

Benefits At-A-Glance

All Full Time GEON US Employees

Supplemental Long-Term Disability Insurance

The Lincoln Long-term Disability Insurance Plan:

- Provides a cash benefit after you are out of work for 180 days or more due to injury, illness, or surgery
- Starts with a “core plan” that is paid for by GEON
- Offers a simple “buy-up” option that lets you enhance your benefit at affordable group rates
- Features group rates for eligible GEON employees
- Includes *EmployeeConnect*SM services, which give you and your family confidential access to counselors as well as personal, legal, and financial assistance

Core Plan (paid by GEON)

Monthly benefit amount	50% of your monthly salary, limited to \$15,000 per month
Elimination period	180 days

“Buy-Up” Option LTD (paid by you through payroll deduction)

Monthly benefit amount	66.67% of your monthly salary, limited to \$20,000 per month
Elimination period	180 days

Elimination Period

- This is the number of days you must be disabled before you can collect disability benefits.

Maximum Coverage Period

- This is the total amount of time you can collect disability benefits (also known as the benefit duration).
- Benefits are limited to 24 months for mental illness; 24 months for substance abuse

Age at Disability	Maximum Benefit Period
Less than age 60	Greater of Social Security Normal Retirement age or to age 65 or 42 months
60	Greater of Social Security Normal Retirement age or 42 months
61	Greater of Social Security Normal Retirement age or 36 months
62	Greater of Social Security Normal Retirement age or 30 months
65	24 months
66	21 months
67	18 months
68	15 months
69 and over	12 months

Additional Plan Information

Evidence of Insurance

- Evidence of insurability (proof of health) may be required.

Pre-existing Condition

- If you have a medical condition that begins before your coverage takes effect, and you receive treatment for this condition within the 3 months leading up to your coverage start date, you may not be eligible for benefits for that condition until you have been covered by the plan for 12 months.

Benefit Exclusions & Reductions

Like any insurance, this long-term disability insurance policy does have some exclusions. You will not receive benefits if:

- Your disability is the result of a self-inflicted injury or act of war
- Your disability is the result of cosmetic surgery, unless related to a disabling condition
- Your disability occurs while you are committing a felony or misdemeanor or participating in a riot

Your benefits may be reduced if you are eligible to receive benefits from:

- A state disability plan or similar compulsory benefit act or law
- A retirement plan
- Social Security
- Any form of employment
- Workers' Compensation
- Salary continuance
- Sick leave

A complete list of benefit exclusions and reductions is included in the policy. State restrictions may apply to this plan.

This is not intended as a complete description of the insurance coverage offered. Controlling provisions are provided in the policy, and this summary does not modify those provisions or the insurance in any way. This is not a binding contract. A certificate of coverage will be made available to you that describes the benefits in greater detail. Refer to your certificate for your maximum benefit amounts. Should there be a difference between this summary and the contract, the contract will govern.

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Supplemental Long-Term Disability Insurance Calculate Your Premium

Use the employee buy-up long-term disability premium rate table provided below to calculate your cost and benefit. The following example calculates the monthly cost for an employee with annual earnings of \$35,400.

Note: The maximum monthly covered earnings are equal to the maximum monthly benefit divided by the benefit percentage.

Calculation Example		Example	You
Step 1	Enter the monthly rate per \$100 of monthly covered payroll.	\$0.639	
Step 2	Enter your monthly earnings. <i>Divide your annual earnings by 12.</i>	\$2,950	
Step 3	If your monthly earnings are greater than the maximum monthly covered earnings of \$30,000, indicate \$30,000. <i>Otherwise, indicate the amount from Step 2.</i>	\$2,950	
Step 4	Calculate your monthly benefit. <i>Multiply Step 3 by .6667.</i>	\$1,967	
Step 5	Enter your monthly earnings in increments of \$100 of monthly covered payroll. <i>To calculate, divide the amount in Step 3 by \$100.</i>	29.5	
Step 6	Calculate your monthly cost. <i>Multiply Step 1 by Step 5</i>	\$18.85	

Premium Rate
\$0.639

This worksheet allows you to approximate your monthly contributions for buy-up long-term disability insurance coverage. Cost of insurance may change in the future due to changes in your earnings.