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More Ways to Meet Life Insurance Needs

Life insurance is the cornerstone of any employee benefits program. With a broad array of competitively-priced life insurance plans and innovative options, we help employers keep up with their employees' diverse and changing

coverage needs while delivering value beyond a lump sum payment. The chart below summarizes several recent enhancements to our life coverage.

Benefit Provisions	Product	Description
Dependent Waiver of Premium	Basic and Voluntary Life	When the employee's premium for life insurance is waived due to disability, the dependents' premium will also be waived and coverage will continue for all participants.
Dependent Accelerated Life Benefit	Voluntary Life	Accelerated life benefits allow a terminally ill covered person to "accelerate" a portion of his/her life coverage, and receive a benefit prior to death. The benefit is now extended to cover dependents under voluntary life.
Re-Enrollment Options	Voluntary Life	Expanded options to allow employees enrolled for voluntary life insurance to increase coverage without Evidence of Insurability (EOI). A covered employee can increase life coverage per annual enrollment in two ways:
		 By available increments up to the Guarantee Issue (GI) (No EOI required for total life insurance amounts up to guarantee issue amount)
		 By up to two available increments (No EOI required even if total life insurance amount exceeds guarantee issue amount as long as no more than two increments elected)
		 By up to \$50,000, not to exceed the GI, not tied to a specific number of increments
Repatriation	Basic and Voluntary Life	Repatriation provides for reimbursement of expenses to transport the body of a loved one, when death occurs 75 miles or more from home. This benefit — previously only available on Accidental Death and Dismemberment — is expanded to apply to Life plans, so all deaths, not just accidents, can be eligible for this reimbursement.
Seatbelt/Airbag	Basic Life	This benefit pays an additional amount if death results while properly wearing a seatbelt and the vehicle was equipped with airbags. The benefit payable to employees is \$10,000 and \$5,000 respectively, and dependents \$5,000 and \$2,500. The benefit is available on AD&D and Voluntary Life, and has been added to Basic Life.

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