any such election shall be effective for any Benefit expenses incurred during the Plan Year which follows the end of the Election Period. With regard to subsequent annual elections, the following options shall apply:

(a) A Participant or Employee who failed to initially elect to participate may elect different or new Benefits under the Plan during the Election Period;

(b) A Participant may terminate his participation in the Plan by notifying the Administrator in writing during the Election Period that he does not want to participate in the Plan for the next Plan Year, or by not electing any Benefit options;

(c) An Employee who elects not to participate for the Plan Year following the Election Period will have to wait until the next Election Period before again electing to participate in the Plan, except as provided for in Section 5.4.

### 5.3 FAILURE TO ELECT

Any Participant failing to complete an election of benefits form pursuant to Section 5.2 by the end of the applicable Election Period shall be deemed to have elected not to participate in the Plan for the upcoming Plan Year. No further Salary Redirections shall therefore be authorized for such subsequent Plan Year.

### 5.4 CHANGE IN STATUS

(a) **Change in status defined.** Any Participant may change a Benefit election after the Plan Year (to which such election relates) has commenced and make new elections with respect to the remainder of such Plan Year if, under the facts and circumstances, the changes are necessitated by and are consistent with a change in status which is acceptable under rules and regulations adopted by the Department of the Treasury, the provisions of which are incorporated by reference. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the rules and regulations conflict, then such rules and regulations shall control.

Regardless of the consistency requirement, if the individual, the individual's Spouse, or Dependent becomes eligible for continuation coverage under the Employer's group health plan as provided in Code Section 4980B or any similar state law, then the individual may elect to increase payments under this Plan in order to pay for the continuation coverage. However, this does not apply for COBRA eligibility due to divorce, annulment or legal separation.

Any new election shall be effective at such time as the Administrator shall prescribe, but not earlier than the first pay period beginning after the election form is completed and returned to the Administrator. For the purposes of this subsection, a change in status shall only include the following events or other events permitted by Treasury regulations:

- (1) **Legal Marital Status:** events that change a Participant's legal marital status, including marriage, divorce, death of a Spouse, legal separation or annulment;
- (2) **Number of Dependents:** Events that change a Participant's number of Dependents, including birth, adoption, placement for adoption, or death of a Dependent;
- (3) **Employment Status:** Any of the following events that change the employment status of the Participant, Spouse, or Dependent: termination or commencement of employment, a strike or lockout, commencement or return from an unpaid leave of absence, or a change in worksite. In addition, if the eligibility conditions of this Plan or other employee benefit plan of the Employer of the Participant, Spouse, or Dependent depend on the employment status of that individual and there is a change in that individual's employment status with the consequence that the individual becomes (or ceases to be) eligible under the plan, then that change constitutes a change in employment under this subsection;
- (4) **Dependent satisfies or ceases to satisfy the eligibility requirements:** An event that causes the Participant's Dependent to satisfy or cease to satisfy the requirements for coverage due to attainment of age, student status, or any similar circumstance; and
- (5) **Residency:** A change in the place of residence of the Participant, Spouse or Dependent, that would lead to a change in status (such as a loss of HMO coverage).

For the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, a Dependent becoming or ceasing to be a "Qualifying Dependent" as defined under Code Section 21(b) shall also qualify as a change in status.

Notwithstanding anything in this Section to the contrary, the gain of eligibility or change in eligibility of a child, as allowed under Code Sections 105(b) and 106, and guidance thereunder, shall qualify as a change in status.

(b) **Special enrollment rights.** Notwithstanding subsection (a), the Participants may change an election for group health coverage during a Plan Year and make a new election that corresponds with the special enrollment rights provided in Code Section 9801(f), including those authorized under the provisions of the Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2009 (SCHIP); provided that such Participant meets the sixty (60) day notice requirement imposed by Code Section 9801(f) (or such longer period as may be permitted by the Plan and communicated to Participants). Such change shall take place on a prospective basis, unless otherwise required by Code Section 9801(f) to be retroactive.

(c) **Qualified Medical Support Order.** Notwithstanding subsection (a), in the event of a judgment, decree, or order (including approval of a property settlement) ("order") resulting from a divorce, legal separation, annulment, or change in legal custody (including a qualified medical child support order defined in ERISA Section 609) which requires accident or health coverage for a Participant's child (including a foster child who is a Dependent of the Participant):

- (1) The Plan may change an election to provide coverage for the child if the order requires coverage under the Participant's plan; or

(2) The Participant shall be permitted to change an election to cancel coverage for the child if the order requires the former Spouse to provide coverage for such child, under that individual's plan and such coverage is actually provided.

(d) **Medicare or Medicaid.** Notwithstanding subsection (a), a Participant may change elections to cancel accident or health coverage for the Participant or the Participant's Spouse or Dependent if the Participant or the Participant's Spouse or Dependent is enrolled in the accident or health coverage of the Employer and becomes entitled to coverage (i.e., enrolled) under Part A or Part B of the Title XVIII of the Social Security Act (Medicare) or Title XIX of the Social Security Act (Medicaid), other than coverage consisting solely of benefits under Section 1928 of the Social Security Act (the program for distribution of pediatric vaccines). If the Participant or the Participant's Spouse or Dependent who has been entitled to Medicaid or Medicare coverage loses eligibility, that individual may prospectively elect coverage under the Plan if a benefit package option under the Plan provides similar coverage.

(e) **Addition of a new benefit.** If, during the period of coverage, a new benefit package option or other coverage option is added, an existing benefit package option is significantly improved, or an existing benefit package option or other coverage option is eliminated, then the affected Participants may elect the newly-added option, or elect another option if an option has been eliminated prospectively and make corresponding election changes with respect to other benefit package options providing similar coverage. In addition, those Eligible Employees who are not participating in the Plan may opt to become Participants and elect the new or newly improved benefit package option.

(f) **Loss of coverage under certain other plans.** A Participant may make a prospective election change to add group health coverage for the Participant, the Participant's Spouse or Dependent if such individual loses group health coverage sponsored by a governmental or educational institution, including a state children's health insurance program under the Social Security Act, the Indian Health Service or a health program offered by an Indian tribal government, a state health benefits risk pool, or a foreign government group health plan.

(g) **Change in dependent care provider.** A Participant may make a prospective election change that is on account of and corresponds with a change by the Participant in the dependent care provider. The availability of dependent care services from a new childcare provider is similar to a new benefit package option becoming available. A cost change is allowable in the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account only if the cost change is imposed by a dependent care provider who is not related to the Participant, as defined in Code Section 152(a)(1) through (8).

(h) **Health FSA cannot change due to insurance change.** A Participant shall not be permitted to change an election to the Health Flexible Spending Account as a result of a cost or coverage change under any health insurance benefits.

(i) **Health Savings Account changes.** With regard to the Health Savings Account Benefit specified in Section 4.4, a Participant who has elected to make elective contributions under such arrangement may modify or revoke the election prospectively, provided such change is consistent with Code Section 223 and the Treasury regulations thereunder.

(j) **Changes due to reduction in hours or enrollment in an Exchange Plan.** A Participant may prospectively revoke coverage under the group health plan (that is not a health Flexible Spending Account) which provides minimum essential coverage (as defined in Code § 5000A(f)(1)) provided the following conditions are met:

Conditions for revocation due to reduction in hours of service:

(1) The Participant has been reasonably expected to average at least 30 hours of service per week and there is a change in that Participant's status so that the Participant will reasonably be expected to average less than 30 hours of service per week after the change, even if that reduction does not result in the Participant ceasing to be eligible under the group health plan; and

(2) The revocation of coverage under the group health plan corresponds to the intended enrollment of the Participant, and any related individuals who cease coverage due to the revocation, in another plan that provides minimum essential coverage with the new coverage effective no later than the first day of the second month following the month that includes the date the original coverage is revoked.

The Administrator may rely on the reasonable representation of the Participant who is reasonably expected to have an average of less than 30 hours of service per week for future periods that the Participant and related individuals have enrolled or intend to enroll in another plan that provides minimum essential coverage for new coverage that is effective no later than the first day of the second month following the month that includes the date the original coverage is revoked.

Conditions for revocation due to enrollment in a Qualified Health Plan:

(1) The Participant is eligible for a Special Enrollment Period to enroll in a Qualified Health Plan through a Marketplace (federal or state exchange) pursuant to guidance issued by the Department of Health and Human Services and any other applicable guidance, or the Participant seeks to enroll in a Qualified Health Plan through a Marketplace during the Marketplace's annual open enrollment period; and

(2) The revocation of the election of coverage under the group health plan corresponds to the intended enrollment of the Participant and any related individuals who cease coverage due to the revocation in a Qualified Health Plan through a Marketplace for new coverage that is effective beginning no later than the day immediately following the last day of the original coverage that is revoked.

The Administrator may rely on the reasonable representation of a Participant who has an enrollment opportunity for a Qualified Health Plan through a Marketplace that the Participant and related individuals have enrolled or intend to enroll in a Qualified Health Plan for new coverage that is effective beginning no later than the day immediately following the last day of the original coverage that is revoked.

## ARTICLE VI HEALTH FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT

### 6.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF PLAN

This Health Flexible Spending Account is intended to qualify as a medical reimbursement plan under Code Section 105 and shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with such Code Section and the Treasury regulations thereunder. Participants who elect to participate in this Health Flexible Spending Account may submit claims for the reimbursement of Medical Expenses. All amounts reimbursed shall be periodically paid from amounts allocated to the Health Flexible Spending Account. Periodic payments reimbursing Participants from the Health Flexible Spending Account shall in no event occur less frequently than monthly.

### 6.2 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Article and the Cafeteria Plan, the terms below have the following meaning:

- (a) **"Health Flexible Spending Account"** means the account established for Participants pursuant to this Plan to which part of their Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars may be allocated and from which all allowable Medical Expenses incurred by a Participant, his or her Spouse and his or her Dependents may be reimbursed.
- (b) **"Highly Compensated Participant"** means, for the purposes of this Article and determining discrimination under Code Section 105(h), a participant who is:
  - (1) one of the 5 highest paid officers;
  - (2) a shareholder who owns (or is considered to own applying the rules of Code Section 318) more than 10 percent in value of the stock of the Employer; or
  - (3) among the highest paid 25 percent of all Employees (other than exclusions permitted by Code Section 105(h)(3)(B) for those individuals who are not Participants).
- (c) **"Medical Expenses"** means any expense for medical care within the meaning of the term "medical care" as defined in Code Section 213(d) and the rulings and Treasury regulations thereunder, and not otherwise used by the Participant as a deduction in determining his tax liability under the Code. "Medical Expenses" can be incurred by the Participant, his or her Spouse and his or her Dependents. "Incurred" means, with regard to Medical Expenses, when the Participant is provided with the medical care that gives rise to the Medical Expense and not when the Participant is formally billed or charged for, or pays for, the medical care.

A Participant may not be reimbursed for the cost of any medicine or drug that is not "prescribed" within the meaning of Code Section 106(f) or is not insulin.

A Participant may not be reimbursed for the cost of other health coverage such as premiums paid under plans maintained by the employer of the Participant's Spouse or individual policies maintained by the Participant or his Spouse or Dependent.

A Participant may not be reimbursed for "qualified long-term care services" as defined in Code Section 7702B(c).

(d) The definitions of Article I are hereby incorporated by reference to the extent necessary to interpret and apply the provisions of this Health Flexible Spending Account.

### 6.3 FORFEITURES

The amount in the Health Flexible Spending Account as of the end of any Plan Year (and after the processing of all claims for such Plan Year pursuant to Section 6.7 hereof, excluding any carryover) shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus. In such event, the Participant shall have no further claim to such amount for any reason, subject to Section 8.2.

### 6.4 LIMITATION ON ALLOCATIONS

(a) Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Health Flexible Spending Account to the contrary, the maximum amount that may be allocated to the Health Flexible Spending Account by a Participant in or on account of any Plan Year is \$2750.

(b) **Participation in Other Plans.** All employers that are treated as a single employer under Code Sections 414(b), (c), or (m), relating to controlled groups and affiliated service groups, are treated as a single employer for purposes of the statutory limit. If a Participant participates in multiple cafeteria plans offering health flexible spending accounts maintained by members of a controlled group or affiliated service group, the Participant's total Health Flexible Spending

Account contributions under all of the cafeteria plans are limited to the statutory limit (as adjusted). However, a Participant employed by two or more employers that are not members of the same controlled group may elect up to the statutory limit (as adjusted) under each Employer's Health Flexible Spending Account.

(c) **Carryover.** A Participant in the Health Flexible Spending Account may roll over up to \$0 of unused amounts in the Health Flexible Spending Account remaining at the end of one Plan Year to the immediately following Plan Year. These amounts can be used during the following Plan Year for expenses incurred in that Plan Year. Amounts carried over do not affect the maximum amount of salary redirection contributions for the Plan Year to which they are carried over. Unused amounts are those remaining after expenses have been reimbursed during the runout period. These amounts may not be cashed out or converted to any other taxable or nontaxable benefit. Amounts in excess of \$0 will be forfeited. The Plan is allowed, but not required, to treat claims as being paid first from the current year amounts, then from the carryover amounts.

## 6.5 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

(a) **Intent to be nondiscriminatory.** It is the intent of this Health Flexible Spending Account not to discriminate in violation of the Code and the Treasury regulations thereunder.

(b) **Adjustment to avoid test failure.** If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination under this Health Flexible Spending Account, it may, but shall not be required to, reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits in order to assure compliance with this Section. Any act taken by the Administrator under this Section shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. If the Administrator decides to reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits, it shall be done in the following manner. First, the Benefits designated for the Health Flexible Spending Account by the member of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur pursuant to Code Section 105 that elected to contribute the highest amount to the fund for the Plan Year shall be reduced until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section or the Code are satisfied, or until the amount designated for the fund equals the amount designated for the fund by the next member of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur pursuant to Code Section 105 who has elected the second highest contribution to the Health Flexible Spending Account for the Plan Year. This process shall continue until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section or the Code are satisfied. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus.

## 6.6 COORDINATION WITH CAFETERIA PLAN

All Participants under the Cafeteria Plan are eligible to receive Benefits under this Health Flexible Spending Account. The enrollment under the Cafeteria Plan shall constitute enrollment under this Health Flexible Spending Account. In addition, other matters concerning contributions, elections and the like shall be governed by the general provisions of the Cafeteria Plan.

## 6.7 HEALTH FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT CLAIMS

(a) **Expenses must be incurred during Plan Year.** All Medical Expenses incurred by a Participant, his or her Spouse and his or her Dependents during the Plan Year shall be reimbursed during the Plan Year subject to Section 2.5, even though the submission of such a claim occurs after his participation hereunder ceases; but provided that the Medical Expenses were incurred during the applicable Plan Year. Medical Expenses are treated as having been incurred when the Participant is provided with the medical care that gives rise to the medical expenses, not when the Participant is formally billed or charged for, or pays for the medical care.

(b) **Reimbursement available throughout Plan Year.** The Administrator shall direct the reimbursement to each eligible Participant for all allowable Medical Expenses, up to a maximum of the amount designated by the Participant for the Health Flexible Spending Account for the Plan Year. Reimbursements shall be made available to the Participant throughout the year without regard to the level of Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars which have been allocated to the fund at any given point in time. Furthermore, a Participant shall be entitled to reimbursements only for amounts in excess of any payments or other reimbursements under any health care plan covering the Participant and/or his Spouse or Dependents.

(c) **Payments.** Reimbursement payments under this Plan shall be made directly to the Participant. However, in the Administrator's discretion, payments may be made directly to the service provider. The application for payment or reimbursement shall be made to the Administrator on an acceptable form within a reasonable time of incurring the debt or paying for the service. The application shall include a written statement from an independent third party stating that the Medical Expense has been incurred and the amount of such expense. Furthermore, the Participant shall provide a written statement that the Medical Expense has not been reimbursed or is not reimbursable under any other health plan coverage and, if reimbursed from the Health Flexible Spending Account, such amount will not be claimed as a tax deduction. The Administrator shall retain a file of all such applications.

(d) **Claims for reimbursement.** Claims for the reimbursement of Medical Expenses incurred in any Plan Year shall be paid as soon after a claim has been filed as is administratively practicable; provided however, that if a Participant fails to submit a claim within 90 days after the end of the Plan Year, those Medical Expense claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator.

## 6.8 DEBIT AND CREDIT CARDS

Participants may, subject to a procedure established by the Administrator and applied in a uniform nondiscriminatory manner, use debit and/or credit (stored value) cards ("cards") provided by the Administrator and the Plan for payment of Medical Expenses, subject to the following terms:

(a) **Card only for medical expenses.** Each Participant issued a card shall certify that such card shall only be used for Medical Expenses. The Participant shall also certify that any Medical Expense paid with the card has not already been reimbursed by any other plan covering health benefits and that the Participant will not seek reimbursement from any other plan covering health benefits.

(b) **Card issuance.** Such card shall be issued upon the Participant's Effective Date of Participation and reissued for each Plan Year the Participant remains a Participant in the Health Flexible Spending Account. Such card shall be automatically cancelled upon the Participant's death or termination of employment, or if such Participant has a change in status that results in the Participant's withdrawal from the Health Flexible Spending Account.

(c) **Maximum dollar amount available.** The dollar amount of coverage available on the card shall be the amount elected by the Participant for the Plan Year. The maximum dollar amount of coverage available shall be the maximum amount for the Plan Year as set forth in Section 6.4.

(d) **Only available for use with certain service providers.** The cards shall only be accepted by such merchants and service providers as have been approved by the Administrator following IRS guidelines.

(e) **Card use.** The cards shall only be used for Medical Expense purchases at these providers, including, but not limited to, the following:

- (1) Co-payments for doctor and other medical care;
- (2) Purchase of drugs prescribed by a health care provider, including, if permitted by the Administrator, over-the-counter medications as allowed under IRS regulations;
- (3) Purchase of medical items such as eyeglasses, syringes, crutches, etc.

(f) **Substantiation.** Such purchases by the cards shall be subject to substantiation by the Administrator, usually by submission of a receipt from a service provider describing the service, the date and the amount. The Administrator shall also follow the requirements set forth in Revenue Ruling 2003-43 and Notice 2006-69. All charges shall be conditional pending confirmation and substantiation.

(g) **Correction methods.** If such purchase is later determined by the Administrator to not qualify as a Medical Expense, the Administrator, in its discretion, shall use one of the following correction methods to make the Plan whole. Until the amount is repaid, the Administrator shall take further action to ensure that further violations of the terms of the card do not occur, up to and including denial of access to the card.

- (1) Repayment of the improper amount by the Participant;
- (2) Withholding the improper payment from the Participant's wages or other compensation to the extent consistent with applicable federal or state law;
- (3) Claims substitution or offset of future claims until the amount is repaid; and
- (4) if subsections (1) through (3) fail to recover the amount, consistent with the Employer's business practices, the Employer may treat the amount as any other business indebtedness.

## ARTICLE VII DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT

### 7.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF ACCOUNT

This Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account is intended to qualify as a program under Code Section 129 and shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with such Code Section. Participants who elect to participate in this program may submit claims for the reimbursement of Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses. All amounts reimbursed shall be paid from amounts allocated to the Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account.

### 7.2 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Article and the Cafeteria Plan the terms below shall have the following meaning:

(a) **"Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account"** means the account established for a Participant pursuant to this Article to which part of his Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars may be allocated and from which Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses of the Participant may be reimbursed for the care of the Qualifying Dependents of Participants.

(b) **"Earned Income"** means earned income as defined under Code Section 32(c)(2), but excluding such amounts paid or incurred by the Employer for dependent care assistance to the Participant.

(c) **"Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses"** means the amounts paid for expenses of a Participant for those services which if paid by the Participant would be considered employment related expenses under Code Section 21(b)(2). Generally, they shall include expenses for household services and for the care of a Qualifying Dependent, to the extent that such expenses are incurred to enable the Participant to be gainfully employed for any period for which there are one or more Qualifying Dependents with respect to such Participant. Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses are treated as having been incurred when the Participant's Qualifying Dependents are provided with the dependent care that gives rise to the Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses, not when the Participant is formally billed or charged for, or pays for the dependent care. The determination of whether an amount qualifies as an Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense shall be made subject to the following rules:

(1) If such amounts are paid for expenses incurred outside the Participant's household, they shall constitute Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses only if incurred for a Qualifying Dependent as defined in Section 7.2(d)(1) (or deemed to be, as described in Section 7.2(d)(1) pursuant to Section 7.2(d)(3)), or for a Qualifying Dependent as defined in Section 7.2(d)(2) (or deemed to be, as described in Section 7.2(d)(2) pursuant to Section 7.2(d)(3)) who regularly spends at least 8 hours per day in the Participant's household;

(2) If the expense is incurred outside the Participant's home at a facility that provides care for a fee, payment, or grant for more than 6 individuals who do not regularly reside at the facility, the facility must comply with all applicable state and local laws and regulations, including licensing requirements, if any; and

(3) Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses of a Participant shall not include amounts paid or incurred to a child of such Participant who is under the age of 19 or to an individual who is a Dependent of such Participant or such Participant's Spouse.

(d) **"Qualifying Dependent"** means, for Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account purposes,

(1) a Participant's Dependent (as defined in Code Section 152(a)(1)) who has not attained age 13;

(2) a Dependent or the Spouse of a Participant who is physically or mentally incapable of caring for himself or herself and has the same principal place of abode as the Participant for more than one-half of such taxable year; or

(3) a child that is deemed to be a Qualifying Dependent described in paragraph (1) or (2) above, whichever is appropriate, pursuant to Code Section 21(e)(5).

(e) The definitions of Article I are hereby incorporated by reference to the extent necessary to interpret and apply the provisions of this Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account.

### **7.3 DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS**

The Administrator shall establish a Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account for each Participant who elects to apply Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars to Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account benefits.

### **7.4 INCREASES IN DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS**

A Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account shall be increased each pay period by the portion of Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars that he has elected to apply toward his Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account pursuant to elections made under Article V hereof.

### **7.5 DECREASES IN DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS**

A Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account shall be reduced by the amount of any Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense reimbursements paid or incurred on behalf of a Participant pursuant to Section 7.12 hereof.

### **7.6 ALLOWABLE DEPENDENT CARE REIMBURSEMENT**

Subject to limitations contained in Section 7.9 of this Program, and to the extent of the amount contained in the Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, a Participant who incurs Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses shall be entitled to receive from the Employer full reimbursement for the entire amount of such expenses incurred during the Plan Year or portion thereof during which he is a Participant.

### **7.7 ANNUAL STATEMENT OF BENEFITS**

On or before January 31st of each calendar year, the Employer shall furnish to each Employee who was a Participant and received benefits under Section 7.6 during the prior calendar year, a statement of all such benefits paid to or on behalf of such Participant during the prior calendar year. This statement is set forth on the Participant's Form W-2.

## 7.8 FORFEITURES

The amount in a Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account as of the end of any Plan Year (and after the processing of all claims for such Plan Year pursuant to Section 7.12 hereof) shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus. In such event, the Participant shall have no further claim to such amount for any reason.

## 7.9 LIMITATION ON PAYMENTS

(a) **Code limits.** Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Article to the contrary, amounts paid from a Participant's Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account in or on account of any taxable year of the Participant shall not exceed the lesser of the Earned Income limitation described in Code Section 129(b) or \$5,000 (\$2,500 if a separate tax return is filed by a Participant who is married as determined under the rules of paragraphs (3) and (4) of Code Section 21(e)).

## 7.10 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

(a) **Intent to be nondiscriminatory.** It is the intent of this Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account that contributions or benefits not discriminate in favor of the group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur under Code Section 129(d).

(b) **25% test for shareholders.** It is the intent of this Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account that not more than 25 percent of the amounts paid by the Employer for dependent care assistance during the Plan Year will be provided for the class of individuals who are shareholders or owners (or their Spouses or Dependents), each of whom (on any day of the Plan Year) owns more than 5 percent of the stock or of the capital or profits interest in the Employer.

(c) **Adjustment to avoid test failure.** If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination or possible taxation to a group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur in violation of Code Section 129 it may, but shall not be required to, reject any elections or reduce contributions or non-taxable benefits in order to assure compliance with this Section. Any act taken by the Administrator under this Section shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. If the Administrator decides to reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits, it shall be done in the following manner. First, the Benefits designated for the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account by the affected Participant that elected to contribute the highest amount to such account for the Plan Year shall be reduced until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied, or until the amount designated for the account equals the amount designated for the account of the affected Participant who has elected the second highest contribution to the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account for the Plan Year. This process shall continue until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited.

## 7.11 COORDINATION WITH CAFETERIA PLAN

All Participants under the Cafeteria Plan are eligible to receive Benefits under this Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account. The enrollment and termination of participation under the Cafeteria Plan shall constitute enrollment and termination of participation under this Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account. In addition, other matters concerning contributions, elections and the like shall be governed by the general provisions of the Cafeteria Plan.

## 7.12 DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT CLAIMS

The Administrator shall direct the payment of all such Dependent Care claims to the Participant upon the presentation to the Administrator of documentation of such expenses in a form satisfactory to the Administrator. However, in the Administrator's discretion, payments may be made directly to the service provider. In its discretion in administering the Plan, the Administrator may utilize forms and require documentation of costs as may be necessary to verify the claims submitted. At a minimum, the form shall include a statement from an independent third party as proof that the expense has been incurred during the Plan Year and the amount of such expense. In addition, the Administrator may require that each Participant who desires to receive reimbursement under this Program for Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses submit a statement which may contain some or all of the following information:

- (a) The Dependent or Dependents for whom the services were performed;
- (b) The nature of the services performed for the Participant, the cost of which he wishes reimbursement;
- (c) The relationship, if any, of the person performing the services to the Participant;
- (d) If the services are being performed by a child of the Participant, the age of the child;
- (e) A statement as to where the services were performed;
- (f) If any of the services were performed outside the home, a statement as to whether the Dependent for whom such services were performed spends at least 8 hours a day in the Participant's household;
- (g) If the services were being performed in a day care center, a statement:
  - (1) that the day care center complies with all applicable laws and regulations of the state of residence,



- (2) that the day care center provides care for more than 6 individuals (other than individuals residing at the center), and
- (3) of the amount of fee paid to the provider.
- (h) If the Participant is married, a statement containing the following:
  - (1) the Spouse's salary or wages if he or she is employed, or
  - (2) if the Participant's Spouse is not employed, that
    - (i) he or she is incapacitated, or
    - (ii) he or she is a full-time student attending an educational institution and the months during the year which he or she attended such institution.

(i) **Claims for reimbursement.** If a Participant fails to submit a claim within 90 days after the end of the Plan Year, those claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator.

### 7.13 DEBIT AND CREDIT CARDS

Participants may, subject to a procedure established by the Administrator and applied in a uniform nondiscriminatory manner, use debit and/or credit (stored value) cards ("cards") provided by the Administrator and the Plan for payment of Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses, subject to the following terms:

- (a) **Card only for dependent care expenses.** Each Participant issued a card shall certify that such card shall only be used for Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses. The Participant shall also certify that any Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense paid with the card has not already been reimbursed by any other plan covering dependent care benefits and that the Participant will not seek reimbursement from any other plan covering dependent care benefits.
- (b) **Card issuance.** Such card shall be issued upon the Participant's Effective Date of Participation and reissued for each Plan Year the Participant remains a Participant in the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account. Such card shall be automatically cancelled upon the Participant's death or termination of employment, or if such Participant has a change in status that results in the Participant's withdrawal from the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account.
- (c) **Only available for use with certain service providers.** The cards shall only be accepted by such service providers as have been approved by the Administrator. The cards shall only be used for Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses from these providers.
- (d) **Substantiation.** Such purchases by the cards shall be subject to substantiation by the Administrator, usually by submission of a receipt from a service provider describing the service, the date and the amount. The Administrator shall also follow the requirements set forth in Revenue Ruling 2003-43 and Notice 2006-69. All charges shall be conditional pending confirmation and substantiation.
- (e) **Correction methods.** If such purchase is later determined by the Administrator to not qualify as an Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense, the Administrator, in its discretion, shall use one of the following correction methods to make the Plan whole. Until the amount is repaid, the Administrator shall take further action to ensure that further violations of the terms of the card do not occur, up to and including denial of access to the card.
  - (1) Repayment of the improper amount by the Participant;
  - (2) Withholding the improper payment from the Participant's wages or other compensation to the extent consistent with applicable federal or state law;
  - (3) Claims substitution or offset of future claims until the amount is repaid; and
  - (4) if subsections (1) through (3) fail to recover the amount, consistent with the Employer's business practices, the Employer may treat the amount as any other business indebtedness.

## ARTICLE VIII BENEFITS AND RIGHTS

### 8.1 CLAIM FOR BENEFITS

(a) **Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account claims.** Any claim for Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account Benefits shall be made to the Administrator. For the Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, if a Participant fails to submit a claim within 90 days after the end of the Plan Year, those claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator. If the Administrator denies a claim, the Administrator may provide notice to the Participant or beneficiary, in writing, within 90 days after the claim is filed unless special circumstances require an extension of time for

processing the claim. The notice of a denial of a claim shall be written in a manner calculated to be understood by the claimant and shall set forth:

- (1) specific references to the pertinent Plan provisions on which the denial is based;
- (2) a description of any additional material or information necessary for the claimant to perfect the claim and an explanation as to why such information is necessary; and
- (3) an explanation of the Plan's claim procedure.

(b) **Appeal.** Within 60 days after receipt of the above material, the claimant shall have a reasonable opportunity to appeal the claim denial to the Administrator for a full and fair review. The claimant or his duly authorized representative may:

- (1) request a review upon written notice to the Administrator;
- (2) review pertinent documents; and
- (3) submit issues and comments in writing.

(c) **Review of appeal.** A decision on the review by the Administrator will be made not later than 60 days after receipt of a request for review, unless special circumstances require an extension of time for processing (such as the need to hold a hearing), in which event a decision should be rendered as soon as possible, but in no event later than 120 days after such receipt. The decision of the Administrator shall be written and shall include specific reasons for the decision, written in a manner calculated to be understood by the claimant, with specific references to the pertinent Plan provisions on which the decision is based.

(d) **Health FSA claims.** If a Participant fails to submit a claim under the Health Flexible Spending Account within 90 days after the end of the Plan Year, those claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator. Once a claim is submitted, the following timetable for claims and rules below apply:

Notification of whether claim is accepted or denied	30 days
Extension due to matters beyond the control of the Plan	15 days
Insufficient information on the Claim:	
Notification of	15 days
Response by Participant	45 days
Review of claim denial	60 days

The Plan Administrator will provide written or electronic notification of any claim denial. The notice will state:

- (1) The specific reason or reasons for the denial.
- (2) Reference to the specific Plan provisions on which the denial was based.
- (3) A description of any additional material or information necessary for the claimant to perfect the claim and an explanation of why such material or information is necessary.
- (4) A description of the Plan's review procedures and the time limits applicable to such procedures. This will include a statement of the right to bring a civil action under Section 502 of ERISA following a denial on review.
- (5) A statement that the claimant is entitled to receive, upon request and free of charge, reasonable access to, and copies of, all documents, records, and other information relevant to the Claim.
- (6) If the denial was based on an internal rule, guideline, protocol, or other similar criterion, the specific rule, guideline, protocol, or criterion will be provided free of charge. If this is not practical, a statement will be included that such a rule, guideline, protocol, or criterion was relied upon in making the denial and a copy will be provided free of charge to the claimant upon request.

When the Participant receives a denial, the Participant shall have 180 days following receipt of the notification in which to appeal the decision. The Participant may submit written comments, documents, records, and other information relating to the Claim. If the Participant requests, the Participant shall be provided, free of charge, reasonable access to, and copies of, all documents, records, and other information relevant to the Claim.

The period of time within which a denial on review is required to be made will begin at the time an appeal is filed in accordance with the procedures of the Plan. This timing is without regard to whether all the necessary information accompanies the filing.

A document, record, or other information shall be considered relevant to a Claim if it:

- (1) was relied upon in making the claim determination;
- (2) was submitted, considered, or generated in the course of making the claim determination, without regard to whether it was relied upon in making the claim determination;
- (3) demonstrated compliance with the administrative processes and safeguards designed to ensure and to verify that claim determinations are made in accordance with Plan documents and Plan provisions have been applied consistently with respect to all claimants; or
- (4) constituted a statement of policy or guidance with respect to the Plan concerning the denied claim.

The review will take into account all comments, documents, records, and other information submitted by the claimant relating to the Claim, without regard to whether such information was submitted or considered in the initial claim determination. The review will not afford deference to the initial denial and will be conducted by a fiduciary of the Plan who is neither the individual who made the adverse determination nor a subordinate of that individual.

(e) **Forfeitures.** Any balance remaining in the Participant's Health Flexible Spending Account (excluding any carryover) or Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account as of the end of the time for claims reimbursement for each Plan Year shall be forfeited and deposited in the benefit plan surplus of the Employer pursuant to Section 6.3 or Section 7.8, whichever is applicable, unless the Participant had made a claim for such Plan Year, in writing, which has been denied or is pending; in which event the amount of the claim shall be held in his account until the claim appeal procedures set forth above have been satisfied or the claim is paid. If any such claim is denied on appeal, the amount held beyond the end of the Plan Year shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus.

## **8.2 APPLICATION OF BENEFIT PLAN SURPLUS**

Any forfeited amounts credited to the benefit plan surplus by virtue of the failure of a Participant to incur a qualified expense or seek reimbursement in a timely manner may, but need not be, separately accounted for after the close of the Plan Year (or after such further time specified herein for the filing of claims) in which such forfeitures arose. In no event shall such amounts be carried over to reimburse a Participant for expenses incurred during a subsequent Plan Year for the same or any other Benefit available under the Plan (excepting any carryover); nor shall amounts forfeited by a particular Participant be made available to such Participant in any other form or manner, except as permitted by Treasury regulations. Amounts in the benefit plan surplus shall be used to defray any administrative costs and experience losses or used to provide additional benefits under the Plan. No amounts attributable to the Health Savings Account shall be subject to the benefit plan surplus.

## **8.3 NAMED FIDUCIARY**

The Administrator shall be the named fiduciary pursuant to ERISA Section 402 and shall be responsible for the management and control of the operation and administration of the Plan.

## **8.4 GENERAL FIDUCIARY RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Administrator and any other fiduciary under ERISA shall discharge their duties with respect to this Plan solely in the interest of the Participants and their beneficiaries and

- (a) for the exclusive purpose of providing Benefits to Participants and their beneficiaries and defraying reasonable expenses of administering the Plan;
- (b) with the care, skill, prudence and diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a prudent person acting in like capacity and familiar with such matters would use in the conduct of an enterprise of a like character and with like aims; and
- (c) in accordance with the documents and instruments governing the Plan insofar as such documents and instruments are consistent with ERISA.

## **8.5 NONASSIGNABILITY OF RIGHTS**

The right of any Participant to receive any reimbursement under the Plan shall not be alienable by the Participant by assignment or any other method, and shall not be subject to the rights of creditors, and any attempt to cause such right to be so subjected shall not be recognized, except to such extent as may be required by law.

# **ARTICLE IX ADMINISTRATION**

## **9.1 PLAN ADMINISTRATION**

The Employer shall be the Administrator, unless the Employer elects otherwise. The Employer may appoint any person, including, but not limited to, the Employees of the Employer, to perform the duties of the Administrator. Any person so appointed shall

signify acceptance by filing acceptance in writing (or such other form as acceptable to both parties) with the Employer. Upon the resignation or removal of any individual performing the duties of the Administrator, the Employer may designate a successor.

If the Employer elects, the Employer shall appoint one or more Administrators. Any person, including, but not limited to, the Employees of the Employer, shall be eligible to serve as an Administrator. Any person so appointed shall signify acceptance by filing acceptance in writing (or such other form as acceptable to both parties) with the Employer. An Administrator may resign by delivering a resignation in writing (or such other form as acceptable to both parties) to the Employer or be removed by the Employer by delivery of notice of removal (in writing or such other form as acceptable to both parties), to take effect at a date specified therein, or upon delivery to the Administrator if no date is specified. The Employer shall be empowered to appoint and remove the Administrator from time to time as it deems necessary for the proper administration of the Plan to ensure that the Plan is being operated for the exclusive benefit of the Employees entitled to participate in the Plan in accordance with the terms of the Act, the Plan and the Code.

The operation of the Plan shall be under the supervision of the Administrator. It shall be a principal duty of the Administrator to see that the Plan is carried out in accordance with its terms, and for the exclusive benefit of Employees entitled to participate in the Plan. The Administrator shall have full power and discretion to administer the Plan in all of its details and determine all questions arising in connection with the administration, interpretation, and application of the Plan. The Administrator may establish procedures, correct any defect, supply any information, or reconcile any inconsistency in such manner and to such extent as shall be deemed necessary or advisable to carry out the purpose of the Plan. The Administrator shall have all powers necessary or appropriate to accomplish the Administrator's duties under the Plan. The Administrator shall be charged with the duties of the general administration of the Plan as set forth under the Plan, including, but not limited to, in addition to all other powers provided by this Plan:

- (a) To make and enforce such procedures, rules and regulations as the Administrator deems necessary or proper for the efficient administration of the Plan;
- (b) To interpret the provisions of the Plan, the Administrator's interpretations thereof in good faith to be final and conclusive on all persons claiming benefits by operation of the Plan;
- (c) To decide all questions concerning the Plan and the eligibility of any person to participate in the Plan and to receive benefits provided by operation of the Plan;
- (d) To reject elections or to limit contributions or Benefits for certain highly compensated participants if it deems such to be desirable in order to avoid discrimination under the Plan in violation of applicable provisions of the Code;
- (e) To provide Employees with a reasonable notification of their benefits available by operation of the Plan and to assist any Participant regarding the Participant's rights, benefits or elections under the Plan;
- (f) To keep and maintain the Plan documents and all other records pertaining to and necessary for the administration of the Plan;
- (g) To review and settle all claims against the Plan, to approve reimbursement requests, and to authorize the payment of benefits if the Administrator determines such shall be paid if the Administrator decides in its discretion that the applicant is entitled to them. This authority specifically permits the Administrator to settle disputed claims for benefits and any other disputed claims made against the Plan;
- (h) To establish and communicate procedures to determine whether a medical child support order is qualified under ERISA Section 609; and
- (i) To appoint such agents, counsel, accountants, consultants, and other persons or entities as may be required to assist in administering the Plan.

Any procedure, discretionary act, interpretation or construction taken by the Administrator shall be done in a nondiscriminatory manner based upon uniform principles consistently applied and shall be consistent with the intent that the Plan shall continue to comply with the terms of Code Section 125 and the Treasury regulations thereunder.

## **9.2 EXAMINATION OF RECORDS**

The Administrator shall make available to each Participant, Eligible Employee and any other Employee of the Employer such records as pertain to their interest under the Plan for examination at reasonable times during normal business hours.

## **9.3 PAYMENT OF EXPENSES**

Any reasonable administrative expenses shall be paid by the Employer unless the Employer determines that administrative costs shall be borne by the Participants under the Plan or by any Trust Fund which may be established hereunder. The Administrator may impose reasonable conditions for payments, provided that such conditions shall not discriminate in favor of highly compensated employees.

## **9.4 INDEMNIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATOR**

The Employer agrees to indemnify and to defend to the fullest extent permitted by law any Employee serving as the Administrator or as a member of a committee designated as Administrator (including any Employee or former Employee who previously served as Administrator or as a member of such committee) against all liabilities, damages, costs and expenses (including

attorney's fees and amounts paid in settlement of any claims approved by the Employer) occasioned by any act or omission to act in connection with the Plan, if such act or omission is in good faith.

## **ARTICLE X AMENDMENT OR TERMINATION OF PLAN**

### **10.1 AMENDMENT**

The Employer, at any time or from time to time, may amend any or all of the provisions of the Plan without the consent of any Employee or Participant. No amendment shall have the effect of modifying any benefit election of any Participant in effect at the time of such amendment, unless such amendment is made to comply with Federal, state or local laws, statutes or regulations.

### **10.2 TERMINATION**

The Employer reserves the right to terminate this Plan, in whole or in part, at any time. In the event the Plan is terminated, no further contributions shall be made.

No further additions shall be made to the Health Flexible Spending Account or Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, but all payments from such fund shall continue to be made according to the elections in effect until 90 days after the termination date of the Plan. Any amounts remaining in any such fund or account as of the end of such period shall be forfeited and deposited in the benefit plan surplus after the expiration of the filing period.

## **ARTICLE XI MISCELLANEOUS**

### **11.1 PLAN INTERPRETATION**

All provisions of this Plan shall be interpreted and applied in a uniform, nondiscriminatory manner. This Plan shall be read in its entirety and not severed except as provided in Section 11.11.

### **11.2 GENDER AND NUMBER**

Wherever any words are used herein in the masculine, feminine or neuter gender, they shall be construed as though they were also used in another gender in all cases where they would so apply, and whenever any words are used herein in the singular or plural form, they shall be construed as though they were also used in the other form in all cases where they would so apply.

### **11.3 WRITTEN DOCUMENT**

This Plan, in conjunction with any separate written document which may be required by law, is intended to satisfy the written Plan requirement of Code Section 125 and any Treasury regulations thereunder relating to cafeteria plans.

### **11.4 EXCLUSIVE BENEFIT**

This Plan shall be maintained for the exclusive benefit of the Employees who participate in the Plan.

### **11.5 PARTICIPANT'S RIGHTS**

This Plan shall not be deemed to constitute an employment contract between the Employer and any Participant or to be a consideration or an inducement for the employment of any Participant or Employee. Nothing contained in this Plan shall be deemed to give any Participant or Employee the right to be retained in the service of the Employer or to interfere with the right of the Employer to discharge any Participant or Employee at any time regardless of the effect which such discharge shall have upon him as a Participant of this Plan.

### **11.6 ACTION BY THE EMPLOYER**

Whenever the Employer under the terms of the Plan is permitted or required to do or perform any act or matter or thing, it shall be done and performed by a person duly authorized by its legally constituted authority.

### **11.7 NO GUARANTEE OF TAX CONSEQUENCES**

Neither the Administrator nor the Employer makes any commitment or guarantee that any amounts paid to or for the benefit of a Participant under the Plan will be excludable from the Participant's gross income for federal or state income tax purposes, or that any other federal or state tax treatment will apply to or be available to any Participant. It shall be the obligation of each Participant to determine whether each payment under the Plan is excludable from the Participant's gross income for federal and state income tax purposes, and to notify the Employer if the Participant has reason to believe that any such payment is not so excludable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the rights of Participants under this Plan shall be legally enforceable.

## **11.8 INDEMNIFICATION OF EMPLOYER BY PARTICIPANTS**

If any Participant receives one or more payments or reimbursements under the Plan that are not for a permitted Benefit, such Participant shall indemnify and reimburse the Employer for any liability it may incur for failure to withhold federal or state income tax or Social Security tax from such payments or reimbursements. However, such indemnification and reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of additional federal and state income tax (plus any penalties) that the Participant would have owed if the payments or reimbursements had been made to the Participant as regular cash compensation, plus the Participant's share of any Social Security tax that would have been paid on such compensation, less any such additional income and Social Security tax actually paid by the Participant.

## **11.9 FUNDING**

Unless otherwise required by law, contributions to the Plan need not be placed in trust or dedicated to a specific Benefit, but may instead be considered general assets of the Employer. Furthermore, and unless otherwise required by law, nothing herein shall be construed to require the Employer or the Administrator to maintain any fund or segregate any amount for the benefit of any Participant, and no Participant or other person shall have any claim against, right to, or security or other interest in, any fund, account or asset of the Employer from which any payment under the Plan may be made.

## **11.10 GOVERNING LAW**

This Plan is governed by the Code and the Treasury regulations issued thereunder (as they might be amended from time to time). In no event shall the Employer guarantee the favorable tax treatment sought by this Plan. To the extent not preempted by Federal law, the provisions of this Plan shall be construed, enforced and administered according to the laws of the State of California.

## **11.11 SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of the Plan is held invalid or unenforceable, its invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect any other provisions of the Plan, and the Plan shall be construed and enforced as if such provision had not been included herein.

## **11.12 CAPTIONS**

The captions contained herein are inserted only as a matter of convenience and for reference, and in no way define, limit, enlarge or describe the scope or intent of the Plan, nor in any way shall affect the Plan or the construction of any provision thereof.

## **11.13 CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE (COBRA)**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, in the event any benefit under this Plan subject to the continuation coverage requirement of Code Section 4980B becomes unavailable, each Participant will be entitled to continuation coverage as prescribed in Code Section 4980B, and related regulations. This Section shall only apply if the Employer employs at least twenty (20) employees on more than 50% of its typical business days in the previous calendar year.

## **11.14 FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT (FMLA)**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, in the event any benefit under this Plan becomes subject to the requirements of the Family and Medical Leave Act and regulations thereunder, this Plan shall be operated in accordance with Regulation 1.125-3.

## **11.15 HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA)**

Notwithstanding anything in this Plan to the contrary, this Plan shall be operated in accordance with HIPAA and regulations thereunder.

## **11.16 UNIFORMED SERVICES EMPLOYMENT AND REEMPLOYMENT RIGHTS ACT (USERRA)**

Notwithstanding any provision of this Plan to the contrary, contributions, benefits and service credit with respect to qualified military service shall be provided in accordance with the Uniform Services Employment And Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA) and the regulations thereunder.

## **11.17 COMPLIANCE WITH HIPAA PRIVACY STANDARDS**

(a) **Application.** If any benefits under this Cafeteria Plan are subject to the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information (45 CFR Part 164, the "Privacy Standards"), then this Section shall apply.

(b) **Disclosure of PHI.** The Plan shall not disclose Protected Health Information to any member of the Employer's workforce unless each of the conditions set out in this Section are met. "Protected Health Information" shall have the same definition as set forth in the Privacy Standards but generally shall mean individually identifiable information about the past, present or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual, including genetic information and information about treatment or payment for treatment.

(c) **PHI disclosed for administrative purposes.** Protected Health Information disclosed to members of the Employer's workforce shall be used or disclosed by them only for purposes of Plan administrative functions. The Plan's administrative functions shall include all Plan payment functions and health care operations. The terms "payment" and

"health care operations" shall have the same definitions as set out in the Privacy Standards, but the term "payment" generally shall mean activities taken to determine or fulfill Plan responsibilities with respect to eligibility, coverage, provision of benefits, or reimbursement for health care. Protected Health Information that consists of genetic information will not be used or disclosed for underwriting purposes.

(d) **PHI disclosed to certain workforce members.** The Plan shall disclose Protected Health Information only to members of the Employer's workforce who are designated and authorized to receive such Protected Health Information, and only to the extent and in the minimum amount necessary for that person to perform his or her duties with respect to the Plan. "Members of the Employer's workforce" shall refer to all employees and other persons under the control of the Employer. The Employer shall keep an updated list of those authorized to receive Protected Health Information.

(1) An authorized member of the Employer's workforce who receives Protected Health Information shall use or disclose the Protected Health Information only to the extent necessary to perform his or her duties with respect to the Plan.

(2) In the event that any member of the Employer's workforce uses or discloses Protected Health Information other than as permitted by this Section and the Privacy Standards, the incident shall be reported to the Plan's privacy official. The privacy official shall take appropriate action, including:

- (i) investigation of the incident to determine whether the breach occurred inadvertently, through negligence or deliberately; whether there is a pattern of breaches; and the degree of harm caused by the breach;
- (ii) appropriate sanctions against the persons causing the breach which, depending upon the nature of the breach, may include oral or written reprimand, additional training, or termination of employment;
- (iii) mitigation of any harm caused by the breach, to the extent practicable; and
- (iv) documentation of the incident and all actions taken to resolve the issue and mitigate any damages.

(e) **Certification.** The Employer must provide certification to the Plan that it agrees to:

- (1) Not use or further disclose the information other than as permitted or required by the Plan documents or as required by law;
- (2) Ensure that any agent or subcontractor, to whom it provides Protected Health Information received from the Plan, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Employer with respect to such information;
- (3) Not use or disclose Protected Health Information for employment-related actions and decisions or in connection with any other benefit or employee benefit plan of the Employer;
- (4) Report to the Plan any use or disclosure of the Protected Health Information of which it becomes aware that is inconsistent with the uses or disclosures permitted by this Section, or required by law;
- (5) Make available Protected Health Information to individual Plan members in accordance with Section 164.524 of the Privacy Standards;
- (6) Make available Protected Health Information for amendment by individual Plan members and incorporate any amendments to Protected Health Information in accordance with Section 164.526 of the Privacy Standards;
- (7) Make available the Protected Health Information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to individual Plan members in accordance with Section 164.528 of the Privacy Standards;
- (8) Make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Health Information received from the Plan available to the Department of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining compliance by the Plan with the Privacy Standards;
- (9) If feasible, return or destroy all Protected Health Information received from the Plan that the Employer still maintains in any form, and retain no copies of such information when no longer needed for the purpose for which disclosure was made, except that, if such return or destruction is not feasible, limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible; and
- (10) Ensure the adequate separation between the Plan and members of the Employer's workforce, as required by Section 164.504(f)(2)(iii) of the Privacy Standards and set out in (d) above.

#### **11.18 COMPLIANCE WITH HIPAA ELECTRONIC SECURITY STANDARDS**

Under the Security Standards for the Protection of Electronic Protected Health Information (45 CFR Part 164.300 et. seq., the "Security Standards"):

(a) **Implementation.** The Employer agrees to implement reasonable and appropriate administrative, physical and technical safeguards to protect the confidentiality, integrity and availability of Electronic Protected Health Information that the Employer creates, maintains or transmits on behalf of the Plan. "Electronic Protected Health Information" shall have the same definition as set out in the Security Standards, but generally shall mean Protected Health Information that is transmitted by or maintained in electronic media.

(b) **Agents or subcontractors shall meet security standards.** The Employer shall ensure that any agent or subcontractor to whom it provides Electronic Protected Health Information shall agree, in writing, to implement reasonable and appropriate security measures to protect the Electronic Protected Health Information.

(c) **Employer shall ensure security standards.** The Employer shall ensure that reasonable and appropriate security measures are implemented to comply with the conditions and requirements set forth in Section 11.17.

#### **11.19 MENTAL HEALTH PARITY AND ADDICTION EQUITY ACT**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Plan will comply with the Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act and ERISA Section 712.

#### **11.20 GENETIC INFORMATION NONDISCRIMINATION ACT (GINA)**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Plan will comply with the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act.

#### **11.21 WOMEN'S HEALTH AND CANCER RIGHTS ACT**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Plan will comply with the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998.

#### **11.22 NEWBORNS' AND MOTHERS' HEALTH PROTECTION ACT**

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Plan will comply with the Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Plan document is hereby executed this 30th day of November 2022.

Kong Inc

By

EMPLOYER

DocuSigned by:

*Janet Phillips*

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## Appendix D: Notice of HIPAA Privacy Practices

**Purpose:** Privacy notices must be given to individuals covered by the plan. A single notice to a covered employee is effective for all covered dependents. Notices must be provided upon enrollment, and within 60 days of a material change to the notice. Plans must notify participants every 3 years that a privacy notice is available. Consistent with other template forms, this Notice assumes the plan does not, with respect to protected health information: (1) engage in fundraising; (2) engage in marketing, where the plan receives financial remuneration for such marketing; (3) sell protected health information; (4) use genetic information for underwriting purposes; or (5) engage in research. If these assumptions are not correct this Notice should be changed.

### **Kong Inc. PRIVACY PRACTICES NOTICE**

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THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION.

PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY. THE PRIVACY OF YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT TO US.

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#### **Summary of Our Privacy Practices**

We may use and disclose your protected health information ("medical information"), without your permission, for treatment, payment, and health care operations activities. We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, when required or authorized by law for public health activities, law enforcement, judicial and administrative proceedings, research, and certain other public benefit functions.

We may disclose your medical information to your family members, friends, and others you involve in your care or payment for your health care. We may disclose your medical information to appropriate public and private agencies in disaster relief situations.

We may disclose to your employer whether you are enrolled or disenrolled in the health plans it sponsors. We may disclose summary health information to your employer for certain limited purposes. We may disclose your medical information to your employer to administer your group health plan if your employer explains the

limitations on its use and disclosure of your medical information in the plan document for your group health plan.

Except for certain legally-approved uses and disclosures, we will not otherwise use or disclose your medical information without your written authorization.

You have the right to examine and receive a copy of your medical information. You have the right to receive an accounting of certain disclosures we may make of your medical information. You have the right to request that we amend, further restrict use and disclosure of, or communicate in confidence with you about your medical information.

You have the right to receive notice of breaches of your unsecured medical information.

Please review this entire notice for details about the uses and disclosures we may make of your medical information, about your rights and how to exercise them, and about complaints

regarding or additional information about our privacy practices.

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### Contact Information

For more information about our privacy practices, to discuss questions or concerns, or to

get additional copies of this notice, please contact our Contact Office.

Contact Office: San Francisco, CA

Telephone: (628) 243-7512

Address: 150 Spear Street, Suite 1600, San Francisco, CA 94105

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### Health Plans Covered by this Notice

This notice applies to the privacy practices of the health plans listed below. They may share with each other your medical information, and the

medical information of others they service, for the health care operations of their joint activities.

Cigna Open Access Plus HDHP

Cigna OAP Base

Cigna OAP Buy Up

Kaiser Deductible HMO

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### Our Legal Duty

We are required by applicable federal and state law to maintain the privacy of your protected health information ("medical information"). We are also required to give you this notice about our privacy practices, our legal duties, and your rights concerning your medical information.

We must follow the privacy practices that are described in this notice while it is in effect. This notice takes effect **January 1, 2022** and will remain in effect unless we replace it.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices and the terms of this notice at any time, provided such changes are permitted by applicable law. We reserve the right to make any change in our privacy practices and the new terms of our notice applicable to all medical information we maintain, including medical information we created or received before we made the change.

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### Uses and Disclosures of Your Medical Information

**Treatment:** We may disclose your medical information, without your permission, to a physician or other health care provider to treat you.

**Payment:** We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, to

pay claims from physicians, hospitals and other health care providers for services delivered to you that are covered by your health plan, to determine your eligibility for benefits, to coordinate your benefits with other payers, to determine the medical necessity of care delivered to you, to

obtain premiums for your health coverage, to issue explanations of benefits to the subscriber of the health plan in which you participate, and the like. We may disclose your medical information to a health care provider or another health plan for that provider or plan to obtain payment or engage in other payment activities.

**Health Care Operations:** We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, for health care operations. Health care operations include:

- health care quality assessment and improvement activities;
- reviewing and evaluating health care provider and health plan performance, qualifications and competence, health care training programs, health care provider and health plan accreditation, certification, licensing and credentialing activities;
- conducting or arranging for medical reviews, audits, and legal services, including fraud and abuse detection and prevention;
- underwriting and premium rating our risk for health coverage, and obtaining stop-loss and similar reinsurance for our health coverage obligations; and
- business planning, development, management, and general administration, including customer service, grievance resolution, claims payment and health coverage improvement activities, de-identifying medical information, and creating limited data sets for health care operations, public health activities, and research.

We may disclose your medical information to another health plan or to a health care provider subject to federal privacy protection laws, as long as the plan or provider has or had a relationship with you and the medical information is for that plan's or provider's health care quality assessment and improvement activities, competence and qualification evaluation and review activities, or fraud and abuse detection and prevention.

**Your Authorization:** You may give us written authorization to use your medical information or to disclose it to anyone for any purpose. If you give us an authorization, you may revoke it in writing at any time. Your revocation will not affect any use or disclosure permitted by your authorization while it was in effect. Unless

you give us a written authorization, we will not use or disclose your medical information for any purpose other than those described in this notice. We generally may use or disclose any psychotherapy notes we hold only with your authorization.

**Family, Friends, and Others Involved in Your Care or Payment for Care:** We may disclose your medical information to a family member, friend or any other person you involve in your care or payment for your health care. We will disclose only the medical information that is relevant to the person's involvement.

We may use or disclose your name, location, and general condition to notify, or to assist an appropriate public or private agency to locate and notify, a person responsible for your care in appropriate situations, such as a medical emergency or during disaster relief efforts.

We will provide you with an opportunity to object to these disclosures, unless you are not present or are incapacitated or it is an emergency or disaster relief situation. In those situations, we will use our professional judgment to determine whether disclosing medical information related to your care or payment is in your best interest under the circumstances.

Your medical information remains protected by us for at least 50 years after you die. After you die, we may disclose to a family member, or other person involved in your health care prior to your death, the medical information that is relevant to that person's involvement, unless doing so is inconsistent with your preference and you have told us so.

**Your Employer:** We may disclose to your employer whether you are enrolled or disenrolled in a health plan that your employer sponsors.

We may disclose summary health information to your employer to use to obtain premium bids for the health insurance coverage offered under the group health plan in which you participate or to decide whether to modify, amend or terminate that group health plan (this is sometimes called "underwriting"). Summary health information is aggregated claims history, claims expenses or types of claims experienced by the enrollees in your group health plan. Although summary health information will be

stripped of all direct identifiers of these enrollees, it still may be possible to identify medical information contained in the summary health information as yours. We are expressly prohibited from using or disclosing any health information containing your genetic information for underwriting purposes.

**We may disclose your medical information and the medical information of others enrolled in your group health plan to your employer to administer your group health plan. Before we may do that, your employer must amend the plan document for your group health plan to establish the limited uses and disclosures it may make of your medical information. Please see your group health plan document for a full explanation of those limitations.**

**Health-Related Products and Services:**

We may use your medical information to communicate with you about health-related products, benefits and services, and payment for those products, benefits and services that we provide or include in our benefits plan. We may use your medical information to communicate with you about treatment alternatives that may be of interest to you.

These communications may include information about the health care providers in our networks, about replacement of or enhancements to your health plan, and about health-related products or services that are available only to our enrollees that add value to our benefits plans.

**Public Health and Benefit Activities:** We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, when required by law, and when authorized by law for the following kinds of public health and public benefit activities:

- for public health, including to report disease and vital statistics, child abuse, and adult abuse, neglect or domestic violence;
- to avert a serious and imminent threat to health or safety;
- for health care oversight, such as activities of state insurance commissioners, licensing and peer review authorities, and fraud prevention agencies;
- for research;
- in response to court and administrative orders and other lawful process;
- to law enforcement officials with regard to crime victims and criminal activities;
- to coroners, medical examiners, funeral directors, and organ procurement organizations;
- to the military, to federal officials for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, and national security activities, and to correctional institutions and law enforcement regarding persons in lawful custody; and
- as authorized by state worker's compensation laws.

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**Your Rights**

**Access:** You have the right to examine and to receive a copy of your medical information, with limited exceptions. You should submit your request in writing to our Contact Office.

**We may charge you reasonable, cost-based fees (including labor costs) for a copy of your medical information, for mailing the copy to you, and for preparing any summary or explanation of your medical information**

**you request. Contact our Contact Office for information about our fees.**

Your medical information may be maintained electronically. If so, you can request an electronic copy of your medical information. If you do, we will provide you with your medical information in the electronic form and format you requested, if it is readily producible in such form and format. If

not, we will produce it in a readable electronic form and format as we mutually agree upon.

You may request that we transmit your medical information directly to another person you designate. If so, we will provide the copy to the designated person. Your request must be in writing, signed by you and must clearly identify the designated person and where we should send the copy of your medical information.

**Disclosure Accounting:** You have the right to a list of instances from January 1, 2022 in which we disclose your medical information for purposes other than treatment, payment, health care operations, as authorized by you, and for certain other activities.

You should submit your request to the contact at the end of this notice. We will provide you with information about each accountable disclosure that we made during the period for which you request the accounting, except we are not obligated to account for a disclosure that occurred more than 6 years before the date of your request and never for a disclosure that occurred before the plan's effective date (if the plan was created less than six years ago).

**Amendment.** You have the right to request that we amend your medical information. You should submit your request **{in writing}** to the contact at the end of this notice.

We may deny your request only for certain reasons. If we deny your request, we will provide you a written explanation. If we accept your request, we will make your amendment part of your medical information and use reasonable efforts to inform others of the amendment who we know may have and rely on the unamended information to your detriment, as well as persons you want to receive the amendment.

**Restriction:** You have the right to request that we restrict our use or disclosure of your medical information for treatment, payment or health care operations, or with family, friends or others you identify. We are not required to agree to your request, except for certain required restrictions, described below. If we do agree, we will abide by our agreement, except in a medical emergency or as required or authorized by law. You should submit your request to the contact at

the end of this notice. We will agree to (and not terminate) a restriction request if:

1. the disclosure is to a health plan for purposes of carrying out payment or health care operations and is not otherwise required by law; and

2. the medical information pertains solely to a health care item or service for which the individual, or person other than the health plan on behalf of the individual, has paid the covered entity in full.

**Confidential Communication:** You have the right to request that we communicate with you about your medical information in confidence by means or to locations that you specify. **You should make your request in writing, and your request must represent that the information could endanger you if it is not communicated in confidence as you request.** You should submit your request **in writing** to the contact at the end of this notice.

We will accommodate your request if it is reasonable, specifies the means or location for communicating with you, and continues to permit us to collect premiums and pay claims under your health plan. Please note that an explanation of benefits and other information that we issue to the subscriber about health care that you received for which you did not request confidential communications, or about health care received by the subscriber or by others covered by the health plan in which you participate, may contain sufficient information to reveal that you obtained health care for which we paid, even though you requested that we communicate with you about that health care in confidence.

**Breach Notification:** You have the right to receive notice of a breach of your unsecured medical information. Notification may be delayed or not provided if so required by a law enforcement official. You may request that notice be provided by electronic mail. If you are deceased and there is a breach of your medical information, the notice will be provided to your next of kin or personal representatives if the plan knows the identity and address of such individual(s).

**Electronic Notice:** If you receive this notice on our web site or by electronic mail (e-mail), you

are entitled to receive this notice in written form. Please contact our Contact Office to obtain this notice in written form.

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### **Complaints**

If you are concerned that we may have violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with a decision we made about access to your medical information, about amending your medical information, about restricting our use or disclosure of your medical information, or about how we communicate with you about your medical information (including a breach notice communication), you may complain to our Contact Office.

You also may submit a written complaint to the Office for Civil Rights of the United States Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201. You may contact the Office for Civil Rights' Hotline at 1-800-368-1019.

We support your right to the privacy of your medical information. We will not retaliate in any way if you choose to file a complaint with us or with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

## Appendix E: Authorized Representatives

### Appointment of Authorized Representative

I, \_\_\_\_\_

[name of claimant]

hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ to act on my behalf

[name of Authorized Representative]

or on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_

[name of patient: plan participant or beneficiary]

in connection with any claim for coverage or benefits, including receipt of any approvals or authorizations that are required before medical services are provided under the plan named above ("Plan"). I authorize my representative to receive any and all information that is provided to me, and to act for me and for my covered spouse or dependent, if named above as the patient, in providing any information to the Plan that relates to any claim for coverage or benefits under the Plan.

This form does not constitute an assignment of rights for direct payment.

☐ Distribute to me and to my Authorized Representative: All information and notifications should be distributed to me and to my Authorized Representative.

\_\_\_\_\_

Claimant's signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

Accepted: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Representative's signature

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Date

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Date





# 2023 BENEFITS GUIDE



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**This guide is an overview** and does not provide a complete description of all benefit provisions. For more detailed information, please refer to your plan benefit booklets or summary plan descriptions (SPDs). The plan benefit booklets determine how all benefits are paid.





# GETTING STARTED

## 2023 BENEFITS 1/1/2023 through 12/31/2023

**MEDICARE PART D NOTICE**  
If you (and/or your dependents) have Medicare or will become eligible for Medicare in the next 12 months, a federal law gives you more choices about your prescription drug coverage. Please see the *Important Notices* section for more details.

Whether you’re enrolling in benefits for the first time, nearing retirement, or somewhere in between, Kong supports you with benefit programs and resources to help you thrive today and prepare for tomorrow.

This guide provides an overview of your healthcare coverage, life, disability, retirement benefits, and more.

You’ll find tips to help you understand your medical coverage, save time and money on healthcare, reduce taxes, and balance your work and home life. Review the coverage and tools available to you to make the most of your benefits package.

# WHO'S ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS?



## Employees

You are eligible if you are an employee working 30 or more hours per week.

Employees with variable hours and seasonal schedules may be considered eligible for benefits. Refer to “Determining Eligibility” later in this guide for details.

## Eligible dependents

- Legally married spouse or domestic partner
- Natural, adopted or stepchildren up to age 26
- Children over age 26 who are disabled and depend on you for support
- Children named in a Qualified Medical Child Support Order (QMCSO).

For additional coverage information, please refer to the benefit booklets for each benefit.

## When you can enroll

You can enroll in benefits as a new hire or during the annual open enrollment period. New hire coverage begins on the date of hire.

If you miss the enrollment deadline, you'll need to wait until the next open enrollment (the one time each year that you can make changes to your benefits for any reason).

# CHANGING YOUR BENEFITS

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## LIFE HAPPENS

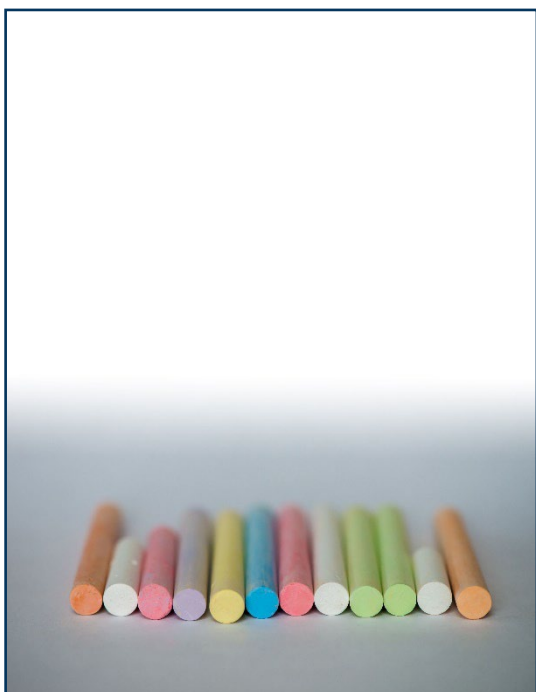
A change in your life may allow you to update your benefit choices. Watch the video for a quick take on your options.

Outside of open enrollment, you may be able to enroll or make changes to your benefit elections if you have a big change in your life, including:

- Change in legal marital status
- Change in number of dependents or dependent eligibility status
- Change in employment status that affects eligibility for you, your spouse, or dependent child(ren)
- Change in residence that affects access to network providers
- Change in your health coverage or your spouse's coverage due to your spouse's employment
- Change in an individual's eligibility for Medicare or Medicaid
- Court order requiring coverage for your child
- "Special enrollment event" under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), including a new dependent by marriage, birth or adoption, or loss of coverage under another health insurance plan
- Event allowed under the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Reauthorization Act (you have 60 days to request enrollment due to events allowed under CHIP).

You must submit your change within 30 days after the event.

# ENROLLING FOR BENEFITS



## Workday Benefits

Workday Benefits is an online system that enables you to make all your benefit decisions in one place. If you don't have access to a computer, you can access Workday's app from a tablet or smartphone.

### Before you enroll

- Know the date of birth, social security number, and address for each dependent you will cover.
- Review your enrollment materials to understand your benefit options and costs for the coming year.

### Getting started

- Visit the employee portal: [wd12.myworkday.com/kong](https://wd12.myworkday.com/kong)
- ADD your personal and dependent information.
- SELECT your benefit plans for the coming year.
- REVIEW your choices and costs before finalizing.

# THE EASY WAY TO GET BENEFITS INFO

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## GET MYBENEFITS.LIFE®

### On the web:

[Kong.mybenefits.life](http://Kong.mybenefits.life)

### On your smartphone



Download from the App Store or Google Play.

### Login With Employer Key Kong

“Sign Up or Login” – system will only show your elected plans

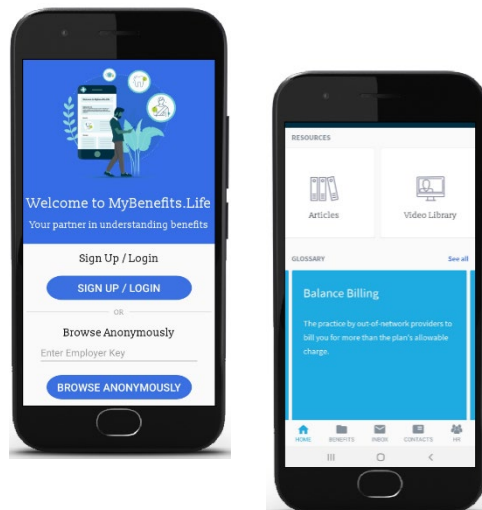
“View as a Guest” – system will show all of Kong’s plans

## MyBenefits.Life® gives you all your benefits information in one place

You can bank online, book a vacation online, and read the news online. Why should your benefits information be any different? MyBenefits.Life® is both a website and a mobile app that gives you access to the benefits information you need, when you need it.

## Here’s what you’ll find on MyBenefits.Life®

<b>Benefits</b>	See benefit details and costs—for all plans you’re eligible for, such as healthcare, disability, life insurance, and more
<b>Search</b>	Can’t find it? Just search the site
<b>Articles &amp; Video Library</b>	Have 2 minutes? Increase your benefits IQ with short explainer articles and videos
<b>Financial Wellness</b>	Want to understand your finances better? Learn how in the Digital Financial Wellness Center, powered by Prudential
<b>Glossary</b>	HDHP? EOB? Coinsurance? Get the definitions in plain English
<b>Inbox</b>	Get messages from your HR team
<b>Enroll</b>	Time to enroll? Get the link here
<b>Documents</b>	Important benefit plan notices (“the fine print”)
<b>Contacts</b>	Find HR, benefits, and carrier contacts
<b>Get Help</b>	Need help? Reach helpful resources



# HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR BENEFITS?



## **Angelika Pasion Benefit Advocate**

### **Email**

**kong@alliant.com**

### **Phone**

**925-357-6831**

**8 am - 5 pm (M-Th)**

**8 am - 4:30 pm (Fri)**

**Pacific Time**

## **Meet your Benefit Advocate**

Are you getting married and not sure how and when to add your new spouse to your plan? Is your stepchild eligible for your healthcare plan? Do you need help understanding the difference between an HSA and an FSA? Your Alliant Benefit Advocate can help answer these questions and more.

They can help you understand and use your healthcare and other coverage. Contact your Benefit Advocate for issues such as:

- General benefit questions
- Eligibility and coverage
- Finding a network provider
- Health care claim or billing issues, when warranted
- Coverage changes due to life events (marriage, new child, divorce, etc.).

## **Claims assistance**

A HIPAA Authorization Form will be required in order for your Benefit Advocate to assist you with claims related issues.

Through this form, you grant your Benefit Advocate permission to work with your insurer and/or your healthcare provider(s) to resolve your claims issues. The form, which will be provided by your Benefit Advocate, is revocable at any time and permission may be granted on a limited time basis to only those individuals listed on the form. If you have questions about this process, please contact your Benefit Advocate.





# HEALTHCARE

# MAKE TIME FOR HEALTH

## OUR COMMITMENT

We believe that our employees should have access to healthcare coverage that promotes preventive care and helps cover the cost of illness.

Eligible employees and their eligible dependents can enroll in medical, dental, and vision coverage through the Kong benefits program.

## Medical

We offer four different medical plans. Preventive care is fully covered under all plans if obtained in-network. Your costs for other services will depend on which plan you choose. Review the network provider information and out-of-pocket costs such as deductible, coinsurance and prescription drugs so you can choose the best fit for your health concerns and budget/understand how the plan works.

## Dental

Some people don't like going to the dentist, but no one likes big dental bills. Regular checkups and cleanings are fully covered and can identify issues before they become serious. And if you do need dental services, insurance helps cover the cost for fillings, gum disease, orthodontia, and more.

## Vision

An eye exam can uncover health conditions you may not know you have, such as glaucoma, or even high blood pressure. Our vision plan help cover the cost of eye exams, eyeglasses, and contact lenses to ensure you're seeing and feeling your best.



## MEDICAL

### OUR PLANS

Cigna \$250 PPO

Cigna \$750 PPO

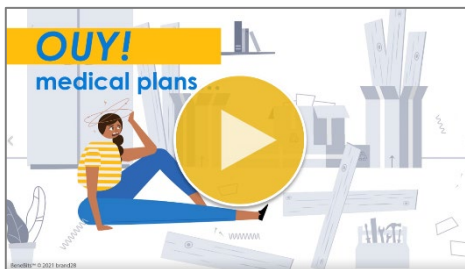
Cigna HDHP w/ HSA

Kaiser HMO  
(CA Only)

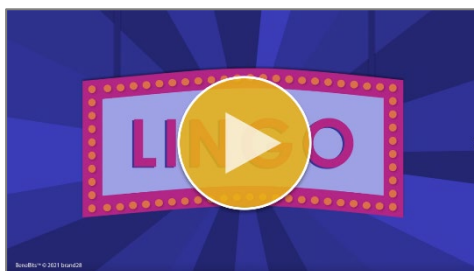
### HMO, PPO, HDHP... WHAT?

Not all medical plans work the same way. Watch these videos to understand how each type of plan works.

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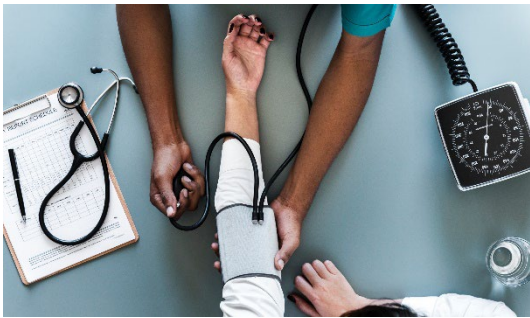
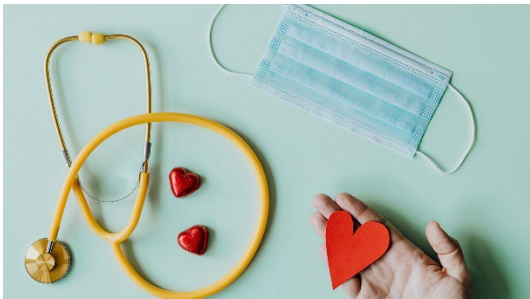


All About Medical Plans



Play the Health Lingo  
Game!

# WHICH PLAN IS RIGHT FOR YOU?



## Consider an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization) if:

- You reside in California
- You want lower, predictable out-of-pocket costs
- You like having one doctor to manage your care
- You are happy with the selection of network providers
- You don't see any doctors that are out-of-network
- You have convenient access to Kaiser California facilities

### Plans To Consider

- Kaiser HMO

## Consider a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) if:

- You are ok with higher payroll deductions but lower costs when you receive care
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers

### Plans To Consider

- Cigna \$250 PPO
- Cigna \$750 PPO

## Consider a High Deductible Health Plan (HDHP) if:

- You are ok with lower payroll deductions and willing to use that additional take home pay for higher costs when you receive care
- You want to receive the Health Savings Account contribution from Kong
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers
- You want tax-free savings on your healthcare costs
- You want to build a savings account for future healthcare costs for you and your eligible family members
- You want an extra way to add to your retirement savings.

### Plans To Consider

- Cigna HDHP w/HSA

# Cigna Medical Plans

You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Cigna \$250 PPO		Cigna \$750 PPO		Cigna HDHP w/ HSA	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$250 per individual up to \$500 per family	\$250 per individual up to \$500 per family	\$750 per individual up to \$1,500 per family	\$3,000 per individual up to \$6,000 per family	\$2,000 per individual, \$3,000/per individual within a family, up to \$4,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual, \$8,000 per individual within a family, up to \$8,000 per family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,300 per individual up to \$6,600 per family	\$5,000 per individual up to \$10,000 per family	\$4,500 per individual up to \$9,000 per family	\$8,000 per individual up to \$16,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual up to \$8,000 per family	\$8,000 per individual up to \$16,000 per family
<b>Office Visit (Primary Care)</b>	\$10 copay	40% after deductible	\$15 copay	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Office Visit (Specialist)</b>	\$25 copay	40% after deductible	\$30 copay	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Online Visit</b>	\$10 copay	Not covered	\$15 copay	Not covered	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$25 copay	40% after deductible	\$30 copay	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	10%	40% after deductible	\$0	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$25 copay	40% after deductible	\$40 copay	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Emergency Room</b>	\$100 copay + 10% (copay is waived if admitted)		10%		10% after deductible	
<b>Hospitalization</b>	10% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	10% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>					(Medical deductible applies)	
Generic	\$5 copay	Not covered	\$10 copay	Not covered	\$15 copay	Not covered
Preferred brand	\$30 copay	Not covered	\$30 copay	Not covered	\$50 copay	Not covered
Non-preferred brand	\$50 copay	Not covered	\$60 copay	Not covered	\$75 copay	Not covered
Specialty	30% up to \$250	Not covered	30% up to \$150	Not covered	30% up to \$250	Not covered

# Kaiser Medical Plan

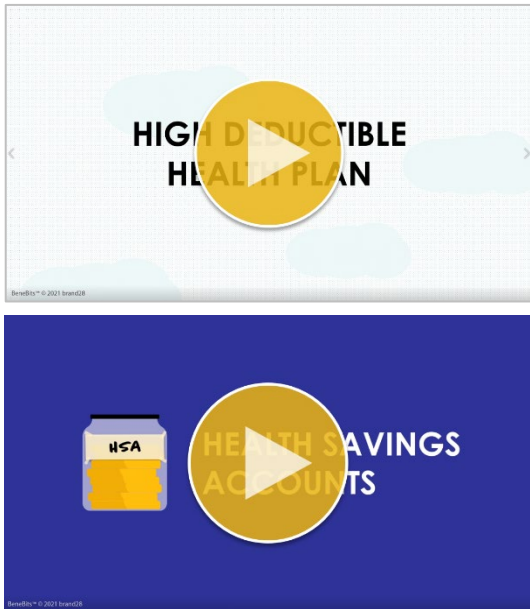
You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Kaiser HMO (CA Only)
	In-Network Only
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$500/individual up to \$1,000/family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,000/individual up to \$6,000/family
<b>Office Visit (Primary Care or Specialist)</b>	\$20 copay
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$15 copay (up to 20 annual visits)
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	\$10 copay
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$20 copay
<b>Emergency Room</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Hospitalization</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	10% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>	
Generic	\$10 copay
Preferred brand	\$30 copay
Non-preferred brand	\$30 copay
Specialty	20% up to \$250/prescription



# HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

The HSA is not for everyone. You're eligible only if you are:

1. Enrolled in the Cigna HDHP.
2. Not enrolled in other non-HDHP medical coverage, including Medicare, Medicaid, or Tricare.
3. Not a tax dependent.
4. Not enrolled in a healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA), unless it's a "limited purpose" FSA for dental and vision expenses.

## A personal savings account for healthcare

A Health Savings Account (HSA) is an easy way to pay for healthcare expenses that you have today, and save for expenses you may have in the future.

## How the Cigna HSA works

- Your HSA account is set up automatically with Navia after you enroll.
- To help you get started, Kong contributes to your HSA:
  - \$1,000 to employees
  - \$2,000 for family
- You can contribute up to the limit set by the IRS (includes the Kong contribution amount).
  - Individual:** \$3,850 per year
  - Family:** \$7,750 per year
  - Are you age 55?** You can contribute an additional \$1,000 per year
- You can use your HSA debit card to pay for eligible expenses like office visits, lab tests, prescriptions, dental and vision care, and even some drugstore items.

## Four reasons to love an HSA

1. **Tax-free.** No federal tax on contributions, or state tax in most states. Withdrawals are also tax-free as long as they're for eligible healthcare expenses.
2. **No "use it or lose it."** Your balance rolls over from year to year. You own the account and can continue to use it even if you change medical plans or leave the company.
3. **Use it now or later.** Use your HSA for healthcare expenses you have today or save it to use in the future.
4. **Boosts retirement savings.** After you retire, you can use your HSA for healthcare expenses tax-free, or for regular living expenses, taxable but no penalties.

## Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible Expenses](#)
- [Ineligible Expenses](#)

# HEALTHCARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

You don't have to enroll in one of our medical plans to participate in the healthcare FSA. However, if you or your spouse are enrolled in a high deductible health plan (like our Cigna plan) you can only participate in the **Limited Purpose FSA** for dental and vision expenses.

### Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible Expenses](#) – now include more over-the-counter items!
- [Ineligible Expenses](#)

### Do you pay for dependent care?

Look in the Financial Wellness section for information on tax savings through the Dependent Care FSA.

## Set aside healthcare dollars for the coming year

A healthcare FSA allows you to set aside tax-free money to pay for healthcare expenses you expect to have over the coming year.

## How the Navia FSA works

- You estimate what you and your family's out-of-pocket costs will be for the coming year. Think about what out-of-pocket costs you expect to have for eligible expenses such as office visits, surgery, dental and vision expenses, prescriptions, even eligible drugstore items.
- You can contribute up to \$3,050, the annual limit set by the IRS. Contributions are deducted from your pay pre-tax, meaning no federal or state tax on that amount.
- During the year, you can use your FSA debit card to pay for services and products. Withdrawals are tax-free as long as they're for eligible healthcare expenses.

## Estimate carefully!

If you don't spend all the money in your account, you forfeit the leftover balance at the end of the year.

### FSA TAX SAVINGS EXAMPLE

#### \$60,000 Annual Pay, with \$1,500 FSA Contribution

<b>\$330</b>	<b>\$115</b>	<b>\$445</b>
22% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

#### \$120,000 Annual Pay, with \$2,850 FSA Contribution

<b>\$684</b>	<b>\$219</b>	<b>\$903</b>
24% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

*Your tax savings may vary depending on tax filing status and other variables*

# DENTAL

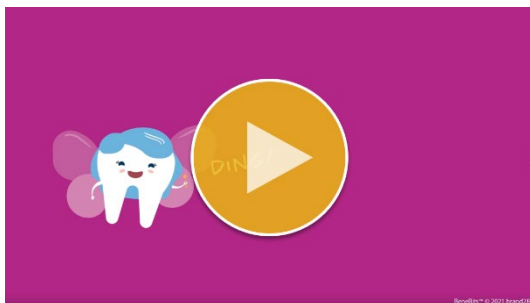


## OUR PLANS

MetLife Dental PPO

MetLife Dental HMO

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## Why sign up for Dental coverage?

It's important to go to the dentist regularly. Brushing and flossing are great, but regular exams catch dental issues early before they become more expensive and difficult to treat.

That's where dental insurance comes in. Dental insurance makes it easier and less expensive to get the care you need to maintain good oral health.

Dental insurance covers three types of treatments:

- **Preventive** care includes exams, cleanings and x-rays
- **Basic** care focuses on repair and restoration with services such as fillings, root canals, and gum disease treatment
- **Major** care goes further than basic and includes bridges, crowns and dentures
- **Orthodontia** treatment to properly align teeth within the mouth.



# MetLife Dental Plans

You always pay the deductible. The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	MetLife Dental PPO		MetLife Dental HMO (CA Only)
	In-Network	Out-of-Network*	In-Network
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$25/individual or \$75/family		None
<b>Annual Plan Maximum</b>	\$2,500		None
<b>Diagnostic &amp; Preventive</b>	0%		Schedule fee
<b>Basic Services</b>	20%		Schedule fee
<b>Major Services</b>	50%		Schedule fee
<b>Orthodontia</b>	50%		Schedule fee
<b>Ortho Lifetime Max</b>	\$2,500		Schedule fee

**\*Out of network coverage (MetLife PPO Only):** If you receive coverage from an out of network dentist, professional, or facility MetLife will cover your costs based on their “recognized” amount. The amount is based on what other dentists charge for the service in your area. Your non-network provider may charge a rate higher than the “recognized” amount and you will be responsible for any balance in excess of the “recognized” amount.



**OUR PLAN**

MetLife Vision

**Why sign up for Vision coverage?**

Vision coverage helps with the cost of eyeglasses or contacts. But even if you don't need vision correction, an annual eye exam checks the health of your eyes and can even detect more serious health issues such as diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and thyroid disease.

You'll even find discounts on services like LASIK and PRK, rebates on contact lenses, and money off on other related services. Visit the plan's website to check out these extra savings.

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# MetLife Vision Plan

Your vision checkup is fully covered after your Exam copay. After your Materials copay, the plan covers frames, lenses, and contacts as described below.

	MetLife Vision	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Eye exam	\$0	Up to \$45 reimbursement
Frames	\$130 allowance	Up to \$70 reimbursement
Single Vision Lenses	\$25 copay	Up to \$30 reimbursement
Contacts (Elective)	\$130 allowance (in lieu of glasses)	Up to \$105 reimbursement
Frequency	<b>Exam:</b> once every 12 months <b>Frames:</b> once every 12 months <b>Lenses:</b> once every 12 months <b>Contacts (Elective):</b> once every 12 months	

## What you need to know about this plan



Features:

What other services are covered?

Eyeglasses are expensive. Will I still be able to afford them, even with insurance?

Where can I get more details?

See any provider, but you'll pay more Out-of-Network

The plan can also help you save money on LASIK procedures, sunglasses, and computer glasses.

Look for moderately priced frames and remember that your benefit is higher in-network. If you participate in an HSA or healthcare FSA, you can use your account to pay for vision care and eyewear with tax-free dollars.

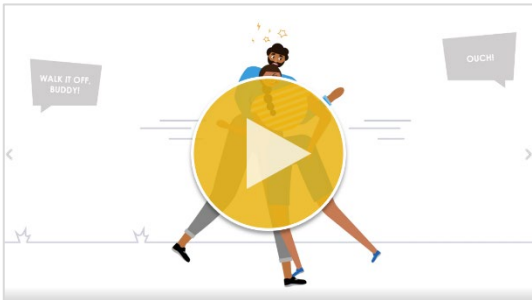
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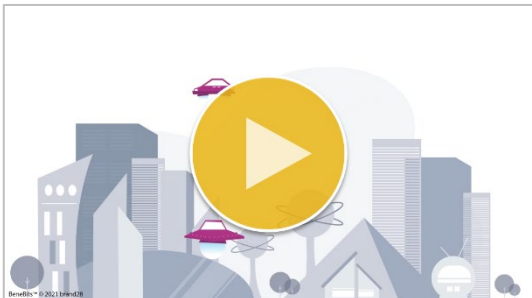


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Urgent Care vs ER



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## Maximize Your Healthcare

Knowing how to best use your healthcare coverage can help you improve your health and reduce your expenses. In this section you'll find tips on:

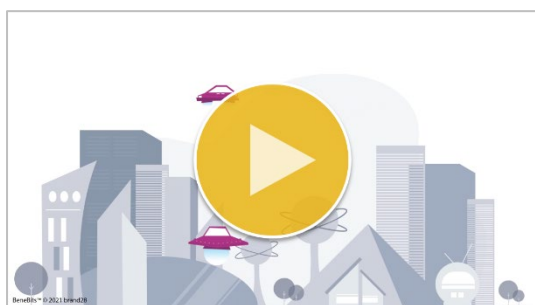
- Finding the right care at the right cost
- Alternatives to hospital care
- Understanding preventive care benefits
- Saving money on prescription drugs

# KNOW WHERE TO GO

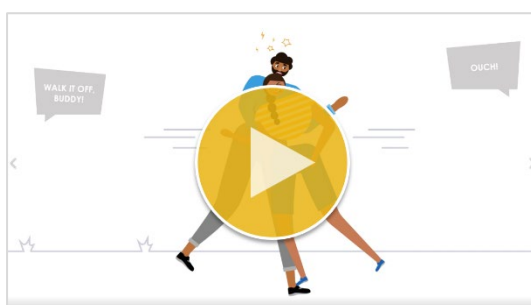
Where you get medical care can significantly influence the cost. Here's a quick guide to help you know where to go, based on your condition, budget, and time.

Type	Examples
<b>Nurse line (24/7—\$0)</b> Quick answers from a trained nurse Cigna: 800-223-9379 opt 3 Kaiser: 866-454-8855	Identifying if immediate care is needed Home treatment options and advice
<b>Online visit (24/7—\$)</b> Many nonemergency health issues Cigna: mycigna.com Kaiser: kp.org	Cold, flu, allergies, headache, migraine Skin conditions, rashes Minor injuries Mental health concerns
<b>Office visit (\$\$)</b> Routine medical care and management	Preventive care Illnesses, injuries Managing existing conditions
<b>Urgent care (\$\$\$)</b> Non-life-threatening conditions requiring prompt attention	Stitches, sprains Animal bites High fever, respiratory infections
<b>Emergency room (24/7—\$\$\$\$)</b> Life-threatening conditions needing immediate care	Suspected heart attack or stroke Major bone breaks Excessive bleeding Severe pain Difficulty breathing

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Urgent Care vs ER

# ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES

If you have time to evaluate your options for nonemergency health treatments, these alternative facilities can provide the same results as a hospital at a fraction of the cost.

Need	Alternative	Features	Savings
<b>SURGERY</b>	Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Specializes in same-day surgeries</li><li>• Cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery and more</li><li>• Held to same safety standards as hospitals</li></ul>	Up to 50% over hospital stay*  <i>*in-network</i>
<b>PHYSICAL THERAPY</b>	Outpatient physical therapy facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Important part of the recovery process after an injury or surgery</li></ul>	40 to 60% over a hospital setting*  <i>*in-network</i>
<b>SLEEP STUDY</b>	Home testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diagnoses sleep apnea and other conditions</li><li>• Cost is often covered by insurance if considered medically necessary</li></ul>	Approx. \$4,500*  <i>*in-network</i>
<b>INFUSION THERAPY</b>	Home or outpatient infusion therapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For drugs that must be delivered by intravenous injections, or epidurals</li><li>• Delivered by licensed infusion therapy provider</li><li>• Maintain normal lifestyle and comfort of home or outpatient center</li></ul>	Up to 90% over hospital stay*  <i>*in-network</i>

## How to find an alternative treatment facility

Ask your doctor if your treatment must be delivered in the hospital. You can also search for surgical centers, physical therapy, and similar services on your plan's website, or call member services for assistance. Online tools such as [healthcarebluebook.com](https://www.healthcarebluebook.com) and [healthgrades.com](https://www.healthgrades.com) help you compare costs and doctor ratings.

Some alternative services include a facility fee to cover overhead costs. To avoid a surprise on your bill, ask about facility fees before you schedule your appointment.

# PREVENTIVE CARE SCREENING BENEFITS



## TYPICAL SCREENINGS FOR ADULTS

- Blood pressure
- Cholesterol
- Diabetes
- Colorectal cancer screening
- Depression
- Mammograms
- OB/GYN screenings
- Prostate cancer screening
- Testicular exam

You take your car in for maintenance. Why not do the same for yourself?

Annual preventive checkups can help you and your doctor identify your baseline level of health and detect issues before they become serious.

### What is Preventive Care?

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) requires health insurers to cover a set of preventive services at no cost to you, even if you haven't met your yearly deductible. The preventive care services you'll need to stay healthy vary by age, sex, and medical history.

Visit [cdc.gov/prevention](https://cdc.gov/prevention) for recommended guidelines.

**Preventive care is covered in full  
only when obtained from an  
IN-NETWORK provider.**

### Not all exams and tests are considered preventive

Exams performed by specialists are generally not considered preventive and may not be covered at 100 percent.

Additionally, certain screenings may be considered diagnostic, not preventive, based on your current medical condition. You may be responsible for paying all or a share of the cost for those services.

If you have a question about whether a service will be covered as preventive care, contact your medical plan.



# PRESCRIPTIONS BREAKING YOUR BUDGET?

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## THE FORMULARY DRUG TIERS DETERMINE YOUR COST

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\$ Generic Drug

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\$\$ Brand Name Drug

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\$\$\$ Specialty Drug

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\*The costs of covered medications vary by plan, refer to pages 11 – 13 for pharmacy copays under each plan

## Understanding the formulary can save you money

If your doctor prescribes medicine, especially for an ongoing condition, don't forget to check your health plan's drug formulary. It's a powerful tool that can help you make informed decisions about your medication options and identify the lowest cost selection.

## What is a formulary?

A drug formulary is a list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan. Most prescription drug formularies separate the medications they cover into four or five drug categories, or "tiers." These groupings range from least expensive to most expensive cost to you. "Preferred" drugs generally cost you less than "non-preferred" drugs.

## Get the most from your coverage

To get the most out of your prescription drug coverage, note where your prescriptions fall within your plan's drug formulary tiers and ask your doctor for advice. Generic drugs are usually the lowest cost option. Generics are required by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to perform the same as brand-name drug equivalents.

**To find out if a drug is on your plan's formulary, visit the plan's website or call the customer service number on your ID card.**



# LIFE & DISABILITY



## **YOUR BENEFICIARY = WHO GETS PAID**

If the worst happens, your beneficiary—the person (or people) on record with the life insurance carrier—receives the benefit. Make sure that you name at least one beneficiary for your life insurance benefit, and change your beneficiary as needed if your situation changes.

## **Is your family protected?**

Life, AD&D and disability insurance can fill a number of financial gaps due to a temporary or permanent reduction of income. Consider what your family would need to cover day-to-day living expenses and medical bills during a pregnancy or illness-related disability leave, or how you would manage large expenses (rent or mortgage, children's education, student loans, consumer debt, etc.) after the death of a spouse or partner.

We provide short and long-term disability benefits and a base amount of life and AD&D insurance to help you recover from financial loss.

## **If you need additional coverage**

We offer voluntary coverage that you can purchase for yourself, your spouse, and your children. See the Voluntary Benefits section for details.

# COMPANY- PROVIDED LIFE AND AD&D INSURANCE

## Basic Life and AD&D

Basic Life Insurance pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die. AD&D (Accidental Death & Dismemberment) coverage provides a benefit to you if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or to your beneficiary if you have a fatal accident. The cost of coverage is paid in full by the company.



## 2023 MetLife Basic Life and AD&D

1x annual salary up to a maximum of \$400,000.

*The benefit amounts above will be reduced if you are age 65 or older. Refer to the plan document for details.*

## WHAT'S GUARANTEED ISSUE?

If you select coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue") or after your initial eligibility, you will need to provide additional information about your health status in order to qualify for the requested amount of coverage.

## A NOTE ABOUT TAXES

Company-provided life insurance coverage over \$50,000 is considered a taxable benefit. The value of the benefit over \$50,000 will be reported as taxable income on your annual W-2 form.

# SHORT-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (STD)



## COORDINATION WITH STATE BENEFITS

Be sure to claim any state benefits you are eligible for. Disability insurance payments are reduced by your eligible state disability payments, regardless of whether or not you claim them.

# LONG-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (LTD)



## 3 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT LTD INSURANCE

1. It can protect you from having to tap into your retirement savings.
2. You can use LTD benefits however you need, for housing, food, medical bills, etc.
3. Benefits can last a long time—from weeks to even years—if you remain eligible.

# STD Benefits

Short-Term Disability (STD) insurance replaces part of your income for limited duration issues such as:

- Pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery
- Prolonged illness or injury
- Surgery and recovery time

STD payments may be reduced if you receive other benefits such as sick pay, workers' compensation, Social Security, or state disability. The company pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2023 MetLife STD

<b>Weekly benefit amount</b>	60% of your weekly salary up to a maximum of \$2,308.
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 7 days of disability due to accident or sickness
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	12 weeks (based on first day you are disabled, not when benefits begin)

# LTD benefits cushion the financial impact of a disability

Long-Term Disability (LTD) insurance replaces part of your income for longer term issues such as:

- Debilitating illness (cancer, heart disease, etc.)
- Serious injuries (accident, etc.)
- Heart attack, stroke
- Mental disorders.

If you qualify, LTD benefits begin after short-term disability benefits end. Payments may be reduced by state, federal, or private disability benefits you receive while disabled. Kong pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2023 MetLife LTD

<b>Monthly benefit amount</b>	60% of your salary up to a maximum of \$12,000
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 90 days of disability
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	Until maximum social security normal retirement age, or the earlier you recover





# VOLUNTARY PLANS

## OUR VOLUNTARY PLANS

- 2023 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D
- 2023 MetLife Accident
- 2023 MetLife Hospital Indemnity
- 2023 MetLife Critical Illness
- 2023 MetLife Pet Insurance

## You're unique—and so are your benefit needs

Voluntary benefits are optional coverages that help you customize your benefits package to your individual needs.

Kong offers plans to help:

- provide income for survivors
- replace income if you're injured or ill
- save money on protection for your pets

You pay the entire cost for these plans, but rates may be more affordable than individual coverage. And you get the added convenience of paying through payroll deduction.

Voluntary benefits are just that: voluntary. You have the freedom and flexibility to choose the benefits that make sense for you and your family. Or, you don't have to sign up for voluntary benefits at all. The choice is yours.

# VOLUNTARY LIFE/AD&D INSURANCE



## GUARANTEED ISSUE

If you purchase life insurance coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue" amount) during your initial eligibility period, you will need to submit Evidence of Insurability with additional information about your health in order for the insurance company to approve the amount of coverage.

Any amounts elected or increases to your election after your initial eligibility period are subject to Evidence of Insurability.

## Protecting those you leave behind

Voluntary Life Insurance allows you to purchase additional life insurance to protect your family's financial security. Coverage is available for your spouse and/or child(ren) if you purchase coverage for yourself.

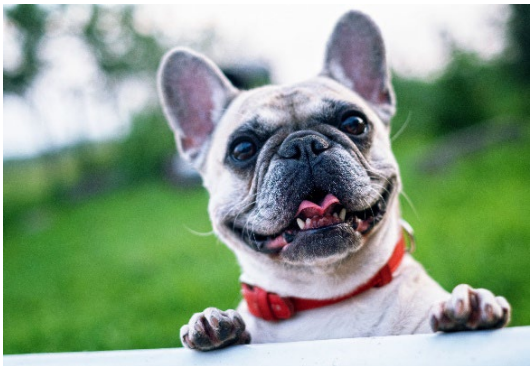
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### 2023 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D

<b>Employee</b>	Increments of \$10,000 up to \$500,000. Guaranteed issue of \$150,000.
<b>Spouse</b>	Increments of \$5,000 up to 50% of employee amount to a maximum of \$100,000. Guaranteed issue of \$25,000.
<b>Child(ren)</b>	Amounts of \$1,000/\$2,000/\$4,000/\$5,000/\$10,000

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# VOLUNTARY HEALTH-RELATED PLANS



## THINGS TO CONSIDER

Your medical plan helps cover the cost of illness, but a serious or long-lasting medical crisis often involves additional expenses and may affect your ability to bring home a full paycheck. These plans provide you with resources to help you get by while there are additional strains on your finances.

## Accident Insurance

Accident Insurance from MetLife helps you pay for unexpected costs that can add up due to common injuries such as fractures, dislocations, burns, emergency room or urgent care visits, and physical therapy. If you or a covered family member has an accident, this plan pays a lump-sum, tax-free benefit. The amount of money depends on the type and severity of your injury and can be used any way you choose.

## Critical Illness Insurance

Critical illness insurance from MetLife can help fill a financial gap if you experience a serious illness such as cancer, heart attack or stroke. Upon diagnosis of a covered illness, a lump-sum, tax-free benefit is immediately paid to you. Use it to help cover medical costs, transportation, child care, lost income, or any other need following a critical illness. You choose a benefit amount that fits your paycheck and can cover yourself and your family members if needed. You may even be eligible for a benefit if you receive a covered wellness screening such as blood tests, stress tests, or a chest x-ray.

## Hospital Indemnity Insurance

Hospital indemnity insurance from MetLife can enhance your current medical coverage. The plan pays a lump sum, tax-free benefit when you or an enrolled dependent is admitted or confined to the hospital for covered accidents and illnesses. You can use the money you receive under the plan however you see fit, for paying medical bills, childcare, or for regular living expenses like groceries—you decide.

## Pet Insurance

Pets are members of the family too. When your pet gets sick, bills can add up faster than expected. Pet insurance prevents you from needing to weigh your pet's health against your bank account. Most plans offer coverage for costs associated with both accidents and illnesses—even medications. MetLife provides coverage for this program.





## FINANCIAL WELLNESS

### PLANS TO HELP YOU SAVE

- Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (DC FSA)
- Transportation & Parking Benefits

### Is it time for a “financial wellness” checkup?

Are you worried about money—making your paycheck last? Paying down debt? Making a big purchase like a car or home? And can you even think about preparing for retirement?

Ignoring your financial health can take a toll on your quality of life today and block opportunities for the future. And worrying about money matters can make you stressed, even to the point of physical illness.

We offer benefits and resources to help you make the most of your money now and in the future. You can increase your take-home pay by saving on taxes.

# PAYING FOR DAYCARE? MAKE IT TAX-FREE!

*Click to play video*



## EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE

The biggest deduction from your paycheck is likely federal income tax. Why not take a bite out of taxes while paying for necessary expenses with tax-free dollars?



**Estimate carefully!** You can't change your FSA election amount mid-year unless you experience a qualifying event. Money contributed to a dependent care FSA must be used for expenses incurred during the same plan year. Unspent funds will be forfeited.

## SAVE ON COMMUTE EXPENSES

### Transportation Savings Account—up to \$600 per month tax-free



Do you have out-of-pocket commuting expenses for public transportation, van pooling, or for worksite parking? If so, you can save on taxes by enrolling in our transportation savings account, administered by Navia.

The account lets you set aside money—before it's taxed—through payroll deduction. You may enroll in or stop this program at any time. Money in the account can be used in future months or plan years.

Set aside up to \$300 per month for work-related parking expenses and up to \$300 per month for work-related commute expenses.





# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

In this section, you'll find important plan information, including:

- Your medical, dental and vision benefit contributions for 2023
- Contact information for our benefit carriers and vendors
- A summary of the health plan notices you are entitled to receive annually, and where to find them
- A Benefits Glossary to help you understand important insurance terms.

# YOUR MONTHLY BENEFIT COSTS

The total amount that you pay for your benefits coverage depends on the plans you choose, how many dependents you cover, and for medical coverage, how much you earn. Your healthcare costs are deducted from your pay on a pre-tax basis — before federal, state, and social security taxes are calculated — so you pay less in taxes.

## MEDICAL

	Cigna \$250 PPO	Cigna \$750 PPO	Cigna HDHP w/HSA	Kaiser HMO
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$115.53	\$108.46	\$91.79	\$85.70
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$323.47	\$303.68	\$256.99	\$245.72
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$292.66	\$274.76	\$232.52	\$223.38
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$462.10	\$433.83	\$367.13	\$335.07

## DENTAL & VISION

	MetLife Dental PPO	MetLife Dental HMO	MetLife Vision
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$7.52	\$2.34	\$1.17
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$19.92	\$5.92	\$3.15
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$22.61	\$6.23	\$2.66
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$34.92	\$8.87	\$4.39

*Please note that unless your domestic partner is your tax dependent as defined by the IRS, contributions for domestic partner coverage must be made after-tax. Similarly, the company contribution toward coverage for your domestic partner and his/her dependents will be reported as taxable income on your W-2. Contact your tax advisor for more details on how this tax treatment applies to you. Notify Kong if your domestic partner is your tax dependent.*

# VOLUNTARY LIFE & AD&D INSURANCE COSTS

If you elect voluntary coverage, your monthly premium rate is calculated based on your age and the amount of coverage. Use the tables below to estimate the premium amount that will be deducted from your paycheck.

## VOLUNTARY LIFE INSURANCE – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE

Age	Employee	Spouse
<25	\$0.062	\$0.062
25-29	\$0.062	\$0.062
30-34	\$0.080	\$0.080
35-39	\$0.090	\$0.090
40-44	\$0.123	\$0.123
45-49	\$0.192	\$0.192
50-54	\$0.311	\$0.311
55-59	\$0.476	\$0.476
60-64	\$0.740	\$0.740
65-69	\$1.270	\$1.270
70-74	\$2.354	\$2.354
75+	\$2.354	\$2.354

## VOLUNTARY AD&D – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE

Employee & Spouse	\$0.017
Child(ren)	\$0.051

*To calculate your per paycheck AD&D cost, follow the same steps as the table above.*

## CALCULATE YOUR LIFE INSURANCE COST

1. Desired Coverage (\$1,000 Increments)

You:	Spouse:
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2. Divide Step 1 by 1,000 =

You:	Spouse:
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3. Multiply Step 2 by Rate from Table =

You:	Spouse:
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4. Multiply Step 4 by 12 and divide by 24 =

You:	Spouse:
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5. Add You + Spouse from Step 4:

TOTAL COST PER PAYCHECK:
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## CHILD LIFE INSURANCE

COVERAGE AMOUNT	Rate per \$1,000 of coverage	Total Cost Per Paycheck
\$	\$0.240	\$

**Premium includes all eligible children.** Eligible children include dependent children under age 26 as long as you apply for and are approved for coverage for yourself.

# PLAN CONTACTS

## HELPFUL RESOURCES

### Benefits Portal/App

MyBenefits.Life®

[Kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life)

Employer key: kong

### Alliant Benefit Advocate

[kong@alliant.com](mailto:kong@alliant.com)

925-357-6831

## MEDICAL, DENTAL & VISION

### Cigna Medical PPO/HDHP

Policy # 627502

[mycigna.com](https://mycigna.com)

Cigna Health Benefits App

Member Services

(866) 494-2111

### Kaiser Medical HMO

Policy # 715657

[Kp.org](https://kp.org)

Kaiser Permanente App

Member Services

(800) 464-4000

### MetLife Dental and Vision

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

## HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

### Navia HSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS (FSA)

### Navia FSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## LIFE AND AD&D, SHORT-TERM DISABILITY, LONG TERM DISABILITY

### MetLife, Inc.

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

## EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EAP

### LifeWorks

[metlifeeap.lifeworks.com](https://metlifeeap.lifeworks.com)

LifeWorks Mobile App

1-888-319-7819

# GLOSSARY

## -A-

### **AD&D Insurance**

An insurance plan that pays a benefit to you or your beneficiary if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or if you have a fatal accident.

### **Allowed Amount**

The maximum amount your plan will pay for a covered healthcare service.

### **Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)**

A healthcare facility that specializes in same-day surgical procedures such as cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery, and more.

### **Annual Limit**

A cap on the benefits your plan will pay in a year. Limits may be placed on particular services such as prescriptions or hospitalizations. Annual limits may be placed on the dollar amount of covered services or on the number of visits that will be covered for a particular service. After an annual limit is reached, you must pay all associated health care costs for the rest of the plan year.

## -B-

### **Balance Billing**

In-network providers are not allowed to bill you for more than the plan's allowable charge, but out-of-network providers are. This is called balance billing. For example, if the provider's fee is \$100 but the plan's allowable charge is only \$70, an out-of-network provider may bill YOU for the \$30 difference (the balance).

**Note:** Beginning January 1, 2022 the "No Surprises Act" provides protections against surprise billing for emergency services, air ambulance services, and certain services provided by a non-participating provider at a participating facility. For these services, the member's cost are generally limited to what the charge would have been if received in-network, leaving any balance to be settled between the insurer and the out-of-network provider. Consult your health plan documents for details.

### **Beneficiary**

The person (or persons) that you name to be paid a benefit should you die. Beneficiaries are requested for life, AD&D, and retirement plans. You must name your beneficiary in advance.

### **Brand Name Drug**

A drug sold under its trademarked name. For example, Lipitor is the brand name of a common cholesterol medicine.

## -C-

### **COBRA**

A federal law that may allow you to temporarily continue healthcare coverage after your employment ends, based on certain qualifying events. If you elect COBRA (Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act) coverage, you pay 100% of the premiums, including any share your employer used to pay, plus a small administrative fee.

### **Claim**

A request for payment that you or your health care provider submits to your healthcare plan after you receive services that may be covered.

### **Coinsurance**

Your share of the cost of a healthcare visit or service. Coinsurance is expressed as a percentage and always adds up to 100%. For example, if the plan pays 70%, your coinsurance responsibility is 30% of the cost. If your plan has a deductible, you pay 100% of the cost until you meet your deductible amount.

### **Copayment**

A flat fee you pay for some healthcare services, for example, a doctor's office visit. You pay the copayment (sometimes called a copay) at the time you receive care. In most cases, copays do not count toward the deductible.

## -D-

### **Deductible**

The amount of healthcare expenses you have to pay for with your own money before your health plan will pay. The deductible does not apply to preventive care and certain other services.

Family coverage may have an **aggregate** or **embedded** deductible. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family deductible before any individual expenses are covered. Embedded means the plan begins to make payments for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual deductible.

### **Dental Basic Services**

Services such as fillings, routine extractions and some oral surgery procedures.

### **Dental Diagnostic & Preventive**

Generally includes routine cleanings, oral exams, x-rays, and fluoride treatments. Most plans limit preventive exams and cleanings to two times a year.

### **Dental Major Services**

Complex or restorative dental work such as crowns, bridges, dentures, inlays and onlays.

### **Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

An arrangement through your employer that lets you pay for eligible child and elder care expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include day care, before and after-school programs, preschool, and summer day camp for children under age 13. Also included is care for a spouse or other dependent who lives with you and is physically incapable of self-care.

## -E-

### **Eligible Expense**

A service or product that is covered by your plan. Your plan will not cover any of the cost if the expense is not eligible.

### **Excluded Service**

A service that your health plan doesn't pay for or cover.

## -F-

### **Formulary**

A list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan or prescription drug plan. Also called a drug list.

## -G-

### **Generic Drug**

A drug that has the same active ingredients as a brand name drug, but is sold under a different name. For example, Atorvastatin is the generic name for medicines with the same formula as Lipitor.

### **Grandfathered**

A medical plan that is exempt from certain provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

## -H-

### **Health Reimbursement Account (HRA)**

An account funded by an employer that reimburses employees, tax-free, for qualified medical expenses up to a maximum amount per year. Sometimes called Health Reimbursement Arrangements.

### **Healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

A health account through your employer that lets you pay for many out-of-pocket medical expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include insurance copayments and deductibles, qualified prescription drugs, insulin, and medical devices, and some over-the-counter items.

# GLOSSARY

## High Deductible Health Plan (HDHP)

A medical plan with a higher deductible than a traditional insurance plan. The monthly premium is usually lower, but you pay more health care costs (the deductible) before the insurance company starts to pay its share. A high deductible plan (HDHP) may make you eligible for a health savings account (HSA) that allows you to pay for certain medical expenses with money free from federal taxes.

## -I-

### In-Network

In-network providers and services contract with your healthcare plan and will usually be the lowest cost option. Check your plan's website to find doctors, hospitals, labs, and pharmacies. Out-of-network services will cost more, or may not be covered.

## -L-

### Life Insurance

An insurance plan that pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die.

## Long Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are unable to work due to a debilitating illness, serious injury, or mental disorder. Long term disability generally starts after a 90-day waiting period.

## -M-

### Mail Order

A feature of a medical or prescription drug plan where medicines you take routinely can be delivered by mail in a 90-day supply.

## -O-

### Open Enrollment

The time of year when you can change the benefit plans you are enrolled in and the dependents you cover. Open enrollment is held one time each year. Outside of open enrollment, you can only make changes if you have certain events in your life, like getting married or adding a new baby or child in the family.

## Out-of-Network

Out-of-network providers (doctors, hospitals, labs, etc.) cost you more because they are not contracted with your plan and are not obligated to limit their maximum fees. Some plans, such as HMOs and EPOs, do not cover out-of-network services at all.

## Out-of-Pocket Cost

A healthcare expense you are responsible for paying with your own money, whether from your bank account, credit card, or from a health account such as an HSA, FSA or HRA.

## Out-of-Pocket Maximum

Protects you from big medical bills. Once costs "out of your own pocket" reach this amount, the plan pays 100% of most remaining eligible expenses for the rest of the plan year.

Family coverage may have an *aggregate* or *embedded* maximum. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family out-of-pocket maximum before the plan pays 100% for any member. Embedded means the plan will cover 100% for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual maximum.

## Outpatient Care

Care from a hospital that doesn't require you to stay overnight.

## -P-

### Participating Pharmacy

A pharmacy that contracts with your medical or drug plan and will usually result in the lowest cost for prescription medications.

## Plan Year

A 12-month period of benefits coverage. The 12-month period may or may not be the same as the calendar year.

## Preferred Drug

Each health plan has a preferred drug list that includes prescription medicines based on an evaluation of effectiveness and cost. Another name for this list is a "formulary." The plan may charge more for non-preferred drugs or for brand name drugs that have generic versions. Drugs that are not on the preferred drug list may not be covered.

## Preventive Care Services

Routine healthcare visits that may include screenings, tests, check-ups, immunizations, and patient counseling to prevent illnesses, disease, or other health problems. Many preventive care services are fully covered. Check with your health plan in advance if you have questions about whether a preventive service is covered.

## Primary Care Provider (PCP)

The main doctor you consult for healthcare issues. Some medical plans require members to name a specific doctor as their PCP, and require care and referrals to be directed or approved by that provider.

## -S-

### Short Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are temporarily unable to work due to surgery and recovery time, a prolonged illness or injury, or pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery.

## -T-

### Telehealth / Telemedicine / Teledoc

A virtual visit to a doctor using video chat on a computer, tablet or smartphone. Telehealth visits can be used for many common, non-serious illnesses and injuries and are available 24/7. Many health plans and medical groups provide telehealth services at no cost or for much less than an office visit.

## -U-

### UCR (Usual, Customary, and Reasonable)

The amount paid for a medical service in a geographic area based on what providers in the area usually charge for the same or similar medical service. The UCR amount sometimes is used to determine the allowed amount.

## Urgent Care

Care for an illness, injury or condition serious enough that care is needed right away, but not so severe it requires emergency room care. Treatment at an urgent care center generally costs much less than an emergency room visit.

## -V-

### Vaccinations

Treatment to prevent common illnesses such as flu, pneumonia, measles, polio, meningitis, shingles, and other diseases. Also called immunizations.

## Voluntary Benefit

An optional benefit plan offered by your employer for which you pay the entire premium, usually through payroll deduction.

# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE “NO SURPRISES” RULES

The “No Surprises” rules protect you from surprise medical bills in situations where you can’t easily choose a provider who’s in your health plan network. This is especially common in an emergency situation, when you may get care from out-of-network providers. Out-of-network providers or emergency facilities may ask you to sign a notice and consent form before providing certain services after you’re no longer in need of emergency care. These are called “post-stabilization services.” You shouldn’t get this notice and consent form if you’re getting emergency services other than post-stabilization services. You may also be asked to sign a notice and consent form if you schedule certain non-emergency services with an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

The notice and consent form informs you about your protections from unexpected medical bills, gives you the option to give up those protections and pay more for out-of-network care, and provides an estimate of what your out-of-network care might cost. You aren’t required to sign the form and shouldn’t sign the form if you didn’t have a choice of health care provider or facility before scheduling care. If you don’t sign, you may have to reschedule your care with a provider or facility in your health plan’s network.

[View a sample notice and consent form](#) (PDF).

This applies to you if you’re a participant, beneficiary, enrollee, or covered individual in a group health plan or group or individual health insurance coverage, including a Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) plan.



# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## HEALTH PLAN NOTICES

These notices must be provided to plan participants on an annual basis and are available in the Annual Notices document, located at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- **Medicare Part D Notice:** Describes options to access prescription drug coverage for Medicare eligible individuals
- **Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act:** Describes benefits available to those that will or have undergone a mastectomy
- **Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act:** Describes the rights of mother and newborn to stay in the hospital 48-96 hours after delivery
- **HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights:** Describes when you can enroll yourself and/or dependents in health coverage outside of open enrollment
- **HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices:** Describes how health information about you may be used and disclosed
- **Premium Assistance Under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP):** Describes availability of premium assistance for Medicaid eligible dependents.

## COBRA CONTINUATION COVERAGE

You and/or your dependents may have the right to continue coverage after you lose eligibility under the terms of our health plan. Upon enrollment, you and your dependents receive a COBRA Initial Notice that outlines the circumstances under which continued coverage is available and your obligations to notify the plan when you or your dependents experience a qualifying event. Please review this notice carefully to make sure you understand your rights and obligations.

## DEADLINE FOR FILING LAWSUIT UNDER ERISA AFTER EXHAUSTION OF ALL CLAIMS PROCEDURES

Any lawsuit must be filed within 36 months of the final decision on the claim. Exhaustion of all claims and appeals procedure is required prior to filing suit. Please refer to the WRAP Summary Plan Description for the plan specific statute of limitations.



# PLAN DOCUMENTS

Important documents for our health plan and retirement plan are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life). Paper copies of these documents and notices are available if requested. If you would like a paper copy, please contact the Plan Administrator.

## SUMMARY PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (SPD)

The legal document for describing benefits provided under the plan as well as plan rights and obligations to participants and beneficiaries.

- Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan

## SUMMARY OF BENEFITS AND COVERAGE (SBC)

A document required by the Affordable Care Act (ACA) that presents benefit plan features in a standardized format. SBC documents are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- Cigna \$250 PPO
- Cigna \$750 PPO
- Cigna HDHP w/HSA
- Kaiser HMO

## STATEMENT OF MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS

This enrollment guide constitutes a Summary of Material Modifications (SMM) to the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan. It is meant to supplement and/or replace certain information in the SPD, so retain it for future reference along with your SPD. Please share these materials with your covered family members.

# DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY

## **EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY: MONTHLY MEASUREMENT METHOD**

The information below explains how your eligibility for healthcare coverage is determined, in accordance with the rules of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

You and your dependents are eligible for the plan if you are a full-time employee. A full-time employee is generally an employee who works on average 130 hours per month, as defined by the ACA. Hours that count toward full-time status include each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for the performance of duties for the employer, and each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for a period of time during which no duties are performed due to vacation, holiday, illness, incapacity (including disability), layoff, jury duty, military duty, or leave of absence.

ACA full-time status can affect or determine major medical benefits eligibility but is not a guarantee of benefits eligibility. Kong uses the monthly measurement method to determine whether an employee meets this eligibility threshold.

## **TERMINATION OF COVERAGE FOR INELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS**

Knowingly enrolling an ineligible dependent or intentionally keeping a dependent on the plan when they have lost eligibility constitutes insurance fraud and is a material misrepresentation of fact. When the plan discovers any such ineligible dependent it will terminate coverage retroactively and reprocess any claims, making them payable by such an individual. The employer plan sponsor will also explore disciplinary action against any employee who engages in this misconduct including but not limited to termination of employment.







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**This guide is an overview** and does not provide a complete description of all benefit provisions. For more detailed information, please refer to your plan benefit booklets or summary plan descriptions (SPDs). The plan benefit booklets determine how all benefits are paid.



# GETTING STARTED

## 2024 BENEFITS

1/1/2024 through 12/31/2024

### MEDICARE PART D NOTICE

If you (and/or your dependents) have Medicare or will become eligible for Medicare in the next 12 months, a federal law gives you more choices about your prescription drug coverage. Please see the *Important Notices* section for more details.

Whether you're enrolling in benefits for the first time, nearing retirement, or somewhere in between, Kong supports you with benefit programs and resources to help you thrive today and prepare for tomorrow.

This guide provides an overview of your healthcare coverage, life, disability, retirement benefits, and more.

You'll find tips to help you understand your medical coverage, save time and money on healthcare, reduce taxes, and balance your work and home life. Review the coverage and tools available to you to make the most of your benefits package.

# WHO'S ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS?



## Employees

You are eligible if you are an employee working 30 or more hours per week.

Employees with variable hours and seasonal schedules may be considered eligible for benefits. Refer to “Determining Eligibility” later in this guide for details.

## Eligible dependents

- Legally married spouse or domestic partner
- Natural, adopted or stepchildren up to age 26
- Children over age 26 who are disabled and depend on you for support
- Children named in a Qualified Medical Child Support Order (QMCSO).

For additional coverage information, please refer to the benefit booklets for each benefit.

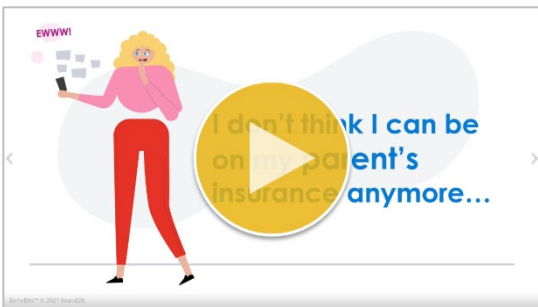
## When you can enroll

You can enroll in benefits as a new hire or during the annual open enrollment period. New hire coverage begins on the date of hire.

If you miss the enrollment deadline, you'll need to wait until the next open enrollment (the one time each year that you can make changes to your benefits for any reason).

# CHANGING YOUR BENEFITS

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## LIFE HAPPENS

A change in your life may allow you to update your benefit choices. Watch the video for a quick take on your options.

Outside of open enrollment, you may be able to enroll or make changes to your benefit elections if you have a big change in your life, including:

- Change in legal marital status
- Change in number of dependents or dependent eligibility status
- Change in employment status that affects eligibility for you, your spouse, or dependent child(ren)
- Change in residence that affects access to network providers
- Change in your health coverage or your spouse's coverage due to your spouse's employment
- Change in an individual's eligibility for Medicare or Medicaid
- Court order requiring coverage for your child
- "Special enrollment event" under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), including a new dependent by marriage, birth or adoption, or loss of coverage under another health insurance plan
- Event allowed under the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Reauthorization Act (you have 60 days to request enrollment due to events allowed under CHIP).

You must submit your change within 30 days after the event.



# ENROLLING FOR BENEFITS



## Workday Benefits

Workday Benefits is an online system that enables you to make all your benefit decisions in one place. If you don't have access to a computer, you can access Workday's app from a tablet or smartphone.

### Before you enroll

- Know the date of birth, social security number, and address for each dependent you will cover.
- Review your enrollment materials to understand your benefit options and costs for the coming year.

### Getting started

- Visit the employee portal: [wd12.myworkday.com/kong](https://wd12.myworkday.com/kong)
- ADD your personal and dependent information.
- SELECT your benefit plans for the coming year.
- REVIEW your choices and costs before finalizing.

# THE EASY WAY TO GET BENEFITS INFO

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## GET MYBENEFITS.LIFE®

On the web:

[Kong.mybenefits.life](https://Kong.mybenefits.life)

On your smartphone



Download from the  
App Store or  
Google Play.

## Login With Employer Key Kong

“Sign Up or Login” – system will only show your elected plans

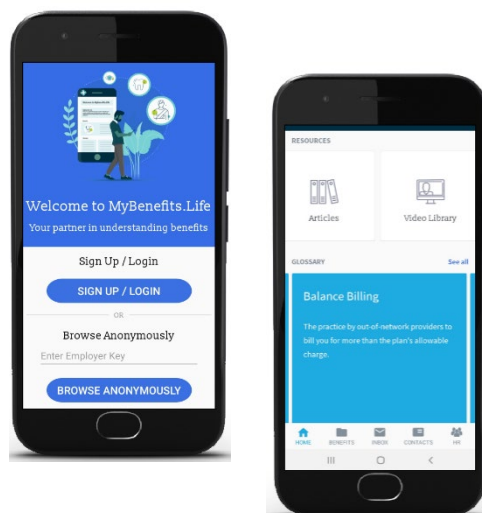
“View as a Guest” – system will show all of Kong’s plans

MyBenefits.Life® gives you all your benefits information in one place

You can bank online, book a vacation online, and read the news online. Why should your benefits information be any different? MyBenefits.Life® is both a website and a mobile app that gives you access to the benefits information you need, when you need it.

Here’s what you’ll find on MyBenefits.Life®

<b>Benefits</b>	See benefit details and costs—for all plans you’re eligible for, such as healthcare, disability, life insurance, and more
<b>Search</b>	Can’t find it? Just search the site
<b>Articles &amp; Video Library</b>	Have 2 minutes? Increase your benefits IQ with short explainer articles and videos
<b>Financial Wellness</b>	Want to understand your finances better? Learn how in the Digital Financial Wellness Center, powered by Prudential
<b>Glossary</b>	HDHP? EOB? Coinsurance? Get the definitions in plain English
<b>Inbox</b>	Get messages from your HR team
<b>Enroll</b>	Time to enroll? Get the link here
<b>Documents</b>	Important benefit plan notices (“the fine print”)
<b>Contacts</b>	Find HR, benefits, and carrier contacts
<b>Get Help</b>	Need help? Reach helpful resources



# HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR BENEFITS?



## Benefit Advocate

### Email

**kong@alliant.com**

### Phone

**925-357-6831**

**8 am - 5 pm (M-Th)**

**8 am - 4:30 pm (Fri)**

**Pacific Time**

## Meet your Benefit Advocate

Are you getting married and not sure how and when to add your new spouse to your plan? Is your stepchild eligible for your healthcare plan? Do you need help understanding the difference between an HSA and an FSA? Your Alliant Benefit Advocate can help answer these questions and more.

They can help you understand and use your healthcare and other coverage. Contact your Benefit Advocate for issues such as:

- General benefit questions
- Eligibility and coverage
- Finding a network provider
- Health care claim or billing issues, when warranted
- Coverage changes due to life events (marriage, new child, divorce, etc.).

## Claims assistance

A HIPAA Authorization Form will be required in order for your Benefit Advocate to assist you with claims related issues.

Through this form, you grant your Benefit Advocate permission to work with your insurer and/or your healthcare provider(s) to resolve your claims issues. The form, which will be provided by your Benefit Advocate, is revocable at any time and permission may be granted on a limited time basis to only those individuals listed on the form. If you have questions about this process, please contact your Benefit Advocate.





# HEALTHCARE

# MAKE TIME FOR HEALTH

## OUR COMMITMENT

We believe that our employees should have access to healthcare coverage that promotes preventive care and helps cover the cost of illness.

Eligible employees and their eligible dependents can enroll in medical, dental, and vision coverage through the Kong benefits program.

## Medical

We offer four different medical plans. Preventive care is fully covered under all plans if obtained in-network. Your costs for other services will depend on which plan you choose. Review the network provider information and out-of-pocket costs such as deductible, coinsurance and prescription drugs so you can choose the best fit for your health concerns and budget/understand how the plan works.

## Dental

Some people don't like going to the dentist, but no one likes big dental bills. Regular checkups and cleanings are fully covered and can identify issues before they become serious. And if you do need dental services, insurance helps cover the cost for fillings, gum disease, orthodontia, and more.

## Vision

An eye exam can uncover health conditions you may not know you have, such as glaucoma, or even high blood pressure. Our vision plan help cover the cost of eye exams, eyeglasses, and contact lenses to ensure you're seeing and feeling your best.



## MEDICAL

### OUR PLANS

Cigna Buy Up PPO

Cigna Base PPO

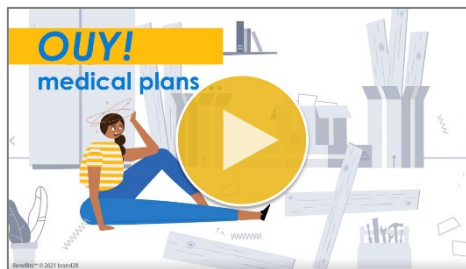
Cigna HDHP w/ HSA

Kaiser HMO  
(CA Only)

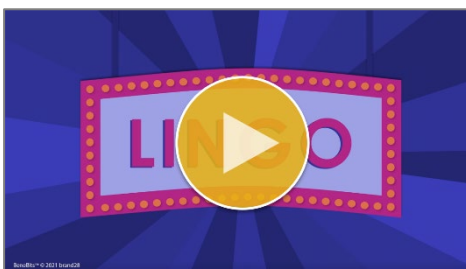
### HMO, PPO, HDHP... WHAT?

Not all medical plans work the same way. Watch these videos to understand how each type of plan works.

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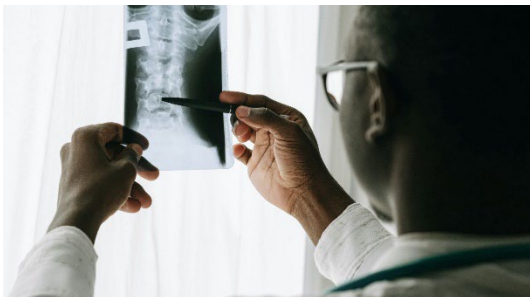
All About Medical Plans



Play the Health Lingo  
Game!



# WHICH PLAN IS RIGHT FOR YOU?



## Consider an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization) if:

- You reside in California
- You want lower, predictable out-of-pocket costs
- You like having one doctor to manage your care
- You are happy with the selection of network providers
- You don't see any doctors that are out-of-network
- You have convenient access to Kaiser California facilities

### Plans To Consider

- Kaiser HMO

## Consider a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) if:

- You are ok with higher payroll deductions but lower costs when you receive care
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers

### Plans To Consider

- Cigna Buy Up PPO
- Cigna Base PPO

## Consider a HDHP (High Deductible Health Plan) if:

- You are ok with lower payroll deductions and willing to use that additional take home pay for higher costs when you receive care
- You want to receive the Health Savings Account contribution from Kong
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers
- You want tax-free savings on your healthcare costs
- You want to build a savings account for future healthcare costs for you and your eligible family members
- You want an extra way to add to your retirement savings.

### Plans To Consider

- Cigna HDHP w/HSA

# Cigna Medical Plans

You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Cigna Buy Up PPO		Cigna Base PPO		Cigna HDHP w/ HSA	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$500 per individual up to \$1,000 per family	\$500 per individual up to \$1,000 per family	\$1,500 per individual up to \$3,000 per family	\$3,000 per individual up to \$6,000 per family	\$2,000 per individual, \$3,200/per individual within a family, up to \$4,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual, \$8,000 per individual within a family, up to \$8,000 per family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,300 per individual up to \$6,600 per family	\$5,000 per individual up to \$10,000 per family	\$4,500 per individual up to \$9,000 per family	\$8,000 per individual up to \$16,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual up to \$8,000 per family	\$8,000 per individual up to \$16,000 per family
<b>Office Visit (Primary Care)</b>	\$20 copay	40% after deductible	\$20 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Office Visit (Specialist)</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Online Visit</b>	\$20 copay	Not covered	\$20 copay	Not covered	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	No charge	50% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Emergency Room</b>	\$100 copay + 20% (copay is waived if admitted)		20%		10% after deductible	
<b>Hospitalization</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>					(Medical deductible applies)	
Generic	\$15 copay	Not covered	\$15 copay	Not covered	\$15 copay	Not covered
Preferred brand	\$45 copay	Not covered	\$30 copay	Not covered	\$50 copay	Not covered
Non-preferred brand	\$60 copay	Not covered	\$60 copay	Not covered	\$75 copay	Not covered
Specialty	30% up to \$250	Not covered	30% up to \$150	Not covered	30% up to \$250	Not covered

# Kaiser Medical Plan

You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Kaiser HMO (CA Only)
	In-Network Only
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$500/individual up to \$1,000/family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,000/individual up to \$6,000/family
<b>Office Visit (Primary Care or Specialist)</b>	\$20 copay
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$15 copay (up to 20 annual visits)
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	\$10 copay
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$20 copay
<b>Emergency Room</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Hospitalization</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	10% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>	
Generic	\$10 copay
Preferred brand	\$30 copay
Non-preferred brand	\$30 copay
Specialty	20% up to \$250/prescription



# SUPPORT FOR EVERY PATH TO PARENTHOOD AND BEYOND



## VIRTUAL SUPPORT FOR ALL STAGES

### Fertility & Family Building

- Preconception guidance
- IUI/IVF referrals
- Adoption coaching

### Maternity & Newborn Care

- Infant sleep support
- Mental health coaching
- Lactation consulting



From fertility to pregnancy through postpartum, Maven is with you. Get free access to top-rated providers via virtual appointments, messaging, classes, and education—anytime you need it.

### Why contact Maven?

Maven provides you with no cost access to a personal Care Advocate who serves as a trusted guide through every step of your journey.

Video chat and message with providers and coaches across 35+ specialties.

Provider-led virtual classes and vetted articles – tailored to your journey.

**To get started, visit:**

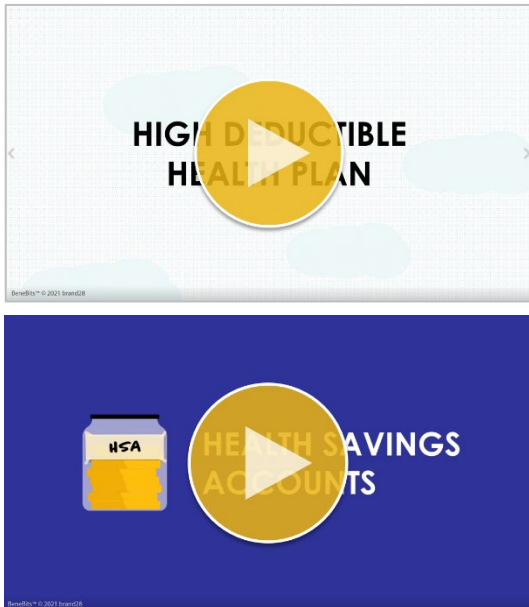
[mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted](https://mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted)

Or download the Maven Clinic app to your iOS or Android device. For help, [contact support@mavenclinic.com](mailto:contact.support@mavenclinic.com).

*Enrollment in Maven is confidential.*

# HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

The HSA is not for everyone. You're eligible only if you are:

1. Enrolled in the Cigna HDHP.
2. Not enrolled in other non-HDHP medical coverage, including Medicare, Medicaid, or Tricare.
3. Not a tax dependent.
4. Not enrolled in a healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA), unless it's a "limited purpose" FSA for dental and vision expenses.

## A personal savings account for healthcare

A Health Savings Account (HSA) is an easy way to pay for healthcare expenses that you have today, and save for expenses you may have in the future.

## How the Cigna HDHP works with your Navia HSA plan

- Your HSA account is set up automatically with Navia after you enroll.
- To help you get started, Kong contributes to your HSA:  
\$83.33 per month for employees (\$1,000 annually)  
\$166.67 per month for families (\$2,000 annually)
- You can contribute up to the limit set by the IRS (includes the Kong contribution amount).

**Individual:** \$4,150 per year

**Family:** \$8,300 per year

**Are you age 55?** You can contribute an additional \$1,000 per year

- You can use your HSA debit card to pay for eligible expenses like office visits, lab tests, prescriptions, dental and vision care, and even some drugstore items.

## Four reasons to love an HSA

1. **Tax-free.** No federal tax on contributions, or state tax in most states. Withdrawals are also tax-free as long as they're for eligible healthcare expenses.
2. **No "use it or lose it."** Your balance rolls over from year to year. You own the account and can continue to use it even if you change medical plans or leave the company.
3. **Use it now or later.** Use your HSA for healthcare expenses you have today or save it to use in the future.
4. **Boosts retirement savings.** After you retire, you can use your HSA for healthcare expenses tax-free, or for regular living expenses, taxable but no penalties.

## Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible Expenses](#)
- [Ineligible Expenses](#)

# HEALTHCARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

You don't have to enroll in one of our medical plans to participate in the healthcare FSA. However, if you or your spouse are enrolled in a high deductible health plan (like our Cigna plan) you can only participate in the **Limited Purpose FSA** for dental and vision expenses.

### Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible & Ineligible Expenses](#) – now include more over-the-counter items!

### Do you pay for dependent care?

Look in the Financial Wellness section for information on tax savings through the Dependent Care FSA.

## How the Navia Limited Purpose FSA works

A Limited Purpose FSA operates similarly to a Healthcare FSA, with the key distinction that funds can only be used for eligible dental and vision expenses. This specialized FSA option is accessible to individuals enrolled in a High Deductible Health Plan, whereas the Healthcare FSA is not. Contributions, capped at \$3,200 (subject to IRS adjustments), align with the Healthcare FSA guidelines. For more details, [explore Navia's page on the Limited Purpose FSA](#).

## Set aside healthcare dollars for the coming year

A healthcare FSA allows you to set aside tax-free money to pay for healthcare expenses you expect to have over the coming year.

## How the Healthcare Navia FSA works

- You estimate what you and your family's out-of-pocket costs will be for the coming year. Think about what out-of-pocket costs you expect to have for eligible expenses such as office visits, surgery, dental and vision expenses, prescriptions, even eligible drugstore items.
- You can contribute up to \$3,200, subject to IRS change. Contributions are deducted from your pay pre-tax, meaning no federal or state tax on that amount.
- During the year, you can use your FSA debit card to pay for services and products. Withdrawals are tax-free as long as they're for eligible healthcare expenses.

## Estimate carefully!

If you don't spend all the money in your account, you forfeit the leftover balance at the end of the year.

### FSA TAX SAVINGS EXAMPLE

#### \$60,000 Annual Pay, with \$1,500 FSA Contribution

<b>\$330</b>	<b>\$115</b>	<b>\$445</b>
22% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

#### \$120,000 Annual Pay, with \$2,850 FSA Contribution

<b>\$684</b>	<b>\$219</b>	<b>\$903</b>
24% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

*Your tax savings may vary depending on tax filing status and other variables*

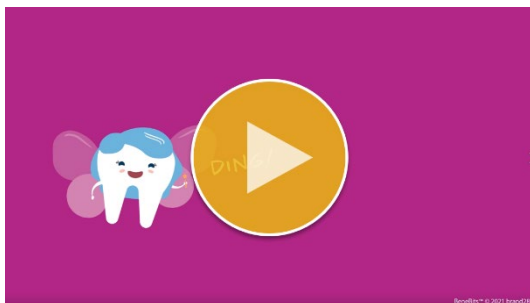


## DENTAL

### OUR PLANS

Cigna Dental PPO

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### Why sign up for Dental coverage?

It's important to go to the dentist regularly. Brushing and flossing are great, but regular exams catch dental issues early before they become more expensive and difficult to treat.

That's where dental insurance comes in. Dental insurance makes it easier and less expensive to get the care you need to maintain good oral health.

Dental insurance covers three types of treatments:

- **Preventive** care includes exams, cleanings and x-rays
- **Basic** care focuses on repair and restoration with services such as fillings, root canals, and gum disease treatment
- **Major** care goes further than basic and includes bridges, crowns and dentures
- **Orthodontia** treatment to properly align teeth within the mouth.

# Cigna Dental Plans

You always pay the deductible. The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible. With our change to Cigna for dental, be sure to check whether your dentist is in-network beginning in 2024. Cigna’s network of dentists can be reviewed through their [provider lookup tool](#) and searching dentists in the **Total Cigna DPPO** network.

	Cigna Dental PPO	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network*
Annual Deductible	\$25/individual or \$75/family	
Annual Plan Maximum	\$2,500	
Diagnostic & Preventive	0% (deductible waived)	
Basic Services	20% after deductible	
Major Services	50% after deductible	
Orthodontia (for children and adults)	50% after deductible	
Ortho Lifetime Max	\$2,500	

**\*Out of network coverage:** If you receive coverage from an out of network dentist, professional, or facility Cigna will cover your costs based on their “recognized” amount. The amount is based on what other dentists charge for the service in your area. Your non-network provider may charge a rate higher than the “recognized” amount and you will be responsible for any balance in excess of the “recognized” amount.





# VISION

## OUR PLAN

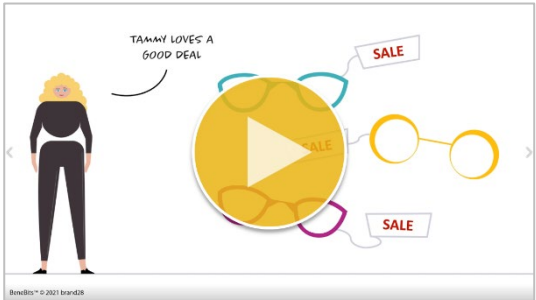
MetLife Vision

### Why sign up for Vision coverage?

Vision coverage helps with the cost of eyeglasses or contacts. But even if you don't need vision correction, an annual eye exam checks the health of your eyes and can even detect more serious health issues such as diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and thyroid disease.

You'll even find discounts on services like LASIK and PRK, rebates on contact lenses, and money off on other related services. Visit the plan's website to check out these extra savings.

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# MetLife Vision Plan

Your vision checkup is fully covered after your Exam copay. After your Materials copay, the plan covers frames, lenses, and contacts as described below.

	MetLife Vision	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Eye exam	\$0	Up to \$45 reimbursement
Frames	\$130 allowance	Up to \$70 reimbursement
Single Vision Lenses	\$25 copay	Up to \$30 reimbursement
Contacts (Elective)	\$130 allowance (in lieu of glasses)	Up to \$105 reimbursement
Frequency	<b>Exam:</b> once every 12 months <b>Frames:</b> once every 12 months <b>Lenses:</b> once every 12 months <b>Contacts (Elective):</b> once every 12 months	

## What you need to know about this plan



Features:

What other services are covered?

Eyeglasses are expensive. Will I still be able to afford them, even with insurance?

Where can I get more details?

See any provider, but you'll pay more Out-of-Network

The plan can also help you save money on LASIK procedures, sunglasses, and computer glasses.

Look for moderately priced frames and remember that your benefit is higher in-network. If you participate in an HSA or healthcare FSA, you can use your account to pay for vision care and eyewear with tax-free dollars.

Download the myBenefits.Life® app (employer Key **kong**) or use the MetLife website or app

# EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (EAP)



## CONTACT THE EAP

### Phone

**(888) 319-7819**

### Website

[metlifeeap.lifeworks.com](https://metlifeeap.lifeworks.com)

**Username:** metlifeeap

**Password:** eap

## Help for you and your household members

There are times when everyone needs a little help or advice, or assistance with a serious concern. The EAP through LifeWorks can help you handle a wide variety of personal issue such as emotional health and substance abuse; parenting and childcare needs; financial coaching; legal consultation; and eldercare resources.

Best of all, contacting the EAP is completely confidential, free and available to any member of your immediate household.

## No cost EAP resources

The EAP is available around the clock to ensure you get access to the resources you need:

- Unlimited phone access 24/7
- In-person or video counseling for short-term issues; up to 5 visits per issue per year
- Unlimited web access to helpful articles, resources, and self-assessment tools.

### COUNSELING BENEFITS

- Difficulty with relationship
- Emotional distress
- Job stress
- Communication/ conflict issues
- Alcohol or drug problems
- Loss and death

### PARENTING & CHILDCARE

- Referrals to quality providers
- Family day care homes
- Infant centers and preschools
- Before/after school care
- 24-hour care

### FINANCIAL COACHING

- Money management
- Debt management
- Identity theft resolution
- Tax issues

### LEGAL CONSULTATION

- Referral to a local attorney
- Family issues (marital, child custody, adoption)
- Estate planning
- Landlord/tenant
- Immigration
- Personal Injury
- Consumer protection
- Real estate
- Bankruptcy

### ELDERCARE RESOURCES

- Help with finding appropriate resources to care for an elderly or disabled relative

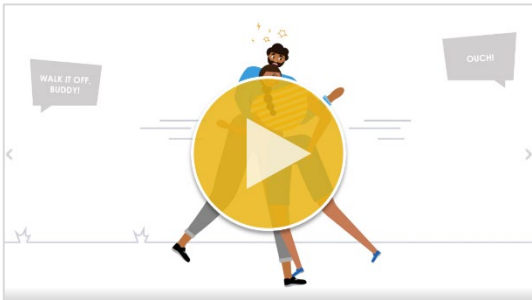
### ONLINE RESOURCES

- Self-help tools to enhance resilience and well-being
- Useful information and links to various services and topics

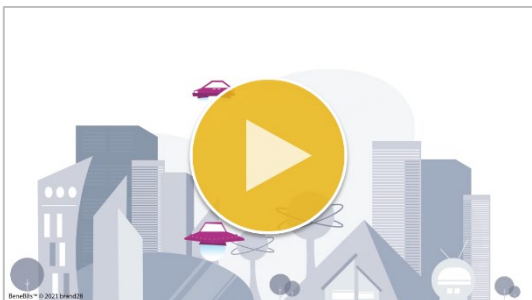


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Urgent Care vs ER



Virtual Healthcare

## Maximize Your Healthcare

Knowing how to best use your healthcare coverage can help you improve your health and reduce your expenses. In this section you'll find tips on:

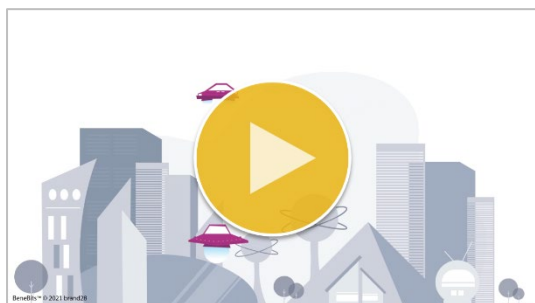
- Finding the right care at the right cost
- Alternatives to hospital care
- Understanding preventive care benefits
- Saving money on prescription drugs

# KNOW WHERE TO GO

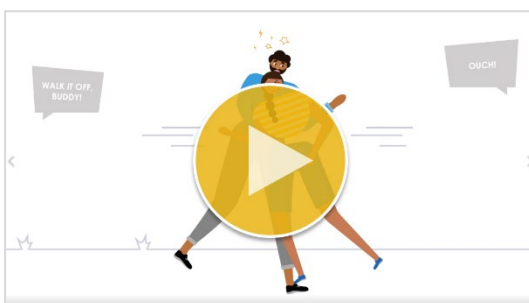
Where you get medical care can significantly influence the cost. Here's a quick guide to help you know where to go, based on your condition, budget, and time.

Type	Examples
<b>Nurse line (24/7—\$0)</b> Quick answers from a trained nurse Cigna: 800-223-9379 opt 3 Kaiser: 866-454-8855	Identifying if immediate care is needed Home treatment options and advice
<b>Online visit (24/7—\$)</b> Many nonemergency health issues Cigna: mycigna.com Kaiser: kp.org	Cold, flu, allergies, headache, migraine Skin conditions, rashes Minor injuries Mental health concerns
<b>Office visit (\$\$)</b> Routine medical care and management	Preventive care Illnesses, injuries Managing existing conditions
<b>Urgent care (\$\$\$)</b> Non-life-threatening conditions requiring prompt attention	Stitches, sprains Animal bites High fever, respiratory infections
<b>Emergency room (24/7—\$\$\$\$)</b> Life-threatening conditions needing immediate care	Suspected heart attack or stroke Major bone breaks Excessive bleeding Severe pain Difficulty breathing

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Virtual Healthcare



Urgent Care vs ER

# ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES

If you have time to evaluate your options for nonemergency health treatments, these alternative facilities can provide the same results as a hospital at a fraction of the cost.

Need	Alternative	Features	Savings
SURGERY	Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Specializes in same-day surgeries</li><li>Cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery and more</li><li>Held to same safety standards as hospitals</li></ul>	Up to 50% over hospital stay*  *in-network
PHYSICAL THERAPY	Outpatient physical therapy facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Important part of the recovery process after an injury or surgery</li></ul>	40 to 60% over a hospital setting*  *in-network
SLEEP STUDY	Home testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Diagnoses sleep apnea and other conditions</li><li>Cost is often covered by insurance if considered medically necessary</li></ul>	Approx. \$4,500*  *in-network
INFUSION THERAPY	Home or outpatient infusion therapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>For drugs that must be delivered by intravenous injections, or epidurals</li><li>Delivered by licensed infusion therapy provider</li><li>Maintain normal lifestyle and comfort of home or outpatient center</li></ul>	Up to 90% over hospital stay*  *in-network

## How to find an alternative treatment facility

Ask your doctor if your treatment must be delivered in the hospital. You can also search for surgical centers, physical therapy, and similar services on your plan’s website, or call member services for assistance. Online tools such as [healthcarebluebook.com](https://www.healthcarebluebook.com) and [healthgrades.com](https://www.healthgrades.com) help you compare costs and doctor ratings.

Some alternative services include a facility fee to cover overhead costs. To avoid a surprise on your bill, ask about facility fees before you schedule your appointment.

# PREVENTIVE CARE SCREENING BENEFITS



## TYPICAL SCREENINGS FOR ADULTS

- Blood pressure
- Cholesterol
- Diabetes
- Colorectal cancer screening
- Depression
- Mammograms
- OB/GYN screenings
- Prostate cancer screening
- Testicular exam

You take your car in for maintenance. Why not do the same for yourself?

Annual preventive checkups can help you and your doctor identify your baseline level of health and detect issues before they become serious.

### What is Preventive Care?

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) requires health insurers to cover a set of preventive services at no cost to you, even if you haven't met your yearly deductible. The preventive care services you'll need to stay healthy vary by age, sex, and medical history.

Visit [cdc.gov/prevention](https://cdc.gov/prevention) for recommended guidelines.

**Preventive care is covered in full  
only when obtained from an  
IN-NETWORK provider.**

Not all exams and tests are considered preventive

Exams performed by specialists are generally not considered preventive and may not be covered at 100 percent.

Additionally, certain screenings may be considered diagnostic, not preventive, based on your current medical condition. You may be responsible for paying all or a share of the cost for those services.

If you have a question about whether a service will be covered as preventive care, contact your medical plan.

# PRESCRIPTIONS BREAKING YOUR BUDGET?

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## THE FORMULARY DRUG TIERS DETERMINE YOUR COST

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\$ Generic Drug

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\$\$ Brand Name Drug

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\$\$\$ Specialty Drug

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\*The costs of covered medications vary by plan, refer to pages 11 – 13 for pharmacy copays under each plan

Understanding the formulary can save you money

If your doctor prescribes medicine, especially for an ongoing condition, don't forget to check your health plan's drug formulary. It's a powerful tool that can help you make informed decisions about your medication options and identify the lowest cost selection.

### What is a formulary?

A drug formulary is a list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan. Most prescription drug formularies separate the medications they cover into four or five drug categories, or "tiers." These groupings range from least expensive to most expensive cost to you. "Preferred" drugs generally cost you less than "non-preferred" drugs.

### Get the most from your coverage

To get the most out of your prescription drug coverage, note where your prescriptions fall within your plan's drug formulary tiers and ask your doctor for advice. Generic drugs are usually the lowest cost option. Generics are required by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to perform the same as brand-name drug equivalents.

**To find out if a drug is on your plan's formulary, visit the plan's website or call the customer service number on your ID card.**





## LIFE & DISABILITY

### **YOUR BENEFICIARY = WHO GETS PAID**

If the worst happens, your beneficiary—the person (or people) on record with the life insurance carrier—receives the benefit. Make sure that you name at least one beneficiary for your life insurance benefit, and change your beneficiary as needed if your situation changes.

### **Is your family protected?**

Life, AD&D and disability insurance can fill a number of financial gaps due to a temporary or permanent reduction of income. Consider what your family would need to cover day-to-day living expenses and medical bills during a pregnancy or illness-related disability leave, or how you would manage large expenses (rent or mortgage, children's education, student loans, consumer debt, etc.) after the death of a spouse or partner.

We provide short and long-term disability benefits and a base amount of life and AD&D insurance to help you recover from financial loss.

### **If you need additional coverage**

We offer voluntary coverage that you can purchase for yourself, your spouse, and your children. See the Voluntary Benefits section for details.

# COMPANY- PROVIDED LIFE AND AD&D INSURANCE

## Basic Life and AD&D

Basic Life Insurance pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die. AD&D (Accidental Death & Dismemberment) coverage provides a benefit to you if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or to your beneficiary if you have a fatal accident. The cost of coverage is paid in full by the company.



## 2024 MetLife Basic Life and AD&D

1x annual salary up to a maximum of \$400,000.

*The benefit amounts above will be reduced if you are age 65 or older. Refer to the plan document for details.*

## WHAT'S GUARANTEED ISSUE?

If you select coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue") or after your initial eligibility, you will need to provide additional information about your health status in order to qualify for the requested amount of coverage.

## A NOTE ABOUT TAXES

Company-provided life insurance coverage over \$50,000 is considered a taxable benefit. The value of the benefit over \$50,000 will be reported as taxable income on your annual W-2 form.



# SHORT-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (STD)



## COORDINATION WITH STATE BENEFITS

Be sure to claim any state benefits you are eligible for. Disability insurance payments are reduced by your eligible state disability payments, regardless of whether or not you claim them.

# LONG-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (LTD)



## 3 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT LTD INSURANCE

1. It can protect you from having to tap into your retirement savings.
2. You can use LTD benefits however you need, for housing, food, medical bills, etc.
3. Benefits can last a long time—from weeks to even years—if you remain eligible.

# STD Benefits

Short-Term Disability (STD) insurance replaces part of your income for limited duration issues such as:

- Pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery
- Prolonged illness or injury
- Surgery and recovery time

STD payments may be reduced if you receive other benefits such as sick pay, workers' compensation, Social Security, or state disability. The company pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2024 MetLife STD

<b>Weekly benefit amount</b>	60% of your weekly salary up to a maximum of \$2,308.
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 7 days of disability due to accident or sickness
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	12 weeks (based on first day you are disabled, not when benefits begin)

## LTD benefits cushion the financial impact of a disability

Long-Term Disability (LTD) insurance replaces part of your income for longer term issues such as:

- Debilitating illness (cancer, heart disease, etc.)
- Serious injuries (accident, etc.)
- Heart attack, stroke
- Mental disorders.

If you qualify, LTD benefits begin after short-term disability benefits end. Payments may be reduced by state, federal, or private disability benefits you receive while disabled. Kong pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2024 MetLife LTD

<b>Monthly benefit amount</b>	60% of your salary up to a maximum of \$12,000
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 90 days of disability
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	Until maximum social security normal retirement age, or earlier if you recover



# VOLUNTARY PLANS

## OUR VOLUNTARY PLANS

- 2024 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D
- 2024 MetLife Accident
- 2024 MetLife Hospital Indemnity
- 2024 MetLife Critical Illness
- 2024 MetLife Pet Insurance

## You’re unique—and so are your benefit needs

Voluntary benefits are optional coverages that help you customize your benefits package to your individual needs.

Kong offers plans to help:

- provide income for survivors
- replace income if you’re injured or ill
- save money on protection for your pets

You pay the entire cost for these plans, but rates may be more affordable than individual coverage. And you get the added convenience of paying through payroll deduction.

Voluntary benefits are just that: voluntary. You have the freedom and flexibility to choose the benefits that make sense for you and your family. Or, you don’t have to sign up for voluntary benefits at all. The choice is yours.

# VOLUNTARY LIFE/AD&D INSURANCE



## Protecting those you leave behind

Voluntary Life Insurance allows you to purchase additional life insurance to protect your family's financial security. Coverage is available for your spouse and/or child(ren) if you purchase coverage for yourself.

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### 2024 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D

<b>Employee</b>	Increments of \$10,000 up to \$500,000. Guaranteed issue of \$150,000.
<b>Spouse</b>	Increments of \$5,000 up to 50% of employee amount to a maximum of \$100,000. Guaranteed issue of \$25,000.
<b>Child(ren)</b>	Amounts of \$1,000/\$2,000/\$4,000/\$5,000/\$10,000

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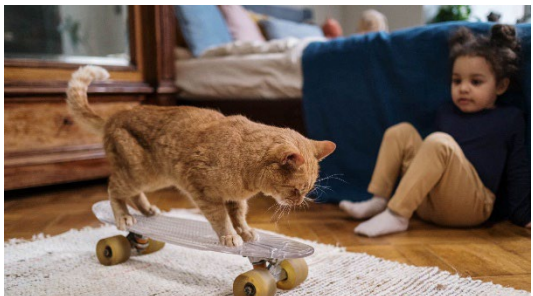
## GUARANTEED ISSUE

If you purchase life insurance coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue" amount) during your initial eligibility period, you will need to submit Evidence of Insurability with additional information about your health in order for the insurance company to approve the amount of coverage.

Any amounts elected or increases to your election after your initial eligibility period are subject to Evidence of Insurability.



# VOLUNTARY HEALTH-RELATED PLANS



## THINGS TO CONSIDER

Your medical plan helps cover the cost of illness, but a serious or long-lasting medical crisis often involves additional expenses and may affect your ability to bring home a full paycheck. These plans provide you with resources to help you get by while there are additional strains on your finances.

## Accident Insurance

Accident Insurance from MetLife helps you pay for unexpected costs that can add up due to common injuries such as fractures, dislocations, burns, emergency room or urgent care visits, and physical therapy. If you or a covered family member has an accident, this plan pays a lump-sum, tax-free benefit. The amount of money depends on the type and severity of your injury and can be used any way you choose.

## Critical Illness Insurance

Critical illness insurance from MetLife can help fill a financial gap if you experience a serious illness such as cancer, heart attack or stroke. Upon diagnosis of a covered illness, a lump-sum, tax-free benefit is immediately paid to you. Use it to help cover medical costs, transportation, child care, lost income, or any other need following a critical illness. You choose a benefit amount that fits your paycheck and can cover yourself and your family members if needed. You may even be eligible for a benefit if you receive a covered wellness screening such as blood tests, stress tests, or a chest x-ray.

## Hospital Indemnity Insurance

Hospital indemnity insurance from MetLife can enhance your current medical coverage. The plan pays a lump sum, tax-free benefit when you or an enrolled dependent is admitted or confined to the hospital for covered accidents and illnesses. You can use the money you receive under the plan however you see fit, for paying medical bills, childcare, or for regular living expenses like groceries—you decide.

## Pet Insurance

Pets are members of the family too. When your pet gets sick, bills can add up faster than expected. Pet insurance prevents you from needing to weigh your pet's health against your bank account. Most plans offer coverage for costs associated with both accidents and illnesses—even medications. MetLife provides coverage for this program.



# FINANCIAL WELLNESS

## PLANS TO HELP YOU SAVE

- Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (DC FSA)
- Transportation & Parking Benefits

## Is it time for a “financial wellness” checkup?

Are you worried about money—making your paycheck last? Paying down debt? Making a big purchase like a car or home? And can you even think about preparing for retirement?

Ignoring your financial health can take a toll on your quality of life today and block opportunities for the future. And worrying about money matters can make you stressed, even to the point of physical illness.

We offer benefits and resources to help you make the most of your money now and in the future. You can increase your take-home pay by saving on taxes.

# PAYING FOR DAYCARE? MAKE IT TAX-FREE!

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## EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE

The biggest deduction from your paycheck is likely federal income tax. Why not take a bite out of taxes while paying for necessary expenses with tax-free dollars?



**Estimate carefully!** You can't change your FSA election amount mid-year unless you experience a qualifying event. Money contributed to a dependent care FSA must be used for expenses incurred during the same plan year. Unspent funds will be forfeited.

## SAVE ON COMMUTE EXPENSES

### Transportation Savings Account—up to \$630 per month tax-free



Do you have out-of-pocket commuting expenses for public transportation, van pooling, or for worksite parking? If so, you can save on taxes by enrolling in our transportation savings account, administered by Navia.

The account lets you set aside money—before it's taxed—through payroll deduction. You may enroll in or stop this program at any time. Money in the account can be used in future months or plan years.

Set aside up to \$315 per month for work-related parking expenses and up to \$315 per month for work-related commute expenses. Limits are subject to IRS change.





# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

In this section, you'll find important plan information, including:

- Your medical, dental and vision benefit contributions for 2024
- Contact information for our benefit carriers and vendors
- A summary of the health plan notices you are entitled to receive annually, and where to find them
- A Benefits Glossary to help you understand important insurance terms.



# YOUR MONTHLY BENEFIT COSTS

The total amount that you pay for your benefits coverage depends on the plans you choose, how many dependents you cover, and for medical coverage, how much you earn. Your healthcare costs are deducted from your pay on a pre-tax basis — before federal, state, and social security taxes are calculated — so you pay less in taxes.

## MEDICAL

	Cigna Buy Up PPO	Cigna Base PPO	Cigna HDHP w/HSA	Kaiser HMO
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$111.94	\$70.98	\$92.65	\$100.43
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$313.42	\$223.59	\$259.41	\$294.58
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$283.57	\$202.30	\$234.71	\$267.80
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$447.75	\$319.42	\$370.59	\$401.71

## DENTAL & VISION

	Cigna Dental PPO	MetLife Vision
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$8.10	\$1.23
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$21.45	\$3.28
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$24.35	\$2.77
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$37.61	\$4.57

*Please note that unless your domestic partner is your tax dependent as defined by the IRS, contributions for domestic partner coverage must be made after-tax. Similarly, the company contribution toward coverage for your domestic partner and his/her dependents will be reported as taxable income on your W-2. Contact your tax advisor for more details on how this tax treatment applies to you. Notify Kong if your domestic partner is your tax dependent.*

# VOLUNTARY LIFE & AD&D INSURANCE COSTS

If you elect voluntary coverage, your monthly premium rate is calculated based on your age and the amount of coverage. Use the tables below to estimate the premium amount that will be deducted from your paycheck.

VOLUNTARY LIFE INSURANCE – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE		
Age	Employee	Spouse
<25	\$0.062	\$0.062
25-29	\$0.062	\$0.062
30-34	\$0.080	\$0.080
35-39	\$0.090	\$0.090
40-44	\$0.123	\$0.123
45-49	\$0.192	\$0.192
50-54	\$0.311	\$0.311
55-59	\$0.476	\$0.476
60-64	\$0.740	\$0.740
65-69	\$1.270	\$1.270
70-74	\$2.354	\$2.354
75+	\$2.354	\$2.354

VOLUNTARY AD&D – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE	
Employee & Spouse	\$0.017
Child(ren)	\$0.051

*To calculate your per paycheck AD&D cost, follow the same steps as the table above.*

## CALCULATE YOUR LIFE INSURANCE COST

1. Desired Coverage (\$1,000 Increments)

You:	Spouse:
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2. Divide Step 1 by 1,000 =

You:	Spouse:
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3. Multiply Step 2 by Rate from Table =

You:	Spouse:
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4. Multiply Step 4 by 12 and divide by 24 =

You:	Spouse:
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5. Add You + Spouse from Step 4:

TOTAL COST PER PAYCHECK:
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## CHILD LIFE INSURANCE

COVERAGE AMOUNT	Rate per \$1,000 of coverage	Total Cost Per Paycheck
\$	\$0.240	\$

**Premium includes all eligible children.** Eligible children include dependent children under age 26 as long as you apply for and are approved for coverage for yourself.

# PLAN CONTACTS

## HELPFUL RESOURCES

### Benefits Portal/App

MyBenefits.Life®

[Kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life)

Employer key: kong

### Alliant Benefit Advocate

[kong@alliant.com](mailto:kong@alliant.com)

925-357-6831

## MEDICAL, DENTAL & VISION

### Cigna Medical PPO/HDHP

Policy # 627502

[mycigna.com](https://mycigna.com)

Cigna Health Benefits App

Member Services

(866) 494-2111

### Kaiser Medical HMO

Policy # 715657

[Kp.org](https://kp.org)

Kaiser Permanente App

Member Services

(800) 464-4000

### Cigna Dental PPO

Policy # 627502

[mycigna.com](https://mycigna.com)

Cigna Health Benefits App

Member Services

(866) 494-2111

### MetLife Vision

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

## HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

### Navia HSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS (FSA)

### Navia FSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## FERTILITY SUPPORT

### Maven

Create your free account:

[mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted](https://mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted)

For help, contact:

[support@mavenclinic.com](mailto:support@mavenclinic.com)

## LIFE AND AD&D, SHORT-TERM DISABILITY, LONG TERM DISABILITY

### MetLife, Inc.

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

## EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EAP

### LifeWorks

[metlifeeap.lifeworks.com](https://metlifeeap.lifeworks.com)

LifeWorks Mobile App

(888) 319-7819

Username: metlifeeap

Password: eap

## PET INSURANCE

### MetLife

[metlifepetinsurance.com](https://metlifepetinsurance.com)

(855) 270-7387

# GLOSSARY

## -A-

### **AD&D Insurance**

An insurance plan that pays a benefit to you or your beneficiary if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or if you have a fatal accident.

### **Allowed Amount**

The maximum amount your plan will pay for a covered healthcare service.

### **Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)**

A healthcare facility that specializes in same-day surgical procedures such as cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery, and more.

### **Annual Limit**

A cap on the benefits your plan will pay in a year. Limits may be placed on particular services such as prescriptions or hospitalizations. Annual limits may be placed on the dollar amount of covered services or on the number of visits that will be covered for a particular service. After an annual limit is reached, you must pay all associated health care costs for the rest of the plan year.

## -B-

### **Balance Billing**

In-network providers are not allowed to bill you for more than the plan's allowable charge, but out-of-network providers are. This is called balance billing. For example, if the provider's fee is \$100 but the plan's allowable charge is only \$70, an out-of-network provider may bill YOU for the \$30 difference (the balance).

**Note:** Beginning January 1, 2023 the "No Surprises Act" provides protections against surprise billing for emergency services, air ambulance services, and certain services provided by a non-participating provider at a participating facility. For these services, the member's cost are generally limited to what the charge would have been if received in-network, leaving any balance to be settled between the insurer and the out-of-network provider. Consult your health plan documents for details.

### **Beneficiary**

The person (or persons) that you name to be paid a benefit should you die. Beneficiaries are requested for life, AD&D, and retirement plans. You must name your beneficiary in advance.

### **Brand Name Drug**

A drug sold under its trademarked name. For example, Lipitor is the brand name of a common cholesterol medicine.

## -C-

### **COBRA**

A federal law that may allow you to temporarily continue healthcare coverage after your employment ends, based on certain qualifying events. If you elect COBRA (Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act) coverage, you pay 100% of the premiums, including any share your employer used to pay, plus a small administrative fee.

### **Claim**

A request for payment that you or your health care provider submits to your healthcare plan after you receive services that may be covered.

### **Coinsurance**

Your share of the cost of a healthcare visit or service. Coinsurance is expressed as a percentage and always adds up to 100%. For example, if the plan pays 70%, your coinsurance responsibility is 30% of the cost. If your plan has a deductible, you pay 100% of the cost until you meet your deductible amount.

### **Copayment**

A flat fee you pay for some healthcare services, for example, a doctor's office visit. You pay the copayment (sometimes called a copay) at the time you receive care. In most cases, copays do not count toward the deductible.

## -D-

### **Deductible**

The amount of healthcare expenses you have to pay for with your own money before your health plan will pay. The deductible does not apply to preventive care and certain other services.

Family coverage may have an **aggregate** or **embedded** deductible. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family deductible before any individual expenses are covered. Embedded means the plan begins to make payments for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual deductible.

### **Dental Basic Services**

Services such as fillings, routine extractions and some oral surgery procedures.

### **Dental Diagnostic & Preventive**

Generally includes routine cleanings, oral exams, x-rays, and fluoride treatments. Most plans limit preventive exams and cleanings to two times a year.

### **Dental Major Services**

Complex or restorative dental work such as crowns, bridges, dentures, inlays and onlays.

### **Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

An arrangement through your employer that lets you pay for eligible child and elder care expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include day care, before and after-school programs, preschool, and summer day camp for children under age 13. Also included is care for a spouse or other dependent who lives with you and is physically incapable of self-care.

## -E-

### **Eligible Expense**

A service or product that is covered by your plan. Your plan will not cover any of the cost if the expense is not eligible.

### **Excluded Service**

A service that your health plan doesn't pay for or cover.

## -F-

### **Formulary**

A list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan or prescription drug plan. Also called a drug list.

## -G-

### **Generic Drug**

A drug that has the same active ingredients as a brand name drug, but is sold under a different name. For example, Atorvastatin is the generic name for medicines with the same formula as Lipitor.

### **Grandfathered**

A medical plan that is exempt from certain provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

## -H-

### **Health Reimbursement Account (HRA)**

An account funded by an employer that reimburses employees, tax-free, for qualified medical expenses up to a maximum amount per year. Sometimes called Health Reimbursement Arrangements.

### **Healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

A health account through your employer that lets you pay for many out-of-pocket medical expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include insurance copayments and deductibles, qualified prescription drugs, insulin, and medical devices, and some over-the-counter items.

# GLOSSARY

## High Deductible Health Plan (HDHP)

A medical plan with a higher deductible than a traditional insurance plan. The monthly premium is usually lower, but you pay more health care costs (the deductible) before the insurance company starts to pay its share. A high deductible plan (HDHP) may make you eligible for a health savings account (HSA) that allows you to pay for certain medical expenses with money free from federal taxes.

## -I-

### In-Network

In-network providers and services contract with your healthcare plan and will usually be the lowest cost option. Check your plan's website to find doctors, hospitals, labs, and pharmacies. Out-of-network services will cost more, or may not be covered.

## -L-

### Life Insurance

An insurance plan that pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die.

## Long Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are unable to work due to a debilitating illness, serious injury, or mental disorder. Long term disability generally starts after a 90-day waiting period.

## -M-

### Mail Order

A feature of a medical or prescription drug plan where medicines you take routinely can be delivered by mail in a 90-day supply.

## -O-

### Open Enrollment

The time of year when you can change the benefit plans you are enrolled in and the dependents you cover. Open enrollment is held one time each year. Outside of open enrollment, you can only make changes if you have certain events in your life, like getting married or adding a new baby or child in the family.

## Out-of-Network

Out-of-network providers (doctors, hospitals, labs, etc.) cost you more because they are not contracted with your plan and are not obligated to limit their maximum fees. Some plans, such as HMOs and EPOs, do not cover out-of-network services at all.

## Out-of-Pocket Cost

A healthcare expense you are responsible for paying with your own money, whether from your bank account, credit card, or from a health account such as an HSA, FSA or HRA.

## Out-of-Pocket Maximum

Protects you from big medical bills. Once costs "out of your own pocket" reach this amount, the plan pays 100% of most remaining eligible expenses for the rest of the plan year.

Family coverage may have an *aggregate* or *embedded* maximum. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family out-of-pocket maximum before the plan pays 100% for any member. Embedded means the plan will cover 100% for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual maximum.

## Outpatient Care

Care from a hospital that doesn't require you to stay overnight.

## -P-

### Participating Pharmacy

A pharmacy that contracts with your medical or drug plan and will usually result in the lowest cost for prescription medications.

## Plan Year

A 12-month period of benefits coverage. The 12-month period may or may not be the same as the calendar year.

## Preferred Drug

Each health plan has a preferred drug list that includes prescription medicines based on an evaluation of effectiveness and cost. Another name for this list is a "formulary." The plan may charge more for non-preferred drugs or for brand name drugs that have generic versions. Drugs that are not on the preferred drug list may not be covered.

## Preventive Care Services

Routine healthcare visits that may include screenings, tests, check-ups, immunizations, and patient counseling to prevent illnesses, disease, or other health problems. Many preventive care services are fully covered. Check with your health plan in advance if you have questions about whether a preventive service is covered.

## Primary Care Provider (PCP)

The main doctor you consult for healthcare issues. Some medical plans require members to name a specific doctor as their PCP, and require care and referrals to be directed or approved by that provider.

## -S-

### Short Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are temporarily unable to work due to surgery and recovery time, a prolonged illness or injury, or pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery.

## -T-

### Telehealth / Telemedicine / Teledoc

A virtual visit to a doctor using video chat on a computer, tablet or smartphone. Telehealth visits can be used for many common, non-serious illnesses and injuries and are available 24/7. Many health plans and medical groups provide telehealth services at no cost or for much less than an office visit.

## -U-

### UCR (Usual, Customary, and Reasonable)

The amount paid for a medical service in a geographic area based on what providers in the area usually charge for the same or similar medical service. The UCR amount sometimes is used to determine the allowed amount.

## Urgent Care

Care for an illness, injury or condition serious enough that care is needed right away, but not so severe it requires emergency room care. Treatment at an urgent care center generally costs much less than an emergency room visit.

## -V-

### Vaccinations

Treatment to prevent common illnesses such as flu, pneumonia, measles, polio, meningitis, shingles, and other diseases. Also called immunizations.

## Voluntary Benefit

An optional benefit plan offered by your employer for which you pay the entire premium, usually through payroll deduction.

# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE “NO SURPRISES” RULES

The “No Surprises” rules protect you from surprise medical bills in situations where you can’t easily choose a provider who’s in your health plan network. This is especially common in an emergency situation, when you may get care from out-of-network providers. Out-of-network providers or emergency facilities may ask you to sign a notice and consent form before providing certain services after you’re no longer in need of emergency care. These are called “post-stabilization services.” You shouldn’t get this notice and consent form if you’re getting emergency services other than post-stabilization services. You may also be asked to sign a notice and consent form if you schedule certain non-emergency services with an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

The notice and consent form informs you about your protections from unexpected medical bills, gives you the option to give up those protections and pay more for out-of-network care, and provides an estimate of what your out-of-network care might cost. You aren’t required to sign the form and shouldn’t sign the form if you didn’t have a choice of health care provider or facility before scheduling care. If you don’t sign, you may have to reschedule your care with a provider or facility in your health plan’s network.

[View a sample notice and consent form](#) (PDF).

This applies to you if you’re a participant, beneficiary, enrollee, or covered individual in a group health plan or group or individual health insurance coverage, including a Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) plan.

# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## HEALTH PLAN NOTICES

These notices must be provided to plan participants on an annual basis and are available in the back of this Benefits Guide and through the Annual Notices document, located at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- **Medicare Part D Notice:** Describes options to access prescription drug coverage for Medicare eligible individuals
- **Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act:** Describes benefits available to those that will or have undergone a mastectomy
- **Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act:** Describes the rights of mother and newborn to stay in the hospital 48-96 hours after delivery
- **HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights:** Describes when you can enroll yourself and/or dependents in health coverage outside of open enrollment
- **HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices:** Describes how health information about you may be used and disclosed
- **Premium Assistance Under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP):** Describes availability of premium assistance for Medicaid eligible dependents.

## COBRA CONTINUATION COVERAGE

You and/or your dependents may have the right to continue coverage after you lose eligibility under the terms of our health plan. Upon enrollment, you and your dependents receive a COBRA Initial Notice that outlines the circumstances under which continued coverage is available and your obligations to notify the plan when you or your dependents experience a qualifying event. Please review this notice carefully to make sure you understand your rights and obligations.

## DEADLINE FOR FILING LAWSUIT UNDER ERISA AFTER EXHAUSTION OF ALL CLAIMS PROCEDURES

Any lawsuit must be filed within 36 months of the final decision on the claim. Exhaustion of all claims and appeals procedure is required prior to filing suit. Please refer to the WRAP Summary Plan Description for the plan specific statute of limitations.



# PLAN DOCUMENTS

Important documents for our health plan and retirement plan are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life). Paper copies of these documents and notices are available if requested. If you would like a paper copy, please contact the Plan Administrator.

## SUMMARY PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (SPD)

The legal document for describing benefits provided under the plan as well as plan rights and obligations to participants and beneficiaries.

- Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan

## SUMMARY OF BENEFITS AND COVERAGE (SBC)

A document required by the Affordable Care Act (ACA) that presents benefit plan features in a standardized format. SBC documents are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- Cigna Buy Up PPO
- Cigna Base PPO
- Cigna HDHP w/HSA
- Kaiser HMO

## STATEMENT OF MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS

This enrollment guide constitutes a Summary of Material Modifications (SMM) to the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan. It is meant to supplement and/or replace certain information in the SPD, so retain it for future reference along with your SPD. Please share these materials with your covered family members.

# DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY

## **EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY: MONTHLY MEASUREMENT METHOD**

The information below explains how your eligibility for healthcare coverage is determined, in accordance with the rules of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

You and your dependents are eligible for the plan if you are a full-time employee. A full-time employee is generally an employee who works on average 130 hours per month, as defined by the ACA. Hours that count toward full-time status include each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for the performance of duties for the employer, and each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for a period of time during which no duties are performed due to vacation, holiday, illness, incapacity (including disability), layoff, jury duty, military duty, or leave of absence.

ACA full-time status can affect or determine major medical benefits eligibility but is not a guarantee of benefits eligibility. Kong uses the monthly measurement method to determine whether an employee meets this eligibility threshold.

## **TERMINATION OF COVERAGE FOR INELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS**

Knowingly enrolling an ineligible dependent or intentionally keeping a dependent on the plan when they have lost eligibility constitutes insurance fraud and is a material misrepresentation of fact. When the plan discovers any such ineligible dependent it will terminate coverage retroactively and reprocess any claims, making them payable by such an individual. The employer plan sponsor will also explore disciplinary action against any employee who engages in this misconduct including but not limited to termination of employment.

# Medicare Part D Notice

## Important Notice from Kong Inc. About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare

Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with Kong Inc. and about your options under Medicare's prescription drug coverage. This information can help you decide whether or not you want to join a Medicare drug plan. If you are considering joining, you should compare your current coverage, including which drugs are covered at what cost, with the coverage and costs of the plans offering Medicare prescription drug coverage in your area. Information about where you can get help to make decisions about your prescription drug coverage is at the end of this notice.

There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare's prescription drug coverage:

1. Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.
2. Kong Inc. has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.

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## When Can You Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from October 15th to December 7th.

However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

## What Happens To Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your Kong Inc. coverage **will not** be affected. See below for more information about what happens to your current coverage if you join a Medicare drug plan.

Since the existing prescription drug coverage under Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is creditable (e.g., as good as Medicare coverage), you can retain your existing prescription drug coverage and choose not to enroll in a Part D plan; or you can enroll in a Part D plan as a supplement to, or in lieu of, your existing prescription drug coverage.

If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your Kong Inc. prescription drug coverage, be aware that you and your dependents can only get this coverage back at open enrollment or if you experience an event that gives rise to a HIPAA Special Enrollment Right.

## When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with Kong Inc. and don't join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following October to join.

## For More Information About This Notice Or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage...

Contact the person listed below for further information. NOTE: You'll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through Kong Inc. changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

## For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage...

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the "Medicare & You" handbook. You'll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans.

For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit [medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov)
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the "Medicare & You" handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 800-MEDICARE (800-633-4227). TTY users should call 877-486-2048.

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at [socialsecurity.gov](https://www.socialsecurity.gov), or call them at 800-772-1213 (TTY 800-325-0778).

**Remember: Keep this Creditable Coverage notice. If you decide to join one of the Medicare drug plans, you may be required to provide a copy of this notice when you join to show whether or not you have maintained creditable coverage and, therefore, whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).**

<b>Date:</b>	January 1, 2024
<b>Name of Entity/Sender:</b>	Kong Inc.
<b>Contact-Position/Office:</b>	Human Resources
<b>Address:</b>	150 Spear Street, Suite 1600, San Francisco, CA 94105
<b>Phone Number:</b>	(925) 357-6871

## Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act

If you have had or are going to have a mastectomy, you may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998 (WHCRA). For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided in a manner determined in consultation with the attending physician and the patient, for:

- All stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed;
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance;
- Prostheses; and
- Treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedema.

These benefits will be provided subject to the same deductibles and coinsurance applicable to other medical and surgical benefits provided under this plan. Therefore, refer to your plan documents to see which of the deductibles and coinsurance may apply to your benefits. If you would like more information on WHCRA benefits, call your plan administrator at (925) 357-6871.

## Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act

Group health plans and health insurance issuers generally may not, under Federal law, restrict benefits for any hospital length of stay in connection with childbirth for the mother or newborn child to less than 48 hours following a vaginal delivery, or less than 96 hours following a cesarean section. However, Federal law generally does not prohibit the mother's or newborn's attending provider, after consulting with the mother, from discharging the mother or her newborn earlier than 48 hours (or 96 hours as applicable). In any case, plans and issuers may not, under Federal law, require that a provider obtain authorization from the plan or the insurance issuer for prescribing a length of stay not in excess of 48 hours (or 96 hours). If you would like more information on maternity benefits, call your plan administrator at (925) 357-6871.

## HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights

If you decline enrollment in Kong Inc.'s health plan for you or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, you or your dependents may be able to enroll in Kong Inc.'s health plan without waiting for the next open enrollment period if you:

- Lose other health insurance or group health plan coverage. You must request enrollment within 30 days after the loss of other coverage.
- Gain a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption. You must request health plan enrollment within 30 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption.
- Lose Medicaid or Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) coverage because you are no longer eligible. You must request medical plan enrollment within 60 days after the loss of such coverage.

If you request a change due to a special enrollment event within the 30 day timeframe, coverage will be effective the date of birth, adoption or placement for adoption. For all other events, coverage will be effective the first of the month following your request for enrollment. In addition, you may enroll in Kong Inc.'s health plan if you become eligible for a state premium assistance program under Medicaid or CHIP. You must request enrollment within 60 days after you gain eligibility for medical plan coverage. If you request this change, coverage will be effective the first of the month following your request for enrollment. Specific restrictions may apply, depending on federal and state law.

Note: If your dependent becomes eligible for a special enrollment right, you may add the dependent to your current coverage or change to another health plan. Any other currently covered dependents may also switch to the new plan in which you enroll.

## Availability of Privacy Practices Notice

We maintain the HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices for Kong Inc. describing how health information about you may be used and disclosed. You may obtain a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices by contacting your plan administrator.

## Notice of Choice of Providers

The Kaiser HMO generally allows the designation of a primary care provider. You have the right to designate any primary care provider who participates in our network and who is available to accept you or your family members. For information on how to select a primary care provider, and for a list of the participating primary care providers, contact Kaiser at (800) 464-4000.

For children, you may designate a pediatrician as the primary care provider.

You do not need prior authorization from Kaiser or from any other person (including a primary care provider) in order to obtain access to obstetrical or gynecological care from a health care professional in our network who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology. The health care professional, however, may be required to comply with certain procedures, including obtaining prior authorization for certain services, following a pre-approved treatment plan, or procedures for making referrals. For a list of participating health care professionals who specialize in obstetrics or gynecology, contact the Kaiser at (800) 464-4000.

## Premium Assistance under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP and you're eligible for health coverage from your employer, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage, using funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs. If you or your children aren't eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you won't be eligible for these premium assistance programs but you may be able to buy individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information, visit [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov).

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a State listed below, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office or dial **1-877-KIDS NOW** or [www.insurekidsnow.gov](http://www.insurekidsnow.gov) to find out how to apply. If you qualify, ask your state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

If you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must allow you to enroll in your employer plan if you aren't already enrolled. This is called a "special enrollment" opportunity, and **you must request coverage within 60 days of**



**being determined eligible for premium assistance.** If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, contact the Department of Labor at [www.askebsa.dol.gov](http://www.askebsa.dol.gov) or call **1-866-444-EBSA (3272)**.

If you live in one of the following states, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. The following list of states is current as of July 31, 2023. Contact your State for more information on eligibility—

<b>ALABAMA – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="http://myalhipp.com/">http://myalhipp.com/</a>   Phone: 1-855-692-5447
<b>ALASKA – Medicaid</b>
The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program   Website: <a href="http://myakhipp.com/">http://myakhipp.com/</a>   Phone: 1-866-251-4861 Email: <a href="mailto:CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com">CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com</a> Medicaid Eligibility: <a href="https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx">https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>ARKANSAS – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="http://myarhipp.com/">http://myarhipp.com/</a>   Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447)
<b>CALIFORNIA – Medicaid</b>
Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program website: <a href="http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp">http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp</a> Phone: 916-445-8322   Fax: 916-440-5676   Email: <a href="mailto:hipp@dhcs.ca.gov">hipp@dhcs.ca.gov</a>
<b>COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado’s Medicaid Program) &amp; Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)</b>
Health First Colorado Website: <a href="https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/">https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/</a> Health First Colorado Member Contact Center: 1-800-221-3943   State Relay 711 CHP+: <a href="https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus">https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus</a> CHP+ Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991   State Relay 711 Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI): <a href="https://www.mycohibi.com/">https://www.mycohibi.com/</a> HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442
<b>FLORIDA – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html">https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html</a> Phone: 1-877-357-3268
<b>GEORGIA – Medicaid</b>
GA HIPP Website: <a href="https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp">https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp</a> Phone: 678-564-1162, press 1 GA CHIPRA Website: <a href="https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra">https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra</a>   Phone: 678-564-1162, press 2
<b>INDIANA – Medicaid</b>
Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64 Website: <a href="http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/">http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/</a>   Phone: 1-877-438-4479 All other Medicaid Website: <a href="https://www.in.gov/medicaid/">https://www.in.gov/medicaid/</a>   Phone 1-800-457-4584
<b>IOWA – Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki)</b>
Medicaid Website: <a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members">https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members</a>   Medicaid Phone: 1-800-338-8366 Hawki Website: <a href="http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki">http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki</a>   Hawki Phone: 1-800-257-8563 HIPP Website: <a href="https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp">https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp</a>   HIPP Phone: 1-888-346-9562
<b>KANSAS – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.kancare.ks.gov/">https://www.kancare.ks.gov/</a>   Phone: 1-800-792-4884   HIPP Phone: 1-800-967-4660
<b>KENTUCKY – Medicaid</b>
Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (KI-HIPP) Website: <a href="https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx">https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx</a>   Phone: 1-855-459-6328 Email: <a href="mailto:KIHIPPI.PROGRAM@ky.gov">KIHIPPI.PROGRAM@ky.gov</a> KCHIP Website: <a href="https://kidshealth.ky.gov/Pages/index.aspx">https://kidshealth.ky.gov/Pages/index.aspx</a>   Phone: 1-877-524-4718

Kentucky Medicaid Website: <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms>

#### **LOUISIANA – Medicaid**

Website: [www.medicaid.la.gov](http://www.medicaid.la.gov) or [www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp](http://www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp)

Phone: 1-888-342-6207 (Medicaid hotline) or 1-855-618-5488 (LaHIPP)

#### **MAINE – Medicaid**

Enrollment Website: [https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en\\_US](https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US)

Phone: 1-800-442-6003 | TTY: Maine relay 711

Private Health Insurance Premium Webpage: <https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms>

Phone: 800-977-6740 | TTY: Maine relay 711

#### **MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa> | Phone: 1-800-862-4840 | TTY: 711

Email: [masspremassistance@accenture.com](mailto:masspremassistance@accenture.com)

#### **MINNESOTA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/children-and-families/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp>

Phone: 1-800-657-3739

#### **MISSOURI – Medicaid**

Website: <http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm> | Phone: 573-751-2005

#### **MONTANA – Medicaid**

Website: <http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP>

Phone: 1-800-694-3084 | email: [HSHIPPProgram@mt.gov](mailto:HSHIPPProgram@mt.gov)

#### **NEBRASKA – Medicaid**

Website: <http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov>

Phone: 1-855-632-7633 | Lincoln: 402-473-7000 | Omaha: 402-595-1178

#### **NEVADA – Medicaid**

Medicaid Website: <http://dhcfp.nv.gov> | Medicaid Phone: 1-800-992-0900

#### **NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-insurance-premium-program>

Phone: 603-271-5218 | Toll-free number for the HIPP program: 1-800-852-3345, ext. 5218

#### **NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP**

Medicaid Website: <http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/> | Phone: 609-631-2392

CHIP Website: <http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html> | Phone: 1-800-701-0710

#### **NEW YORK – Medicaid**

Website: [https://www.health.ny.gov/health\\_care/medicaid/](https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/) | Phone: 1-800-541-2831

#### **NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/> | Phone: 919-855-4100

#### **NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.hhs.nd.gov/healthcare> | Phone: 1-844-854-4825

#### **OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <http://www.insureoklahoma.org> | Phone: 1-888-365-3742

#### **OREGON – Medicaid**

Website: <http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx> | Phone: 1-800-699-9075

<b>PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx">https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx</a>   Phone: 1-800-692-7462 CHIP Website: <a href="https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/CHIP-Program.aspx">Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) (pa.gov)</a>   CHIP Phone: 1-800-986-KIDS (5437)
<b>RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/">http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/</a>   Phone: 1-855-697-4347 or 401-462-0311 (Direct Rite Share Line)
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.scdhhs.gov">https://www.scdhhs.gov</a>   Phone: 1-888-549-0820
<b>SOUTH DAKOTA – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="http://dss.sd.gov">http://dss.sd.gov</a>   Phone: 1-888-828-0059
<b>TEXAS – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.healthandhuman-services.com/HealthInsurancePremiumPaymentProgram.aspx">Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program   Texas Health and Human Services</a> Phone: 1-800-440-0493
<b>UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Medicaid Website: <a href="https://medicaid.utah.gov/">https://medicaid.utah.gov/</a>   CHIP Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/chip">http://health.utah.gov/chip</a> Phone: 1-877-543-7669
<b>VERMONT – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.vermont.gov/health/insurance/premium-payment-program">Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program   Department of Vermont Health Access</a> Phone: 1-800-250-8427
<b>VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/famis-select">https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/famis-select</a> or <a href="https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs">https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs</a> Medicaid/CHIP Phone: 1-800-432-5924
<b>WASHINGTON – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.hca.wa.gov/">https://www.hca.wa.gov/</a>   Phone: 1-800-562-3022
<b>WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/">https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/</a> or <a href="http://mywvhipp.com/">http://mywvhipp.com/</a> Medicaid Phone: 304-558-1700   CHIP Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447)
<b>WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm">https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm</a>   Phone: 1-800-362-3002
<b>WYOMING – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/">https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/</a>   Phone: 1-800-251-1269

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2023, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
[www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa](https://www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa)  
1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
[www.cms.hhs.gov](https://www.cms.hhs.gov)  
1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4, Ext. 61565

# ACA Disclaimer

This offer of coverage may disqualify you from receiving government subsidies for an Exchange plan even if you choose not to enroll. To be subsidy eligible you would have to establish that this offer is unaffordable for you, meaning that the required contribution for employee only coverage under our base plan exceeds 9.12% in 2023 (8.39% in 2024) of your modified adjusted household income.

## Illinois Consumer Coverage Disclosure Act

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Employer State of Situs:	California			
Name of Issuer:	Cigna			
Plan Marketing Name:	OAP Base			
Plan Year:	2024			
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<b>Name of Issuer:</b>	Cigna
<b>Plan Marketing Name:</b>	OAP Buy Up
<b>Plan Year:</b>	2024

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The notice and consent form informs you about your protections from unexpected medical bills, gives you the option to give up those protections and pay more for out-of-network care, and provides an estimate of what your out-of-network care might cost. You aren’t required to sign the form and shouldn’t sign the form if you didn’t have a choice of health care provider or facility before scheduling care. If you don’t sign, you may have to reschedule your care with a provider or facility in your health plan’s network.

[View a sample notice and consent form](#) (PDF).

This applies to you if you’re a participant, beneficiary, enrollee, or covered individual in a group health plan or group or individual health insurance coverage, including a Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) plan.







# 2025 BENEFITS GUIDE



**Kong**



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# GETTING STARTED

## 2025 BENEFITS

1/1/2025 through 12/31/2025

### MEDICARE PART D NOTICE

If you (and/or your dependents) have Medicare or will become eligible for Medicare in the next 12 months, a federal law gives you more choices about your prescription drug coverage. Please see the *Important Notices* section for more details.

Whether you're enrolling in benefits for the first time, nearing retirement, or somewhere in between, Kong supports you with benefit programs and resources to help you thrive today and prepare for tomorrow.

This guide provides an overview of your healthcare coverage, life, disability, retirement benefits, and more.

You'll find tips to help you understand your medical coverage, save time and money on healthcare, reduce taxes, and balance your work and home life. Review the coverage and tools available to you to make the most of your benefits package.

# WHO'S ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS?



## Employees

You are eligible if you are an employee working 30 or more hours per week.

Employees with variable hours and seasonal schedules may be considered eligible for benefits. Refer to “Determining Eligibility” later in this guide for details.

## Eligible dependents

- Legally married spouse or domestic partner
- Natural, adopted or stepchildren up to age 26
- Children over age 26 who are disabled and depend on you for support
- Children named in a Qualified Medical Child Support Order (QMCSO).

For additional coverage information, please refer to the benefit booklets for each benefit.

## When you can enroll

You can enroll in benefits as a new hire or during the annual open enrollment period. New hire coverage begins on the date of hire.

If you miss the enrollment deadline, you'll need to wait until the next open enrollment (the one time each year that you can make changes to your benefits for any reason).

# CHANGING YOUR BENEFITS

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## LIFE HAPPENS

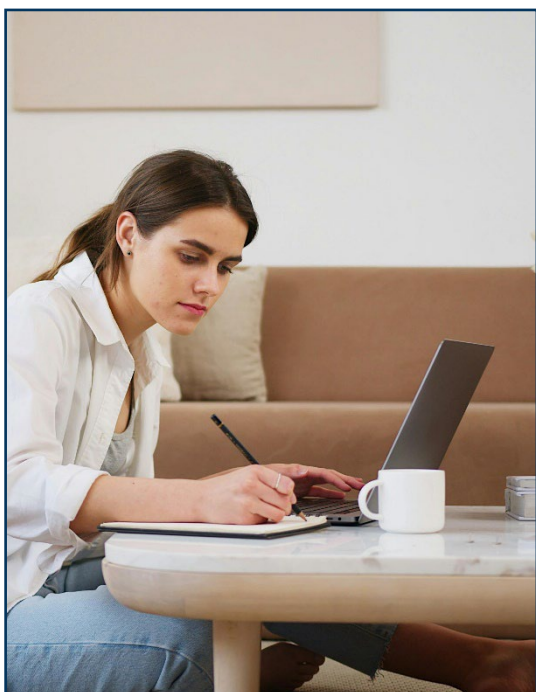
A change in your life may allow you to update your benefit choices. Watch the video for a quick take on your options.

Outside of open enrollment, you may be able to enroll or make changes to your benefit elections if you have a big change in your life, including:

- Change in legal marital status
- Change in number of dependents or dependent eligibility status
- Change in employment status that affects eligibility for you, your spouse, or dependent child(ren)
- Change in residence that affects access to network providers
- Change in your health coverage or your spouse's coverage due to your spouse's employment
- Change in an individual's eligibility for Medicare or Medicaid
- Court order requiring coverage for your child
- "Special enrollment event" under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), including a new dependent by marriage, birth or adoption, or loss of coverage under another health insurance plan
- Event allowed under the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Reauthorization Act (you have 60 days to request enrollment due to events allowed under CHIP).

You must submit your change within 30 days after the event.

# ENROLLING FOR BENEFITS



## Workday Benefits

Workday Benefits is an online system that enables you to make all your benefit decisions in one place. If you don't have access to a computer, you can access Workday's app from a tablet or smartphone.

## Before you enroll

- Know the date of birth, social security number, and address for each dependent you will cover.
- Review your enrollment materials to understand your benefit options and costs for the coming year.

## Getting started

- Visit the employee portal: [wd12.myworkday.com/kong](https://wd12.myworkday.com/kong)
- ADD your personal and dependent information.
- SELECT your benefit plans for the coming year.
- REVIEW your choices and costs before finalizing.

# THE EASY WAY TO GET BENEFITS INFO

MyBenefits.Life® gives you all your benefits information in one place

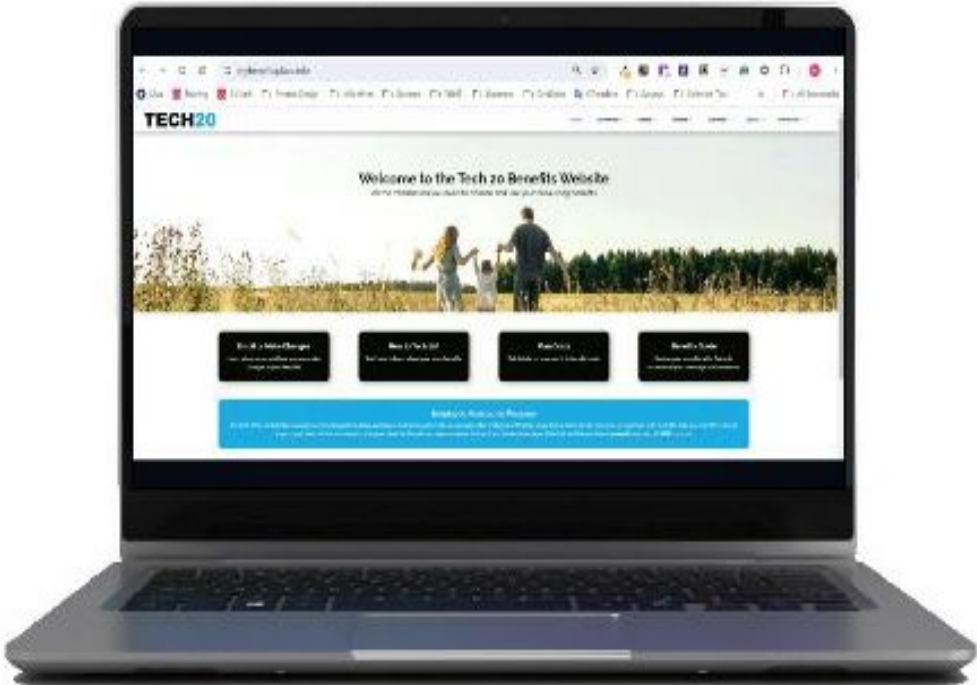
You can bank online, book a vacation online, and read the news online. Why should your benefits information be any different? MyBenefits.Life® is a website that gives you access to the benefits information you need, when you need it.

Here’s what you’ll find on MyBenefits.Life®

## GET MYBENEFITS.LIFE®

On the web:  
[Kong.mybenefits.life](http://Kong.mybenefits.life)

Benefits	See benefit details and costs—for all plans you’re eligible for, such as healthcare, disability, life insurance, and more
Documents	Important benefit plan notices (“the fine print”)
Contacts	Find HR, benefits, and carrier contacts
Get Help	Need help? Reach helpful resources



# HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR BENEFITS?



## Benefit Advocate

### Email

kong@alliant.com

### Phone

(925) 357-6831  
8 am - 5 pm (M-Th)  
8 am - 4:30 pm (Fri)  
Pacific Time

## Meet your Benefit Advocate

Are you getting married and not sure how and when to add your new spouse to your plan? Is your stepchild eligible for your healthcare plan? Do you need help understanding the difference between an HSA and an FSA? Your Alliant Benefit Advocate can help answer these questions and more.

They can help you understand and use your healthcare and other coverage. Contact your Benefit Advocate for issues such as:

- General benefit questions
- Eligibility and coverage
- Finding a network provider
- Health care claim or billing issues, when warranted
- Coverage changes due to life events (marriage, new child, divorce, etc.).

## Claims assistance

A HIPAA Authorization Form will be required in order for your Benefit Advocate to assist you with claims related issues. Through this form, you grant your Benefit Advocate permission to work with your insurer and/or your healthcare provider(s) to resolve your claims issues. The form, which will be provided by your Benefit Advocate, is revocable at any time and permission may be granted on a limited time basis to only those individuals listed on the form. If you have questions about this process, please contact your Benefit Advocate.





# HEALTHCARE

# MAKE TIME FOR HEALTH

## OUR COMMITMENT

We believe that our employees should have access to healthcare coverage that promotes preventive care and helps cover the cost of illness.

Eligible employees and their eligible dependents can enroll in medical, dental, and vision coverage through the Kong benefits program.

## Medical

We offer four different medical plans. Preventive care is fully covered under all plans if obtained in-network. Your costs for other services will depend on which plan you choose. Review the network provider information and out-of-pocket costs such as deductible, coinsurance and prescription drugs so you can choose the best fit for your health concerns and budget/understand how the plan works.

## Dental

Some people don't like going to the dentist, but no one likes big dental bills. Regular checkups and cleanings are fully covered and can identify issues before they become serious. And if you do need dental services, insurance helps cover the cost for fillings, gum disease, orthodontia, and more.

## Vision

An eye exam can uncover health conditions you may not know you have, such as glaucoma, or even high blood pressure. Our vision plan help cover the cost of eye exams, eyeglasses, and contact lenses to ensure you're seeing and feeling your best.



# MEDICAL

## OUR PLANS

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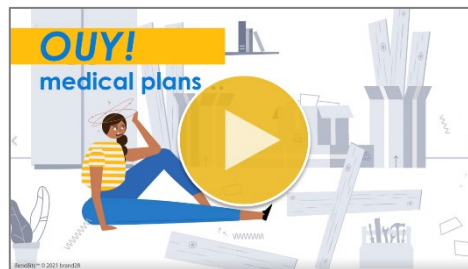
Cigna HDHP w/ HSA

Kaiser HMO  
(CA Only)

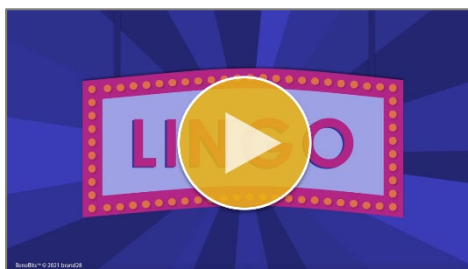
## HMO, PPO, HDHP... WHAT?

Not all medical plans work the same way. Watch these videos to understand how each type of plan works.

*Click to play video*



All About Medical Plans



Play the Health Lingo  
Game!



# WHICH PLAN IS RIGHT FOR YOU?



Consider an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization) if:

- You reside in California
- You want lower, predictable out-of-pocket costs
- You like having one doctor to manage your care
- You are happy with the selection of network providers
- You don't see any doctors that are out-of-network
- You have convenient access to Kaiser California facilities

Plans To Consider

- Kaiser HMO

Consider a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) if:

- You are ok with higher payroll deductions but lower costs when you receive care
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers

Plans To Consider

- Cigna PPO

Consider a HDHP (High Deductible Health Plan) if:

- You are ok with lower payroll deductions and willing to use that additional take home pay for higher costs when you receive care
- You want to receive the Health Savings Account contribution from Kong
- You want to be able to see any provider, even a specialist, without a referral
- You are willing to pay more to see out-of-network providers
- You want tax-free savings on your healthcare costs
- You want to build a savings account for future healthcare costs for you and your eligible family members
- You want an extra way to add to your retirement savings.

Plans To Consider

- Cigna HDHP w/HSA

# Cigna Medical Plans

You can access your digital ID card through the [myCigna.com](https://mycigna.com) website, [iOS](#) or [Android](#) mobile apps. On iOS, you can also go to your digital ID card in the app and add it directly to your Apple wallet.

You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Cigna PPO		Cigna HDHP w/ HSA	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$500 per individual up to \$1,000 per family	\$500 per individual up to \$1,000 per family	\$2,000 per individual, \$3,300/per individual within a family, up to \$4,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual, \$8,000 per individual within a family, up to \$8,000 per family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,300 per individual up to \$6,600 per family	\$5,000 per individual up to \$10,000 per family	\$4,000 per individual up to \$8,000 per family	\$8,000 per individual up to \$16,000 per family
<b>Office Visit (Primary Care)</b>	\$20 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Office Visit (Specialist)</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Online Visit</b>	\$20 copay	Not covered	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$40 copay	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Emergency Room</b>	\$100 copay + 20% (copay is waived if admitted)		10% after deductible	
<b>Hospitalization</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	20% after deductible	40% after deductible	10% after deductible	30% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>			(Medical deductible applies)	
Generic	\$15 copay	Not covered	\$15 copay	Not covered
Preferred brand	\$45 copay	Not covered	\$50 copay	Not covered
Non-preferred brand	\$60 copay	Not covered	\$75 copay	Not covered
Specialty	30% up to \$250	Not covered	30% up to \$250	Not covered

# Kaiser Medical Plan

You always pay the deductible and copayment (\$). The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible.

	Kaiser HMO (CA Only)
	In-Network Only
<b>Annual Deductible</b>	\$500/individual up to \$1,000/family
<b>Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum</b>	\$3,000/individual up to \$6,000/family
<b>Primary Care Office Visit</b>	\$30 copay
<b>Specialist Office Visit</b>	\$40 copay
<b>Chiropractic</b>	\$15 copay (up to 20 annual visits)
<b>Lab and X-ray</b>	\$10 copay
<b>Urgent Care</b>	\$30 copay
<b>Emergency Room</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Hospitalization</b>	10% after deductible
<b>Outpatient Surgery</b>	10% after deductible
<b>PRESCRIPTION DRUGS</b>	
Generic	\$10 copay
Preferred brand	\$30 copay
Non-preferred brand	\$30 copay
Specialty	20% up to \$250/prescription

# SUPPORT FOR EVERY PATH TO PARENTHOOD AND BEYOND



## VIRTUAL SUPPORT FOR ALL STAGES

### Fertility & Family Building

- Preconception guidance
- IUI/IVF referrals
- Adoption coaching

### Maternity & Newborn Care

- Infant sleep support
- Mental health coaching
- Lactation consulting



From fertility to pregnancy through postpartum, Maven is with you. Get free access to top-rated providers via virtual appointments, messaging, classes, and education—anytime you need it.

### Why contact Maven?

Maven provides you with no cost access to a personal Care Advocate who serves as a trusted guide through every step of your journey.

Video chat and message with providers and coaches across 35+ specialties.

Provider-led virtual classes and vetted articles – tailored to your journey.

**To get started, visit:**

[mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted](https://mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted)

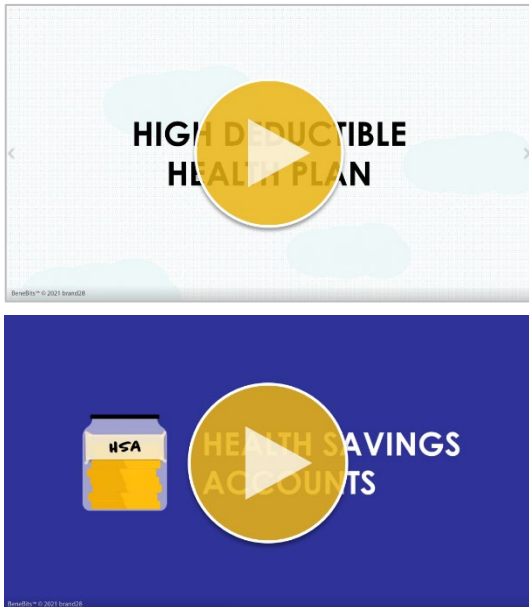
Or download the Maven Clinic app to your iOS or Android device. For help, [contact support@mavenclinic.com](mailto:contact.support@mavenclinic.com).

*Enrollment in Maven is confidential.*



# HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

The HSA is not for everyone. You're eligible only if you are:

1. Enrolled in the Cigna HDHP.
2. Not enrolled in other non-HDHP medical coverage, including Medicare, Medicaid, or Tricare.
3. Not a tax dependent.
4. Not enrolled in a healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA), unless it's a "limited purpose" FSA for dental and vision expenses.

## A personal savings account for healthcare

A Health Savings Account (HSA) is an easy way to pay for healthcare expenses that you have today and save for expenses you may have in the future.

## How the Cigna HDHP works with your Navia HSA plan

- Your HSA account is set up automatically with Navia after you enroll.
- To help you get started, Kong contributes to your HSA:  
\$31.25 semi-monthly for employees (\$750 annually)  
\$62.50 semi-monthly for families (\$1,500 annually)
- You can contribute up to the limit set by the IRS (includes the Kong contribution amount).

**Individual:** \$4,300 per year

**Family:** \$8,550 per year

**Are you age 55 or older?** You can contribute an additional \$1,000 per year

- You can use your HSA debit card to pay for eligible expenses like office visits, lab tests, prescriptions, dental and vision care, and even some drugstore items.

## Four reasons to love an HSA

1. **Tax-free.** No federal tax on contributions, or state tax in most states. Withdrawals are also tax-free as long as they're for eligible healthcare expenses.
2. **No "use it or lose it."** Your balance rolls over from year to year. You own the account and can continue to use it even if you change medical plans or leave the company.
3. **Use it now or later.** Use your HSA for healthcare expenses you have today or save it to use in the future.
4. **Boosts retirement savings.** After you retire, you can use your HSA for healthcare expenses tax-free, or for regular living expenses, taxable but no penalties.

## Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible Expenses](#)
- [Ineligible Expenses](#)

# HEALTHCARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA)

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## ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

You don't have to enroll in one of our medical plans to participate in the healthcare FSA. However, if you or your spouse are enrolled in a high deductible health plan (like our Cigna plan) you can only participate in the **Limited Purpose FSA** for dental and vision expenses.

### Find out more

- [Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)
- [Eligible & Ineligible Expenses](#) – now include more over-the-counter items!

### Do you pay for dependent care?

Look in the Financial Wellness section for information on tax savings through the Dependent Care FSA.

## How the Navia Limited Purpose FSA works

A Limited Purpose FSA operates similarly to a Healthcare FSA, with the key distinction that funds can only be used for eligible dental and vision expenses. This specialized FSA option is accessible to individuals enrolled in a High Deductible Health Plan, whereas the Healthcare FSA is not. Contributions, capped at \$3,300 (subject to IRS adjustments), align with the Healthcare FSA guidelines. For more details, [explore Navia's page on the Limited Purpose FSA](#).

## Set aside healthcare dollars for the coming year

A healthcare FSA allows you to set aside tax-free money to pay for healthcare expenses you expect to have over the coming year.

## How the Healthcare Navia FSA works

- You estimate what you and your family's out-of-pocket costs will be for the coming year. Think about what out-of-pocket costs you expect to have for eligible expenses such as office visits, surgery, dental and vision expenses, prescriptions, even eligible drugstore items.
- You can contribute up to \$3,300, subject to IRS change. Contributions are deducted from your pay pre-tax, meaning no federal or state tax on that amount.
- You can use your FSA debit card to pay tax-free for services and products through December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025. Expenses must be submitted to Navia by March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026.
- NEW for 2025! Kong will allow up to \$660 of unused funds at the end of 2025 to carryover into your 2026 FSA.

## Estimate carefully!

If you don't spend all the money in your account, you forfeit the leftover balance over \$660 at the end of the year.

### FSA TAX SAVINGS EXAMPLE

\$60,000 Annual Pay, with \$1,500 FSA Contribution		
\$330	\$115	\$445
22% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

\$120,000 Annual Pay, with \$2,850 FSA Contribution		
\$684	\$219	\$903
24% Federal income tax	7.65% FICA tax	Annual FSA tax savings

*Your tax savings may vary depending on tax filing status and other variables*

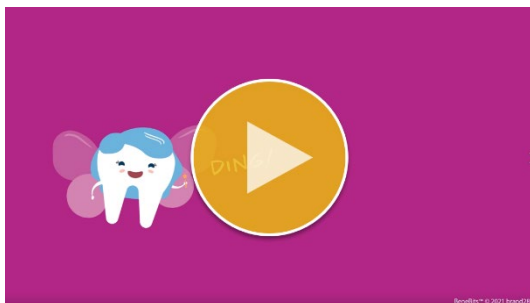


## DENTAL

### OUR PLANS

Cigna Dental PPO

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### Why sign up for Dental coverage?

It's important to go to the dentist regularly. Brushing and flossing are great, but regular exams catch dental issues early before they become more expensive and difficult to treat.

That's where dental insurance comes in. Dental insurance makes it easier and less expensive to get the care you need to maintain good oral health.

Dental insurance covers four types of treatments:

- **Preventive** care includes exams, cleanings and x-rays
- **Basic** care focuses on repair and restoration with services such as fillings, root canals, and gum disease treatment
- **Major** care goes further than basic and includes bridges, crowns and dentures
- **Orthodontia** treatment to properly align teeth.

# Cigna Dental Plans

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You always pay the deductible. The coinsurance (%) shows what you pay after the deductible. Cigna’s network of dentists can be reviewed through their [provider lookup tool](#) and searching dentists in the **Total Cigna DPPO** network.

	Cigna Dental PPO	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network*
Annual Deductible	\$25/individual or \$75/family	
Annual Plan Maximum	\$2,500	
Diagnostic & Preventive	0% (deductible waived)	
Basic Services	20% after deductible	
Major Services	50% after deductible	
Orthodontia (for children and adults)	50% after deductible	
Ortho Lifetime Max	\$2,500	

**\*Out of network coverage:** If you receive coverage from an out of network dentist, professional, or facility Cigna will cover your costs based on their “recognized” amount. The amount is based on what other dentists charge for the service in your area. Your non-network provider may charge a rate higher than the “recognized” amount and you will be responsible for any balance in excess of the “recognized” amount.



## OUR PLAN

MetLife Vision

### Why sign up for Vision coverage?

Vision coverage helps with the cost of eyeglasses or contacts. But even if you don't need vision correction, an annual eye exam checks the health of your eyes and can even detect more serious health issues such as diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and thyroid disease.

You'll even find discounts on services like LASIK and PRK, rebates on contact lenses, and money off on other related services. Visit the plan's website to check out these extra savings.

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# MetLife Vision Plan

Your vision checkup is fully covered after your Exam copay. After your Materials copay, the plan covers frames, lenses, and contacts as described below.

	MetLife Vision	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Eye exam	\$0	Up to \$45 reimbursement
Frames	\$130 allowance	Up to \$70 reimbursement
Single Vision Lenses	\$25 copay	Up to \$30 reimbursement
Contacts (Elective)	\$130 allowance (in lieu of glasses)	Up to \$105 reimbursement
Frequency	<b>Exam:</b> once every 12 months <b>Frames:</b> once every 12 months <b>Lenses:</b> once every 12 months <b>Contacts (Elective):</b> once every 12 months	

## What you need to know about this plan



Features:

What other services are covered?

Eyeglasses are expensive. Will I still be able to afford them, even with insurance?

Where can I get more details?

See any provider, but you'll pay more Out-of-Network

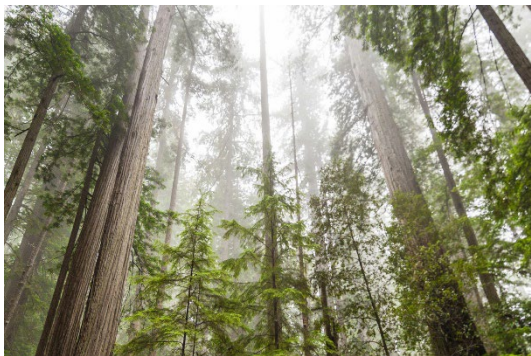
The plan can also help you save money on LASIK procedures, sunglasses, and computer glasses.

Look for moderately priced frames and remember that your benefit is higher in-network. If you participate in an HSA or healthcare FSA, you can use your account to pay for vision care and eyewear with tax-free dollars.

Use the MetLife website or app



# EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (EAP)



## CONTACT THE EAP

### Phone

(888) 319-7819

### Website

[one.telushealth.com](https://one.telushealth.com)

**Username:** metlifeeap

**Password:** eap

## Help for you and your household members

There are times when everyone needs a little help or advice, or assistance with a serious concern. The EAP through TELUS Health can help you handle a wide variety of personal issue such as emotional health and substance abuse; parenting and childcare needs; financial coaching; legal consultation; and eldercare resources.

Best of all, contacting the EAP is completely confidential, free and available to any member of your immediate household.

## No cost EAP resources

The EAP is available around the clock to ensure you get access to the resources you need:

- Unlimited phone access 24/7
- In-person or video counseling for short-term issues; up to 5 visits per issue per year
- Unlimited web access to helpful articles, resources, and self-assessment tools.

### COUNSELING BENEFITS

- Difficulty with relationship
- Emotional distress
- Job stress
- Communication/ conflict issues
- Alcohol or drug problems
- Loss and death

### PARENTING & CHILDCARE

- Referrals to quality providers
- Family day care homes
- Infant centers and preschools
- Before/after school care
- 24-hour care

### FINANCIAL COACHING

- Money management
- Debt management
- Identity theft resolution
- Tax issues

### LEGAL CONSULTATION

- Referral to a local attorney
- Family issues (marital, child custody, adoption)
- Estate planning
- Landlord/tenant
- Immigration
- Personal Injury
- Consumer protection
- Real estate
- Bankruptcy

### ELDERCARE RESOURCES

- Help with finding appropriate resources to care for an elderly or disabled relative

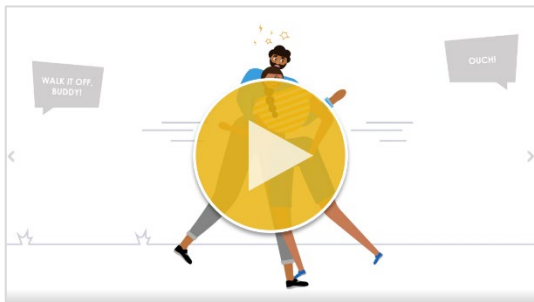
### ONLINE RESOURCES

- Self-help tools to enhance resilience and well-being
- Useful information and links to various services and topics

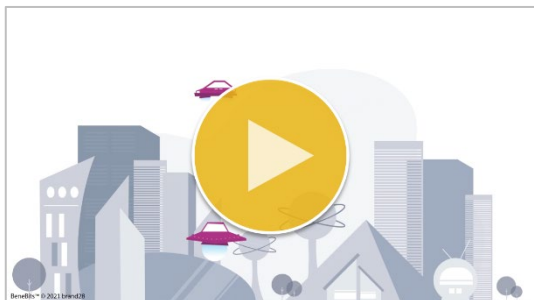


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Urgent Care vs Emergency Room



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## Maximize Your Healthcare

Knowing how to best use your healthcare coverage can help you improve your health and reduce your expenses. In this section you'll find tips on:

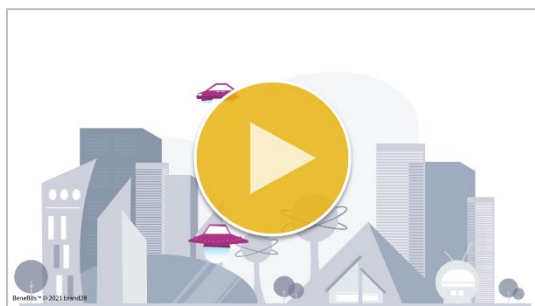
- Finding the right care at the right cost
- Alternatives to hospital care
- Understanding preventive care benefits
- Saving money on prescription drugs

# KNOW WHERE TO GO

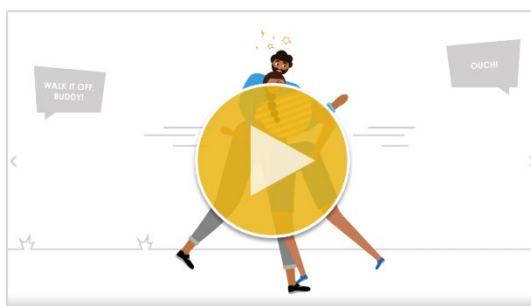
Where you get medical care can significantly influence the cost. Here's a quick guide to help you know where to go, based on your condition, budget, and time.

Type	Examples
<b>Nurse line (24/7—\$0)</b> Quick answers from a trained nurse Cigna: 800-223-9379 opt 3 Kaiser: 866-454-8855	Identifying if immediate care is needed Home treatment options and advice
<b>Online visit (24/7—Low Cost)</b> Many nonemergency health issues Cigna: mycigna.com Kaiser: kp.org	Cold, flu, allergies, headache, migraine Skin conditions, rashes Minor injuries Mental health concerns
<b>Office visit (Moderate Cost)</b> Routine medical care and management	Preventive care Illnesses, injuries Managing existing conditions
<b>Urgent care (High Cost)</b> Non-life-threatening conditions requiring prompt attention	Stitches, sprains Animal bites High fever, respiratory infections
<b>Emergency room (24/7—Highest Cost)</b> Life-threatening conditions needing immediate care	Suspected heart attack or stroke Major bone breaks Excessive bleeding Severe pain Difficulty breathing

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Urgent Care vs Emergency Room

# ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES

If you have time to evaluate your options for nonemergency health treatments, these alternative facilities can provide the same results as a hospital at a fraction of the cost.

Need	Alternative	Features	Savings
SURGERY	Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Specializes in same-day surgeries</li><li>Cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery and more</li><li>Held to same safety standards as hospitals</li></ul>	Up to 50% over hospital stay*  <i>*in-network</i>
PHYSICAL THERAPY	Outpatient physical therapy facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Important part of the recovery process after an injury or surgery</li></ul>	40 to 60% over a hospital setting*  <i>*in-network</i>
SLEEP STUDY	Home testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Diagnoses sleep apnea and other conditions</li><li>Cost is often covered by insurance if considered medically necessary</li></ul>	Approx. \$4,500*  <i>*in-network</i>
INFUSION THERAPY	Home or outpatient infusion therapy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>For drugs that must be delivered by intravenous injections, or epidurals</li><li>Delivered by licensed infusion therapy provider</li><li>Maintain normal lifestyle and comfort of home or outpatient center</li></ul>	Up to 90% over hospital stay*  <i>*in-network</i>

## How to find an alternative treatment facility

Ask your doctor if your treatment must be delivered in the hospital. You can also search for surgical centers, physical therapy, and similar services on your plan’s website, or call member services for assistance. Online tools such as [healthcarebluebook.com](https://www.healthcarebluebook.com) and [healthgrades.com](https://www.healthgrades.com) help you compare costs and doctor ratings.

Some alternative services include a facility fee to cover overhead costs. To avoid a surprise on your bill, ask about facility fees before you schedule your appointment.

# PREVENTIVE CARE SCREENING BENEFITS



## TYPICAL SCREENINGS FOR ADULTS

- Blood pressure
- Cholesterol
- Diabetes
- Colorectal cancer screening
- Depression
- Mammograms
- OB/GYN screenings
- Prostate cancer screening
- Testicular exam

You take your car in for maintenance. Why not do the same for yourself?

Annual preventive checkups can help you and your doctor identify your baseline level of health and detect issues before they become serious.

### What is Preventive Care?

The Affordable Care Act (ACA) requires health insurers to cover a set of preventive services at no cost to you, even if you haven't met your yearly deductible. The preventive care services you'll need to stay healthy vary by age, sex, and medical history.

Visit [cdc.gov/prevention](https://cdc.gov/prevention) for recommended guidelines.

**Preventive care is covered in full  
only when obtained from an  
IN-NETWORK provider.**

Not all exams and tests are considered preventive

Exams performed by specialists are generally not considered preventive and may not be covered at 100 percent.

Additionally, certain screenings may be considered diagnostic, not preventive, based on your current medical condition. You may be responsible for paying all or a share of the cost for those services.

If you have a question about whether a service will be covered as preventive care, contact your medical plan.

# PRESCRIPTIONS BREAKING YOUR BUDGET?

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## THE FORMULARY DRUG TIERS DETERMINE YOUR COST

Low Cost	Generic Drug
Moderate Cost	Brand Name Drug
High Cost	Specialty Drug

\*The costs of covered medications vary by plan, refer to pages 11 – 13 for pharmacy copays under each plan

Understanding the formulary can save you money

If your doctor prescribes medicine, especially for an ongoing condition, don't forget to check your health plan's drug formulary. It's a powerful tool that can help you make informed decisions about your medication options and identify the lowest cost selection.

### What is a formulary?

A drug formulary is a list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan. Most prescription drug formularies separate the medications they cover into four or five drug categories, or "tiers." These groupings range from least expensive to most expensive cost to you. "Preferred" drugs generally cost you less than "non-preferred" drugs.

### Get the most from your coverage

To get the most out of your prescription drug coverage, note where your prescriptions fall within your plan's drug formulary tiers and ask your doctor for advice. Generic drugs are usually the lowest cost option. Generics are required by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to perform the same as brand-name drug equivalents.

**To find out if a drug is on your plan's formulary, visit the plan's website or call the customer service number on your ID card.**





# LIFE & DISABILITY

## YOUR BENEFICIARY = WHO GETS PAID

If the worst happens, your beneficiary—the person (or people) on record with the life insurance carrier—receives the benefit. Make sure that you name at least one beneficiary for your life insurance benefit, and change your beneficiary as needed if your situation changes.

## Is your family protected?

Life, AD&D and disability insurance can fill a number of financial gaps due to a temporary or permanent reduction of income. Consider what your family would need to cover day-to-day living expenses and medical bills during a pregnancy or illness-related disability leave, or how you would manage large expenses (rent or mortgage, children’s education, student loans, consumer debt, etc.) after the death of a spouse or partner.

We provide short and long-term disability benefits and a base amount of life and AD&D insurance to help you recover from financial loss.

## If you need additional coverage

We offer voluntary coverage that you can purchase for yourself, your spouse, and your children. See the Voluntary Benefits section for details.

## COMPANY-PROVIDED LIFE AND AD&D INSURANCE



### WHAT'S GUARANTEED ISSUE?

If you select coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue") or after your initial eligibility, you will need to provide additional information about your health status in order to qualify for the requested amount of coverage.

## Basic Life and AD&D

Basic Life Insurance pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die. AD&D (Accidental Death & Dismemberment) coverage provides a benefit to you if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or to your beneficiary if you have a fatal accident. The cost of coverage is paid in full by the company.

Company-provided life insurance coverage over \$50,000 is considered a taxable benefit. The value of the benefit over \$50,000 will be reported as taxable income on your annual W-2 form.

### 2025 MetLife Basic Life and AD&D

1x annual salary up to a maximum of \$400,000.

*The benefit amounts above will be reduced if you are age 65 or older. Refer to the plan document for details.*

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE



### Concierge Leave of Absence Management

Kong has contracted with Tilt to support you through planning, taking, and returning from a leave of absence.

Contact the Tilt team to ask your questions ahead of any leave confidentially. Tilt will collect your leave of absence documentation and review your leave request.

Tilt will work with you through filing any disability or paid family leave claims you might be eligible for through your state or Kong's provided insurance policies.

When you are ready to return to work, Tilt will notify your team to prepare for the conclusion of your leave.

To get started with Tilt, check out their [Help Center](#), including instructions on how to submit a leave and their section for [Employees](#).

# SHORT-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (STD)



## COORDINATION WITH STATE BENEFITS

Be sure to claim any state benefits you are eligible for. Disability insurance payments are reduced by your eligible state disability payments, regardless of whether or not you claim them.

# LONG-TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE (LTD)



## 3 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT LTD INSURANCE

1. It can protect you from having to tap into your retirement savings.
2. You can use LTD benefits however you need, for housing, food, medical bills, etc.
3. Benefits can last a long time—from weeks to even years—if you remain eligible.

# STD Benefits

Short-Term Disability (STD) insurance replaces part of your income for limited duration issues such as:

- Pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery
- Prolonged illness or injury
- Surgery and recovery time

STD payments may be reduced if you receive other benefits such as sick pay, workers' compensation, Social Security, or state disability. The company pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2025 MetLife STD

<b>Weekly benefit amount</b>	60% of your weekly salary up to a maximum of \$2,308.
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 7 days of disability due to accident or sickness
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	12 weeks (based on first day you are disabled, not when benefits begin)

# LTD benefits cushion the financial impact of a disability

Long-Term Disability (LTD) insurance replaces part of your income for longer term issues such as:

- Debilitating illness (cancer, heart disease, etc.)
- Serious injuries (accident, etc.)
- Heart attack, stroke
- Mental disorders.

If you qualify, LTD benefits begin after short-term disability benefits end. Payments may be reduced by state, federal, or private disability benefits you receive while disabled. Kong pays the cost of this coverage.

## 2025 MetLife LTD

<b>Monthly benefit amount</b>	60% of your salary up to a maximum of \$12,000
<b>Benefits begin</b>	After 90 days of disability
<b>Maximum payment period</b>	Until maximum social security normal retirement age, or earlier if you recover





# VOLUNTARY PLANS

## OUR VOLUNTARY PLANS

- 2025 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D
- 2025 MetLife Accident
- 2025 MetLife Hospital Indemnity
- 2025 MetLife Critical Illness
- 2025 MetLife Pet Insurance

## You’re unique—and so are your benefit needs

Voluntary benefits are optional coverages that help you customize your benefits package to your individual needs.

Kong offers plans to help:

- provide income for survivors
- replace income if you’re injured or ill
- save money on protection for your pets

You pay the entire cost for these plans, but rates may be more affordable than individual coverage. And you get the added convenience of paying through payroll deduction.

Voluntary benefits are just that: voluntary. You have the freedom and flexibility to choose the benefits that make sense for you and your family. Or, you don’t have to sign up for voluntary benefits at all. The choice is yours.

# VOLUNTARY LIFE/AD&D INSURANCE



## GUARANTEED ISSUE

If you purchase life insurance coverage above a certain limit (the "guaranteed issue" amount) during your initial eligibility period, you will need to submit Evidence of Insurability with additional information about your health in order for the insurance company to approve the amount of coverage.

Any amounts elected or increases to your election after your initial eligibility period are subject to Evidence of Insurability.

## Protecting those you leave behind

Voluntary Life Insurance allows you to purchase additional life insurance to protect your family's financial security. Coverage is available for your spouse and/or child(ren) if you purchase coverage for yourself.

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### 2025 MetLife Voluntary Life/AD&D

<b>Employee</b>	Increments of \$10,000 up to \$500,000. Guaranteed issue of \$150,000.
<b>Spouse</b>	Increments of \$5,000 up to 50% of employee amount to a maximum of \$100,000. Guaranteed issue of \$25,000.
<b>Child(ren)</b>	Amounts of \$1,000/\$2,000/\$4,000/\$5,000/\$10,000

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# VOLUNTARY HEALTH-RELATED PLANS



## THINGS TO CONSIDER

Your medical plan helps cover the cost of illness, but a serious or long-lasting medical crisis often involves additional expenses and may affect your ability to bring home a full paycheck. These plans provide you with resources to help you get by while there are additional strains on your finances.

Premiums for Critical Illness, Accident, and Hospital Indemnity are paid post-tax. Any benefits received from MetLife are paid tax-free.

## Accident Insurance

Accident Insurance from MetLife helps you pay for unexpected costs that can add up due to common injuries such as fractures, dislocations, burns, emergency room or urgent care visits, and physical therapy. If you or a covered family member has an accident, this plan pays a lump-sum, tax-free benefit. The amount of money depends on the type and severity of your injury and can be used any way you choose.

## Critical Illness Insurance

Critical illness insurance from MetLife can help fill a financial gap if you experience a serious illness such as cancer, heart attack or stroke. Upon diagnosis of a covered illness, a lump-sum, tax-free benefit is immediately paid to you. Use it to help cover medical costs, transportation, child care, lost income, or any other need following a critical illness. You choose a benefit amount that fits your paycheck and can cover yourself and your family members if needed. You may even be eligible for a benefit if you receive a covered wellness screening such as blood tests, stress tests, or a chest x-ray.

## Hospital Indemnity Insurance

Hospital indemnity insurance from MetLife can enhance your current medical coverage. The plan pays a lump sum, tax-free benefit when you or an enrolled dependent is admitted or confined to the hospital for covered accidents and illnesses. You can use the money you receive under the plan however you see fit, for paying medical bills, childcare, or for regular living expenses like groceries—you decide.

## Pet Insurance

Pets are members of the family too. When your pet gets sick, bills can add up faster than expected. Pet insurance prevents you from needing to weigh your pet's health against your bank account. Most plans offer coverage for costs associated with both accidents and illnesses—even medications. MetLife provides coverage for this program.



A background image of the Aurora Borealis (Northern Lights) in shades of green and blue against a dark, starry night sky. The lights are flowing and ethereal, creating a sense of movement and wonder.

# FINANCIAL WELLNESS

## PLANS TO HELP YOU SAVE

- Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (DC FSA)
- Transportation & Parking Benefits

## Is it time for a “financial wellness” checkup?

Are you worried about money—making your paycheck last? Paying down debt? Making a big purchase like a car or home? And can you even think about preparing for retirement?

Ignoring your financial health can take a toll on your quality of life today and block opportunities for the future. And worrying about money matters can make you stressed, even to the point of physical illness.

We offer benefits and resources to help you make the most of your money now and in the future. You can increase your take-home pay by saving on taxes.

# PAYING FOR DAYCARE? MAKE IT TAX-FREE!

*Click to play video*



## EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE

The biggest deduction from your paycheck is likely federal income tax. Why not take a bite out of taxes while paying for necessary expenses with tax-free dollars?



**Estimate carefully!** You can't change your FSA election amount mid-year unless you experience a qualifying event. Money contributed to a dependent care FSA must be used for expenses incurred during the same plan year. You have until 3/15/2025 to spend your balance and 3/31/2025 to submit expenses to Navia.

## SAVE ON COMMUTE EXPENSES

### Commuter Savings Account—up to \$650 per month tax-free



Do you have out-of-pocket commuting expenses for public transportation, van pooling, or for worksite parking? If so, you can save on taxes by enrolling in our transportation savings account, administered by Navia.

The account lets you set aside money—before it's taxed—through payroll deduction. You may enroll in or stop this program at any time. Money in the account can be used in future months or plan years.

Set aside up to \$325 per month for work-related parking expenses and up to \$325 per month separately for work-related commute expenses. Limits are subject to IRS change.





# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

In this section, you'll find important plan information, including:

- Your medical, dental and vision benefit contributions for 2025
- Contact information for our benefit carriers and vendors
- A summary of the health plan notices you are entitled to receive annually, and where to find them
- A Benefits Glossary to help you understand important insurance terms.

# YOUR MONTHLY BENEFIT COSTS

The total amount that you pay for your benefits coverage depends on the plans you choose, how many dependents you cover, and for medical coverage, how much you earn. Your healthcare costs are deducted from your pay on a pre-tax basis — before federal, state, and social security taxes are calculated — so you pay less in taxes.

## MEDICAL

	Cigna PPO	Cigna HDHP w/HSA	Kaiser HMO
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$133.80	\$68.47	\$102.26
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$412.10	\$287.58	\$329.95
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$372.85	\$260.20	\$299.95
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$588.71	\$410.84	\$449.93

## DENTAL & VISION

	Cigna Dental PPO	MetLife Vision
EMPLOYEE ONLY	\$8.10	\$1.23
EMPLOYEE + SPOUSE	\$23.59	\$3.60
EMPLOYEE + CHILDREN	\$26.78	\$3.05
EMPLOYEE + FAMILY	\$41.37	\$5.02

*Please note that unless your domestic partner is your tax dependent as defined by the IRS, contributions for domestic partner coverage must be made after-tax. Similarly, the company contribution toward coverage for your domestic partner and his/her dependents will be reported as taxable income on your W-2. Contact your tax advisor for more details on how this tax treatment applies to you. Notify Kong if your domestic partner is your tax dependent.*

# VOLUNTARY LIFE & AD&D INSURANCE COSTS

If you elect voluntary coverage, your monthly premium rate is calculated based on your age and the amount of coverage. Use the tables below to estimate the premium amount that will be deducted from your paycheck.

## VOLUNTARY LIFE INSURANCE – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE

Age	Employee	Spouse
<25	\$0.062	\$0.062
25-29	\$0.062	\$0.062
30-34	\$0.080	\$0.080
35-39	\$0.090	\$0.090
40-44	\$0.123	\$0.123
45-49	\$0.192	\$0.192
50-54	\$0.311	\$0.311
55-59	\$0.476	\$0.476
60-64	\$0.740	\$0.740
65-69	\$1.270	\$1.270
70-74	\$2.354	\$2.354
75+	\$2.354	\$2.354

## VOLUNTARY AD&D – MONTHLY RATE PER \$1,000 OF COVERAGE

Employee & Spouse	\$0.017
Child(ren)	\$0.051

*To calculate your per paycheck AD&D cost, follow the same steps as the table above.*

## CALCULATE YOUR LIFE INSURANCE COST

1. Desired Coverage (\$1,000 Increments)

You:	Spouse:
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2. Divide Step 1 by 1,000 =

You:	Spouse:
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3. Multiply Step 2 by Rate from Table =

You:	Spouse:
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4. Multiply Step 4 by 12 and divide by 24 =

You:	Spouse:
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5. Add You + Spouse from Step 4:

TOTAL COST PER PAYCHECK:
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## CHILD LIFE INSURANCE

COVERAGE AMOUNT	Rate per \$1,000 of coverage	Total Cost Per Paycheck
\$	\$0.240	\$

**Premium includes all eligible children.** Eligible children include dependent children under age 26 as long as you apply for and are approved for coverage for yourself.

# PLAN CONTACTS

## HELPFUL RESOURCES

### Benefits Portal

MyBenefits.Life®

[Kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life)

### Alliant Benefit Advocate

[kong@alliant.com](mailto:kong@alliant.com)

925-357-6831

## MEDICAL, DENTAL & VISION

### Cigna Medical PPO/HDHP

Policy # 627502

[mycigna.com](https://mycigna.com)

Cigna Health Benefits App

Member Services

(866) 494-2111

### Kaiser Medical HMO

Policy # 715657

[Kp.org](https://kp.org)

Kaiser Permanente App

Member Services

(800) 464-4000

### Cigna Dental PPO

Policy # 627502

[mycigna.com](https://mycigna.com)

Cigna Health Benefits App

Member Services

(866) 494-2111

### MetLife Vision

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

## HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)

### Navia HSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS (FSA)

### Navia FSA

[Naviabenefits.com](https://naviabenefits.com)

(425) 452-3500

## FERTILITY SUPPORT

### Maven

Create your free account:

[mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted](https://mavenclinic.com/join/getstarted)

For help, contact:

[support@mavenclinic.com](mailto:support@mavenclinic.com)

## LIFE AND AD&D, DISABILITY, & LEAVE OF ABSENCE

### MetLife, Inc.

Policy # 5966783

[metlife.com](https://metlife.com)

MetLife US App

Member Services

(800) 438-6388

### Tilt

Leave of Absence

[Employee Page](#)

[Help Center](#)

[State Leave Laws](#)

## EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EAP

### TELUS Health

[one.telushealth.com/](https://one.telushealth.com/)

TELUS Health One Mobile App

(888) 319-7819

Username: metlifeeap

Password: eap

## PET INSURANCE

### MetLife

[metlifepetinsurance.com](https://metlifepetinsurance.com)

(855) 270-7387



# GLOSSARY

## -A-

### **AD&D Insurance**

An insurance plan that pays a benefit to you or your beneficiary if you suffer from loss of a limb, speech, sight, or hearing, or if you have a fatal accident.

### **Allowed Amount**

The maximum amount your plan will pay for a covered healthcare service.

### **Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)**

A healthcare facility that specializes in same-day surgical procedures such as cataracts, colonoscopies, upper GI endoscopy, orthopedic surgery, and more.

### **Annual Limit**

A cap on the benefits your plan will pay in a year. Limits may be placed on particular services such as prescriptions or hospitalizations. Annual limits may be placed on the dollar amount of covered services or on the number of visits that will be covered for a particular service. After an annual limit is reached, you must pay all associated health care costs for the rest of the plan year.

## -B-

### **Balance Billing**

In-network providers are not allowed to bill you for more than the plan's allowable charge, but out-of-network providers are. This is called balance billing. For example, if the provider's fee is \$100 but the plan's allowable charge is only \$70, an out-of-network provider may bill YOU for the \$30 difference (the balance).

**Note:** Beginning January 1, 2024 the "No Surprises Act" provides protections against surprise billing for emergency services, air ambulance services, and certain services provided by a non-participating provider at a participating facility. For these services, the member's cost are generally limited to what the charge would have been if received in-network, leaving any balance to be settled between the insurer and the out-of-network provider. Consult your health plan documents for details.

### **Beneficiary**

The person (or persons) that you name to be paid a benefit should you die. Beneficiaries are requested for life, AD&D, and retirement plans. You must name your beneficiary in advance.

### **Brand Name Drug**

A drug sold under its trademarked name. For example, Lipitor is the brand name of a common cholesterol medicine.

## -C-

### **COBRA**

A federal law that may allow you to temporarily continue healthcare coverage after your employment ends, based on certain qualifying events. If you elect COBRA (Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act) coverage, you pay 100% of the premiums, including any share your employer used to pay, plus a small administrative fee.

### **Claim**

A request for payment that you or your health care provider submits to your healthcare plan after you receive services that may be covered.

### **Coinsurance**

Your share of the cost of a healthcare visit or service. Coinsurance is expressed as a percentage and always adds up to 100%. For example, if the plan pays 70%, your coinsurance responsibility is 30% of the cost. If your plan has a deductible, you pay 100% of the cost until you meet your deductible amount.

### **Copayment**

A flat fee you pay for some healthcare services, for example, a doctor's office visit. You pay the copayment (sometimes called a copay) at the time you receive care. In most cases, copays do not count toward the deductible.

## -D-

### **Deductible**

The amount of healthcare expenses you have to pay for with your own money before your health plan will pay. The deductible does not apply to preventive care and certain other services.

Family coverage may have an **aggregate** or **embedded** deductible. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family deductible before any individual expenses are covered. Embedded means the plan begins to make payments for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual deductible.

### **Dental Basic Services**

Services such as fillings, routine extractions and some oral surgery procedures.

### **Dental Diagnostic & Preventive**

Generally includes routine cleanings, oral exams, x-rays, and fluoride treatments. Most plans limit preventive exams and cleanings to two times a year.

### **Dental Major Services**

Complex or restorative dental work such as crowns, bridges, dentures, inlays and onlays.

### **Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

An arrangement through your employer that lets you pay for eligible child and elder care expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include day care, before and after-school programs, preschool, and summer day camp for children under age 13. Also included is care for a spouse or other dependent who lives with you and is physically incapable of self-care.

## -E-

### **Eligible Expense**

A service or product that is covered by your plan. Your plan will not cover any of the cost if the expense is not eligible.

### **Excluded Service**

A service that your health plan doesn't pay for or cover.

## -F-

### **Formulary**

A list of prescription drugs covered by your medical plan or prescription drug plan. Also called a drug list.

## -G-

### **Generic Drug**

A drug that has the same active ingredients as a brand name drug, but is sold under a different name. For example, Atorvastatin is the generic name for medicines with the same formula as Lipitor.

### **Grandfathered**

A medical plan that is exempt from certain provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

## -H-

### **Health Reimbursement Account (HRA)**

An account funded by an employer that reimburses employees, tax-free, for qualified medical expenses up to a maximum amount per year. Sometimes called Health Reimbursement Arrangements.

### **Healthcare Flexible Spending Account (FSA)**

A health account through your employer that lets you pay for many out-of-pocket medical expenses with tax-free dollars. Eligible expenses include insurance copayments and deductibles, qualified prescription drugs, insulin, and medical devices, and some over-the-counter items.

# GLOSSARY

## High Deductible Health Plan (HDHP)

A medical plan with a higher deductible than a traditional insurance plan. The monthly premium is usually lower, but you pay more health care costs (the deductible) before the insurance company starts to pay its share. A high deductible plan (HDHP) may make you eligible for a health savings account (HSA) that allows you to pay for certain medical expenses with money free from federal taxes.

## -I-

### In-Network

In-network providers and services contract with your healthcare plan and will usually be the lowest cost option. Check your plan's website to find doctors, hospitals, labs, and pharmacies. Out-of-network services will cost more, or may not be covered.

## -L-

### Life Insurance

An insurance plan that pays your beneficiary a lump sum if you die.

## Long Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are unable to work due to a debilitating illness, serious injury, or mental disorder. Long term disability generally starts after a 90-day waiting period.

## -M-

### Mail Order

A feature of a medical or prescription drug plan where medicines you take routinely can be delivered by mail in a 90-day supply.

## -O-

### Open Enrollment

The time of year when you can change the benefit plans you are enrolled in and the dependents you cover. Open enrollment is held one time each year. Outside of open enrollment, you can only make changes if you have certain events in your life, like getting married or adding a new baby or child in the family.

## Out-of-Network

Out-of-network providers (doctors, hospitals, labs, etc.) cost you more because they are not contracted with your plan and are not obligated to limit their maximum fees. Some plans, such as HMOs and EPOs, do not cover out-of-network services at all.

## Out-of-Pocket Cost

A healthcare expense you are responsible for paying with your own money, whether from your bank account, credit card, or from a health account such as an HSA, FSA or HRA.

## Out-of-Pocket Maximum

Protects you from big medical bills. Once costs "out of your own pocket" reach this amount, the plan pays 100% of most remaining eligible expenses for the rest of the plan year.

Family coverage may have an *aggregate* or *embedded* maximum. Aggregate means your family must meet the entire family out-of-pocket maximum before the plan pays 100% for any member. Embedded means the plan will cover 100% for an individual member as soon as they reach their individual maximum.

## Outpatient Care

Care from a hospital that doesn't require you to stay overnight.

## -P-

### Participating Pharmacy

A pharmacy that contracts with your medical or drug plan and will usually result in the lowest cost for prescription medications.

## Plan Year

A 12-month period of benefits coverage. The 12-month period may or may not be the same as the calendar year.

## Preferred Drug

Each health plan has a preferred drug list that includes prescription medicines based on an evaluation of effectiveness and cost. Another name for this list is a "formulary." The plan may charge more for non-preferred drugs or for brand name drugs that have generic versions. Drugs that are not on the preferred drug list may not be covered.

## Preventive Care Services

Routine healthcare visits that may include screenings, tests, check-ups, immunizations, and patient counseling to prevent illnesses, disease, or other health problems. Many preventive care services are fully covered. Check with your health plan in advance if you have questions about whether a preventive service is covered.

## Primary Care Provider (PCP)

The main doctor you consult for healthcare issues. Some medical plans require members to name a specific doctor as their PCP, and require care and referrals to be directed or approved by that provider.

## -S-

### Short Term Disability Insurance

Insurance that replaces a portion of your income if you are temporarily unable to work due to surgery and recovery time, a prolonged illness or injury, or pregnancy issues and childbirth recovery.

## -T-

### Telehealth / Telemedicine / Teledoc

A virtual visit to a doctor using video chat on a computer, tablet or smartphone. Telehealth visits can be used for many common, non-serious illnesses and injuries and are available 24/7. Many health plans and medical groups provide telehealth services at no cost or for much less than an office visit.

## -U-

### UCR (Usual, Customary, and Reasonable)

The amount paid for a medical service in a geographic area based on what providers in the area usually charge for the same or similar medical service. The UCR amount sometimes is used to determine the allowed amount.

## Urgent Care

Care for an illness, injury or condition serious enough that care is needed right away, but not so severe it requires emergency room care. Treatment at an urgent care center generally costs much less than an emergency room visit.

## -V-

### Vaccinations

Treatment to prevent common illnesses such as flu, pneumonia, measles, polio, meningitis, shingles, and other diseases. Also called immunizations.

## Voluntary Benefit

An optional benefit plan offered by your employer for which you pay the entire premium, usually through payroll deduction.

# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE “NO SURPRISES” RULES

The “No Surprises” rules protect you from surprise medical bills in situations where you can’t easily choose a provider who’s in your health plan network. This is especially common in an emergency situation, when you may get care from out-of-network providers. Out-of-network providers or emergency facilities may ask you to sign a notice and consent form before providing certain services after you’re no longer in need of emergency care. These are called “post-stabilization services.” You shouldn’t get this notice and consent form if you’re getting emergency services other than post-stabilization services. You may also be asked to sign a notice and consent form if you schedule certain non-emergency services with an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

The notice and consent form informs you about your protections from unexpected medical bills, gives you the option to give up those protections and pay more for out-of-network care, and provides an estimate of what your out-of-network care might cost. You aren’t required to sign the form and shouldn’t sign the form if you didn’t have a choice of health care provider or facility before scheduling care. If you don’t sign, you may have to reschedule your care with a provider or facility in your health plan’s network.

[View a sample notice and consent form](#) (PDF).

This applies to you if you’re a participant, beneficiary, enrollee, or covered individual in a group health plan or group or individual health insurance coverage, including a Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) plan.

# IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION

## HEALTH PLAN NOTICES

These notices must be provided to plan participants on an annual basis and are available in the back of this Benefits Guide and through the Annual Notices document, located at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- **Medicare Part D Notice:** Describes options to access prescription drug coverage for Medicare eligible individuals
- **Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act:** Describes benefits available to those that will or have undergone a mastectomy
- **Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act:** Describes the rights of mother and newborn to stay in the hospital 48-96 hours after delivery
- **HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights:** Describes when you can enroll yourself and/or dependents in health coverage outside of open enrollment
- **HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices:** Describes how health information about you may be used and disclosed
- **Premium Assistance Under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP):** Describes availability of premium assistance for Medicaid eligible dependents.

## COBRA CONTINUATION COVERAGE

You and/or your dependents may have the right to continue coverage after you lose eligibility under the terms of our health plan. Upon enrollment, you and your dependents receive a COBRA Initial Notice that outlines the circumstances under which continued coverage is available and your obligations to notify the plan when you or your dependents experience a qualifying event. Please review this notice carefully to make sure you understand your rights and obligations.

## DEADLINE FOR FILING LAWSUIT UNDER ERISA AFTER EXHAUSTION OF ALL CLAIMS PROCEDURES

Any lawsuit must be filed within 36 months of the final decision on the claim. Exhaustion of all claims and appeals procedure is required prior to filing suit. Please refer to the WRAP Summary Plan Description for the plan specific statute of limitations.

# PLAN DOCUMENTS

Important documents for our health plan and retirement plan are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life). Paper copies of these documents and notices are available if requested. If you would like a paper copy, please contact the Plan Administrator.

## SUMMARY PLAN DESCRIPTIONS (SPD)

The legal document for describing benefits provided under the plan as well as plan rights and obligations to participants and beneficiaries.

- Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan

## SUMMARY OF BENEFITS AND COVERAGE (SBC)

A document required by the Affordable Care Act (ACA) that presents benefit plan features in a standardized format. SBC documents are available at [kong.mybenefits.life](https://kong.mybenefits.life).

- Cigna PPO
- Cigna HDHP w/HSA
- Kaiser HMO

## STATEMENT OF MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS

This enrollment guide constitutes a Summary of Material Modifications (SMM) to the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan. It is meant to supplement and/or replace certain information in the SPD, so retain it for future reference along with your SPD. Please share these materials with your covered family members.

# DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY

## **EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY: MONTHLY MEASUREMENT METHOD**

The information below explains how your eligibility for healthcare coverage is determined, in accordance with the rules of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

You and your dependents are eligible for the plan if you are a full-time employee. A full-time employee is generally an employee who works on average 130 hours per month, as defined by the ACA. Hours that count toward full-time status include each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for the performance of duties for the employer, and each hour for which an employee is paid or entitled to payment for a period of time during which no duties are performed due to vacation, holiday, illness, incapacity (including disability), layoff, jury duty, military duty, or leave of absence.

ACA full-time status can affect or determine major medical benefits eligibility but is not a guarantee of benefits eligibility. Kong uses the monthly measurement method to determine whether an employee meets this eligibility threshold.

## **TERMINATION OF COVERAGE FOR INELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS**

Knowingly enrolling an ineligible dependent or intentionally keeping a dependent on the plan when they have lost eligibility constitutes insurance fraud and is a material misrepresentation of fact. When the plan discovers any such ineligible dependent it will terminate coverage retroactively and reprocess any claims, making them payable by such an individual. The employer plan sponsor will also explore disciplinary action against any employee who engages in this misconduct including but not limited to termination of employment.



# Medicare Part D Notice

## Important Notice from Kong Inc. About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare

Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with Kong Inc. and about your options under Medicare's prescription drug coverage. This information can help you decide whether or not you want to join a Medicare drug plan. If you are considering joining, you should compare your current coverage, including which drugs are covered at what cost, with the coverage and costs of the plans offering Medicare prescription drug coverage in your area. Information about where you can get help to make decisions about your prescription drug coverage is at the end of this notice.

There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare's prescription drug coverage:

1. Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.
2. Kong Inc. has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by the Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.

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## When Can You Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from October 15th to December 7th.

However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

## What Happens To Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your Kong Inc. coverage **will not** be affected. See below for more information about what happens to your current coverage if you join a Medicare drug plan.

Since the existing prescription drug coverage under Kong Inc. Welfare Benefits Plan is creditable (e.g., as good as Medicare coverage), you can retain your existing prescription drug coverage and choose not to enroll in a Part D plan; or you can enroll in a Part D plan as a supplement to, or in lieu of, your existing prescription drug coverage.

If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your Kong Inc. prescription drug coverage, be aware that you and your dependents can only get this coverage back at open enrollment or if you experience an event that gives rise to a HIPAA Special Enrollment Right.

## When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with Kong Inc. and don't join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following October to join.

## For More Information About This Notice Or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage...

Contact the person listed below for further information. NOTE: You'll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through Kong Inc. changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

## For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage...

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the "Medicare & You" handbook. You'll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans.

For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit [medicare.gov](https://www.medicare.gov)
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the "Medicare & You" handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 800-MEDICARE (800-633-4227). TTY users should call 877-486-2048.

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at [socialsecurity.gov](https://www.socialsecurity.gov), or call them at 800-772-1213 (TTY 800-325-0778).

**Remember: Keep this Creditable Coverage notice. If you decide to join one of the Medicare drug plans, you may be required to provide a copy of this notice when you join to show whether or not you have maintained creditable coverage and, therefore, whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).**

**Date:** January 1, 2025  
**Name of Entity/Sender:** Kong Inc.  
**Contact-Position/Office:** Human Resources  
**Address:** 77 Geary St, Suite 630, San Francisco, CA 94108  
**Phone Number:** (925) 357-6871

## Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act

If you have had or are going to have a mastectomy, you may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998 (WHCRA). For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided in a manner determined in consultation with the attending physician and the patient, for:

- All stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed;
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance;
- Prostheses; and
- Treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedema.

These benefits will be provided subject to the same deductibles and coinsurance applicable to other medical and surgical benefits provided under this plan. Therefore, refer to your plan documents to see which of the deductibles and coinsurance may apply to your benefits. If you would like more information on WHCRA benefits, call your plan administrator at (925) 357-6871.

## Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act

Group health plans and health insurance issuers generally may not, under Federal law, restrict benefits for any hospital length of stay in connection with childbirth for the mother or newborn child to less than 48 hours following a vaginal delivery, or less than 96 hours following a cesarean section. However, Federal law generally does not prohibit the mother's or newborn's attending provider, after consulting with the mother, from discharging the mother or her newborn earlier than 48 hours (or 96 hours as applicable). In any case, plans and issuers may not, under Federal law, require that a provider obtain authorization from the plan or the insurance issuer for prescribing a length of stay not in excess of 48 hours (or 96 hours). If you would like more information on maternity benefits, call your plan administrator at (925) 357-6871.

## HIPAA Notice of Special Enrollment Rights

If you decline enrollment in Kong Inc.'s health plan for you or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, you or your dependents may be able to enroll in Kong Inc.'s health plan without waiting for the next open enrollment period if you:

- Lose other health insurance or group health plan coverage. You must request enrollment within 30 days after the loss of other coverage.
- Gain a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption. You must request health plan enrollment within 30 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption.
- Lose Medicaid or Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) coverage because you are no longer eligible. You must request medical plan enrollment within 60 days after the loss of such coverage.

If you request a change due to a special enrollment event within the 30 day timeframe, coverage will be effective the date of birth, adoption or placement for adoption. For all other events, coverage will be effective the first of the month following your request for enrollment. In addition, you may enroll in Kong Inc.'s health plan if you become eligible for a state premium assistance program under Medicaid or CHIP. You must request enrollment within 60 days after you gain eligibility for medical plan coverage. If

you request this change, coverage will be effective the first of the month following your request for enrollment. Specific restrictions may apply, depending on federal and state law.

Note: If your dependent becomes eligible for a special enrollment right, you may add the dependent to your current coverage or change to another health plan. Any other currently covered dependents may also switch to the new plan in which you enroll.

## Availability of Privacy Practices Notice

We maintain the HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices for Kong Inc. describing how health information about you may be used and disclosed. You may obtain a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices by contacting your plan administrator.

## Notice of Choice of Providers

The Kaiser HMO generally allows the designation of a primary care provider. You have the right to designate any primary care provider who participates in our network and who is available to accept you or your family members. For information on how to select a primary care provider, and for a list of the participating primary care providers, contact Kaiser at (800) 464-4000.

For children, you may designate a pediatrician as the primary care provider.

You do not need prior authorization from Kaiser or from any other person (including a primary care provider) in order to obtain access to obstetrical or gynecological care from a health care professional in our network who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology. The health care professional, however, may be required to comply with certain procedures, including obtaining prior authorization for certain services, following a pre-approved treatment plan, or procedures for making referrals. For a list of participating health care professionals who specialize in obstetrics or gynecology, contact Kaiser at (800) 464-4000.

# Premium Assistance under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP and you're eligible for health coverage from your employer, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage, using funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs. If you or your children aren't eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you won't be eligible for these premium assistance programs but you may be able to buy individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information, visit [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov).

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a State listed below, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office or dial **1-877-KIDS NOW** or [www.insurekidsnow.gov](http://www.insurekidsnow.gov) to find out how to apply. If you qualify, ask your state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

If you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must allow you to enroll in your employer plan if you aren't already enrolled. This is called a "special enrollment" opportunity, and **you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance**. If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, contact the Department of Labor at [www.askebsa.dol.gov](http://www.askebsa.dol.gov) or call **1-866-444-EBSA (3272)**.

If you live in one of the following states, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. The following list of states is current as of July 31, 2024. Contact your State for more information on eligibility—

## ALABAMA – Medicaid

Website: <http://myalhipp.com/> | Phone: 1-855-692-5447

## ALASKA – Medicaid

The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program | Website: <http://myakhipp.com/> | Phone: 1-866-251-4861  
Email: [CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com](mailto:CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com) | Medicaid Eligibility: <https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx>

## ARKANSAS – Medicaid

Website: <http://myarhipp.com/> | Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447)

## CALIFORNIA – Medicaid

Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program website: <http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp>  
Phone: 916-445-8322 | Fax: 916-440-5676 | Email: [hipp@dhcs.ca.gov](mailto:hipp@dhcs.ca.gov)

## COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)

Health First Colorado Website: <https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/>  
Health First Colorado Member Contact Center: 1-800-221-3943 | State Relay 711  
CHP+: <https://hcpf.colorado.gov/child-health-plan-plus>  
CHP+ Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991 | State Relay 711  
Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI): <https://www.mycohibi.com/> | HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442

## FLORIDA – Medicaid

Website: <https://www.flmedicaidprecovery.com/flmedicaidprecovery.com/hipp/index.html>  
Phone: 1-877-357-3268

**GEORGIA – Medicaid**

GA HIPP Website: <https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp>

Phone: 678-564-1162, press 1

GA CHIPRA Website: <https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra> | Phone: 678-564-1162, press 2

**INDIANA – Medicaid**

Health Insurance Premium Payment Program All other Medicaid Website: <https://www.in.gov/medicaid/> | <http://www.in.gov/fssa/dfr/> | Family and Social Services Administration Phone: (800) 403-0864 | Member Services Phone: (800) 457-4584

**IOWA – Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki)**

Medicaid Website: [Iowa Medicaid | Health & Human Services](#) | Medicaid Phone: 1-800-338-8366

Hawki Website: [Hawki - Healthy and Well Kids in Iowa | Health & Human Services](#) | Hawki Phone: 1-800-257-8563

HIPP Website: [Health Insurance Premium Payment \(HIPP\) | Health & Human Services \(iowa.gov\)](#)

HIPP Phone: 1-888-346-9562

**KANSAS – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.kancare.ks.gov/> | Phone: 1-800-792-4884 | HIPP Phone: 1-800-967-4660

**KENTUCKY – Medicaid**

Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (KI-HIPP)

Website: <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx> | Phone: 1-855-459-6328

Email: [KIHIPP.PROGRAM@ky.gov](mailto:KIHIPP.PROGRAM@ky.gov)

KCHIP Website: <https://kynect.ky.gov> | Phone: 1-877-524-4718

Kentucky Medicaid Website: <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms>

**LOUISIANA – Medicaid**

Website: [www.medicicaid.la.gov](http://www.medicicaid.la.gov) or [www.ldh.la.gov/la hipp](http://www.ldh.la.gov/la hipp)

Phone: 1-888-342-6207 (Medicaid hotline) or 1-855-618-5488 (LaHIPP)

**MAINE – Medicaid**

Enrollment Website: [https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en\\_US](https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US)

Phone: 1-800-442-6003 | TTY: Maine relay 711

Private Health Insurance Premium Webpage: <https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms>

Phone: 800-977-6740 | TTY: Maine relay 711

**MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa> | Phone: 1-800-862-4840 | TTY: 711

Email: [masspremassistance@accenture.com](mailto:masspremassistance@accenture.com)

**MINNESOTA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://mn.gov/dhs/health-care-coverage/> | Phone: 1-800-657-3672

**MISSOURI – Medicaid**

Website: <http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm> | Phone: 573-751-2005

**MONTANA – Medicaid**

Website: <http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP>

Phone: 1-800-694-3084 | email: [HSHSHIPPProgram@mt.gov](mailto:HSHSHIPPProgram@mt.gov)

**NEBRASKA – Medicaid**

Website: <http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov>

Phone: 1-855-632-7633 | Lincoln: 402-473-7000 | Omaha: 402-595-1178

**NEVADA – Medicaid**

Medicaid Website: <http://dhcfp.nv.gov> | Medicaid Phone: 1-800-992-0900



**NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-insurance-premium-program>

Phone: 603-271-5218 | Toll-free number for the HIPP program: 1-800-852-3345, ext. 15218

Email: [DHHS.ThirdPartyLiabi@dhhs.nh.gov](mailto:DHHS.ThirdPartyLiabi@dhhs.nh.gov)

**NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP**

Medicaid Website: <http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/> | Phone: 800-356-1561

CHIP Premium Assistance Phone: 609-631-2392 | CHIP Website: <http://www.nifamilycare.org/index.html>

CHIP Phone: 1-800-701-0710 (TTY: 711)

**NEW YORK – Medicaid**

Website: [https://www.health.ny.gov/health\\_care/medicaid/](https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/) | Phone: 1-800-541-2831

**NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/> | Phone: 919-855-4100

**NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.hhs.nd.gov/healthcare> | Phone: 1-866-614-6005

**OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <http://www.insureoklahoma.org> | Phone: 1-888-365-3742

**OREGON – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx> | Phone: 1-800-699-9075

**PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <https://www.pa.gov/en/services/dhs/apply-for-medicaid-health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp.html> | Phone: 1-800-692-7462

CHIP Website: [Children's Health Insurance Program \(CHIP\) \(pa.gov\)](#) | CHIP Phone: 1-800-986-KIDS (5437)

**RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/> | Phone: 1-855-697-4347 or 401-462-0311 (Direct Rlte Share Line)

**SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid**

Website: <https://www.scdhhs.gov> | Phone: 1-888-549-0820

**SOUTH DAKOTA – Medicaid**

Website: <http://dss.sd.gov> | Phone: 1-888-828-0059

**TEXAS – Medicaid**

Website: [Health Insurance Premium Payment \(HIPP\) Program | Texas Health and Human Services](#)

Phone: 1-800-440-0493

**UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP**

Utah's Premium Partnership for Health Insurance (UPP) Website: <https://medicaid.utah.gov/upp/>

Email: [upp@utah.gov](mailto:upp@utah.gov) | Phone: 1-888-222-2542 |

Adult Expansion Website: <https://medicaid.utah.gov/expansion/>

Utah Medicaid Buyout Program Website: <https://medicaid.utah.gov/buyout-program/>

CHIP Website: <https://chip.utah.gov/>

**VERMONT – Medicaid**

Website: [Health Insurance Premium Payment \(HIPP\) Program | Department of Vermont Health Access](#)

Phone: 1-800-250-8427

**VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP**

Website: <https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/famis-select> or

<https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs>

Medicaid/CHIP Phone: 1-800-432-5924

<b>WASHINGTON – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.hca.wa.gov/">https://www.hca.wa.gov/</a>   Phone: 1-800-562-3022
<b>WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/">https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/</a> or <a href="http://mywvhipp.com/">http://mywvhipp.com/</a> Medicaid Phone: 304-558-1700   CHIP Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447)
<b>WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP</b>
Website: <a href="https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm">https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm</a>   Phone: 1-800-362-3002
<b>WYOMING – Medicaid</b>
Website: <a href="https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/">https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/</a>   Phone: 1-800-251-1269

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2024, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
[www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa](http://www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa)  
1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

U.S. Department of Health and Human  
Services Centers for Medicare & Medicaid  
Services  
[www.cms.hhs.gov](http://www.cms.hhs.gov)  
1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4, Ext. 61565

## ACA Disclaimer

This offer of coverage may disqualify you from receiving government subsidies for an Exchange plan even if you choose not to enroll. To be subsidy eligible you would have to establish that this offer is unaffordable for you, meaning that the required contribution for employee only coverage under our base plan exceeds 8.39% in 2024 (9.02% in 2025) of your modified adjusted household income.

# Illinois Consumer Coverage Disclosure Act

The Consumer Coverage Disclosure Act requires employers to notify Illinois employees which of the Essential Health Benefits listed below are and are not covered by their employer-provided group health insurance coverage. Refer to the [Access to Care and Treatment Benchmark Plan](#) and the [Pediatric Dental Plan](#) to reference the pages listed below.

<b>Employer Name:</b>	Kong Inc.
<b>Employer State of Situs:</b>	California
<b>Name of Issuer:</b>	Cigna
<b>Plan Marketing Name:</b>	OAP
<b>Plan Year:</b>	2025

## Ten (10) Essential Health Benefit (EHB) Categories:

- Ambulatory patient services (outpatient care you get without being admitted to a hospital)
- Emergency services
- Hospitalization (like surgery and overnight stays)
- Laboratory services
- Mental health and substance use disorder (MH/SUD) services, including behavioral health treatment (this includes counseling and psychotherapy)
- Pediatric services, including oral and vision care (but adult dental and vision coverage aren't essential health benefits)
- Pregnancy, maternity, and newborn care (both before and after birth)
- Prescription drugs
- Preventive and wellness services and chronic disease management
- Rehabilitative and habilitative services and devices (services and devices to help people with injuries, disabilities, or chronic conditions gain or recover mental and physical skills)

2020-2023 Illinois Essential Health Benefit (EHB) Listing (P.A. 102-0630)				Employer Plan Covered Benefit?
Item	EHB Benefit	EHB Category	Benchmark Page # Reference	
1	Accidental Injury—Dental	Ambulatory	Pgs. 10 & 17	Yes
2	Allergy Injections and Testing	Ambulatory	Pg. 11	Yes
3	Bone anchored hearing aids	Ambulatory	Pgs. 17 & 35	No
4	Durable Medical Equipment	Ambulatory	Pg. 13	Yes
5	Hospice	Ambulatory	Pg. 28	Yes
6	Infertility (Fertility) Treatment	Ambulatory	Pgs. 23–24	Yes
7	Outpatient Facility Fee (e.g., Ambulatory Surgery Center)	Ambulatory	Pg. 21	Yes
8	Outpatient Surgery Physician/Surgical Services (Ambulatory Patient Services)	Ambulatory	Pgs. 15–16	Yes
9	Private-Duty Nursing	Ambulatory	Pgs. 17 & 34	No
10	Prosthetics/Orthotics	Ambulatory	Pg. 13	Yes
11	Sterilization (vasectomy men)	Ambulatory	Pg. 10	Yes
12	Temporomandibular Joint Disorder (TMJ)	Ambulatory	Pgs. 13 & 24	Yes
13	Emergency Room Services (Includes MH/SUD Emergency)	Emergency services	Pg. 7	Yes
14	Emergency Transportation/ Ambulance	Emergency services	Pgs. 4 & 17	Yes
15	Bariatric Surgery (Obesity)	Hospitalization	Pg. 21	Yes
16	Breast Reconstruction After Mastectomy	Hospitalization	Pgs. 24–25	Yes
17	Reconstructive Surgery	Hospitalization	Pgs. 25–26 & 35	Yes
18	Inpatient Hospital Services (e.g., Hospital Stay)	Hospitalization	Pg. 15	Yes

19	Skilled Nursing Facility	Hospitalization	Pg. 21	Yes
20	Transplants—Human Organ Transplants (Including transportation & lodging)	Hospitalization	Pgs. 18 & 31	Yes
21	Diagnostic Services	Laboratory services	Pgs. 6 & 12	Yes
22	Intranasal opioid reversal agent associated with opioid prescriptions	MH/SUD	Pg. 32	Yes
23	Mental (Behavioral) Health Treatment (Including Inpatient Treatment)	MH/SUD	Pgs. 8–9, 21	Yes
24	Opioid Medically Assisted Treatment (MAT)	MH/SUD	Pg. 21	Yes
25	Substance Use Disorders (Including Inpatient Treatment)	MH/SUD	Pgs. 9 & 21	Yes
26	Tele-Psychiatry	MH/SUD	Pg. 11	Yes
27	Topical Anti-Inflammatory acute and chronic pain medication	MH/SUD	Pg. 32	Yes
28	Pediatric Dental Care	Pediatric Oral and Vision Care	See AllKids Pediatric Dental Document	No
29	Pediatric Vision Coverage	Pediatric Oral and Vision Care	Pgs. 26–27	No
30	Maternity Service	Pregnancy, Maternity, and Newborn Care	Pgs. 8 & 22	Yes
31	Outpatient Prescription Drugs	Prescription drugs	Pgs. 29–34	Yes
32	Colorectal Cancer Examination and Screening	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 12 & 16	Yes
33	Contraceptive/Birth Control Services	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 13 & 16	Yes
34	Diabetes Self-Management Training and Education	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 11 & 35	Yes
35	Diabetic Supplies for Treatment of Diabetes	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 31–32	Yes
36	Mammography—Screening	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 12, 15 & 24	Yes
37	Osteoporosis—Bone Mass Measurement	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 12 & 16	Yes
38	Pap Tests/ Prostate—Specific Antigen Tests/ Ovarian Cancer Surveillance Test	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pg. 16	Yes
39	Preventive Care Services	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pg. 18	Yes
40	Sterilization (women)	Preventive and Wellness Services	Pgs. 10 & 19	Yes
41	Chiropractic & Osteopathic Manipulation	Rehabilitative and Habilitative Services and Devices	Pgs. 12–13	Yes
42	Habilitative and Rehabilitative Services	Rehabilitative and Habilitative Services and Devices	Pgs. 8, 9, 11, 12, 22 & 35	Yes

*Special Note: Under Pub. Act 102-0104, eff. July 22, 2021, any EHBs listed above that are clinically appropriate and medically necessary to deliver via telehealth services must be covered in the same manner as when those EHBs are delivered in person.*

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# The ‘No Surprises’ Rules

The “No Surprises” rules protect you from surprise medical bills in situations where you can’t easily choose a provider who’s in your health plan network. This is especially common in an emergency situation, when you may get care from out-of-network providers. Out-of-network providers or emergency facilities may ask you to sign a notice and consent form before providing certain services after you’re no longer in need of emergency care. These are called “post-stabilization services.” You shouldn’t get this notice and consent form if you’re getting emergency services other than post-stabilization services. You may also be asked to sign a notice and consent form if you schedule certain non-emergency services with an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

The notice and consent form informs you about your protections from unexpected medical bills, gives you the option to give up those protections and pay more for out-of-network care, and provides an estimate of what your out-of-network care might cost. You aren’t required to sign the form and shouldn’t sign the form if you didn’t have a choice of health care provider or facility before scheduling care. If you don’t sign, you may have to reschedule your care with a provider or facility in your health plan’s network.

[View a sample notice and consent form](#) (PDF).

This applies to you if you’re a participant, beneficiary, enrollee, or covered individual in a group health plan or group or individual health insurance coverage, including a Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) plan.

