

› Voluntary Critical Illness Insurance



An unexpected critical illness can have a lasting impact on you and your family – physically, emotionally and financially.

As an active member of National Nurses Organizing Committee/National Nurses United/California Nurses Association, you can give your family the extra security they need to lessen the financial impact of a serious illness by purchasing Critical Illness insurance through United of Omaha Life Insurance Company.

A critical illness insurance policy provides a lump-sum cash benefit upon diagnosis of a critical illness like a heart attack, stroke or cancer. The benefit can be used to pay out-of-pocket expenses or to supplement your daily cost of living.

How much insurance is enough?

Even if you have the best health insurance plan, it will not cover 100 percent of medical expenses. You also need to consider other expenses associated with the recovery process – time off work, travel to treatment centers, home modifications – that may quickly deplete your savings.

Coverage guidelines and benefits are outlined in the chart below.



ELIGIBILITY - ALL ELIGIB	LE MEMBERS	
Eligibility Requirement	You must be an actively eligible member to be eligible for coverage. The policyholder's definition of actively eligible is on file and approved with the company underwriting this coverage.	
Premium Payment	The premiums for this insurance are paid in full by you.	
BENEFIT CATEGORY ¹	CONDITION	% OF CI PRINCIPAL SUM
Heart/Circulatory	Heart Attack, Heart Transplant, Stroke	100%
	Heart Valve Surgery, Coronary Artery Bypass, Aortic Surgery	100%
Organ	Major Organ Transplant/Placement on UNOS List, End-Stage Renal Failure	100%
	Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS)	100%
Cancer	Cancer (Invasive)	100%
	Bone Marrow Transplant	100%
	Carcinoma in Situ, Benign Brain Tumor	100%
COVERAGE GUIDELINES		
For You	Principal CI Sum of \$5,000	

ADDITIONAL BENEFITS		
Policy Benefit Maximum	The maximum payout amount is 300% of the CI Principal Sum amount for each insured person. If the policy benefit maximum is reached for an insured person, the coverage will terminate.	
Additional Occurrence Benefit	Once benefits have been paid for a Critical Illness, no additional benefits are payable for that same Critical Illness for each insured person. Benefits are still payable for any other Critical Illness in the same benefit category, for each insured person.	
Reoccurrence Benefit	The reoccurrence benefit is equal to 50% of the Critical Illness principal sum.	
Portability	When insurance ends, you have the right to continue group Critical Illness insurance.	
CONDITIONS & LIMITATIONS		
Age Reductions	When you turn age 70, the original amount of insurance will reduce to 50%.	
Benefit Waiting Period	There is no benefit waiting period.	
SERVICES		
Hearing Discount Program	The Hearing Discount Program provides you and your family discounted hearing products, including hearing aids and batteries. Call 1-888-534-1747 or visit www.amplifonusa.com/mutualofomaha to learn more.	
Advocacy	Advocacy services give an employee who has been diagnosed with a medical condition access to skilled clinicians and nurses for personalized, problem-solving assistance in a one-on-one setting. Call 1-866-372-5577 Monday – Friday 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. CST or email <u>careadvocates@gilsbar.com</u> for assistance.	

¹Payment of a partial benefit reduces the remaining amount payable in a category.

>Frequently Asked Questions

Who is eligible for this insurance?

You must be performing normal activities and not be confined (at home or in a hospital / care facility), and you must be age 80 or less

What is the additional occurrence benefit?

Once benefits have been paid for a Critical Illness, no additional benefits are payable for that same Critical Illness for each insured person. Benefits are still payable for any other Critical Illness in the same benefit category, for each insured person.

What is the reoccurrence benefit?

Once benefits have been paid for a Critical Illness, a reoccurrence benefit is payable one time for a subsequent diagnosis of the same Critical Illness, subject to certain conditions. The reoccurrence benefit is equal to 50% of the Critical Illness principal sum.

Can I take this insurance with me if I change jobs / am no longer a member of this group?

In the event this insurance ends due to a change in your employment / membership status with the group, or for certain other reasons, you have the right to continue this insurance under the Portability provision, subject to certain conditions.

Are there any limitations or exclusions?

The benefits payable are subject to the following:

- Your plan is subject to a pre-existing condition limitation. A pre-existing condition is one for which you have received medical treatment, consultation, care or services including diagnostic measures, or if you were prescribed or took prescription medications in the predetermined time frame prior to your effective date of coverage. The pre-existing condition under this plan is 12/12 which means any condition that you receive medical attention for in the 12 months prior to your effective date of coverage, would not be covered.
- Benefits are not payable for any Critical Illness that:
 - Is diagnosed prior to the effective date of insurance under the Policy for the Insured Person
 - Results, whether the insured person is sane or insane, from an intentionally self-inflicted injury or illness, suicide, or attempted suicide
 - Results from an act of declared or undeclared war or armed aggression
 - Is incurred while the insured person is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves of any state or country and for which any governmental body or its agencies are liable
 - Results from illegal activities, including participation in an illegal occupation
 - Is the result of the voluntary use of illegal drugs by an insured person; the intentional misuse of over the counter medication or prescription drugs by an insured person that is not in accordance with recommended dosage and/or warning instruction(s); or the excessive or harmful use of alcohol and/or alcoholic drinks by an insured person
 - Is diagnosed outside of the United States

All exclusions may not be applicable, or may be adjusted, as required by state regulations.

This information describes some of the features of the benefits plan. Benefits may not be available in all states. Please refer to the certificate booklet for a full explanation of the plan's benefits, exclusions, limitations and reductions. Should there be any discrepancy between the certificate booklet and this outline, the certificate booklet will prevail. Availability of benefits is subject to final acceptance and approval of the group application by the underwriting company. Critical Illness insurance and accidental death & dismemberment insurance are underwritten by United of Omaha Life Insurance Company, 3300 Mutual of Omaha Plaza, Omaha, NE 68175, 1-800-769-7159. United of Omaha Life Insurance Company is licensed nationwide, except in New York. Policy form number 7000GM-U-EZ 2010.