

GROUP BENEFITS PLAN FOR FACULTY & PROFESSIONAL SUPPORT RETIREES

Group Insurance Benefit	Premium Cost	Insurance Carrier	Coverage
Life Insurance	100% Retiree Paid	Manulife Financial	 Basic Life Insurance \$50,000 – up to age 65 Early retirees may elect to continue their basic life coverage until age 65 with 100% of premium paid by member. Coverage reduces to \$10,000 at age 65
AD&D	100% Retiree Paid	Beneva Insurance	 \$50,000, Coverage ends at age 65 Early retirees may elect to continue their accidental death and dismemberment coverage until age 65 with 100% of premium paid by member. Coverage is equal to the amount of basic life insurance.
Dependent Life	100% Retiree Paid	Manulife Financial	 Spouse \$3,000 Child \$1,500 Coverage ends at age 65 Early retirees may elect to continue their dependent life coverage until age 65 with 100% of premium paid by member.
Group Heath	100% Employer Paid	Medavie Blue Cross	 *Drug Coverage stops at age 65 – retired members who are approaching age 65 may apply for drug coverage through NS Senior's Pharmacare. If a member age 65 and over with a Spouse under age 65 is enrolled in the family plan, drugs for the Spouse will be covered at the drug plan reimbursement level once the plan deductible (between January 1 and December 31) has been paid. The spouse can submit paid-in-full prescription drug receipts to Blue Cross once the deductible is satisfied). Extended health care benefits, such as: vision, paramedicals, hospital, hearing aids, vision, medical equipment, etc. will continue with no coverage termination date.
Dental	100% Retiree Paid	Medavie Blue Cross	No termination age – continuation of coverage if premium paid
Optional Life \$10k – \$300k Combined max for Retiree and spouse	100% Retiree Paid	Manulife Financial	 ** Reduces to \$50,000 at age 70. Coverage stops at age 85 Early retirees may elect to continue their optional life coverage until age 85 with 100% of premium paid by member. The premium amount is based upon the members' age band. ***Contact your NSCC Group Benefits Consultant at 902-491-6749 for more detailed information on converting insurance coverage to a private policy with the insurer. Application must be made within 31 days of termination of coverage.
Voluntary AD&D \$5K – \$300k Single/Family	100% Retiree Paid	Beneva Insurance	Coverage stops at age 75Maximum reduces to \$100,000 at age 70
Critical Illness	100% Retiree Paid	Beneva Insurance	Coverage stops at age 75Premium is age band and amount rated
Voluntary Travel Insurance	Not included in NSCC suite of group retiree benefits.		 Group travel coverage terminates upon retirement. Voluntary Personal Emergency Travel Health Insurance: SecuriGlobe is a reputable financial services firm who can tap into over 10 travel insurance companies to find travel insurance solutions that may meet your personal travel needs at: Learn-more about travel insurance solutions. You may also wish to contact other travel insurance providers, depending on what you are looking for/your needs.