



# Spartanburg County School District No. 7

Basic Accident Death & Dismemberment Insurance • GTU 509211  
Voluntary Accidental Death & Dismemberment Insurance • GTU 5091210

The following is a brief description of the Basic and Voluntary Accidental Death and Dismemberment Plans. The benefits described are subject to certain limitations and exclusions as described in the policy. For specific definitions of terms used below as well as further details and information about this plan, please see the policy.

## Eligibility

**Class I:** All full-time Employees and School Board Members under age 70, domiciled in the United States.

Under the Voluntary Plan. You may elect to include coverage for your eligible dependents under the Family Plan. Eligible dependents include your legally married spouse under age 70 and your unmarried dependent children from birth to 19 years of age, or to age 25 if attending an accredited school or college on a full-time basis, and are primarily dependent upon you for their support and maintenance.

No individual may be covered more than once under this plan. You cannot be covered as a spouse or dependent child of another employee.

## Benefit Amount

**Class I: Basic - \$15,000**

**Voluntary** - You may purchase a benefit from a minimum of \$10,000 to a maximum of \$250,000 in increments of \$10,000. However, amounts applied for in excess of \$150,000 must not exceed ten (10) times your base annual pay excluding overtime, bonuses, commissions and special compensation.

The benefit amount for your covered dependents will be a percentage of your benefit amount, as follows:

Plan Selected	% Spouse	% Child(ren)
Spouse only:	55%	0
Dependent Child(ren) only:	0	15%
Spouse and Dependent Child(ren)	45%	10%

At age 70, for both the Basic and Voluntary Plans, for the insured employee only, your benefit amount will be reduced based on your previous benefit amount per the following schedule:

Age at Date of Loss	Percent of Principal Sum
70-74	65%
75-79	45%
80-84	30%
85 & Over	15%

## Description of Coverage

This plan offers protection on a worldwide basis, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year against certain injuries resulting from a covered accident in the course of business or pleasure, including accidents on or off the job, in or away from the home, commuting, traveling by train, airplane, automobile, or other public and private conveyances, subject to certain limitations (see exclusions/limitations). The benefits provided are payable in addition to any other insurance which may be in effect at the time of the accident.

### Exposure and Disappearance Coverage

If the conveyance in which you are riding disappears, is wrecked, or sinks, and you are not found within 365 days of the event, we will presume that you lost your life as a result of injury. If travel in such conveyance was covered under the terms of the policy, we will pay your benefit amount, subject to all policy terms.

If you are exposed to weather because of an accident and this results in a loss of life, we will pay your benefit amount, subject to all policy terms and conditions.

## Benefits Provided

If you have an accident that results in any of the following losses, we will pay the benefit shown within 365 days of the date of the accident, Zurich American Insurance Company, may pay certain benefit amounts to you or your designated beneficiary. If the accident results in more than one of these losses, only the loss with the largest benefit will be payable. The amounts are based on the benefit amount shown in the schedule.

Loss of:	Benefit Amount
(1) Life	100% of benefit amount
(2) Both hands or both feet	100% of benefit amount
(3) One hand and one foot	100% of benefit amount
(4) One hand or one foot plus the sight of one eye	100% of benefit amount
(5) Sight of both eyes	100% of benefit amount
(6) Speech and Hearing	100% of benefit amount
(7) Speech or Hearing	50% of benefit amount
(8) One hand, one foot, or sight of one eye	50% of benefit amount
(9) Thumb and index finger of the same hand	25% of benefit amount

## Additional Benefits

### Basic Plan Only – Seat Belt/Air Bag

If a covered person suffers a covered loss of life in a covered automobile accident while wearing a factory installed or manufacturer authorized seat belt or lap and shoulder restraint, an additional 10% of the benefit amount to a maximum of \$10,000 may be paid. An additional benefit equal to 10% of the covered person's benefit amount to a maximum of \$10,000 may be paid if the covered person was driving or riding in a private passenger automobile with a manufacturer equipped air bag.

## Beneficiary Designation

Benefits for your loss of life will be payable to the beneficiary or beneficiaries designated in writing by you and on file with the policyholder; otherwise we will pay the benefit to the insured's survivors in the following order:

Your spouse;

Your children, equally;

Your parents, equally or to the survivor;

Your brothers or sisters equally or to the survivor or survivors;

Your estate.

### Loss of Life of a Covered Person other than You:

Covered losses for the death of a covered person other than you will be paid to you. If you pre-decease or die at the same time as the covered person other than you, the benefit will be paid to your beneficiary unless your beneficiary designation has not been made or your beneficiary is no longer living at the time of death. In such case, the benefits will be paid to your estate.

All other indemnities shall be payable to you.

### Exclusions

This plan does not cover any loss caused by, contributed to or resulting from: suicide or any attempt at suicide or intentionally self-inflicted injury or any attempt at intentionally self-inflicted injury; war or any act of war, whether declared or undeclared; involvement in any type of active military service; illness or disease, regardless of how contracted,; medical or surgical treatment of illness or disease; or complications following the surgical treatment of illness or disease; except for accidental ingestion of contaminated foods; participation in the commission or attempted commission of a crime, any felony, an assault, insurrection or riot; parasailing, bungee jumping, heli-skiing, scuba diving or any other extra-hazardous activity; being intoxicated. being under the influence of any prescription drug, narcotic, or hallucinogen, unless such prescription drug, narcotic, or hallucinogen was prescribed by a physician and taken in accordance with the prescribed dosage; travel or flight in any aircraft except to the extent stated in the coverage section; release, whether or not accidental, or by any person unlawfully or intentionally, of nuclear energy or radiation, including sickness or disease resulting from such release; a cardiovascular event or stroke caused by exertion prior to or at the same time as an accident; alcoholism, drug addiction or the use of any drug or narcotic except as prescribed by a licensed medical provider operating within his or her scope of authority; flying as a pilot or crew member of any aircraft; any aircraft being used for aerial photography, test or experimental purposes; any aircraft that requires a special permit or waiver even if granted; any aircraft owned or controlled by, or under lease to the policyholder, an insured, or a member of a covered person's family or household; any aircraft which is operated by the policyholder, or one of its employees including members of an employee's family or household; any conveyance used in a race or speed test or being used for tests or experimental purposes; any aircraft engaged in a specialized aviation activity as on file with the policyholder.

### Cost and Method of Payment – Voluntary

The monthly cost for **Employee Only** coverage is \$.023 for each \$1,000 of benefit amount. The monthly cost for the **Family Plan** is \$.034 for each \$1,000 of benefit amount. Premium payments will be deducted automatically from your pay. For example, if you had selected one of the benefit amounts below, your monthly cost would be:

Benefit Amount*	PLAN I	PLAN II
	Monthly Cost Employee Only	Monthly Cost Family Plan
\$10,000	\$0.23	\$0.34
20,000	0.46	0.68
30,000	0.69	1.02
40,000	0.92	1.36
50,000	1.15	1.70
60,000	1.38	2.04
70,000	1.61	2.38
80,000	1.84	2.72
90,000	2.07	3.06
100,000	2.30	3.40
110,000	2.53	3.74
120,000	2.76	4.08
130,000	2.99	4.42

140,000	3.22	4.76
150,000	3.45	5.10
160,000*	3.68	5.44
170,000*	3.91	5.78
180,000*	4.14	6.12
190,000*	4.37	6.46
200,000*	4.60	6.80
210,000*	4.83	7.14
220,000*	5.06	7.48
230,000*	5.29	7.82
240,000*	5.52	8.16
250,000*	5.75	8.50

\* Benefit amounts in excess of \$150,000 may not exceed ten (10) times your base annual pay excluding overtime, bonuses, commissions and special compensation.

Premium payments will be deducted automatically from your pay.

### To File a Claim

Contact Zurich American Insurance Company at 1-866-841-4771 for a claim form. Complete the form and send it to the Claims Department, Zurich American Insurance Company, P.O. Box 968041, Schaumburg, IL 60196-8041 within 90 days of the loss. Refer to Plan Number GTU 5091210 and GTU 5091211.

### Important

This is a brief description of the coverage provided through the Voluntary Accidental Death & Dismemberment plan. If any conflict should arise between the contents of this handout and the Master Policy or if any point is not covered herein, the terms of the Master Policy shall govern in all cases.

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The terms and conditions of the Plan described in this brief summary are governed by the individual Plan document that contains the complete terms. In the event of any discrepancy between the information in this brief summary and the Plan document, the Plan document shall govern.

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