# **Disability**

## Short Term Disability (STD)

For Non-Bargaining Unit team members or Bargaining team members hired 1/1/2023 or after

Short Term Disability insurance replaces a portion of your income if you are unable to work due to a covered injury or illness that is non-work related. This coverage pays a weekly benefit to provide some income during a time of need. It includes parental leave.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Paid for by WellSpan. Eligible employees are auto enrolled in coverage and EOI is not required.
- If you become disabled, after meeting an unpaid waiting period, the plan begins paying a benefit equal to 60% (for most job classifications) of your pay for up to 90 calendar days. Your PTO can be applied to the unpaid waiting period.
- Can be supplemented with Paid Time Off (PTO) or Extended Illness Reserve (EIR) Bank, if available.

### Sick Time

Bargaining Unit team members hired prior to 1/1/2023

Sick time replaces your income during a period of time away from work due to an injury or illness.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Paid for by WellSpan. Sick time accrues at the rate of .0462 hours per hour paid, up to a maximum of 96 hours in a fiscal year.
- The maximum balance is 1,200 hours.

## **Basic Long Term Disability (LTD)**

WellSpan provides full-time team members with Basic LTD Coverage at no cost. Long Term Disability picks up where Short Term Disability left off.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Paid for by WellSpan. Eligible employees are auto enrolled in coverage and EOI is not required.
- If your disability extends beyond 90 calendar days, the plan begins paying a benefit (for most job classifications) equal to 50% of your pay, up to \$13,000 per month.
- Leaders and Physicians schedule for 30 hours or more per pay have a different coverage amount for Long-Term Disability. Please refer to the Total Rewards Summary for this information.

## LTD Buy-Up Option

If you are a full-time team member eligible for Basic LTD at 50% of pay, you may purchase additional coverage by electing the LTD Buy-Up option.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- This option enhances your Basic LTD by providing a benefit equal to an additional 10% of pay — for a total LTD benefit equal to 60% of pay.
- The maximum benefit for Basic LTD benefit and the Buy-Up benefit combined is \$13,000 per month.
- If you do not enroll during the initial offering period and choose to enroll at a later point, you will need to complete the EOI process.

## **Evidence Of Insurability (EOI)**

Proof of good health, also known as Evidence of Insurability, is an application process in which you provide information on the condition of your health and/or your dependent's health in order to get certain types of insurance coverage.



## **Consider This**

Before you decide whether to enroll in the LTD Buy-Up, consider the following:

	LTD Buy-Up	Waive
I have a family and/or others depending upon my income.	•	
I have significant expenses (e.g., mortgage, car payment, tuition, etc.) that would be challenging to pay if I become disabled.	•	
I believe I'd need more than 50% of my income to meet my financial obligations if I become disabled.	•	
I feel that in the event of a disability my financial obligations could be met with receiving 50% of my income through Basic LTD.		•





## **Adoption, Foster Care** & Parental Leave

For Non-Bargaining Unit team members or Bargaining team members hired 1/1/2023 or after

WellSpan's Short Term Disability plan also pays 60% of pay for five weeks (after the waiting period) in the case of adoptions, foster care or parental leave for most positions.

