

# **Benefit Information Sheet - Retirees**



## **Calgary Board of Education Retirees**

Employees who are at least 55 years of age, have a minimum of 10 years of service at the time of retirement and who are enrolled in Sun Life benefits immediately before their date of retirement may choose to enrol in the Retired Employee Benefit Package. Below is an overall summary of the plan and coverage (additional details may be found in the Sun Life Benefits Booklet for Retired Employees). The premium cost is 100% paid by the retiree.

### 1. Supplementary Health Care

Provision	Description
Deductible	\$25 per individual or family (does not apply to in province hospital)
Maximum	\$50,000 every 3 consecutive years for all supplementary health care
Reimbursement level	100% for hospital (in province) 80% for hospital (out of province but within Canada) 50% for psychologist and social worker 80% of all other eligible expenses
Prescription Drugs	80% after the deductible (Note that coverage with the Pay-Direct Drug Plan Card is not available under this plan)  For details, see the Sun Life Benefits Booklet
Covered expenses	Semi-private hospital  Ambulance - If medically necessary — response and transportation, including air

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Provision	Description
	Home nursing care, no maximum
	Dental treatment – accidental injury
	Hearing Aids – \$250/lifetime
	Eye exams – \$25 every 2 years
	Medical equipment, including braces, crutches, etc.
	Mammary prostheses – \$200/year
	Artificial limbs and eyes, oxygen, plasma and blood
Vision care	No coverage
Out of Canada	No coverage
Emergency travel assistance	No coverage
Practitioner	Coverage
Physiotherapy	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Massage Therapist	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Speech Therapist	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Chiropractor	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Chiropodist	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Naturopath	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Podiatrist	\$10 per visit, 30 visits per year
Psychologist/Social Worker	\$400 per person per year

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#### 2. Dental Care

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Limits – the Calgary Board of Education is using the current provincial Dental Fee Guide to define maximum reimbursement for dental services rendered.

Your dentist may charge you above these limits.

Charges over the fee guide are the responsibility of the retiree.

The following chart summarizes some of the frequently used dental care services (see the benefits booklet for additional information on yearly visit/service occurrence limits):

Provision	Description
Deductible	None
Reimbursement level	50% for basic 50% for major Orthodontic work is not covered
Maximum	\$1,000 per person per year for all services

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## 3. Other Benefits and Costs

Provision	Description
Life Insurance	\$5,000 up to age 65
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	No coverage
Long Term Disability	No coverage
Health Spending Account (HSA)	No coverage
Benefit Costs	100% employee paid

### 4. Contact Information

1. If you have questions about your coverage contact the Employee Contact Centre at:

403-817-7333

- 2. Benefit coverage is through Sun Life:
  - Contact the Sun Life Customer Care Centre at 1-800-361-6212 any business day between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. (EST).
  - sunlife.ca

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