

# **2025** Benefits Guide



# **2025 Rate Notice to Employees**

Great News! Medical Rates will not increase in 2025! It is certainly positive news that employee rates will not increase for the third consecutive year. While enjoying current rates, it's also wise to prepare for potential future increases and consider ways to maintain health care affordability. Here are some strategies that employees can use to help manage their healthcare costs:

**1. Understand Your Benefits:** Take the time to thoroughly understand the healthcare benefits offered by St. Johns County including what is covered, what is not, and how best to use the benefits available to you.

**2. Use In-Network Providers:** Staying within the Florida Blue, Blue Options Network can significantly reduce costs, as in-network providers have agreed upon discounted rates.

**3. Avoid Emergency Room for Non-urgent services:** Emergency room visits are more expensive than visits to a primary care physician or urgent care clinic, especially for conditions that are not true emergencies. This can lead to high out-of-pocket costs for you and the health plan.

**4. Preventive Care:** Utilize preventive services that are covered at 100% by both plans. Regular check-ups and screenings can help catch health issues early, potentially avoiding expensive treatments later.

**5. Generic Drugs:** Opt for generic drugs over brand-name ones when possible as generics are typically much less expensive.

**6. Compare Costs:** For planned medical procedures, compare costs at different facilities. Florida Blue does provide a comparison tool on the employee portal to help estimate the cost of procedures and tests at various providers.

**7. Utilize Telemedicine:** Take advantage of Teladoc services as they are more affordable and convenient alternate to in-person visits for non-emergency issues. St. Johns County provides General Medicine, Dermatology and Behavioral Health Teladoc services.

**8. Review Medical Bills:** Always review your medical bills and explanation of benefits (EOBs) for errors. Billing mistakes can be costly, and it's important to ensure you're only paying for services you receive.

**9. Healthy Lifestyle:** Adopting a healthy lifestyle by eating well, exercising, and avoiding tobacco can lower the risk of chronic diseases and associated healthcare costs.

**10. Education:** Stay informed about health conditions and treatment options. Being educated can lead to more productive discusses with healthcare providers and better decision-making.

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Note: We intend for this benefits guide to help you choose benefits offered by St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners. This benefits guide is not representative of all plan provisions or rules. Please refer to each plan document for a full explanation of benefits, which are available on Plan Source. Plan documents and rules prevail if there are any discrepancies with this benefits guide. An electronic version of this benefits guide can be found at **ec.sjcfl.us/home/Benefits** 

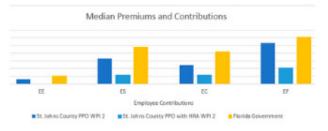
The terms and provisions will govern you and restrictions of the plans in which you enroll. As prohibited by the rules of the plan, falsifying dependent information or documentation, certifying ineligible persons as eligible, enrolling ineligible persons in coverage, falsifying the occurrence of life events or life event documentation, and failing to remove dependents from coverage within 30 days of when they lose eligibility, will be treated as fraud or misrepresentation. Such acts will require you to reimburse the plan for any claims incurred. Legal and disciplinary action may be taken. Generally, unless you experience a qualifying life event, your elections will remain in effect for the entire plan year. By completing your enrollment you authorize St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners to deduct contributions from your paycheck, now and in the future, as required under each of the plans. All information is confidential, pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. If you have any questions about your Guide, contact Human Resources. St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to change, amend or cease these benefits at any time.



# 2025 Benefits

# HEALTH BENEFITS

St. Johns County provides best in class benefits, specifically in comparison to the health coverage offered by other Florida governmental counties. Not only are the employee monthly contributions for both medical plan options (PPO and PPO w/HRA) much lower, but the cost includes prescription, dental and vision coverage.



St. Johns County Employer Monthly Contribution: \$1,186.26

# LIFE & DISABILITY

Life insurance and Long-Term Disability insurance policies are provided to all benefits-eligible employees at no cost! Enrollment is automatic.

# RETIREMENT PLAN

Employees may choose one of two retirement plan options, the Florida Retirement System (FRS) Pension Plan or the FRS Investment Plan. Both plans include employer contributions. Want to save more for retirement? Employees may also choose to participate in a voluntary 457(b) plan with pretax and ROTH options

# TRANSFORM DIABETES CARE

If you are managing diabetes, you are automatically enrolled in the Transform Diabetes Care program. This program provides guidance, \$0 test strips and lancets, individual coaching on nutrition, blood glucose, and much more.

# SKIN CANCER SCREENINGS

We provide on-site free Skin Cancer screenings for employees and retirees on our medical plan.

# PAID TIME OFF

All full-time employees receive:

- Vacation: 10 days during first 3 years, 15 days during years 4-10, and 20-days beginning year 11
- Sick Time: 96 hours/year
- · Holidays: 12 days/year
- · Birthday: 1 day/ fiscal year
- Bereavement Leave
- Jury Duty
- Service Award Time Off
- Voting Time
- · Parental Leave: 2 weeks paid

# EMERGENCY TRAVEL ASSISTANCE

Assist America provides assistance whenever you travel more than 100 miles including ticket/passport replacement, connection to medical care providers and interpreter services.

# WELLNESS

St. Johns County's program includes onsite biometric screenings, onsite health coaching, 2 onsite fitness centers, healthy living reimbursements, and many more initiatives to promote employee wellbeing.

Scan the QR code to learn more about all these great benefits!



# **ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION**

# St Johns County offers a comprehensive group benefit program to meet the needs of you and your family.

During benefits enrollment, you have the opportunity to review your coverage needs, review the benefit plans available and choose the ones that will provide the most value to you and your family.

New Employee benefits begin on the first of the month following 30 days of employment.

Benefits with St Johns County will expire at the end of the month in which you end employment or upon death, including benefits you carry for your dependents.

## **OPEN ENROLLMENT-2025**

- Passive Open Enrollment will run from October 1 15, 2024
- Benefits-eligible employees may elect or make changes to benefit plans
- If you have no changes, your benefits remain the same as last year (except for FSA/DCA).
- Per **IRS** rules, if you would like to continue with your Flexible Spending Account (FSA) contributions must be selected each year.
- Now is the time to add levels of insurance coverage add or remove dependents
- All benefits changes made become effective on January 1, 2025.
- Once open enrollment passes, you will not be permitted to add or remove your dependents to your coverage until the next Open Enrollment period, unless you have a qualifying event.

# **MORE INFO ON YOUR BENEFITS**

sjcbenefits.mbaileygroup.com

• Visit St Johns County Employee Connection

https://www.sjcfl.us/employee-connection/

Visit an additional resource for links, videos, FAQ's, etc





# Enrollment Instructions PLANS OURCE



All benefits-eligible employees can login and complete their enrollment through PlanSource. All enrollments must be completed online.

Go to our Website: benefits.plansource.com/?sjc Use Google Chrome or Fire fox as your browser

**User Name:** first initial of your first name + first six letters of your last name + last four of your social security number (i.e. jsmith1234)

**Password:** Your date of birth in the YYYYMMDD format i.e. 05/02/1977 = 19770502

## **WELCOME SCREEN**

From this screen you will be able to begin the enrollment, make changes to benefits, see the benefits summary, and review benefit plan information.

When you are ready — Select "Current Benefits" for Open Enrollment or "New Hire Enrollment" for New Employees

## PROCEED THROUGH ENROLLMENT

- Review your profile and make necessary corrections by choosing the "Edit Info" button.
- Review your family and add a Family Member as needed or Edit as necessary
- Now you are ready to enroll. You'll see available options in the middle of the screen and the total benefit cost per pay period will appear in the upper right-hand side of the enrollment screen in your cart.
- In order to proceed through each enrollment page, use the "Shop Plans" or button next to the first benefit type.
- On each benefits page, you can compare plans, edit who is covered and get information related to your benefits.
- Edit or add those who you want to cover, or add, by clicking "Edit Family Covered." Click on the benefit in which you wish to enroll. Click "Update Cart" to finalize your selection.
- View, add, or edit beneficiaries for each of your coverages when adding a beneficiary click the box next to Add all benefits if you wish to designate the same beneficiary for all coverage

## CONFIRM

- The Enrollment Confirmation page lists all the benefits you selected.
- Read through the entire page carefully and verify all the information. To review your plans and who is covered, simply click "View Plan" next to each benefit type. You can also download, email, and print your selections for your own record.
- Choose "Checkout" at the bottom of the screen.

# **Enrollment Basics**

# WHO YOU CAN COVER

In order to be eligible to enroll in the benefits we provide, your dependents must meet the following eligibility criteria:

ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS	REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION
<b>Spouse:</b> The employee's spouse under a legally valid existing marriage.	Marriage certificate
<b>Dependent Child(ren):</b> The employee's natural, newborn, adopted, foster, or step child(ren) (or a child for whom the Employee has been court- appointed as legal guardian or legal custodian). Can be covered on the plan up to the end of the month in which they turn 26 (regardless of marital or school status) or is no longer eligible under the Foster Child Program.	Birth Certificate, hospital footprint record, or hospital record, naming the employee as the child's parent OR appropriate court order/ adoption decree naming the employee or employee's spouse as the child's legal guardian. For stepchild(ren): Birth Certificate naming spouse as the child's parent <b>AND</b> above documentation required for a spouse.
<b>Newborn Grandchild(ren):</b> The newborn child of a covered dependent child. Coverage for such newborn child will automatically terminate 18 months after the birth of the newborn child.	Birth Certificate naming employee's dependent child as the parent.
<b>Disabled Dependents:</b> Dependents who become totally and permanently disabled before age 26 and rely on you for support may be eligible.	Proof of the disability will be a statement from the dependent's physician certifying that the dependent was incapacitated or disabled prior to the limiting age, is incapable of self sustaining employment by reason of mental or physical disability, and is fully dependent upon the contract holder for support.



# **MAKING CHANGES TO COVERAGE**

The benefit elections you make during your enrollment period remain in effect for the entire plan year (January 1 - December 31, 2025). If you experience a **Qualified Life Event**, you may add or drop coverage for yourself and applicable dependents from your existing plans. Your change must be consistent with the Qualified Life Event which has occurred.

You will be required to furnish documentation of the change within 30 days of the event. Supporting documentation must contain the reason for the change, the date of the event, and the family members who are affected by the event.

# EXAMPLES OF QUALIFIED LIFE EVENTS INCLUDE:

- Birth, Adoption, Legal Guardianship, or Placement for Adoption
- Marriage, Divorce or Annulment
- Death of a Dependent
- Gain of Other Creditable Insurance
   Coverage
- Loss of Other Creditable Coverage

Qualified life event requests and supporting documentation must be submitted on-line in the enrollment site within 30 days of the date of your life event.

Log on to: benefits.plansource.com/?sjc

Upload documentation into the enrollment site when the change is requested.

If you experience a **Qualified Life Event**, log on to the enrollment website as outlined in the Enrollment Instructions to execute your change. You must request the change in the enrollment site and provide the documentation within 30 days of the date of your event.

IMPORTANT: If you do not request a change in the enrollment site or do not provide the documentation within 30 days, you will have to wait until the next open enrollment to add or drop yourself or your dependents. Changes to your elections are governed by the Section 125 Plan.

# **MID-YEAR CHANGES/ LIFE EVENTS**

You may make changes to your benefits elections if you experience a qualified life event. The changes you make must be the result of and consistent with the qualified life event that occurred.

EVENT	ACTION	REQUIREMENTS	
	Adoption	Adoption records	
	Birth	Birth Certificate, or Hospital footprint record, or Hospital record	
	Marriage	Marriage Certificate	
	Gain custody of Dependent	Court Order documents	
Life Event (Adding) Within 30 days of event date	Self/Spouse/ Dependent Loses Coverage	Letter (on letterhead)from employer showing date coverage ended, or Online Benefit Confirmation Statement showing date coverage ended, AND required documents listed in "Who You Can Cover."	
	Lose Eligibility Medicare/ Medicaid	Letter from Center of Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) showing date coverage ended, AND required documents listed in "Who You Can Cover."	
	Spousal Surcharge	When your spouse becomes eligible for coverage through their employer, you are required to report this event and pay a spousal surcharge in order to keep your spouse covered on the medical plan.	
	Self/ Spouse/ Dependent Gains Coverage	Letter (on letterhead) from employer showing date coverage started, or Online Benefit Confirmation Statement showing date coverage started.	
	Gain Eligibility Medicare/Medicaid	Copy of Medicare or Medicaid card	
Life Event (Removing) Within 30 days of event date	Spousal Surcharge	When your spouse loses eligibility from coverage through their employer, you can report this event and remove the spousal surcharge, keeping your spouse covered on the medical plan.	
	Death of Dependent	Death Certificate (Long form)	
	Divorce	First page and Judges Signature page of Dissolution document/ Divorce Decree	

### **IMPORTANT TO KNOW**

How to enroll to make mid-year changes to your benefits if you've experienced a qualified life event

- Log in to **benefits.plansource.com/?sjc**
- Supporting documentation should be uploaded into the enrollment portal at the time the change is requested
- If you do not request the change and provide the necessary documentation within 30 days of the event date, you will have to wait until the next Open Enrollment to make the change

# 2025 Monthly Rates Include: Medical, Prescription, Dental and Vision

We are pleased to announce for the third consecutive year, that employee rates for all coverage levels for both the PPO (03559) and the PPO with HRA (05360) plans will remain the same for the 2025 plan year. The cost of healthcare has not remained flat which shows St. Johns County's committment to you by absorbing 100% of the cost increase for employees.

Health Benefits are bundled and not available for standalone enrollment. Your employee contributions for this plan year are based on your choice of plan and coverage tier. Listed below are per-pay-period (24) costs for you and your dependents effective January 1, 2025:

	PPO (03559)			
	соѕт	WPI 1	WPI 2	ANNUAL ST. JOHNS COUNTY CONTRIBUTION <sup>1</sup>
	PER PAY	PER PAY	PER PAY	MONTHLY
Employee Only	\$56.66	\$31.66	N/A	\$1,186.26
Employee + Spouse	\$215.68	\$190.68	\$165.68	\$1,186.26
Employee + Child(ren)	\$148.73	\$123.73	N/A	\$1,186.26
Employee + Family	\$316.33	\$291.33	\$266.33	\$1,186.26

<sup>1</sup>Employer rates are subject to change.

	PPO WITH HRA 05360			
	соѕт	WPI 1	WPI 2	ANNUAL ST. JOHNS COUNTY CONTRIBUTION
	PER PAY	PER PAY	PER PAY	MONTHLY
Employee Only	\$25.00	\$0	N/A	\$1,186.26
Employee + Spouse	\$109.70	\$84.70	\$59.70	\$1,186.26
Employee + Child(ren)	\$82.28	\$57.28	N/A	\$1,186.26
Employee + Family	\$153.58	\$128.58	\$103.58	\$1,186.26

	HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT (HRA)		
	ANNUAL ST. JOHNS COUNTY CONTRIBUTION		
Employee Only	\$ 600.00		
Employee + Spouse	\$1,000.00		
Employee + Child(ren)	\$1,000.00		
Employee + Family	\$1,500.00		

Note: Annual contribution; prorated for new hires and life events

**WELLNESS PREMIUM INCENTIVE (WPI):** Wellness Premium Incentives for 2025 were earned through participation in the Wellness Premium Incentive (WPI) from October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024. Children are not eligible to participate in the WPI.

WPI 1: If EITHER Employee or Spouse complete the WPI

WPI 2: If BOTH Employee and Spouse complete the WPI

**SPOUSAL SURCHARGE:** Spouses of St. Johns County employees who work and are eligible for employer-sponsored medical insurance through their employer will be required to pay \$100 monthly toward the cost of medical in addition to the rates listed above. It is your responsibility to provide proof of change in insurance coverage within 30 days for spousal surcharge.

# **MEDICAL AND PRESCRIPTION DRUG PLANS**

See the summary of your medical and prescription benefits below. For complete details, exclusions and limitations, and out-of-network benefits, see the Summary Plan Descriptions which are available from PlanSource or sjcbenefits.mbaileygroup.com.



		PPO (03559)	PPO WITH HRA (05360)
<b>F</b> iret	MEDICAL BENEFITS	In-Network	In-Network
First You pay a deductible	Calendar Year Deductible Per Individual / Family Aggregate	\$500 / \$1,500	\$1,500 / \$3,000
	Coinsurance (% you pay)	20%	20%
	Preventive Services	\$0	\$0
	<b>Office Visits</b> Teladoc Virtual Visits: General Medicine/Dermatology Primary Care Physician Specialist	\$0 \$35 CYD + 20%	\$0 \$35 CYD + 20%
	Urgent Care	\$35	\$35
	Mental Health Teladoc Virtual Visits Specialist	\$35 CYD + 20%	\$35 CYD + 20%
	Emergency Room (facility charge)	CYD + 20%	CYD + 20%
These	Inpatient Hospital (facility charge) Level 1/Level 2	\$600/\$900	CYD + 20%/CYD + 25%
Then You and the plan share costs	Outpatient Procedures (facility charge) Hospital - Level 1/Level 2 Ambulatory Surgery Center	\$150/\$250 \$100	CYD + 20%/CYD + 25% CYD + 20%
share costs	Outpatient Diagnostic Tests Hospital - Level 1/Level 2 Quest Diagnostics (Lab/Blood work) Independent Testing Facility (X-rays, MRI, CT, PET, etc.)	\$150/\$250 \$0 \$100	CYD + 20%/CYD + 25% \$0 CYD + 20%
	Provider Services Hospital, ER, Ambulatory Surgical Center	CYD + 20%	CYD + 20%
	PRESCRIPTION BENEFITS		
	<b>Retail Pharmacy</b> Generic/Preferred Brand/Non-Preferred Brand/ Specialty	\$10/\$50/\$75/30%	\$10/\$50/\$75/30%
	Retail 90/Mail Order (90-day supply) Generic/Preferred Brand/Non-Preferred Brand)	\$20/\$100/\$150	\$20/\$100/\$150
Next	MEDICAL & PRESCRIPTION		
You meet your out- of-pocket maximum	Out-of-Pocket Maximum Per Individual / Family Aggregate	\$3,000 / \$9,000	\$4,500 / \$9,000
and the plan starts to pay 100% of your	BENEFIT MAXIMUMS Per Calendar Year		
remaining eligible expenses for the year	Acupuncture Visits Outpatient Therapies and Chiropractic* Combined days/visits. *More than 5 chiropractic visits require provider authorization through Florida Blue/	30 35	30
	ASH. Mental Health Inpatient/Outpatient	No Limits	No Limits
	Substance Dependency Treatment	No Limits	No Limits
	Home Health Care Visits	20	20
	Inpatient Rehabilitation Days	30	30
	Skilled Nursing Facility Days	60	60
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# **Dental Benefits**

Your dental coverage is provided through **Humana**. All employees enrolled in one of the medical plans are automatically enrolled in the dental plan. You may view your benefits, print an ID card and locate in-network dental providers by visiting **humana.com**.

# **HOW TO FIND A PROVIDER**

- Visit <u>humana.com</u>.
- Click on Member Resources, then Find a doctor.
- Select *Dentist*, enter your zip code, select a lookup method and choose *PPO* coverage type and *PPO/ Traditional Preferred* Network.

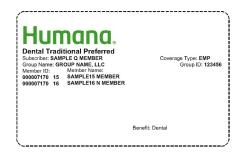
# **KEY FEATURES AND DETAILS**

- Two preventive services such as routine exam, cleaning, and x-ray and two periodontal visits are covered in addition to the Regular Annual Allowance. They do not get applied to the Annual Maximum and are covered at 100% with no balance billing in-network.
- There is a separate annual allowance for wisdom teeth extraction.
- Orthodontic benefits are available for adults and children.
- Teledentix gives you free access to teledentistry, allowing you to see a dentist within minutes from your computer, smartphone or tablet. Register at humana.teledentix.com/c/humanaondemand.

## IMPORTANT TO KNOW Out-of-Network Benefits

If you choose to receive your dental care from an out-of-network dentist, you may be balance billed the difference between their charge and what your Humana dental plan allows.

For example, let's say an out-of-network dentist charges \$100 but your plan will only allow for \$70. The dentist may bill you for the remaining \$30 in addition to what you may owe for your deductible or coinsurance.



## **IN-AND OUT-OF-NETWORK**

<b>Calendar Year Deductible</b> Per Individual Family Aggregate	\$50 \$100
<b>Preventive Services</b> Routine exam, cleaning, bitewing x-ray; fluoride treatment and space maintainers for children	Covered 100%
<b>Basic Services</b> Filling, extraction, endodontic, periodontic, oral surgery, and general anesthesia	80%
Major Services Crown, denture, bridge, and implant	50%
Regular Annual Allowance (RAA) Per Individual RAA covers the cost of basic and major services. Preventive services do not apply to annual maximum.	\$1,000
Wisdom Teeth Extraction Annual Maximum Per Individual	\$1,000
Orthodontic Benefit Lifetime Maximum Per Individual Exam, x-ray, extraction and appliance for orthodontic service.	\$2,000

# **Vision Benefits**

Humana.com Member/Patient Services: (877) 398-2980 HUMANA INSIGHT NETWORK	
Humana Vision Plan CREESCB1 SALLY SAMPLE Member ID: 12345678901 Group #: 1014572 Effective: 01/01/2018	

Your vision coverage is provided through Humana. When you utilize a provider that participates in the Humana Insight Network, discounts will be greater.

The Vision Refresh Plan provides comprehensive routine vision coverage and does not include medical or surgical treatment of the eyes.

You may view benefits, print an ID card and search for in-network vision providers at **humana.com**.

# **HOW TO FIND A PROVIDER**

- Visit eyedoclocator.humanavis.com
- Enter your zip code

## **IMPORTANT TO KNOW**

# **Frequently asked questions**

## What is a benefit allowance?

A benefit allowance gives you a certain dollar amount to use toward contacts and glasses (lenses and frames). When you choose materials that are within that dollar amount or allowance, they are covered at 100%. If you choose a frame exceeding your plan allowance, you'll be responsible for paying the overage, in addition to any applicable copays at the time of your visit.

# Can I get contacts AND glasses in the same calendar year?

No. You can only get contacts OR glasses in the same calendar year, not both.

IN-NETWORK			
<b>Eye Exams</b> Routine Eye Exam Contact Lens Fitting/Follow-up Benefits may be redeemed once per year	\$10 copay Up to \$55		
<b>Frames</b> Benefits may be redeemed every 24 months	\$130 allowance 20% off remainder		
<b>Lens</b> Single Vision Bifocal Trifocal Lenticular Benefits may be redeemed once per year	\$15 Copay \$15 Copay \$15 Copay \$15 Copay		
<b>Contacts</b> Conventional/ Disposable Contacts Medically Necessary Contacts Benefits may be redeemed once per year	\$130 allowance Paid in Full		
<b>Diabetic Eye Care</b> Exam Retinal imaging Scanning laser	\$0 \$0 \$0		
Laser Correction Discount	15% off retail prices		
<b>Provider Network</b> Humana Insight	Optometrist and Retail		

# **OUT-OF-NETWORK<sup>1</sup>**

<b>Eye Exams</b> Routine Eye Exam Contact Lens Fitting/Follow-up	Up to \$30 Not Covered
Frames	\$65 allowance
<b>Lens</b> Single Vision Bifocal Trifocal Lenticular	Up to \$25 Up to \$40 Up to \$60 Up to \$100
<b>Contacts</b> Conventional/ Disposable Contacts Medically Necessary Contacts	Up to \$104 Up to \$200
<b>Diabetic Eye Care</b> Exam Retinal imaging Scanning laser	Up to \$77 Up to \$50 Up to \$33

<sup>1</sup>Same frequency redemption as in-network

# **Medical and Prescription Drugs**

# **FLORIDA BLUE PLAN**



Your medical coverage is administered through **Florida Blue**. You'll have access to a broad network of doctors and hospitals, providing you with quality care and significant savings in comparison to receiving services out-of-network.

Florida Blue has an arrangement with Quest Diagnostics that provides even deeper discounts than other in-network outpatient lab facilities, such as outpatient hospital and other free-standing labs. If you are outside of Florida, you can visit any participating independent lab in your area..

# **CVS/CAREMARK PLAN**



- Your pharmacy benefits are provided through **CVS/Caremark**. You may purchase up to a 30-day supply of covered drugs when you fill your prescription at a participating retail pharmacy. You can use the mail order or retail-90 pharmacy programs if you use a maintenance medication, such as those for blood pressure or cholesterol. Both CVS retail and home delivery offer up to a 90-day supply at a reduced cost to you.
- Specialty medications must be filled by CVS Caremark Specialty Pharmacy. Once the pre-authorization form is provided, your order can be placed through Specialty Connect. You can choose between in-store pickup at your local CVS Pharmacy, or UPS delivery of your medication to your home or doctor's office. Dedicated clinical support will be provided to you, by phone from a team of specialty pharmacy experts trained in your therapeutic area. Available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
- If you are taking a Specialty medication, you will also be automatically enrolled in the PrudentRx Specialty Medication Copay Program. The PrudentRx Copay Program will help you get copay assistance from drug manufacturers to reduce your 30% coinsurance share for eligible medications. Even if there is no copay card program for your medication, your cost will be \$0 for as long as you are enrolled in the program. If you choose to opt out of the program, or if you do not affirmatively enroll in any copay assistance as required by a manufacturer, you will be responsible for the full amount of the 30% coinsurance responsibility on eligible specialty medications.
- CVS partnered with GoodRx to provide cheaper alternative medications. The **Cost Saver Program** is included with the prescription benefits. This program is specifically for generic, non-specialty medications.



# When You Don't Have Time to Wait, You've Got Teladoc 24/7/365!

# Call today 1-800-Teladoc (835-2362) or visit <u>**Teladoc.com**</u>

# **GENERAL MEDICINE**



## • \$0 copay per visit

When you or a family member don't feel well and a doctor or pediatrician can't see you right away, you have access within minutes. Teladoctors can help with many non-emergency illnesses, including:

- Sinus infection
- Flu
- Cough
- Sore Throat
- Allergies
- Upset stomach
- Nausea
- Other minor health issues

# DERMATOLOGY

• \$0 copay per visit

Skin care is now so much easier, and you don't even have to leave home. Dermatologists diagnose & treat common skin conditions such as:

- Acne
- Psoriasis
- Eczema
- Rosacea

- Rash
- Poison Ivy
- Skin Infections
- Dermatitis

Set up your account today - so when you need care, a Teladoc doctor is just a call or click away.

**REGISTER:** 3 easy ways: download the mobile app, visit the Teladoc website, or call the number above.

**PROVIDE MEDICAL HISTORY:** Your medical history provides Teladoc doctors with the information they need to make an accurate diagnosis.

**REQUEST A VISIT:** That's it! The next time you need immediate care for a non-emergency illness, you have another option.

# **MENTAL HEALTH CARE**

## • \$35 copay per visit

With Mental Health Care, members have easy access to quality care for a spectrum of conditions, without the obstacles of conventional in-office options. Members can speak with board-certified psychiatrists, licensed psychologists/therapists by phone, video, or in app messaging, from wherever they feel most comfortable. Common conditions treated include:

- Anxiety
- Depression
- PTSD
- Family/Marriage Issues
- Substance Abuse
- Trauma resolution
- Eating Disorders

• Stress

• Grief

- Work Pressures
- ADHD

# HOW MENTAL HEALTH CARE WORKS



**Initiate:** Provide basic information, including eligibility, by Teladoc app, phone, or web.



**Schedule:** Select a preferred mental health provider and schedule a virtual visit.



**Consult:** Speak with the selected provider and build an ongoing relationship.



**Support:** Ongoing mental health management support is provided.



# **Health and Well-Being Resources**

St. Johns County is dedicated to helping you and your family be healthy and fit. As a covered member, you and your covered dependents have access to the following benefits and resources.

# **CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS**

Did you know you have access to free Care Consultants, Health Coaches, Care Management Programs, as well as Diabetic Resources when enrolled on the medical plan?

- Care Consultants provide assistance in comparing your choices for medical services or prescriptions. Call 888.476.2227.
- Health Coaches are licensed nurses available 24/7 to provide support with significant medical decisions and symptom management. Call 877.789.2583.
- Care Management Programs help you or a covered dependent living with a chronic condition, including Diabetes, Congestive Heart Failure, Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (COPD), Asthma, or Cardiac Conditions. Call 800.955.5692 or visit **floridablue.com.**

# **DIABETES CARE MANAGEMENT**

- Personalized diabetic resources are available 24/7 by calling Health Dialog at 877.789.2583. With member cost sharing, **Insulin** is covered through the pharmacy program while diabetic supplies are covered through Florida Blue's CareCentrix.
- Through **Transform Diabetes Care**, managed by the pharmacy program, members can get lancets and test strips at no cost.

# **NICOTINE CESSATION**

We know quitting nicotine is not easy. That is why the prescription plan provides coverage for a 168-day supply per calendar year per medication. Coverage is included for over-the-counter products, generic prescription medications, and branded Nicotrol NS Nasal Spray, Nicotrol Inhaler System, and Chantix.

• Call CVS/Caremark 844.278.5590

# **MENTAL HEALTH BENEFITS**

All health plan members have access to in-person mental health care through the Florida Blue provider network, virtual mental health benefits through Teladoc, and both virtual and in-person mental health support through Spring Health.

- To find an in-person Mental Health Clinician, visit **floridablue.com** or call 866.350.2280.
- To access virtual Mental Health Care, visit **Teladoc.com.**
- To access virtual or in-person mental health support and coaching through Spring Health visit **sjc.springhealth.com** or call 855-629-0554.

# DISCOUNTS

View hundreds of discounts available to you, including hearing devices, fitness equipment, homeopathic health services, and much more. Log in to your member website at **floridablue.com** to access these great deals.

# **MATERNITY MANAGEMENT**

Whether you are considering having a baby or are already expecting, the Healthy Addition Prenatal Program can teach you how to reduce your risk of complications and prepare you to have a successful, full-term pregnancy and a healthy baby. The program is free and confidential.

 Call 800.955.7635, Option 6 or email healthyaddition@bcbsfl.com

# HOME HEALTH AND DME PROVIDERS

• CareCentrix, Florida Blue's Durable Medical Equipment (DME) supplier, has an established network of providers who are accessible throughout Florida. Durable Medical Equipment (DME) is any medical equipment used in the home to aid in a better quality of living. . When prescribed by your doctor and medically necessary, Florida Blue will cover these items at 80% after your in-network deductible is met and as long as you go through CareCentrix by calling 877.561.9910.

# **Reimbursement Accounts**



St. Johns County offers three (3) Reimbursement Spending Accounts available on one convenient debit card, administered by Medcom.

# HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT (HRA) - FUNDED BY ST. JOHNS COUNTY

An HRA is a great way to pay for covered medical, prescription, dental and vision expenses through the plan year. If you elect the PPO with HRA you will receive an HRA for you to use to pay for health care expenses. The account is completely funded by St. Johns County Insurance Fund.

# HEALTH CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA)

An FSA, which must be elected annually, allows you to set money aside into an account to pay for certain types of out-of-pocket medical expenses. The money you allocate is pre-tax. Federal, State and FICA taxes are not taken out on the amount you contribute.

## You can use a Health Reimbursement and Health Care FSA for:

- Copays
- Calendar Year Deductible (CYD)
- Dental and Vision Expenses
- Prescription Drugs
- For a complete list of eligible expenses, visit medcom.wealthcareportal.com

The Cares Act allows over the counter items to be offered on a pre-tax basis. Some examples are:

- Cough, cold and allergy medicines
- Pain relievers
- Menstrual
- For a complete list of eligible expenses, visit medcom.wealthcareportal.com

	(FSA)	(HRA)
County contributes	X	$\checkmark$
Employee contributes (pre-tax)	$\checkmark$	X
Used for eligible expenses	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Do funds rollover?	\$75-\$660	<b>X</b> Use it or lose it
Who can use it?	Per IRS benefit eligible employees and dependents	Employees and dependents enrolled in the PPO with HRA

# **REIMBURSEMENT SPENDING ACCOUNTS COMPARISON**

	HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT (HRA) <sup>1</sup>	FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA) <sup>1</sup>	DEPENDENT CARE ACCOUNT (DCA)
How it Works	For Employees enrolled in the PPO with HRA the County deposits money into your account to help pay for eligible medical, dental, vision, and prescription drug expenses	You deposit pretax money into your account through payroll deductions to help pay for eligible medical, dental, vision, and prescription drug expenses	You deposit pretax money into your account through payroll deductions. You get reimbursed for the care of an eligible child or adult dependent, but not for health care expenses
Who is Eligible to Use Funds	Employees enrolled in the PPO with HRA and ONLY their dependents enrolled on the health plan	Benefits-eligible employees and any eligible dependents, per IRS guidelines	Dependent children under age 13 or adult dependent on tax return
<b>Employer</b> <b>Contribution</b> Annual contribution; prorated for new hires and life events	Yes \$600 – Employee Only \$1,000 – Employee + Spouse \$1,000 – Employee + Children \$1,500 – Employee + Family	None	None
Employee Contribution	None	\$75 Minimum \$ 3,300 Annual Maximum If your spouse also works for St. Johns County, you may both contribute to your own FSA, up to the \$3,300 annual limit	\$5,000 for a married couple filing jointly \$5,000 for a single person \$2,500 each for a married couple filing separately
When is Money Available	The total amount of your account is available January 1, or date of eligibility for new hires or individuals who have a qualifying life event	The total amount of your annual election is available January 1, or date of eligibility for new hires or individuals who have a qualifying life event	Money is added to your account after each payroll deduction. You may use only the amount you have in your account at that time
Deadline to Use Funds	December 31	December 31	December 31
Can Unused Funds Roll Over to Next Year	No	\$75 Minimum \$660 Maximum Funds less than \$75 or in excess of \$660 will be forfeited	No

<sup>1</sup>Substantiation may be required for some expenses. Run-out period for previous calendar year funds is January 1 to March 31. Run-out date is the last day to submit claims for the specified plan year. Claims will not be considered for reimbursement if submitted after this date. All run-out claims must be submitted manually.

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# Wellness exercises

**Diverse providers** 

ethnicity, or language.

Find fast relief for stress, anxiety, burnout, poor sleep, or other challenges with Moments digital wellness exercises.

Choose a therapist you can relate

to. Browse recommendations or

search by specialty, gender,

Free coaching

Build new skills, create healthy

goals. Each member (18+) gets

habits, and reach personal

6 free sessions per year.

# Life is easier with the right support.

You don't need to wait for a crisis to prioritize your mental health. St Johns County partners with Spring Health to provide personalized care and resources to support you through any of life's challenges.

# Spring Health can support your mental health with easy access to:

# Free therapy

Get convenient, confidential support from a therapist of your choice. Each member (age 6+) gets 6 sessions per year.

Spring Health 🖉

# **Dedicated guidance**

Your Care Navigator can walk you through your care plan, help you find the right therapist, and provide support whenever you need it.

# Personalized care

Take a short online assessment to get care and provider options that support your unique needs, goals,

**Contact Spring Health:** springhealth.com/support 1-855-629-0554 General support: M-F, 8am-11pm ET Crisis support: 24/7 (press 2)

Learn more and get started: sjc.springhealth.com Spring Health mobile app Work-life code: sjc

Spring Health is available at no cost to all St Johns County employees and their household members.

# Your care with Spring Health is private and confidential.







# **Basic Life and AD&D**

St. Johns County provides Basic Life and Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) coverage at no cost to you, through **The Standard**. Benefits are also provided to your eligible Spouse and Dependent(s) enrolled on the health policy.

	BASIC LIFE INSURANCE COVERAGE AMOUNTS
All Eligible Employees	1x annual salary with a minimum of \$75,000, up to a maximum of \$350,000.
Eligible Spouse if dependent on health policy	\$5,000
Eligible Child(ren) if dependent on health policy	\$2,000

Note: Your amount of basic and voluntary life insurance will reduce to 65% when you reach age 65, 50% when you reach age 70, and 35% when you reach age 75. Imputed income may apply.

# **CONVERSION AND PORTABILITY**

- If your employment ends, you may elect to convert your term life insurance to whole life insurance or simply take your term life insurance policy with you. You must contact The Standard within 31 days of your last day at work in order to be eligible for either of these options.
- If you should become terminally ill with 12 months or less to live, you can apply to receive up to 75% of your current life insurance amount as a one-time lump sum. Any amount received will then reduce the amount of death benefit paid out.

### **IMPORTANT TO KNOW**

# NAME AND CHANGE YOUR BENEFICIARIES

It is important to designate the person that you want to receive your life insurance money. The below coverages allow a beneficiary to be named. You can name one person, two or more people, the trustee of a trust you've set up, a charity, or an estate. The allocation of the funds must equal 100%. At any time, you can name or change your Basic Life, Voluntary Life, Critical Illness, and Hospital Indemnity beneficiaries by logging onto **PlanSource**.

To update beneficiaries for FRS, Deferred Comp, or Firefighter Statutory Coverage, visit the Beneficiary Page on **Employee Connection**.

# **Long-Term Disability Income Benefits**

Long-term Disability (LTD) is an income replacement program that protects you and your family in the event you become disabled and are unable to perform the material and substantial duties of your job. LTD benefits replace 60% of your Total Monthly Earnings, up to a maximum of \$5,000 per month.

LONG-TERM DISABILITY INCOME		
<b>Elimination Period</b> The amount of time you must wait between an illness or disability begins and when you can start receiving benefits.	180 days	
Benefits Payable Duration	2 years (Own Occupation) or to Social Security Normal Retirement Age (SSNRA)	
% of Income Replaced	60% of your Monthly Predisability Salary	
Maximum Benefit Amount	\$5,000 monthly benefit less any other income benefit	

# **Life Services Toolkit**

The Standard offers free online tools and services, which can help you create a will, make advance funeral plans, and put your finances in order.

- To access, visit <u>www.standard.com/mytoolkit</u>
- User Name: assurance



## Life Planning Resource Guide

Information, resources, and worksheets to help guide you through the difficult tasks ahead.



## Personalized Legal Center

Access to state-specific templates. Topics include wills and estates, identity theft, contracts, and more.



## **Funeral Planning**

Access to everything you need to consider before, during, and after a death occurs.



## Remembering a Life

Access to webinars, a monthly podcast, blog, and additional resources.



## **Grief & Loss**

Understand grief and your journey. Find support for yourself and those that are grieving.



## **Financial Fitness Center**

A wealth of information on budgeting, debt management, estate planning, investing and more.

# Florida Retirement System (FRS)

St. Johns County is an FRS participating employer. Employees may choose one of two retirement plan options, the FRS Pension Plan, or the FRS Investment Plan. Both plans include employer and mandatory employee contributions.

The following services are available to you as a FRS member. They are completely confidential, unbiased, and FREE.



# **WORKSHOP WEBCASTS**

For dates and times, visit **myfrs.com/workshop.htm**. Attend as many of these free FRS financial planning workshops as you like. Sessions include Using the FRS to Plan for Your Retirement, Estate Planning, Nearing Retirement, and more.



# **ADVISOR SERVICE**

This free online service can help you estimate your retirement needs, choose investments, and create a personal financial plan that includes FRS and non-FRS retirement accounts. To access the service, log in to **MyFRS.com**.



# **ELECTION CHOICE SERVICE**

As a new hire, you can elect to join the Investment Plan or the Pension Plan. You may also change retirement plans one time during your FRS career. The **Choice Service** can help you with your initial election and with deciding whether changing plans by using your 2nd Election makes sense for you.

Re-employed retirees enrolled July 1, 2017 or after are not eligible to use a 2nd Election. To access the service, log into to **MyFRS.com** or call the MyFRS Financial Guidance Line at 866.446.9377.

# **Deferred Compensation 457(b)**

In addition to the FRS retirement program, St. Johns County offers a Deferred Compensation Plan, provided through Lincoln Financial Group. A 457(b) plan is a non-qualified tax-deferred compensation plan designed to help you invest regularly for your retirement. The money contributed is directed into an investment company offered by St. Johns County. Federal tax law limits the amount of annual contribution.

## Benefits to participating in our 457(b) plan

- It's an investment in your future. Thanks to the power of compounding, you have the ability to make money on your money and grow your savings.
- It's flexible. You may suspend payments and restart them at a later date. You're never locked into a fixed contribution schedule.



It helps reduce your taxable income since contributions to your 457(b) are made on a pretax basis.



Automatic payroll deductions help you make saving for your retirement a habit.



Any money you put into the plan is yours to keep-even if you change jobs.

## IMPORTANT TO KNOW

# **Consolidate Retirement Accounts**

You may consolidate retirement accounts from previous employers and roll Individual Retirement Account (IRA) funds to your current employer's plan. Please check with previous providers to see if any fees apply.



# **Supplemental Benefits**

Supplemental plans are offered through **The Standard** and provide benefits which pay directly to you regardless of any other insurance you may have. These plans help with the medical and personal expenses incurred when a person is undergoing treatment. Costs of the plans will vary by employee. You can choose to cover an eligible spouse and children.

HOSPITAL INDEMNITY		CRITICAL ILLNES	S
Hospital Coverage Admission (once per year) Confinement (60 day limit) ICU Confinement* (15 day limit)	\$1,500 \$200/day \$350/day for ICU	<b>Benefit Amount</b> Employee Spouse	\$10,000 to \$30,000 <sup>1</sup> \$5,000 to \$15,000
ays in addition to the Hospital Confinemen	t benefit.	Recurrence Benefit	100% if treatment free for 6 months
ACCIDENT PLAN (OFF JO Accidental Death Benefit Employee	<b>B)</b> \$200,000	Vascular Conditions	100%-Heart Attack 100%-Stroke 25%-Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery
Spouse Child	\$100,000 \$50,000	Organ Conditions	100%-Major Organ Transplant 100%-End Stage Renal Failure
Line of Duty Benefit Public safety officers (police, firefighters, corrections, judicial, and officially recognized or designated volunteer firefighters.	100% of AD&D	Cancer	100%-Invasive Cancer 25% -Cancer in Situ (non-invasive cancer)
<b>Dismemberment Loss &amp;</b> P <b>aralysis</b> <sup>2</sup> er Injury	\$25,000-\$100,000	Other Conditions	100%-Advanced Alzheimer's 100%-Advanced Parkinson's 100%-Advanced Multiple Sclerosis
<b>Injuries</b> Per Injury	Ranging from \$650-\$12,000	Health Maintenance Screening	\$50
Medical Services & Treatments Per Issue	Ranging from \$400-\$1,500	<ul> <li><sup>1</sup>Employee benefit amount in increments of \$10,000. Spouse benefit amoun increments of \$5,000. Dependents are automatically covered from live birth age 26 at no extra cost. Their coverage amount is 50% of your benefit.</li> <li>IMPORTANT TO KNOW</li> <li>Frequently asked questions</li> <li>What is the Health Maintenance Screening Benefit?</li> <li>Each family member who has The Standard coverage can receive \$50.00 per policy per year for getting one of the twenty-two covered health screening tests, including novel infectious disease testing (including COVID-19), lipid panel, mammography, and</li> </ul>	
<b>Hospital Coverage (per accident)</b> Admission Confinement Physician Follow Up: Physical Therapy (up to 6 visits)	\$2,500 / \$5,000 (ICU) \$700/day \$1,400/ day (ICU) \$450 \$450		
Ambulance	\$600 for ground \$1,500 for air		
Health Maintenance Screening	\$50		
<b>Lodging Benefit</b> (30 day limit per year)	\$200/ day		

colonoscopy.

# **Voluntary Life**

Voluntary Life insurance is available to employees as well as dependents on an optional basis and is provided through **The Standard**. Employees must elect Voluntary Life Insurance for themselves in order to elect either Spouse and/ or Child Voluntary Life. Additional life insurance costs are available on PlanSource. Imputed income may apply.

	EMPLOYEE	SPOUSE	DEPENDENT
Maximum Benefit	\$500,000	\$150,000	\$10,000
Increment	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,000
Guaranteed Issue	\$300,000	\$25,000	All amounts are guaranteed issue

## **IMPORTANT TO KNOW**

# **Frequently asked questions**

## My spouse also works for St. Johns County. Can we both buy coverage?

You may both purchase supplemental employee coverage. However, an employee can only be insured as an employee or a dependent, but not both. Additionally, employees and spouses who both work for St. Johns County may not cover the same dependent child(ren).

## Does the coverage amount change based on my age?

The amount of coverage will reduce to 65% at age 65, to 50% at age 70 and to 35% at age 75.

### Can I continue this coverage if my employment ends?

Coverage may be continued through Portability or Conversion if certain criteria is met. See the Portability and Conversion explanations and criteria in the Basic Life and AD&D section of this booklet for more information.

## Do I have to fill out a medical questionnaire?

Initial elections in excess of the guarantee issue amounts and late enrollees must complete evidence of insurability (EOI). You will be directed to go to **The Standard** website to complete the medical questions online.

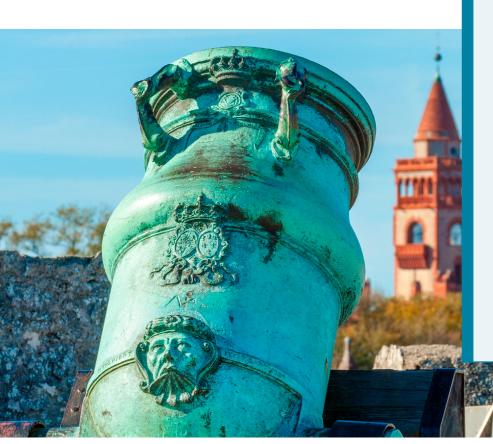
You will need your Group number **164622**. Premiums subject to EOI will not be deducted from your pay until you have been approved. Premiums are deducted on a post-tax basis.

# **Voluntary Short-Term Disability**

St. Johns County offers short-term disability (STD) benefits to all eligible full-time employees through **The Standard**. This coverage is to protect you and your family in the event that a short-term disability prevents you from performing the duties of your occupation. STD coverage protects your income due to injury or illness. To receive benefits, your claim must be approved by The Standard. See a brief summary of benefits below:

## SHORT-TERM DISABILITY INCOME

Waiting Period Illness/Accident	14 days, benefits begin on the 15th day	
Max Benefit Duration	24 weeks	
% of Income Replaced	60% of your weekly earnings	
Maximum Benefit Amount	Up to \$1,000 per week	
Pregnancy Coverage	Up to 6 weeks, or up to 8 weeks for a C-section, including waiting period	



## IMPORTANT TO KNOW

# Why disability coverage is important

We understand that for most of us our income is the most important financial resource. To be without income for an extended period of time would most likely be devastating for you and your family. Since Disability Insurance supplements your lost income, it is commonly referred to as Income Replacement Insurance.

**Short-Term Disability** is designed to provide income replacement for up to 6 months. Your employer offers the option to purchase Short-Term Disability Coverage.

**Long-Term Disability** is designed to provide income replacement anywhere from 2 years or until age 65, depending on your policy's provisions. Your employer provides Long-Term Disability at no cost to you.

# **Comprehensive Cancer Support**

# **ESSENTIAL GENOMICS**

A suite of genetic tests offering insights into health and predisposition to diseases, specifically cancer. The genetic tests and features include:

- Genetic Health Screen Identifying elevated health risks for cancer, cardiac disease, and other critical illnesses
- **Carrier Screening** uncovers genetic insights from both partners during family planning which help mitigate the risk of serious illness in offspring
- **Pharmacogenomics** Analyzes the unique way an individual responds to medications to optimize treatment, maximize effectiveness, and minimize side effects
- Genomic Life Platform securely and easily access your test results and share with your medical team at any time
- Member Support ongoing support and personalized actions based on test results

# **IF DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER**

If diagnosed with cancer, a cancer survivor, or have significant family risk of cancer, you have access to features such as:

- A dedicated cancer navigator
- Coordination of Care
- Ongoing patient advocacy and caregiver support
- Tumor genomic profiling as needed to help determine treatment
- Expert Pathology Review as needed to ensure correct diagnosis with 2nd opionion review
- Diagnostic Inherited Cancer Panel



# **Pre-Paid Legal Services**

This service through **Legal Shield** will provide advice and representation on any matter covered by the plan, or provide consultation on the best course of action if the matter is not covered by the plan. Some of the services provided by this plan include:

- Demand letters and phone calls to a third party on behalf of the participant
- Unlimited telephone consultations on any covered personal legal subject matter
- Consultation, preparation, document review and representation at a civil proceeding
- Adoption legal services, including representation in court for a contested or uncontested domestic adoption
- Representation when a participant is seeking protection by a Victim Protection Order

# WHAT FAMILY MEMBERS ARE COVERED UNDER MY PLAN?

- Your Spouse
- Your Dependent Child(ren) under 18
- Your never-married Dependent Child(ren) under 26 who are either living at home or full-time students
- Your Dependent Child(ren), regardless of age, who are incapable of sustaining employment because of mental or physical disability and who are primarily dependent on you or your spouse for support



# **Emergency Travel Assistance**

Things can happen on the road. Passports get stolen or lost. Unforeseen events or circumstances derail travel plans. Medical problems surface at the most inconvenient times. Travel Assistance can help you navigate these issues and more at any time of the day or night.

# **KEY FEATURES AND DETAILS**

You and your spouse are covered and child(ren) through age 25 and is available when you travel more than 100 miles from home or internationally for up to 180 days for business or pleasure.



Visa, weather and currency exchange information, health inoculation recommendations, country-specific details and security and travel advisories



Credit card and passport replacement and missing baggage and emergency cash coordination



Help replacing prescription medication or lost corrective lenses and advancing funds for hospital admission



Emergency evacuation to the nearest adequate medical facility and medically necessary repatriation to the employee's home, including repatriation of remains



Connection to medical care providers, interpreter services, local attorneys, and assistance in coordinating a bail bond



Return travel companion if travel is disrupted due to emergency transportation services or care of minor children if left unattended due to prolonged hospitalization



Assistance with the return of your personal vehicle if your emergency transportation services leave it stranded



Evacuation arrangements in the event of a natural disaster, political unrest and social instability

### **IMPORTANT TO KNOW**

Get the most out of Travel Assistance with the Assist America Mobile App

From the mobile app, you can use valuable travel resources including, one-touch access to Assist America's Emergency Operations, Worldwide travel alerts, mobile ID card and Embassy locator.

Contact Travel Assistance at 800.872.1414 / Reference Number 01-AA-STD-5201

Text: 609.334.0807 / Email: medservices@assistamerica.com

# **Key Terms to Know**

### Annual Maximum

Total dollar amount a plan pays during a calendar year toward the covered expenses of each person enrolled.

## **Out-of-Pocket Maximum**

The maximum amount of coinsurance a Plan member must pay towards covered medical expenses in a calendar year for both network and non-network services. Once you meet this outof-pocket maximum, the Plan pays the entire coinsurance amount for covered services for the remainder of the calendar year. Deductible and copays apply to the annual out-of-pocket maximum.

### Coinsurance

A percentage of the medical costs, based on the allowed amount, you must pay for certain services after you meet your annual deductible.

## Copayment

A set dollar amount you pay for network doctors' office visits, emergency room services and prescription drugs.

## Deductible

Total dollar amount, based on the allowed amount, you must pay out-of-pocket for covered medical expenses each calendar year before the plan pays for most services. The deductible does not apply to network preventive care if any services where you pay a copayment rather than coinsurance. Some of your dental options also have an annual deductible, generally for basic and major dental care services.

### **Brand Formulary Drugs**

The brand formulary is an approved, recommended list of brand-name medications. Drugs on this list are available to you at a lower cost than drugs that do not appear on this preferred list.

### EOB

An Explanation of Benefits (EOB) is the insurance company's written explanation regarding a claim, showing what they paid and what the patient must pay.

## **Generic Drugs**

These drugs are usually the most cost-effective. Generic drugs are chemically identical to their brandname counterparts. Purchasing generic drugs allows you to pay a lower out-of-pocket cost than if you purchase formulary or nonformulary brand name drugs.

## **Maintenance Drugs**

Prescriptions commonly used to treat conditions that are considered chronic or long-term. These conditions usually require regular, daily use of medicines. Examples of maintenance drugs are those used to treat high blood pressure, heart disease, asthma and diabetes.

## **Non-Formulary Drugs**

These drugs are not on the recommended formulary list. These drugs are usually more expensive than drugs found on the formulary. You may purchase brand-name medications that do not appear on the recommended list, but at a significantly higher out-of-pocket cost.

### **Specialty Drugs**

Prescription medications that require special handling, administration or monitoring. These drugs may be used to treat complex, chronic and often costly conditions.

## Portability

An employee carries or 'ports' his/ her current Group Life coverage after employment ends, without having to answer any medical questions. Portability is for an employee who is leaving his/her job and still wants to maintain the protection that life insurance provides.

## Primary Care Physician (PCP)

The health care professional who monitors your health needs and coordinates your overall medical care, including referrals for tests or specialists.

## Network

A group of health care providers, including dentists, physicians, hospitals and other health care providers that agree to accept predetermined rates when servicing members.

## **Qualifying Event**

An occurrence that qualifies the subscriber to make an insurance coverage change outside of Open Enrollment per IRS rules.

# Carry Your Benefits Wherever You Go

It's never been easier to download and use your St. Johns County benefits with these mobile apps.





View pre-trip information, such as country-specific visa requirements, immunization regulations, and security advisories





Send a picture of a speeding ticket, submit will questionnaire, ask a question, access free forms, and 24/7 assistance for emergencies





View your appointments and lab results securely and quickly





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View your Rx benefits, cost coverage and spend review, savings, medication costs, and in-network pharmacies





Stay on-track with your financial goals, access forms, check balances and explore helpful videos





PlanSource doesn't have an app, as **benefits.plansource.com** is mobile optimized.

- Enroll in benefits.
- Access uploaded insurance cards and saved contacts.



Monitor your glucose, calories and more. Message a health coach and get personalized support from a Certified Diabetes Care Nurse.





View your benefit account(s) recent transactions, balances, election information, and claims filing deadlines





Book a session, try a wellbeing exercise, get appointment notifications, and more.



Florida Blue

Find in-network doctors, get ID cards, check benefits and claims, and compare medical costs





Access ID cards, view claims, and find a provider





Create an account, talk with a doctor, and search for nearby pharmacies



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# **Key Contacts**

CONTACT	PHONE	WEBSITE
<b>Risk &amp; Benefits Team</b> Board of County Commissioners	904.209.0635 (Benefits option 4) 904.827.6886 (Risk Team)	ec.sjcfl.us/home/Benefits bccbenefits@sjcfl.us
Benefits Enrollment Website PlanSource		benefits.plansource.com/?sjc
<b>Medical</b> Blue Options Network Florida Blue (Group #13902) BlueCard Program National and Worldwide Coverage Teladoc	800.664.5295 800.810.BLUE (2583) 800.835.2362	floridablue.com provider.bcbs.com teladoc.com
Prescription CVS/Caremark (Group #RX2787, Bin #004336, PCN-ADV) CVS National Pharmacy Network Retail 90-CVS Retail Pharmacies	844.278.5590 Mail-Order: 866.284.9226 Specialty: 800.237.2767 Prudent Rx: 800.578.4403	<u>caremark.com</u> <u>cvsspecialty.com</u>
<b>Dental</b> PPO Network Humana (Group #677885)	800.233.4013	humana.com
<b>Vision</b> Insight Network Humana (Group #014572)	877.398.2980	eyedoclocator.humanavis.com
<b>Life and Disability</b> The Standard (Group #164622) Value-Added Services (at no additional cost)	<b>888.937.4783</b> Life Services Toolkit: 800.378.5742 Emergency Travel Assistance: 800.872.1414	standard.com EOI: https://myeoi.standard.com/164622
FSAs and HRA Medcom (Employer Code: MCOJOHBCC)	800.523.7542, Option 1	medcom.wealthcareportal.com Employee ID: Social Security Number (no dashes) Registration ID: Select "Card Number" Enter Debit Card #
<b>Retirement</b> Florida Retirement System (FRS) LFG Deferred Compensation 457(b)	866.446.9377 800.234.3500	MyFRS.com lfg.com
Supplemental Benefits The Standard Group #164622 Critical Illness Hospital Indemnity	800.634.1743	standard.com
Accident Genomic Life (Company Code: STJC-CGx-2021-0718)	844.694.3666	genomiclife.com
<b>Legal Services</b> Legal Shield Group #47808	800.654.7757	shieldbenefits.com/sjcfl
Mental Health Support Spring Health	855-629-0554	sjc.springhealth.com
<b>EAP</b> Spring Health	855-629-0554	sjc.springhealth.com
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