

**Group Critical Illness Coverage**

**SUMMARY OF BENEFITS**

**Critical Illness coverage provides cash directly to the insured to help offset out of pocket costs.**

**Eligibility:** Issue Ages 17-70

<b>Critical Illness Base Coverage</b>	
<b>Benefit Description</b>	<b>Benefit Amount</b>
Maximum Principal Sum Employee	Choice of \$5,000, \$10,000, \$15,000 or \$20,000
Spouse* *Spouse amount cannot exceed Employee amount	Choice of \$5,000 or \$10,000
Child	Choice of \$5,000 or \$10,000
Guarantee Issue Employee Spouse/Child	20,000 10,000
Lincoln CareCompass Category Critical Illness Assessment Benefit Family Care Benefit (per insured dependent)	\$50 \$25
Heart Category Heart Attack, Heart Transplant, Stroke Arteriosclerosis, Aneurysm	Percent of Principal Sum 100% 10%
Cancer Category Invasive Cancer Cancer In Situ, Benign Brain Tumor, Bone Marrow Transplant	Percent of Principal Sum 100% 25%
Organ Category End Stage Renal Failure, Major Organ Transplant Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome	Percent of Principal Sum 100% 25%
Quality of Life Category ALS/Lou Gehrig's, Advanced Alzheimer's, Advanced Parkinson's Advanced MS, Loss of Sight, Hearing, or Speech	Percent of Principal Sum 100% 25%
Child Category Structural Defects Genetic Disorders Type I Diabetes Congenital Metabolic Disorders	Percent of Principal Sum 25% 100% 50% 50%
Accident Category Coma, Severe Burn, Paralysis	Percent of Principal Sum 100%
Lifetime Category Maximum (Category Recurrence)	200%
Additional Category Recurrence	100%
Benefit Waiting Period	None
Pre-Existing Period	12/12
Benefit Reduction	None

## Exclusions

A benefit will not be paid under this policy when:

- A category maximum has been reached (for that Category, coverage will automatically terminate). If Lincoln CareCompass is the only remaining Category, coverage will be terminated.
- A new Category Occurrence happens within 90 days of another payable event in a different category.
- A Category Recurrence happens within 180 days of another payable event in the same category.
- Diagnosis occurs prior to the effective date or after policy termination.
- The diagnosis is deemed a pre-existing condition.
- The diagnosis of any Child Category event and or any Quality of Life Category event prior to the effective date of coverage.
- An event was caused by self-inflicted injury, self destructive, suicide or attempting any of these, whether sane or insane.
- An event occurs during the attempt or commission of a felony, whether charged or not.
- An event occurs during an act of war (which is not terrorism), participation in a riot, insurrection or rebellion of any kind.
- An event occurs while serving as a member of any armed forces or auxiliary unit.
- An event occurs after the insured had resided outside of the US, Mexico, or Canada for 12 or more months.
- An event occurs while the insured was incarcerated in any type of penal facility.

## For assistance or additional information

Contact Lincoln Financial Group at (800) 423-2765 or log on to [www.LincolnFinancial.com](http://www.LincolnFinancial.com)

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