HCC Life Short Term Medical





Why Choose HCC Life Short Term Medical?







Cobra substitute



Recently naturalized U.S. citizens

HCC Life Short Term Medical (STM) provides affordable temporary health insurance to protect you and your family. You should consider purchasing HCC Life STM if you are concerned about protecting yourself from the potentially high medical costs associated with an unexpected sickness or injury.

With HCC Life Short Term Medical you are in control. You get to choose your deductible, coinsurance, maximum coverage amount, and the exact length of coverage. You also have the freedom to receive treatment from doctors and hospitals of your choice without incurring out of network penalties. HCC Life Short Term Medical gives you peace of mind.

For more information about HCC Life Short Term Medical, please visit hccmis.com

After purchasing coverage, how can I trust the company to be there if I need them?

For more than 30 years, HCC Life Insurance Company has been leading the way in medical stop loss insurance for employers who self-fund their employee benefit plans. HCC Life's products, including medical stop loss, HMO reinsurance, medical excess, group term life insurance and short term medical insurance are backed by the financial stability of its parent company, HCC Insurance Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: HCC). HCC Life holds a financial strength rating of AA (Very Strong) by Standard & Poor's and Fitch Ratings and A+ (Superior) by A.M Best Company.

Benefits of HCC Life Short Term Medical

Length of Coverage	Up to 6 or 11 months. Purchase in full or make monthly payments.
Deductibles	\$500, \$1000, \$25,00, \$5000, or \$7500 A maximum of 3 deductibles is required per family
Coinsurance	80% or 50% of the next \$5,000 of eligible medical expenses
Coverage Period Maximum	\$2 million

How HCC Life Short Term Medical Works

Policy benefits are subject to the deductible and coinsurance. After you satisfy your deductible, HCC Life STM will begin paying eligible expenses according to the coinsurance you select and up to the coverage period maximum that you choose. Benefits are based on usual and customary charges of the geographical area in which charges are incurred.

Urgent Care Center

The deductible is waived when you receive care at an urgent care center, and instead you pay a \$50 co-payment, after which coinsurance applies. An urgent care center means a facility separate from a hospital emergency department where patients can be immediately treated for injury or sickness on a walk-in basis without an appointment.

HCC Life Short Term Medical Covers:

- Inpatient and outpatient charges made by a hospital, including inpatient prescription drugs
- Charges incurred at an urgent care center after a \$50 co-pay
- Charges made by a physician, surgeon, radiologist, anesthesiologist, and any other medical specialist to whom the physician has referred the case
- Charges made for dressings, sutures, casts or other supplies prescribed by the attending physician or specialist, but excluding nebulizers, oxygen tanks, diabetic supplies and all devices for repeat use at home
- Charges for diagnostic testing using radiology ultrasonographic or laboratory services
- Charges for oxygen and other gases and anesthetics and their administration
- Charges made by a licensed extended care facility upon direct transfer from an acute care hospital
- Emergency local ambulance transport in connection with injury or sickness resulting in inpatient hospitalization
- Expenses related to complications of pregnancy
- Charges for physical therapy that is prescribed in advance by a physician in relation to a covered injury or sickness

The description of coverage in these pages is for informational purposes only. Actual coverage will vary based the terms and conditions of the policy issued. The information described herein does not amend or otherwise affect the terms and conditions of any insurance policy issued by HCC Life Insurance Company or its affiliates. In the event that a policy is inconsistent with the information described herein, the language of the policy will take precedence. Please see the policy for detailed information about these and other policy exclusions and limitations. Benefits, provisions, limitations and exclusions may vary by state.

Eligibility and Enrollment for HCC Life Short Term Medical





Coverage Effective Date

For enrollment forms received online, by e-mail, or by fax, your coverage becomes effective at 12:01 a.m.* on the date following the date we receive your completed application form provided payment has been received. For application forms submitted by mail, your effective date is 12:01 a.m.* on the postmark date of your completed application form or 12:01 a.m.* on the requested effective date, whichever is later, provided payment has been received. Your requested effective date must be within 45 days from the date you signed the application form.*

 * Times expressed are based on the geographical area where the policy holder resides.

HCC Life STM Eligibility**

You are eligible to apply for HCC Life STM if you are age 2 through 64 and you meet the following requirements:

- 1. You are not pregnant, an expectant father, or planning on adopting.
- 2. You will not be covered by other medical insurance at time of requested effective date.
- 3. You are not a member of the armed forces of any country, state, or international organization, other than on reserve duty for 30 days or less; and
- 4. You are able to answer "no" to the medical questions on the application form.

**Your spouse under age 65 and dependents under age 19 are also eligible for coverage, provided they meet the same requirements. Unmarried children under age 25 may also be included as a covered dependent if enrolled full-time in an accredited school or college. Eligibility for children ages 19 through 25 may vary by state. In order to receive coverage, applicant may be required to enroll in the Consumer Benefits of America Association.

Purchasing HCC Life Short Term Medical

HCC Life STM is offered through a nationwide network of independent insurance agents contracted with HCC Medical Insurance Services (HCCMIS). To purchase HCC Life STM, an application form must be completed. Application forms may be submitted via mail, fax or online.

If you apply online, your initial payment must be made by credit card (Visa, American Express, Discover or MasterCard). If application is by mail, you may submit premium via personal check or credit card. Payment options include single up-front or monthly payments.

Purchasing an Additional Policy

HCC Life STM is not renewable, but if your temporary insurance need continues beyond the coverage period purchased, you may apply for a new policy as long as you have not had more than two HCC Life STM policies during the past 12 months. Additional purchase may not be available in some states.

Free Look Period

If you are not 100% satisfied with HCC Life STM, return the certificate along with a written request for cancellation to HCC Life within 10 days of receipt. Coverage will be cancelled as of the effective date. No questions asked!

Consumer Benefits of America

In most states, HCC Life STM is available to members of the Consumer Benefits of America Association. Membership in the association will entitle you to discounts of up to 40% off regular retail prices on many short-term and long-term prescription drugs. Discounts are available from over 59,000 participating pharmacy providers nationwide or by mail service. When membership is required, association fees are assessed at the time of application; enrollment in the association is automatic upon payment of the correct premium and all applicable

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Not all coverages or products may be available in all jurisdictions. The description of coverage in these pages is for information purposes only. Actual coverages will vary based on local law requirements and the terms and conditions of the policy issued. The information described herein does not amend, or otherwise affect, the terms and conditions of any insurance policy issued by HCC.

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