

CIGNA CRITICAL ILLNESS

Highlights

- Pays a lump sum benefit upon diagnosis of a covered critical illness (including cancer, heart attack, stroke, Parkinson's disease, heart disease and more)
- Provides up to \$20,000 Guaranteed Issue for members, up to \$10,000 for spouse, and up to \$5,000 for dependents if you apply within your initial eligibility period
- No waiting period and no age restrictions
- Pre-existing conditions do not apply with this plan
- Maximum Lifetime Limit is equal to the lesser of five times the elected benefit amount or \$100,000 per covered person (exclusions apply)
- **Portability Conversion:** Coverage will continue at the same benefit level as long as you retain your membership with HGEA*

More Details

- Pays a lump sum benefit direct to the insured, unless otherwise assigned, upon the date of diagnosis made after the coverage effective date, for each of the covered conditions listed below in Summary of Benefits
- Critical Illness Recurrence Benefit will be paid for the diagnosis of a subsequent covered condition that has already received a benefit payout under this policy after a 12-month waiting period from the previous diagnosis, subject to the Maximum Lifetime Limit, listed below in Summary of Benefits.
- This plan has limitations and exclusions listed below in Benefit-Specified Conditions, Exclusions & Limitations.

Summary of Benefits

Benefit Waiting Period	None
Pre-Existing Condition Limitations	Does not apply.
Member Benefit Amount(s)	Voluntary Benefit Amounts (options for member selection): \$10,000 or \$20,000 Guaranteed Issue
Spouse/Domestic Partner Benefit Amount(s) <i>(Spouse to age 99 is eligible for coverage if member is enrolled)</i>	Voluntary Benefit Amounts (options for spouse selection): 50% of issued member benefit amount (Guaranteed Issue)
Dependent Child Benefit Amount(s) <i>(Child only eligible if member is enrolled; Birth to 26; 26+ if disabled)</i>	Voluntary Benefit Amounts (options for child selection): 25% of issued member benefit amount
Age Based Reductions	None
Initial Critical Illness Benefit	Pays a lump sum benefit direct to the insured, unless otherwise assigned, upon the date of diagnosis made after the coverage effective date, for each of the covered conditions listed on the next page. The amount payable per covered condition is the Initial Benefit Amount multiplied by the applicable percentage for the diagnosis of the covered condition shown on the next page. Each covered condition will be payable one time per covered person, subject to the Maximum Lifetime Limit below. A 180-day separation period between the dates of diagnosis is required.
Recurrence Critical Illness Benefit	Benefits will be paid for the diagnosis of a subsequent covered condition that has already received a benefit payout under this policy after a 12-month separation period from the previous diagnosis, subject to the Maximum Lifetime Limit below.
Skin Cancer Benefit	Pays a flat dollar benefit. See next page for benefit amount.
Maximum Lifetime Limit	The lesser of 5 times the elected Benefit Amount or \$100,000 per covered person. Does not apply to skin cancer.

List of Covered Conditions

Cancer Conditions	Option 1, % of Initial Benefit Amount	Recurrence, % of Initial Benefit Amount
Invasive Cancer	100%	100%
Carcinoma in Situ	25%	25%
	Benefit Amount	
Skin Cancer	\$250; 1x per lifetime	Not Available
Vascular Conditions	Option 1, % of Initial Benefit Amount	Recurrence, % of Initial Benefit Amount
Heart Attack	100%	100%
Stroke	100%	100%
Coronary Artery Disease	25%	25%
Nervous System Conditions	Option 1, % of Initial Benefit Amount	Recurrence, % of Initial Benefit Amount
Advanced Alzheimer's Disease	25%	Not Available
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)	25%	Not Available
Parkinson's Disease	25%	Not Available
Multiple Sclerosis	25%	Not Available
Other Specified Conditions	Option 1, % of Initial Benefit Amount	Recurrence, % of Initial Benefit Amount
Benign Brain Tumor	100%	100%
Blindness	100%	Not Available
Coma	25%	25%
End-Stage Renal (Kidney) Disease	100%	100%
Major Organ Failure	100%	100%
Paralysis	100%	100%

Benefit-Specified Conditions, Exclusions & Limitations

In addition to the Common Exclusions, the following additional conditions, exclusions and limitations apply:

- The date of diagnosis occurs while the covered person's coverage under this policy is active.
- The definition for the covered condition is satisfied.
- Only one Initial Benefit paid for each covered condition per covered person. Only one Initial Benefit paid for each covered condition per covered person. Additional benefits available under the Recurrence Benefit.
- Maximum Lifetime Limit and separation periods apply.
- **Invasive Cancer:** Excludes pre-malignant conditions or conditions with malignant potential, carcinoma in situ, basal cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma of the skin (unless metastatic disease develops), melanoma that is diagnosed as Clark's Level I or II or Breslow less than 0.75mm, or melanoma in situ, or prostate tumor that is classified as T-1a, b, or c, N-0, and M-0 on a TNM classification scale. Also excludes the recurrence or metastasis of an original cancer that was diagnosed prior to the coverage effective date if the Insured has undergone treatment for such cancer within one year of being diagnosed while under this coverage.
- **Carcinoma in Situ:** Excludes premalignant conditions or conditions with malignant potential, skin cancers (basal/squamous cell carcinoma or melanoma/melanoma in situ)
- **Stroke:** Must have neurological deficits or confirmatory finding 96 hours after the event occurs. Excludes transient ischemic attack (TIAs), brain injury related to trauma or infection, brain injury associated with hypoxia or anoxia, vascular disease affecting eye or optic nerve or ischemic disorders of the vestibular system.
- **Coronary Artery Disease:** Excludes angioplasty (percutaneous coronary intervention) and stent implantation.
- **Coma:** Does not mean any state of unconsciousness intentionally or medically induced from which the covered person is able to be aroused.
- **Major Organ Failure:** If the covered person has a combination transplant (i.e. heart and lung), a single benefit amount will be payable. Recurrence Benefit not payable for same organ for which a benefit was previously paid.
- **Paralysis:** Excludes loss due to stroke and multiple sclerosis.

Critical Illness Rate Summary

Member Paid Monthly Age Banded Rates					<i>Member Paid Guaranteed Issue Level: \$10,000</i>			
Attained Age	Member		Member & Spouse		Member & Child(ren)		Member & Family	
	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco
0-24	\$1.99	\$2.55	\$3.12	\$4.01	\$2.69	\$3.25	\$3.82	\$4.71
25-29	\$2.41	\$3.40	\$3.71	\$5.26	\$3.11	\$4.11	\$4.41	\$5.96
30-34	\$3.59	\$5.50	\$5.39	\$8.31	\$4.29	\$6.21	\$6.10	\$9.02
35-39	\$5.49	\$9.60	\$8.12	\$14.31	\$6.19	\$10.30	\$8.82	\$15.02
40-44	\$7.30	\$13.41	\$10.86	\$20.05	\$8.00	\$14.11	\$11.56	\$20.76
45-49	\$10.57	\$20.58	\$16.04	\$31.44	\$11.27	\$21.28	\$16.74	\$32.15
50-54	\$14.68	\$28.67	\$23.17	\$44.97	\$15.39	\$29.37	\$23.87	\$45.67
55-59	\$20.15	\$38.42	\$32.60	\$61.70	\$20.85	\$39.13	\$33.30	\$62.40
60-64	\$25.62	\$46.98	\$41.79	\$75.97	\$26.33	\$47.68	\$42.49	\$76.67
65-69	\$31.84	\$55.74	\$51.72	\$88.57	\$32.54	\$56.45	\$52.42	\$89.27
70-74	\$45.45	\$74.91	\$73.10	\$118.58	\$46.15	\$75.61	\$73.80	\$119.28
75-79	\$60.93	\$90.55	\$98.29	\$144.18	\$61.63	\$91.25	\$98.99	\$144.88
80-84	\$79.50	\$113.16	\$123.05	\$177.57	\$80.20	\$113.87	\$123.76	\$178.28
85+	\$113.25	\$137.09	\$175.41	\$213.34	\$113.95	\$137.79	\$176.11	\$214.05

Member Paid Monthly Age Banded Rates					<i>Member Paid Guaranteed Issue Level: \$20,000</i>			
Attained Age	Member		Member & Spouse		Member & Child(ren)		Member & Family	
	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco	Non-Tobacco	Tobacco
0-24	\$3.98	\$5.10	\$6.24	\$8.02	\$5.38	\$6.50	\$7.64	\$9.42
25-29	\$4.82	\$6.80	\$7.42	\$10.52	\$6.22	\$8.22	\$8.82	\$11.92
30-34	\$7.18	\$11.00	\$10.78	\$16.62	\$8.58	\$12.42	\$12.20	\$18.04
35-39	\$10.98	\$19.20	\$16.24	\$28.62	\$12.38	\$20.60	\$17.64	\$30.04
40-44	\$14.60	\$26.82	\$21.72	\$40.10	\$16.00	\$28.22	\$23.12	\$41.52
45-49	\$21.14	\$41.16	\$32.08	\$62.88	\$22.54	\$42.56	\$33.48	\$64.30
50-54	\$29.36	\$57.34	\$46.34	\$89.94	\$30.78	\$58.74	\$47.74	\$91.34
55-59	\$40.30	\$76.84	\$65.20	\$123.40	\$41.70	\$78.26	\$66.60	\$124.80
60-64	\$51.24	\$93.96	\$83.58	\$151.94	\$52.66	\$95.36	\$84.98	\$153.34
65-69	\$63.68	\$111.48	\$103.44	\$177.14	\$65.08	\$112.90	\$104.84	\$178.54
70-74	\$90.90	\$149.82	\$146.20	\$237.16	\$92.30	\$151.22	\$147.60	\$238.56
75-79	\$121.86	\$181.10	\$196.58	\$288.36	\$123.26	\$182.50	\$197.98	\$289.76
80-84	\$159.00	\$226.32	\$246.10	\$355.14	\$160.40	\$227.74	\$247.52	\$356.56
85+	\$226.50	\$274.18	\$350.82	\$426.68	\$227.90	\$275.58	\$352.22	\$428.10

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