



Shepherd Center



2024

Benefits & Wellness Guide





“We are Shepherd Center”. You are what makes Shepherd Center the special place it is. It is Shepherd’s goal to provide you and your family access to quality and affordable healthcare. Each year we carefully review options available to provide you and your family the best benefits for the best cost.

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Note: This guide is intended to summarize the benefits provided to you and that are available to you from Shepherd Center. The actual determination of your benefits is based solely on the plan documents provided by the carrier of each plan. This guide is not legally binding, is not a contract, and does not alter any original plan documents.



You will have quick and easy access to your health and wellness partners with MYHR. Just call 404-352-MYHR (6947) and through a series of menu options you will be connected to our important benefit vendors.

One number that connects you to all your HR needs
404-352-MYHR (6947)

404-352-MYHR connects you to:

Menu Options

- 1 - Employee Assistance Program (EAP)**
- 2 - Bright Horizons - Child and Elder Care**
- 3 - Medical**
- 4 - Mail-Order Pharmacy**
- 5 - Leaves/FMLA/STD**
- 6 - Teladoc**
- 7 - 403b/Retirement**
- 8 - FSA/HSA**
- 9 - Vision**
- 0 - All other HR needs**



Benefit Eligibility:

- All full-time and part-time employees who work a minimum of 16 hours or more per week and their qualified dependents are eligible for benefits offered by Shepherd. Eligible/qualified dependents are your legal spouse and children up to age 26. Adopted, foster and stepchildren are also eligible for coverage with proof and supporting documentation.
- Spouses who have access to affordable healthcare as defined by the Affordable Care Act through another employer's health plan are ineligible for coverage under Shepherd's medical plan.
- Domestic partners are not considered to be eligible dependents under the Shepherd benefit plan.
- Once you elect your Shepherd Center benefit options, your elections will remain in effect for the plan year.

Qualifying Life Events

- You may only change coverage elections as a result of an IRS approved qualifying life event
- You must make your change within 30 days of your life event
- Change in status, which includes: marriage, birth/adoption of a child, employment changes, relocation, dependent satisfies or ceases to satisfy eligibility requirements
- Dependent's Open Enrollment through their employer
- Coverage changes
- HIPAA special enrollment rights
- FMLA special requirements
- Changes due to a judgment, decree or court order
- Entitlement to Medicare or Medicaid
- Death of spouse or other dependent

Benefits, apart from Short- and Long-Term Disability, will become effective on your 31st day after hire. Short- and Long-Term Disability become effective on day ninety-one.

New Hires must complete enrollment via Workday within 30 days of hire.

Enroll or Waive coverage in these plans:

- Medical/Prescription
- Dental
- Vision
- Voluntary Supplemental Life (self, spouse and/or Child)
- Health Care Flexible Spending Account (FSA)
- Health Savings Account (HSA)
- Dependent Day Care Flexible Spending (FSA)
- Commuter Benefits
- Voluntary Benefits (Accident, Hospital, Critical Illness, Legal and IDShield)

You are automatically enrolled in these Center-paid benefits:

- Basic Life and AD&D Insurance
- Short-Term Disability
- Long-Term Disability
- Employee Assistance Program (EAP)
- 403b Retirement at 4%. May waive or adjust as desired.



Medical



Medical

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 3)

Shepherd Center will offer two medical plans from which to choose. A brief summary of each plan follows with a comparative chart on page 6.

- Anthem Balance Plan
- Anthem Choice Qualified Health Plan (QHP) with an HSA option

Both plans utilize an Open Access network through Anthem. Both plans provide annual preventive care covered at 100%.

After careful consideration and analysis, we have engaged AmeriBen to be our health plan administrator. AmeriBen will be your one point of contact for help with claims issues, help with tobacco cessation, price transparency, and care management assistance for employees with chronic or acute medical needs.

AmeriBen utilizes the Anthem Network which means your doctor will be “in network” if they take Anthem insurance; however, AmeriBen will serve as your service provider, representing you and your families first.



AmeriBen



Contacting AmeriBen

You may contact your AmeriBen Personal Health Advocate at 404.352.MYHR (6947) Menu option 3, 8:00 am – 8:00 pm EST, Monday – Friday.

Please visit www.myameriben.com and register for easy and efficient access to your benefits.

Contact your Advocate:

- For answers about your plan and benefits
- Before any planned medical procedures
- For billing and claims assistance
- To confirm precertification for an upcoming procedure to avoid any possible penalties or surprise billings

With your member portal:

- You can verify coverage
- Request a copy of your ID card
- Check claims status
- Locate a provider
- View lab results, care action plans and health



Prescription Drug Coverage

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 4)

Prescription drug coverage is provided automatically when you enroll in a Shepherd medical plan. For 2024, our prescription drug plan will continue to be provided through Maxor Plus. Your AmeriBen medical ID card will include your prescription benefit information with Maxor.

Chains Available Nationwide

Albertson's Sav-On Pharmacy, Kroger Pharmacy, Costco Pharmacy, Walgreen's Pharmacy, Walmart Pharmacy, CVS Pharmacy, Kmart Pharmacy

To locate a pharmacy near you, log onto www.maxorplus.com or contact MaxorPlus Member Services at 1.800.687.0707:

Monday - Friday 7:00 am to 9:00 pm Central Time

Saturday 8:00 am to 6:00 pm Central Time

Sunday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Central Time

MaxorPlus also provides a 90-day home delivery benefit for your maintenance medication(s) which may provide you with a lower cost. To take advantage of this, ask your physician to write two prescriptions: one for a 30-day supply (to be filled at your local pharmacy to get you started), and one for a 90-day supply.

Login to www.maxorplus.com and set up your confidential member portal for helpful resources.

Shepherd Apothecary

You are able to get your prescriptions filled at the Shepherd Apothecary and pay lower copays! (see page 6) Pharmacists are available in the Apothecary Monday through Friday and can be reached via:

Email: Apothecary@shepherd.org

Phone: 404.350.7743

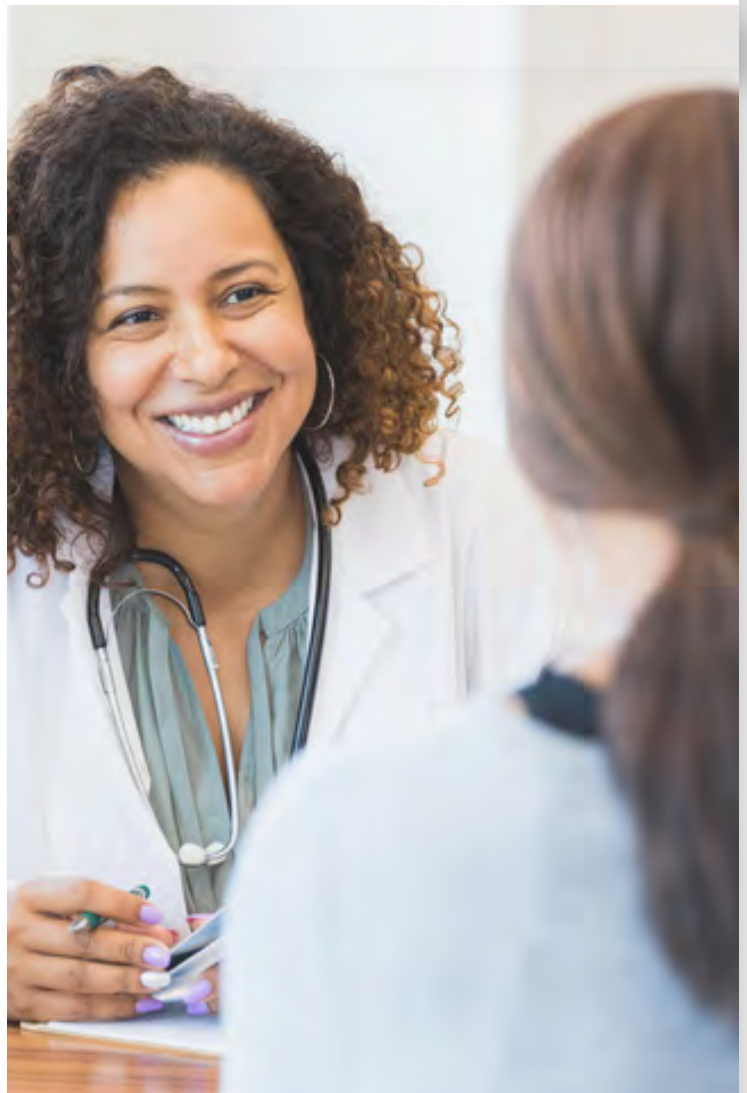
Fax: 404.350.7514

Preventive Health Care

As previously mentioned, your medical plan covers at 100%, with no cost to you, certain annual preventive care services. Such services are provided during a wellness exam. You and your doctor will determine what tests/health screenings are right for you based on your age, gender, personal health history and current health.

During your wellness exam you may receive services not considered to be preventive care services. For example, your doctor may determine you have a medical issue and additional screenings and tests are conducted after a diagnosis is made. This is no longer considered preventive care and such services will be considered under your plan's medical benefits.

Questions? Talk with your doctor or call AmeriBen 404.352.MYHR (6947); menu option 3.





	Anthem Network – Balance PPO		Anthem Network – Choice HDHP		
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Calendar Year Deductible (Embedded Deductible & OOP)	\$2,000/Single \$4,000/Family	\$5,000/Single \$15,000/Family	\$3,200/Single \$6,400/Family	\$6,000/Single \$18,000/Family	
Coinsurance Reimbursement	80% Reimbursement	60% Reimbursement	80% Reimbursement	60% Reimbursement	
Out-of-Pocket Calendar Year Maximum (Includes Deductible, Coinsurance, and Medical & RX Copays)	\$5,000/Single \$10,000/Family	\$50,000/Single \$100,000/Family	\$5,600/Single \$11,200/Family	\$50,000/Single \$100,000/Family	
Physician Services					
Office Visit	\$50 Copay	40% after Deductible	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	
Specialists	\$50 Copay	40% after Deductible	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	
Routine Physicals	100% Reimbursement	40% after Deductible	100% Reimbursement	40% after Deductible	
Inpatient Hospital Services					
Facility	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	
Outpatient Hospital Services					
Facility	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	20% after Deductible	40% after Deductible	
Emergency Care	\$200 Copay (waived if admitted)		20% after Deductible		
Urgent Care	\$50 Copay		20% after Deductible		
Telemedicine	\$0		\$55		
Prescription Drugs					
30 Day Supply	Maxor Plus	Shepherd Apothecary	Maxor Plus <small>(Once the deductible is met, then)</small>	Shepherd Apothecary <small>(Once the deductible is met, then)</small>	
Tier 1 (Generic)	\$15 Copay	\$7.50 Copay	20% up to OOP Max	10% up to OOP Max	
Tier 2 (Preferred brand)	\$35 Copay	\$17.50 Copay	30% up to OOP Max	15% up to OOP Max	
Tier 3 (Non-preferred brand)	\$65 Copay	\$32.50 Copay	40% up to OOP Max	20% up to OOP Max	
Tier 4 (Specialty)	10% up to \$250 max	5% Up to \$125 Max	20% up to \$250 Max	10% up to \$125 Max	
Mail Order (90 Days)	Maxor Plus	Shepherd Apothecary	Maxor Plus <small>(Once the deductible is met, then)</small>	Shepherd Apothecary <small>(Once the deductible is met, then)</small>	
Tier 1 (Generic)	\$30 Copay	\$15 Copay	20% up to OOP Max	10% up to OOP Max	
Tier 2 (Preferred brand)	\$70 Copay	\$35 Copay	30% up to OOP Max	15% up to OOP Max	
Tier 3 (Non-preferred brand)	\$130 Copay	\$65 Copay	40% up to OOP Max	20% up to OOP Max	
Tier 4 (Specialty) (30 day only)	10% up to \$250 Max	N/A	20% up to \$250 Max	10% up to \$125 Max	
		Employee Only	Employee + Spouse	Employee + Child(ren)	Family
60+ Hours	Balance PPO	\$74.00	\$148.00	\$117.00	\$211.00
	Choice HDHP	\$37.00	\$74.00	\$59.00	\$106.00
32-59 Hours	Balance PPO	\$127.00	\$243.00	\$191.00	\$317.00
	Choice HDHP	\$64.00	\$123.00	\$96.00	\$160.00



Telemedicine (MYHR, Menu OPTION 6)



* If you are enrolled in the Anthem Network Choice HDHP Plan there is a fee of \$55 to use Teladoc.

Telemedicine (MYHR, Menu OPTION 6)

Telemedicine will save you time and potentially money by avoiding visits to the ER, not waiting to schedule a doctor's appointment, the travel to and from an appointment, waiting to see your doctor and so on. Also, the telemedicine connection through Teladoc is available 24/7/365.

Telemedicine doctors can help with, but are not limited to treating, the following conditions:

General Health:	
• Acne	• Insect Bites
• Allergies	• Joint Aches
• Asthma	• Nausea
• Bronchitis	• Pink Eye
• Cold & Flu	• Rashes
• Diarrhea	• Respiratory Infections
• Ear Aches	• Sinus Infections
• Fever	• Skin Infections
• Headache	• Sore Throat
• Infections	• Urinary Tract Infections
Pediatric Care:	
• Colds & Flu	• Nausea
• Constipation	• Pink Eye
• Ear Aches	

Virtual Care, Anywhere.

24/7/365 Access to Board Certified Doctors and Therapists.

Skip the Waiting Room

Speak to a Doctor 24/7. Anytime, Anywhere.

Feel Better Fast

Teladoc doctors can send prescriptions right to the nearest pharmacy.

Great Doctors, Great Results

U.S. Board Certified doctors & pediatricians with an average of 15 years of experience.

Be sure to set up your Teladoc account at your earliest convenience so you will be ready to go if needed. You can set it up in 4 easy steps:

- 1) Download the app – search for “Teladoc” in the App Store or on Google Play
- 2) Set up your account – once you’ve downloaded the app, select “Set up your account”
- 3) Enter basic contact information – provide some information about yourself to confirm eligibility. Teladoc will confirm your benefits have been located and you will continue to create your account.
- 4) Create your account – enter your address and phone number, create a username and password, choose security questions and agree to the terms and conditions!

You will be ready to talk with a doctor via the app or by calling 800.835.2362.



Benefits at Your Fingertips

Helpful Apps To Make Benefits More Convenient

By downloading any or all of the following suggested apps you will have immediate and convenient access to your benefit plans. All apps are at no cost and are available at the Apple Store, Google Play and the Windows Store.



MyAmeriBen

- Provider search for doctors, facilities & dentists
- Check status of your claims, deductibles, & out-of-pocket
- Review explanation of benefits & coverage details
- Digital ID cards
- Chat feature



Wex

- Check your FSA and HSA balances
- View charts summarizing accounts
- View claims requiring receipts



Teladoc

- Schedule a virtual appointment
- Video consultation with a physician or nurse
- Tips and coaching for chronic diseases such as diabetes
- Devices and charting of your personal data



Transamerica

- Check your qualified plan balance
- Manage your investment allocations
- Request statements



EyeMed

- Provider search
- Check status of your claims
- Be certain eyeglasses/contacts are obtained from in-network provider
- Obtain hearing aid discounts



Workday

- Update personal information
- View and change benefit elections
- View pay stubs
- Manage tax withholdings
- Update 403b contributions
- Complete learning assignments



MaxorPlus

- Maintain prescription history in one location
- Pharmacy locator
- Specialty refills
- Frequently Asked Questions



Guardian

- Locate an in-network dental provider
- Obtain ID card
- Keep track of claims and claims processing



Dental



Dental Insurance

Shepherd Center offers dental insurance through Guardian. You have a choice between two plans, Plan A and Plan B. The primary differences between the two plans are the annual maximum amount (Plan A is \$1,500 and Plan B is \$2,500), Plan B does not include an orthodontia benefit and has a lower premium cost to you. Both plans allow in and out-of-network benefits. Please remember, using an in-network provider will be more cost effective.

To find an in-network provider, contact www.guardianlife.com.



Guardian Dental Coverage		
Plan Attribute	Plan A	Plan B
Annual Deductible		
Individual	\$50	\$50
Family	\$150	\$150
Deductible Applies To	Basic & Major	Basic & Major
Annual Maximum Benefit Per Individual	\$1,500	\$2,500
Preventive Services		
Cleaning - 2 treatments per year	Paid at 100% of negotiated fees No Deductible	Paid at 100% of negotiated fees No Deductible
X-rays - Bitewings & Full Mouth		
Fluoride Treatments for Adults & Children		
Basic Services		
Fillings	\$50 Deductible Applies; 80% Reimbursement	\$50 Deductible Applies; 80% Reimbursement
Simple Extractions		
Endodontics		
Periodontics		
Major Services		
Crowns	\$50 Deductible Applies; 50% Reimbursement	\$50 Deductible Applies; 50% Reimbursement
Bridges		
Dentures		
Implants		
Orthodontia		
For Adults & Children	Plan pays 50% of negotiated fees	Not Included
Lifetime Max	\$2,500	N/A

		Dental Plan Cost (per pay period) - All will be pre-tax deductions			
		Employee Only	Employee + Spouse	Employee + Child(ren)	Family
60+ Hours	A - With Ortho	\$10.00	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$35.50
	B - w/o Ortho	\$7.50	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$27.50
32-59 Hours	A - With Ortho	\$16.00	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$56.80
	B - w/o Ortho	\$12.00	\$27.20	\$27.20	\$44.00



Vision Insurance

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 9)

Shepherd Center offers two voluntary vision plans for your consideration. The plans are offered through EyeMed and allow for in-network as well as out-of-network providers. You will receive a more cost effective outcome for exams, frames and eyeglasses with an in-network provider.

To find a vision doctor in the EyeMed network, visit www.eyemed.com and reference the “Select” network.

Vision Benefits				
	Base Plan		Buy-Low Plan	
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	In-Network	Out-of-Network
Eye Exams (every 12 months)	\$10 co-pay	\$30 allowance	\$25 co-pay	\$30 allowance
Lenses (every 12 months)				
Single Lens	\$25 co-pay	\$25 allowance	\$25 co-pay	\$25 allowance
Bifocal Lens	\$25 co-pay	\$40 allowance	\$25 co-pay	\$40 allowance
Trifocal Lens	\$25 co-pay	\$60 allowance	\$25 co-pay	\$60 allowance
Lenticular	\$25 co-pay	\$60 allowance	\$25 co-pay	\$60 allowance
Frames (Base Plan every 12 months Buy-Low Plan every 24 months)	\$130 allowance + 20% off over \$130	\$65 allowance	\$100 allowance 20% off balance over \$100	\$50 allowance
Standard Contact Lens (Fit and Follow Up)	Up to \$40	N/A	Up to \$40	N/A
Premium Contact Lens (Fit and Follow Up)	10% off retail price	N/A	10% off retail price	N/A
Contact Lenses:				
Conventional	\$0 co-pay; \$120 allowance, 15% off balance over \$120	\$96	\$0 co-pay; \$100 allowance, 15% off balance over \$100	\$80
Disposable	\$0 co-pay; \$120 allowance, plus balance over \$120	\$96	\$0 co-pay; \$100 allowance, plus balance over \$100	\$80
Medically Necessary	\$0 co-pay, paid in full	\$210 allowance	\$0 co-pay, paid in full	\$210 allowance

		Vision Plan Cost (per pay period) - All will be pre-tax deductions			
		Employee Only	Employee + Spouse	Employee + Child(ren)	Family
32-72+ Hours	Base Plan	\$2.57	\$4.88	\$5.14	\$7.56
	Buy-Low Plan	\$1.62	\$3.08	\$3.24	\$4.77



Cultivate the kindness



Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs)

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 8)

Shepherd Center offers two Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs), Healthcare FSA and Dependent Care FSA. You do not have to be enrolled in any of the health plans to participate in one or both of the FSA programs. If you are participating in a Health Savings Account (HSA; details on this page), however, you may participate in a limited Healthcare FSA whereby only dental and vision eligible expenses are reimbursed, no healthcare expenses are reimbursed.

The plan year runs for a 12-month period from January 1st ending December 31st. Plan carefully, any leftover funds greater than \$640 will be forfeited.

Important Note: Unsubstantiated expenses will be taxable

Healthcare FSA

You may contribute up to \$3,200 to your Healthcare FSA for 2024. Calculate carefully what you desire to have withheld pre-tax from your paycheck each pay period. Once determined, this amount cannot be changed. Eligible expenses include:

- Prescription Drugs
- Hearing Aids
- Dental & Orthodontic Charges
- Chiropractors
- Vision Expenses
- Copays, deductibles and coinsurance
- Over-the-counter drugs will require a physician prescription to be covered by your FSA



Dependent Care FSA

You may contribute up to \$5,000 to your Dependent Care FSA if you are single or married filing jointly. If married filing individually for tax purposes the maximum amount is \$2,500. Eligible dependents include children under the age of 13 who are claimed as a dependent for tax purposes and a disabled spouse/child of any age. Eligible dependent care expenses for eligible dependents include day care, after school programs, and day camp.

Please visit www.irs.gov for a complete listing of eligible health and dependent care expenses.

Health Savings Account (HSA)

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 8)

Our Qualified Health Plan (QHP) is used in conjunction with an HSA and is designed to give you more control over how you manage your health care expenses. As long as you are enrolled in a QHP, you may continue to contribute money into your HSA, pre-tax, up to the maximum IRS limit. This money can be used to pay for eligible expenses including deductibles, coinsurance, prescription drugs, dental and vision expenses, etc.

For 2024, the maximum IRS limits you may defer to your HSA are \$4,150 for individual coverage and \$8,300 for all other tiers (employee + child, employee + spouse or family coverage). If you are age 55 or older, you may defer an additional \$1,000 which is considered a catch-up contribution.



Benefits of Health Savings Accounts

- Triple Tax Savings: (1) pre-tax deferrals from your paycheck; (2) tax-free earnings through optional investments; and, (3) tax-free withdrawals for qualified expenses.
- The money in your account is your money. You may take it with you if you change employers, health plans or retire.
- The funds roll over year to year; **there is NO “use it or lose it” rule.**
- Funds can also be used for dental and vision expenses.
- Funds can be used for dependent medical expenses even if the dependent is not covered under your health plan.
- Once you qualify for Medicare (A&B), the funds can be used to pay the premium on your Medical supplemental coverage. Once you have secured Medicare, however, you may no longer contribute to your HSA.

Limited Purpose FSA

Shepherd Center provides a Limited Purpose FSA for those contributing to an HSA. This Limited Purpose FSA can be used to pay for eligible out-of-pocket dental and vision expenses. You may contribute up to \$3,200 to your Limited Purpose FSA.

The plan year runs for a 12-month period from January 1st ending December 31st. Plan carefully, any leftover funds greater than \$640 will be forfeited.

*Throw Kindness
around like Confetti*



Commuter Benefits

Commuter costs can pile up quickly, especially in a large city like Atlanta. Instead of paying more for your commute to and from work, Shepherd Center has implemented a Commuter Benefits plan to help you save. This Commuter Benefit plan will allow you to set aside pre-tax dollars for qualified bus transit, van pooling and parking expenses.

You can pay your commuter benefits with a debit card provided by Discovery Benefits directly at the time of service. If a transit or parking facility does not accept debit card payments, you can pay out of pocket and submit a reimbursement request through the Discovery Benefits mobile app.

For 2024, the contribution limits for Commuter Benefits as determined by the IRS were:

- Parking \$315 / month
- Transit \$315 / month

For more information please visit www.wexinc.com



Life & Disability Insurance

Shepherd Center provides the following benefits at no cost to benefit eligible employees who are working 30 hours or more a week.

- Basic Life / Accidental Death & Dismemberment
- Short-term Disability and Long-term Disability

You will also have the opportunity to purchase additional life insurance for you, your spouse and your dependent children.

Basic Life Insurance

All benefit-eligible employees have life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment coverage in the amount of \$50,000 effective on the 31st day of employment. The cost for this benefit is paid in full by Shepherd Center.

This \$50,000 employer paid benefit will reduce to the % shown below based on attained age:

- 65% of the Life Insurance Benefit at age 65 (\$32,500)
- 40% of the Life Insurance Benefit at age 70 (\$20,000)
- 25% of the Life Insurance Benefit at age 75 (\$12,500)

Please make sure your beneficiary designation is current.



Supplemental Life / AD&D Insurance

For benefit eligible employees, enrollment in the supplemental life program is purely voluntary and will be funded by you through after-tax payroll deductions. Evidence of insurability is required for those who have declined coverage in the past or are a late entrant. Any coverage requiring evidence of insurability will not become effective until approved by Lincoln. Once approved by Lincoln, your elections will occur the first payroll cycle after your approval date. You must purchase employee supplemental coverage in order to purchase coverage for your spouse.

• Employee Supplemental Coverage

- o You have the option of selecting coverage equal to a multiple of your annual salary (up to 5 times) to an overall maximum of \$800,000 with evidence of insurability.
- o At your date of hire, guarantee Issue amount is up to a maximum of \$400,000.
- o When you reach age 65, coverage is available at a reduced percentage of the elected coverage amount.

• Voluntary Spouse Life Insurance

- o You may elect coverage for your spouse in increments of \$5,000, not to exceed 100% of the Employee Supplemental Life or a maximum of \$100,000.
- o At your date of hire, your spouse can get up to \$50,000 of coverage with no health questions.
- o When your spouse reaches age 65, coverage is available at a reduced percentage of the elected coverage amount.

• Voluntary Dependent Child(ren) Life Insurance

- o You may elect coverage for your eligible dependent child(ren) up to age 26 as follows:
 - Birth to 14 days: \$500
 - 15 days to 26 years: \$10,000
 - \$.88 per pay period for all children (not per child)



Voluntary Life Coverage Will Cost per Month:

Age	Employee & Spouse Cost per \$1,000
<29	\$0.05
30 - 34	\$0.07
35 - 39	\$0.100
40 - 44	\$0.140
45 - 49	\$0.230
50 - 54	\$0.380
55 - 59	\$0.610
60 - 64	\$0.950
65 - 69	\$1.690
70 - 74	\$3.490
75+	\$3.989
Child(ren) - All	\$.88

Voluntary AD&D Coverage Will Cost per Month:

	Cost per \$1,000
Employee	\$0.020
Spouse	\$0.028
Child(ren) - All	\$0.88



Short-term Disability & Long-term Disability

A disabling injury or illness that keeps you out of work could have a devastating impact on your income and jeopardize your ability to cover normal household expenses. To supplement your income if time away from work due to a non-occupational injury, illness or maternity leave is necessary, Shepherd Center provides Short-term Disability (STD) and Long-term Disability (LTD) for our benefit eligible employees, effective 90 days after hire.

Short-term Disability

Short-term Disability	
Weekly Benefit	60% of base + diff wages
Benefit Waiting Period (time away from work until benefit applies)	14 Days for Accident and/or Illness
Definition of Covered Earnings	Employee's annual base salary, excluding extra compensation, bonus, or commissions.
Taxation of Benefits	Benefit is not taxable due to gross up feature
Maximum Benefit Period	26 Weeks for Accident and/or Illness
Minimum Benefit	\$25 per week
Pre-existing Condition Limitation	None

To request a short-term disability leave of absence call MYHR, Menu Option 5.

Long-term Disability

Long-term Disability	
Monthly Benefit	60% to a maximum of \$10,000
Benefit Waiting Period (time away from work until benefit applies)	180 days (designed to dovetail behind STD)
Definition of Disability	24 Months Own Occupation
Definition of Covered Earnings	Employee's annual base salary, excluding extra compensation, bonus, or commissions.
Taxation of Benefits	Benefit is not taxable due to gross up feature
Minimum Benefit	Greater of \$100 or 10% of benefit
Maximum Benefit Period	Social Security Normal Retirement Age
Benefit Reduction Schedule	Social Security Normal Retirement Age
Survivor Benefits	3 months lump sum
Continuation of Insurance	Family Medical Leave (12 weeks) Family Medical Military Leave (12 weeks)
Pre-existing Condition Limitation	3 months prior / 12 months insured
Mental Illness & Substance Abuse Limitation	24 Month Lifetime Limitation



Time Away

Paid Days Off (PDO)

Providing you with time off to meet your personal needs is important to Shepherd Center. PDO provides you with the flexibility and choice to help you balance your work and personal life. You can use time off from your standard workweek for any of the following reasons:

- Vacation
- Holidays
- Personal illness or family member's illness
- School, religious or community activities
- Appointments and other personal business

Bereavement Leave

Full-time / part-time employees may receive up to three (3) scheduled days, at your manager's discretion, to handle activities related to the death of an immediate family member.

Family And Medical Leave (FMLA)

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 5)

FMLA is available for qualifying employees. In addition, Parental Care, Family Care and ADA Event Leave are available with approval for qualifying circumstances.

Regularly Scheduled Hours Per Pay Period	72+	64	60	56	48	40	32	Full-time (72+ hours per pay period) totals
0-4 Years	7.38	5.90	5.54	5.17	4.43	3.69	2.95	192 hours or 24 8 hour days/16 12 hour days
5-9 Years	8.92	7.14	6.69	6.24	5.35	4.46	3.57	232 hours or 29 8 hour days/19.3 12 hour days
10+ years	10.46	8.37	7.85	7.32	6.28	5.23	4.18	272 hours or 34 8 hour days/22.7 12 hour days





VIVA Finance – Financial Wellness for Employees

VIVA can help improve your financial well-being through an affordable lending program and financial education resources. VIVA's loans programs and financial education resources will help you to build credit, grow your savings and achieve financial freedom.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Full-time employee (minimum of 30 hours/week)
- Minimum of one year of employment
- No active bankruptcy
- Approved credit decision by VIVA

Employee Loan Options

Lifestyle Loan \$1,000 - \$10,000

Interest	Fee	Term	Uses
≥19.99%	\$25	24 months	Refinance and consolidate expense debt Large expenses including auto repairs, home repairs, medical bills, etc.

To apply now, go to:

www.viva-finance.com/#/welcome?employer=shepherd

For questions or additional customer service call VIVA at 678.685.8834



DAILYPAY

DAILYPAY allows you to access your pay on-demand. With DailyPay, you can track, save, and transfer your earnings on your own schedule. Benefits of DailyPay include the ability to get paid on day one, track your daily income with updates after every shift you work, transfer your pay instantly or next-day, and automatically save a portion of your paycheck. You can also use DailyPay to avoid late fees and interest charges, and to help you plan for expenses.

NEW! Northstar Financial Advisor

All Full/Parttime employees have access to Northstar, a company provided financial wellness platform. A dedicated Northstar Advisor (Certified Financial Planner) can help you with planning and reaching your financial and life goals. Northstar can help with budgeting, saving, debt management, and investing. Some examples of topics Northstar can help with include:

Confidential Support and Guidance	
403(b) Decisions	Building Emergency Savings
Paying Off Debt	Using your HSA/FSA Funds
Paying for Child's Education	Buying a Home/Refinancing
Tax Decisions	And More!

For more information visit www.northstarmoney.com and select "Sign Up".



Employee Assistance Program (EAP)

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Sometimes you simply don't know where to turn. Shepherd Center, therefore, provides an EAP with SupportLinc to help you with such issues on a strictly confidential and professional basis.

SupportLinc will provide you with work/life balance resources as well as emotional wellbeing support.

Confidential support and guidance for:

Confidential Support and Guidance	
Anxiety, Depression	Stress
Relationships	Grief and loss
Substance Abuse	And much more!

Knowledgeable specialists can help with and offer referrals for:

Specialist and Referrals	
Legal consultation	Financial expertise
Child and/or elder care	Home repair
Housing needs	Pet care, adoption
And much more!	

You choose how to access care:

 Email Send a question to support@curallinc.com	 Short code Text 'support' to 51230	 In-the-moment Support by phone from a licensed clinician 24/7/365	 Live chat Available on the web portal or mobile app
 Animo Self-directed modules on desktop or mobile	 In-person counseling Call for a referral to a local counselor	 Video counseling Schedule a virtual session by mobile or desktop	 Textcoach® Personalized coaching on desktop or mobile

And, SupportLinc is always online. Access the web portal and mobile app (eConnect® mobile app) 24/7/365 to access program services, search engines, financial calculators, numerous articles and tip sheets and much more.

Be sure to register at www.supportlinc.com.

ADDITIONAL LINCOLN BENEFITS

The following benefits are available to all benefit-eligible Shepherd employees. You do not have to be enrolled in a medical plan to access these benefits.

LifeKeys Services

LifeKeys® services from Lincoln can offer you support and guidance when life doesn't go as planned.

Advice & Support	Legal, financial, family & career support	Working Advantage discount network
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grief counseling Guidance on financial & legal matters Help with finding child care, elder care, moving/relocation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online will preparation Estate planning Budgeting Health & wellness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronics Health & fitness Home & garden Broadway shows And more!

To access LifeKeys® services:

www.guidanceresources.com (Web ID: LifeKeys), or Download the GuidanceNow mobile app, or Call 855.891.3684

Online Will Preparation

Having a Will allows you to designate who will receive your property after your death. It will provide comfort to you and your heirs. Lincoln's trusted partnership with LifeKeys® includes GuidanceResources online Will preparation services. It is easy to get started and you can make unlimited revisions at no cost.

- 1) Go to www.guidanceresources.com; first-time users should register with access code LIFEKEYS and navigate to the EstateGuidance tile.
- 2) Select Create last Will and Testament – Free. Click Get Started
- 3) Provide required information to create an online account
- 4) Answer preliminary questions. You can also add a living will or final arrangements for an additional cost. Click Get Started to proceed.
- 5) Enter your personal information, click Next to move through all eight sections
- 6) Download the completed document to your computer or have it emailed to you at no cost

Be sure to sign and date your Last Will and Testament in the presence of a qualified witness and notary public.

Travel Protection

Emergencies can happen while traveling but with Lincoln's Lincoln Travel Connect®, help is only a phone call away, 24/7, 365 days a year from wherever you are in the world. In an emergency you can even call collect. All of the program services are available when you travel over 100 miles from home. You can use your Lincoln TravelConnect services by calling the phone number on your ID card available via www.myoncallportal.com.

Coverage Highlights

- Replacement of lost or stolen travel documents
- 24 / 7 nurse help line
- Emergency medical evacuations
- Evacuations for natural disasters and political emergencies
- Transportation of remains
- Return of children and pets to their home following a medical emergency

Medical Assistance	Safety Services	Travel Services
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worldwide medical, dental & pharmacy referrals • Treatment monitoring • Hospital payment facilitation • Relay of insurance & medical information & records • Transportation from a medical facility that cannot provide adequate treatment to one that can, and transportation home after treatment • Transportation, with an escort if needed, for unattended minor children and pets to their home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If at site of a natural disaster, evacuation to nearest safe haven location • Lodging at the safe haven location • Travel arrangements 	<p>Before the trip:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel & health information, including visas and vaccination requirements • Security intelligence to help arrive safely & wisely • Destination information, including currency & weather <p>During the trip:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translation services • Legal referrals • Emergency travel fund assistance • Identity recovery assistance





Additional Benefit Offerings



403(B) Tax Deferred Savings Plan

(MYHR, Menu OPTION 7)

Building a healthy financial future is just as important as taking care of your health care needs. That’s why Shepherd Center is honored to offer our valued employees the Shepherd Center 403(B) Tax Deferred Savings Plan. Our plan offers tax deferred employee contributions along with generous employer match to qualified employees to increase savings opportunities.

All employees are eligible to participate in the plan from the first date of employment regardless of PRN, full-time, or part-time status. Full-time/part-time employees regularly scheduled to work 32 hours or more per pay period and have one year of service are eligible for an employer match as follows:

YEARS OF SERVICE	SHEPHERD CENTER MATCH*
1 – 4	25 %
5 – 9	35 %
10+	50 %

*Employees are always fully vested in their own contributions and are fully vested in the employer match after three (3) years of employment.

For plan year 2024, the maximum IRS limit is \$23,000; if you are over age 50 or older at the end of the calendar year you may contribute an additional \$7,500 (projected for 2024) to your account. This maximum does not apply to the amount contributed by Shepherd Center.

Funds are managed by TransAmerica. To enroll in our 403(B) plan or to make changes to your existing account, visit Workday.

All benefit eligible new hires will be automatically enrolled in the 403b plan. Employees may opt out at any time. All employees are encouraged to regularly review their investment options and contribution levels.

Bright Horizons

Shepherd Center’s partnership with Bright Horizons provides employees with additional benefits through their Back-Up Care Advantage Program and Bright Horizons CareDirect.

These programs are provided to Shepherd Center employees at no cost. Additionally, Shepherd Center subsidizes these benefits so that any costs an employee may incur as a result of using services found through Bright Horizons is especially affordable.

Register Today at No Cost

www.careadvantage.com/shepherd

Back-Up Username: Shepherd

Back-Up Password: care4you

877-BH-CARES (242-2737)

Back-Up Care Advantage

Back-Up Care Advantage acts as a safety net. It is a program that can help with temporary care arrangements when disruptions to your regular dependent care arrangements (child or adult) occur and you need to get to work. It is a quick, dependable solution for these types of urgent situations.

Additionally, activate your membership to *sittercity* (www.sittercity.com) and find someone to help your family during the workday, weekends, or after school.

Bright Horizons CareDirect

Bright Horizons CareDirect can connect you with additional resources to help locate ongoing care and support for your entire family, including your four-legged family members. These resources can help you with:

Bright Horizons CareDirect	
Center-based Child Care	Pet Care
Preferred Enrollment at Bright Horizons Centers	Tutoring, Test Prep & Homework Help
Babysitters, Nannies & Housekeepers	Family Matters Resource Room for family life topics
Elder Care	



Education Reimbursement

Education reimbursement is a benefit which provides eligible employees with an incentive to complete course work at accredited institutions of higher learning to enhance the employee's knowledge and skills and increase the performance in the position held, or to enable the employee to apply for future positions within Shepherd Center. A standing committee will approve applications approved upon yearly budgets, eligibility, and program requirements.

Active & Fit Direct

The Active&Fit Direct Program provides employees direct access to a national network of over 9,300 participating fitness centers at rates below direct consumer purchasing. The Active&Fit Direct Program provides Shepherd Center and their members with the following services:

- **Program Entry Points.** Shepherd Center has the option of offering its members the choice of directly purchasing a fitness center membership. Members receive a fitness center membership at over 9,300 Active&Fit-contracted fitness centers nationwide. They will be responsible for an initial enrollment fee (\$25) and a monthly fee (\$28), plus any applicable taxes, payable to Active&Fit Direct by credit card or through PayPal. The member must enroll for a minimum of three months. Members can access more than one contracted fitness center and still only be responsible for the monthly membership fee.
 - o Fitness center options include over 9,300 participating fitness centers across the United States.
 - o Available fitness center types include coed facilities, gender-specific facilities, and exercise centers.
 - o If the member wants to tour the facility before enrolling, the [ActiveAndFitDirect.com](https://www.ActiveAndFitDirect.com) fitness center directory indicates which facilities offer a free guest pass for the member to use before making a commitment.
- **Active&Fit Connected!** An online data aggregator tracks members' exercise, and other independent activity data collected by 150+ wearable wireless fitness devices, exercise equipment, and mobile applications.
- **Member Enrollment.** Shepherd Center employees can easily navigate over to Active and Fit by going to Shepherd Central / Human Resources / Benefits / Active and Fit link embedded on this page.



ID Shield & Legal Shield

In an effort to protect you and your family, Shepherd Center is offering our employees access to ID Shield and Legal Shield at a discounted rate. This benefit is offered at time of open enrollment only.

ID Shield

Millions of people lose their identities every year. Identity theft has been the top consumer complaint filed with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) for 16 years straight. Victims are spending an exorbitant amount of time and money dealing with it. Criminals are getting smarter. IDShield membership provides the following benefits with a \$5 million service guarantee:

- Privacy Monitoring of your name, SSN, date of birth, email addresses and phone numbers (up to 10), driver license and passport numbers, and medical ID numbers (up to 10)
- Security Monitoring of your SSN, credit cards (up to 10), bank accounts (up to 10), financial activity alerts and quarterly credit score tracking. With the family plan, Minor Identity Protection is included and provides monitoring for up to eight (8) children under the age of 18.
- Consultation and counseling is available 24 hours a day in the event of an identity theft emergency.
- Full Service Restoration of complete identity recovery by Kroll Licensed Private Investigators with a \$5 million service guarantee that if your identity is stolen, it will be restored to its pre-theft status.

Additional Benefit Offerings Continued Next Page



Legal Shield

Expected and unexpected legal issues arise every day. As a member of LegalShield, you will have access to talk to a lawyer on any personal legal matter, no matter how trivial or traumatic, all without the worry of high hourly fees. Your LegalShield Membership includes:

- Personal legal advice, letters, and calls on unlimited issues on your behalf
- Contracts and documents reviewed (up to 15 pages)
- Lawyers can prepare your Will, Living Will and Health Care Powers of Attorney
- Moving Traffic Violations (available 15 days after enrollment)
- IRS audit assistance
- Trial defense (if named defendant/respondent in a covered civil action suit)
- Uncontested divorce, separation, adoption and/or name change representation (available 90 days after enrollment in Family Plan)
- 25% preferred member discount if you use your Provider Law Firm for legal situations that extend beyond plan coverage
- 24/7 emergency access for coverage situations

Monthly Premium	Individual	Family
LegalShield	\$16.95	\$18.95
IDShield	\$8.95	\$18.95
Combined	\$25.90	\$33.90

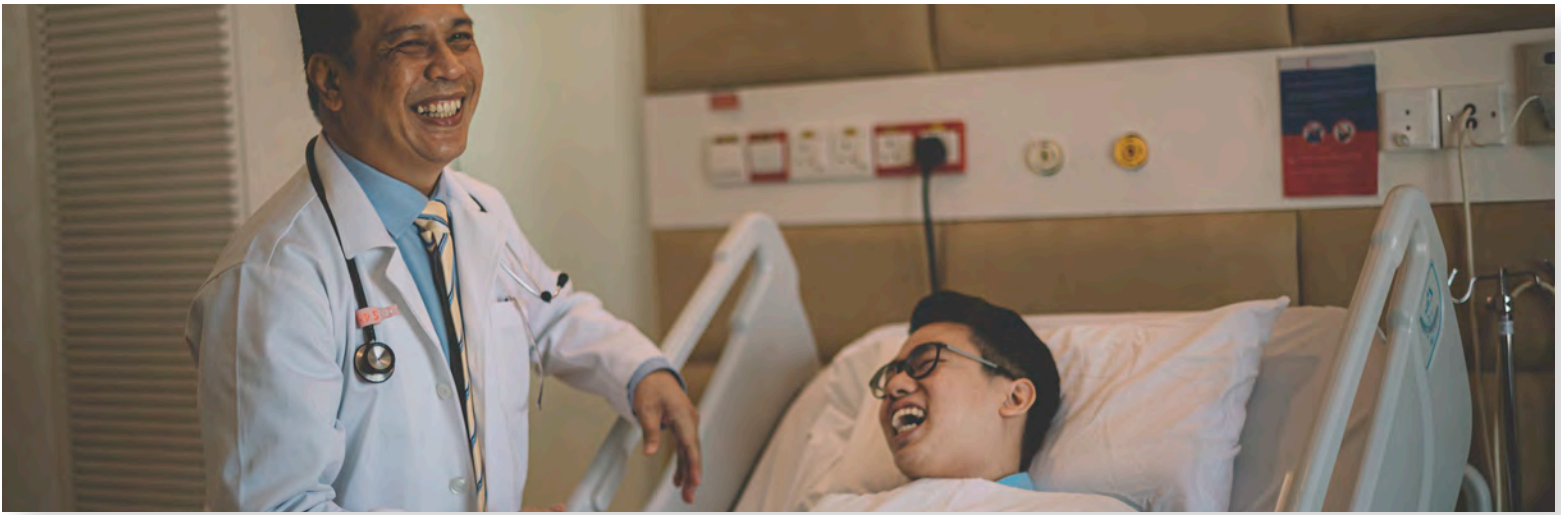
Voluntary Work Site Products

Accident Insurance

Designed to supplement your employer sponsored health coverage, accident insurance pays specific benefit amounts for expenses resulting from covered non work-related injuries and accidents. Benefits are paid in a lump sum, tax-free to you and typically increase with the severity of the accident. Coverage is available for you, your spouse, and/or your children.

This plan includes a wellness benefit of \$50 per year for each covered family member when they complete a Health Assessment Test such as your annual physical exam, dental preventive exam, eye exam, osteoporosis screening, and others. Child Health Assessment Test also includes a school or sports physical, child immunizations, concussion screening and others.





Critical Illness Insurance

Group Critical Illness insurance provides cash benefits if you are diagnosed with a covered critical illness, such as cancer, heart attack, or stroke. More importantly, the plan helps you focus on recuperation instead of the costs of medical and personal bills. Cash benefits are paid directly to the insured upon diagnosis of a covered critical illness. Your children age 25 or less are automatically covered at 50% of your benefit election. They should be added during enrollment.

You can choose a benefit of \$10,000, \$20,000 or \$30,000 of coverage. You may purchase Critical Illness for your spouse equal to 50% of the employee coverage.

This plan includes a wellness benefit of \$50 per year for each covered family member when they complete a Health Assessment Test such as a stress test, colonoscopy, mammography, pap smear, hepatitis screening, specific blood tests for breast cancer, ovarian cancer, prostate cancer, colon cancer and others.

Hospital Indemnity Insurance

Hospital Indemnity Insurance is designed to help provide financial protection for covered individuals by paying a benefit due to hospitalization. You can use the benefit to meet the out-of-pocket expenses and extra bills that can occur. Indemnity lump sum benefits are paid directly to you based on the amount of coverage listed, regardless of the actual cost of treatment. The option of electing spouse and/or dependent coverage is also available.

What's included?

- \$1,000 for covered hospital admission (one per year)
- \$100 for each day of your covered stay, up to 65 days
- \$200 for each of intensive care stay, up to 20 days



One Number to Remember...










With **MYHR** you will have quick and easy access to your health and wellness partners. Just call **404-352-MYHR (6947)** and through a series of menu options you will be connected to our important benefit vendors.

One number that connects
you to all your HR needs
404-352-MYHR (6947)



404-352-MYHR connects you to:

Menu Options

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	8 - FSA/HSA
	9 - Vision
	0 - All other HR needs

Workday

- Update personal information
- View and change benefit elections
- View pay stubs
- Manage tax withholdings
- Update 403b contributions
- Complete learning assignments