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WHAT IS IT?

Hospital Indemnity insurance provides a cash benefit in the event of an unexpected hospital stay for a covered illness and/or injury.

You and your covered dependents are paid a set benefit amount, depending on your plan and the length of your stay. And you can use the payment in any way you choose – from medical expenses like deductibles, to every day costs, like housekeeping and child care.

Benefits pay for hospital care, including:

- · First day stay (hospital admission)
- · Additional days in the hospital
- Days spent in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)

NOTE: Your Hospital Indemnity Insurance Benefit Highlight Sheet lists additional benefits that may be included in your plan.

WHY DO I NEED IT?

Even if you have one of the best medical plans out there, it's unlikely that your plan will cover all the costs incurred by a hospital stay. Aside from hospital bills, there may be additional costs attached to time away from home, like meals, travel and lodging expenses for loved ones.

That's where Hospital Indemnity insurance can help. It can give you the peace of mind to focus on what's most important – getting better.





CASE ILLUSTRATION: JOHN'S STORY⁴

John is playing ice hockey with his son when he begins experiencing significant chest pain. He's taken by ambulance to a local hospital and is diagnosed with a heart attack. After his hospital admission, he has emergency surgery where he'll spend 2 days in the ICU, followed by another 7 days in a regular room.

While John has medical insurance, he has to meet his \$1,500 deductible before it kicks in. Because his hospital stay is covered by his Hospital Indemnity plan, he receives a cash benefit for each day spent in the hospital. This helps him cover his medical deductible and supplement his income while he was not working.

BENEFIT	PLAN PAYS
First Day Stay (Admission)	\$1,000
ICU Stay	\$600 (\$300/day x 2 days)
Additional Days Stay:	\$1,050 (\$150/day x 7 days)
Total:	\$2,650

WHAT ELSE SHOULD I KNOW?

Getting coverage is easy and affordable with:

- Guaranteed Issue¹
- Easy payroll deduction of premiums (that will never increase due to your age)
- Benefits available for your spouse and/or dependent child(ren)
- · Direct payment to you or your beneficiary
- Coverage portability: if you change jobs, you can take Hospital Indemnity insurance with you

And in addition to financial support, Hospital Indemnity insurance provides these services to help you focus on your recovery:

- **HealthChampion**^{sw2,3} Unlimited access to administrative and clinical experts who can guide you through your health concerns and care options.
- Ability Assist^{®2} 24/7 access to trained professionals and resources for assistance with the financial, legal and emotional issues that may follow a serious illness.

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This limited benefit plan (1) does not constitute major medical coverage, and (2) does not satisfy the individual mandate of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) because the coverage does not meet the requirements of minimum essential coverage.

Hospital Income Plan Form Series includes GBD-2800, GBD-2900, or state equivalent.

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