**Standard Insurance Company** School Administrators Special Services Members of ACSA and ACCCA Group Policy # 641419



# GROUP VOLUNTARY ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

# Plan for extra protection when it's needed most.

Accidents can happen to anyone, anywhere. Accidental Death and Dismemberment insurance can provide extra protection if an accident happens to you. It pays benefits if you die due to an accident, or experience a severe physical loss, such as a limb, mobility, sight or hearing.

AD&D insurance can help protect your loved ones' finances.

### **AD&D insurance** pays an

amount of money specified in the policy if a covered accident results in your death or a severe physical loss, such as a limb, mobility or your eyesight.

If an accident left you with a serious injury, you might need to pay for special care and modified living arrangements.

# Benefits for accidental death or serious loss.

AD&D insurance pays a benefit to your loved ones if you die due to a covered accident. This benefit is in addition to any life insurance you have.

If you survive an accident with a covered loss, the benefits from AD&D insurance can help you adjust your lifestyle and focus on your future.

Being ready for difficult times is an important piece of the financial planning puzzle. AD&D insurance can help strengthen your loved ones' economic security. Add an extra layer of financial security to help pay for unexpected expenses:





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Home Modifications



Funeral Costs

# AD&D Insurance How Much Can I Apply For? For You: Class 1: You may apply for AD&D Insurance in multiples of \$25,000, from \$25,000 to \$500,000 For Your Family: Spouse Only: 60 percent of your AD&D coverage amount Child Only: 20 percent of your AD&D coverage amount for each child Spouse and Children: 50 percent of your AD&D coverage amount 15 percent of your AD&D coverage amount for each child

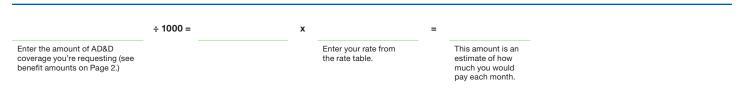
See the Important Details section for more information, including requirements, exclusions, age reductions and definitions.

Additional Features		
Seat Belt and Air Bag Benefits	The Standard may pay an additional benefit if you die while wearing a seat belt, provided certain conditions are met. If the car's air bags deploy during an accident, an air bag benefit may also be payable.	
Family Benefits Package	This package is designed to help surviving family members maintain their standard of living and pursue their dreams. Included in the package are benefits to help with child care, career adjustment for your spouse and higher education for your children.	

## (Step How Much Will Your Coverage Cost?

Because this insurance is offered through School Administrators Special Services Benefits Trust, you'll have access to competitive group rates. You'll also have the convenient payment options as we offer payroll deduction and ACH. How much your premium costs depends on the benefit amount you elect.

### Use this formula to calculate your premium payment:



If you buy coverage for you and your family, your monthly rate is shown in the table below. Use the same formula to calculate the premium that you used for yourself, but use the appropriate rate for the premium you are calculating.

Coverage for	Cost per \$1,000 of Coverage
You	\$0.020
You and your family	\$0.040

### **Important Details**

Here's where you'll find the nitty-gritty details about the plan.

### **Eligibility Requirements**

To be eligible for coverage, you must be:

- Active or Retired members in good standing of School Administrators Special Services (SASS)
- Class 1: Members of the Association of California School Administrators or the Association of California Community College Administrators.
- Class 2: Members of the Board of Directors or Field Representatives or Professional Standards Advocates or Member Service Representatives of the Association of California School Administrators.

Temporary and seasonal employees, full-time members of the armed forces, leased employees and independent contractors are not eligible.

If you buy AD&D insurance for yourself, you can also buy AD&D coverage for your family—your spouse and child(ren).

You can choose to cover your spouse, meaning a person to whom you are legally married, or your domestic partner as recognized by law, or your civil union partner.

You can also choose to cover your child. Child means your unmarried child from live birth through age 18 (through age 22 if a registered student in full-time attendance at an accredited educational institution).

Please note:

- Your child cannot be insured by more than one employee.
- Your spouse or children must not be full-time member(s) of the armed forces.
- You cannot be insured as both an individual and a dependent.

### **Coverage Effective Date**

To become insured you must:

- Meet the eligibility requirements listed in the previous sections,
- Apply for coverage and agree to pay premium

If you are not actively at work on the day before the scheduled effective date of insurance, including AD&D insurance for your dependents, your insurance will not become effective until the day after you complete one full day of active work as an eligible employee. Contact your human resources representative or plan administrator for further information about the applicable coverage effective date for your coverage, including AD&D insurance for your dependents.

### Age Reductions

Under this plan, your coverage amount is as follows: 70 through 74 65%

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75 through 79	45%
80 through 84	30%
85 or over	15%

### **AD&D Benefits**

The amount of your or your dependent's AD&D benefit for losses covered under this plan is a percentage of the amount of your, or your dependent's AD&D insurance in effect on the date of the covered accident as shown below. No more than 100 percent of the AD&D benefit will be paid for all losses resulting from one accident.

Any loss must be caused solely and directly by an accident within 365 days of the accident. A certified copy of the death certificate is needed to prove loss of life.

All other losses must be certified by a physician in the appropriate specialty determined by The Standard.

Covered loss	Percentage of AD&D benefit payable
Life <sup>1</sup>	100%
One hand or one foot <sup>2</sup>	50%
Sight in one eye, speech or hearing	50%
Two or more of the losses listed above	100%
Thumb and index finger of the same hand <sup>3</sup>	25%
Quadriplegia	100%
Hemiplegia	50%
Paraplegia	50%

- 1 Includes loss of life caused by accidental exposure to adverse weather conditions or disappearance if disappearance is caused by an accident that reasonably could have resulted in your death.
- 2 Even if the severed part is surgically re-attached. This benefit is not payable if an AD&D benefit is payable for quadriplegia, hemiplegia, paraplegia involving the same hand or foot.
- 3 This benefit is not payable if an AD&D benefit is payable for the loss of the entire hand.

### Exclusions

You are not covered for death or dismemberment caused or contributed to by any of the following:

- Committing or attempting to commit an assault or felony, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot
- Suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted injury, while sane or insane
- War or act of war (declared or undeclared), whether civil or international, and any substantial armed conflict between organized forces of a military nature
- Voluntary consumption of any poison, chemical compound, alcohol or drug, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a physician
- Sickness or pregnancy existing at the time of the accident
- Heart attack or stroke
- Medical or surgical treatment for any of the above
- Boarding, leaving or being in or on any kind of aircraft, if you are a pilot or crew member of the aircraft, or a passenger in an aircraft operated by or for the Employer

### When Your Insurance Ends

Your AD&D Insurance ends automatically on the earliest of the following:

- The date the last period ends for which a premium was paid
- \*The date your employment terminates
- The date you cease to meet the eligibility requirements (insurance may continue for limited periods under certain circumstances)
- The date the group policy, or your employer's coverage under the group policy, terminates
- For each elective insurance coverage, the date that coverage terminates under the group policy
- \*Note: You may continue coverage as a Retiree

In addition to the above requirements, your Dependents AD&D coverage ends automatically on the date your dependent ceases to meet the eligibility requirements for a dependent.

For more details on when your insurance ends, contact your human resources representative or plan administrator.

### **Group Insurance Certificate**

If coverage becomes effective and you become insured, you will receive a group insurance certificate containing a detailed description of the insurance coverage, including the definitions, exclusions, limitations, reductions and terminating events. The controlling provisions will be in the group policy. The information present in this summary does not modify the group policy, certificate or the insurance coverage in any way. If you have any additional questions, please contact the Plan Administrator.

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