Employees are one of the most valuable resources of the Loudoun County Public School System. We are pleased to offer a variety of benefits to meet the diverse needs of our employees.

Take a few moments to become familiar with this Employee Benefits Handbook. It has been carefully prepared for you and should answer most questions you may have about benefits you receive as an employee of the Loudoun County Public School System.

More detailed information is available by calling Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits at 571-252-1810 or Retirement and Disability Programs at 571-252-1690. You may also direct questions to lcpshealthwellness@lcps.org or lcpsretiredisability@lcps.org.

Sincerely,

E. Leigh Burden
Assistant Superintendent
Business and Financial Services
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<td>Annual Leave — Classified Employees Working 12 Months</td>
<td>Receive 1 day per month for first six months, and then receive the balance due for the school year. (Prorated for late starts and early releases)</td>
<td>12 days first year. One additional day is earned for each additional year of service up to the 13th year. 24 days earned is maximum beyond the 13th year of service. 60 days maximum carryover.</td>
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<td>Annual Leave — Administrators</td>
<td>Immediate (Prorated for late starts and early releases)</td>
<td>20 days for 1st &amp; 2nd years of service 21 days after 2 years of service 22 days after 4 years of service 23 days after 6 years of service 24 days after 8 years of service</td>
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<td>Sick Leave</td>
<td>Immediate (Prorated for late starts and early releases)</td>
<td>10 Month Employees receive 10 sick days 11 Month Employees receive 11 sick days 12 Month Employees receive 14 sick days Cumulative if not used; cashed out only as outlined below. Payment of unused sick leave at retirement is limited to those with 10 or more years of LCPS service. Payment is equal to 25% of the value of the unused sick leave balance, up to a maximum payout of 25% of average teacher’s salary for the school year.</td>
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<td>Sick Leave from Other Virginia Public Schools</td>
<td>Documentation must be received.</td>
<td>Transferable with provisions under LCPS Policy §7-57. Maximum of 90 days.</td>
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<td>Personal Leave 10-11 Month Employees</td>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>3 days per year. Unused personal leave will be transferred to employee's sick leave balance at the end of the school year.</td>
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<td>Donated Family Sick Leave Bank</td>
<td>Donation of 2 sick days to enroll in the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank. All leave must be depleted to use the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank. First 30 days of family illness must use own leave or leave without pay (see restrictions under Leave Without Pay section).</td>
<td>Maximum of 30 days each school year can be drawn from the Family Sick Leave Bank.</td>
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<td>Bereavement Leave</td>
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<td>Provides days of leave due to the death of a member of the employee's immediate or extended family. This leave is charged to employee’s sick leave balance.</td>
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Notes
The following information is provided as an overview of Loudoun County Public Schools benefits programs for benefits eligible employees. Please refer to the Loudoun County Public Schools Policy Manual or other appropriate plan documents or visit www.lcps.org.

Access the Internet (www.lcps.org > Administration > Business and Financial Services > Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits) for information and forms or call the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division at 571-252-1810.
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| **Group Health Insurance**<sup>1</sup> Medical                                    | 1st of the month following eligibility and the receipt of completed and signed enrollment paperwork in the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division including all supporting documentation. Dependents are covered up to age 26. | Open Access Plan (OAP) Plan administered by CIGNA Healthcare Coverage.  
Plan administered by CIGNA Healthcare Coverage.  
In-network (CIGNA network)  
• $15 co-pay for primary care physician  
• $30 co-pay for specialist  
• $200 co-pay, then 10% after deductible ($200 for Individual and $400 for Family) for hospitalization  
• $1,000 Individual, $2,000 Family Out-of-Pocket Maximum  
Out-of-network  
• $500 deductible per person (per contract year)  
• $1,000 deductible per family (per contract year) then Insurance pays 70% of reasonable and customary plan charges for most covered services  
Point of Service (POS)  
Plan administered by CIGNA Healthcare Coverage.  
In-network (CIGNA network)  
• $15 co-pay for primary care physician  
• $30 co-pay for specialist  
• 100% coverage for hospitalization  
• $2,500 Individual, $5,000 Family Out-of-Pocket Maximum  
Out-of-network  
• $500 deductible per person (per contract year)  
• $1,500 deductible per family (per contract year) then Insurance pays 80% of reasonable and customary plan charges for most covered services |
| **Group Health Insurance**<sup>1</sup> Prescriptions                              | Same as above                                           | Coverage is the same regardless of POS or OAP plan choice.  
Plan administered by Express Scripts.  
• $5.00 co-pay for generic medications  
• $25.00 co-pay for formulary brand name medications  
• $45.00 co-pay for non-formulary brand name medications  
• Mail order prescription service available for maintenance medications | **Note**  
Open enrollment for group health insurance is the time of year employees may add, increase, decrease or drop health insurance coverage. The open enrollment period is October 15th to November 15th, to be effective January 1st. Employees may only make changes to coverage outside of open enrollment as a result of and coinciding with a qualifying family status change, as defined by IRS regulations.
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| Group Health Insurance¹ Vision                | 1st of the month following eligibility and the receipt of completed and signed enrollment paperwork in the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division including all supporting documentation. Dependents are covered up to age 26. | Plan administered by Davis Vision. Members may use a participating provider to receive the highest benefit or use a non-participating provider and receive a reduced benefit.  
  - Eye exam (once every 12 months)  
  - Frames (once every 24 months)  
  - Lenses, including contacts (every 12 months) |
| Group Health Insurance¹ Dental/Orthodontia   | Same as above                    | Comprehensive dental plan administered by Delta Dental Plan of Virginia (DDPV), Premier and Preferred Plan  
  In-network:  
  - Preventive services covered at 100% Basic/Major services covered at 80% after a $50/$150 deductible  
  - Annual maximum per person per contract year is $1,250 (Preventative and Orthodontics not included)  
  Out-of-network:  
  - Preventive services covered at 80% of reasonable and customary charges  
  - Basic services covered at 60% of reasonable and customary charge ($50/$150 deductible)  
  - Major services covered at 50% of reasonable and customary charge ($50/$150 deductible)  
  - Annual maximum per person per contract year is $1,250 (Preventative and Orthodontics not included)  
  Orthodontia plan benefit is 50% of usual, customary and reasonable charges, up to a $1,000 lifetime maximum benefit per person. |
<p>| VRS Retirement                               | 1st of the month following eligibility date | Starting 7/1/2012 all new LCPS employees will be required to pay the entire 5% member contribution to the Virginia Retirement System, as a pre-tax payroll deduction. LCPS will pay the appropriate Employer contributions, which is determined annually by VRS. |
| Group Term Life Insurance and Accidental Death/ Dismemberment | Immediate                           | Coverage is 2 times the employee’s annual salary (4x salary in the event of accidental death). Currently, LCPS pays all premiums for this coverage. |</p>
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<td>Optional Group Term Life Insurance</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date if within the first 31 days of new hire. Pending approval date from insurance company thereafter</td>
<td>Additional group term life insurance coverage is available for up to 4 times the employee's salary. Coverage may also be purchased for your spouse and/or eligible child(ren) and paid via payroll deduction. The employee pays the full cost for this coverage.</td>
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<td>457 Deferred Compensation Program</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date</td>
<td>Retirement savings plan that allows employees to defer up to $17,500 annually (calendar year 2014 limit). Amount deferred is not subject to federal and state payroll withholding taxes.</td>
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<td>403(b) Elective Deferral Program</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date</td>
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<td>Long Term Care Insurance Plan</td>
<td>Genworth: 1st of the month following eligibility date if within the first 30 days of new hire. Pending approval date from insurance company thereafter VRTA: Pending approval from the insurance company</td>
<td>Contact the insurance company that you are interested in that is listed further in this book.</td>
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<td>AFLAC Cancer and Hospital Intensive Care</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date</td>
<td>Contact the Agent listed further in this book.</td>
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<td>Short Term Disability</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date</td>
<td>For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members - Employer paid premiums; Benefit is 60% of your regular salary up to a maximum of $1,730.00 per week for a maximum 10 calendar weeks after elimination period. For VRS Hybrid Members - Coverage is through VLDP. Visit <a href="http://www.varetire.com">www.varetire.com</a> for more information.</td>
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<td>Voluntary Long Term Disability</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility date if within the first 30 days of new hire. Pending approval date from insurance company thereafter</td>
<td>For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members - Provides partial income continuation for employees who are disabled and unable to perform the duties of their job. For VRS Hybrid Members - Coverage is through VLDP. Visit <a href="http://www.varetire.com">www.varetire.com</a> for more information.</td>
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<td>Flexible Spending Accounts Flexible Spending Medical Reimbursement</td>
<td>1st of the month following eligibility and the receipt of completed and signed enrollment paperwork in the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division including all supporting documentation.</td>
<td>Employees can set aside up to $2,500 per year of pre-tax dollars to claim reimbursement for allowable health care expenses. Employees can set aside up to $5,000 per year of pre-tax dollars to claim reimbursement for eligible dependent care expenses.</td>
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<td>1st of the month following eligibility and the receipt of completed and signed enrollment paperwork in the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division including all supporting documentation.</td>
<td>Employees may participate in Virginia 529 prePAID and Virginia 529 inVEST, while having their payments withheld via payroll deduction. An contract must be set up with the Commonwealth of Virginia prior to payroll deduction.</td>
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<td>Employee Assistance</td>
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<td>Provides free and confidential assistance for problems or issues that are affecting the employee personally or at work. EAP services include assessment and referral to appropriate resources, and are available to the employee and his/her immediate family.</td>
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<td>Credit Union</td>
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<td>Employees may join the Apple Federal Credit Union and the Loudoun Credit Union.</td>
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<td>Social Security and</td>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>Employee and LCPS pay 6.20% on all wages up to $117,000 (calendar year 2014 limit). An additional 1.45% of wages is paid (no limit) for Medicare by the employee and LCPS.</td>
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<td>Medicare</td>
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<td>Direct Deposit</td>
<td>Form must be completed and returned to the Financial Services Office within 30 days of hire date</td>
<td>Your paycheck is automatically deposited in one bank of your choice and/or a Loudoun or Apple Federal Credit Union Account</td>
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<td>Discounts</td>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>Discounts are available with various area restaurants and other local businesses. Most vendors require you to present your LCPS badge to receive the discount.</td>
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<td>U.S. Securities and Bonds</td>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>Employees may purchase U.S. Securities and Bonds through payroll deductions using TreasuryDirect.</td>
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Determine Eligibility

If you are a new employee
All benefits eligible employees are eligible to participate in the LCPS benefit programs described in this handbook. You have 30 days from your date of hire to complete and return your enrollment forms. Late enrollment for these programs is not accepted.

Please note the following:
• If your contract or work status is not benefits eligible, you are not eligible to participate in the VRS retirement, life insurance, long-term disability programs, health insurance or flexible spending accounts.
• If both you and your spouse are full time employees, you may be eligible for reduced contribution rates for your health benefits.

LCPS requires all new employees to participate in its New Employee Orientation program, where you will receive detailed information about your benefit programs.

If you will be requesting health coverage for your dependent(s), you must also submit documentation to verify their eligibility. (See page 2-15 for the list of required documents.) If you submit your enrollment forms and documentation after the payroll deadline for that pay period, you will have a double deduction in a future paycheck.

If you are a current employee
You may enroll, add, or cancel coverage for yourself or your dependents or change your health care benefits and Flexible Spending Account participation during the annual Open Enrollment, October 15 - November 15. Changes made during Open Enrollment take effect January 1 of the following calendar year. If adding dependents, you must submit applicable documentation to verify your dependent’s eligibility. See page 2-15 for required documents. Late enrollment for these programs is not accepted.

Your Health First

Cigna can help you get what you need for your chronic health condition. Support is offered for the following conditions:
• Diabetes
• COPD
• Asthma
• Metabolic Syndrome
...and more

Call 855-246-1873 for live support from your health advocate or log on to myCIGNA.com for self-service resources.
Group Health Insurance

Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
571-252-1810

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How to Enroll

Your benefits for status changes or qualifying events
You must notify Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within 30 days* of a status change or qualifying event if you wish to make a change to your Health Insurance.

Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code outlines status changes or qualifying events that permit mid-year coverage changes to employee benefit plans. The following events are examples of eligible status changes or qualifying events:

- Marriage or divorce. You may drop coverage for a spouse if you are legally separated; however, you must drop your spouse and any ineligible stepchildren upon your divorce.
- Birth or adoption. If you notify the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within 30 days, your child’s medical benefits become effective on the date of birth, date of adoption (or date placed for adoption). As an adoptive parent, you do not have to wait until the adoption is final to add your child to your health plan.
- Becoming the legal guardian of a child.
- A court order requiring you to cover a child or an order requiring someone else to cover your dependent.
- Death of a spouse or child.
- Spouse’s or other dependent’s change in employment status that affects his or her eligibility for medical and/or dental benefits (or his or her employer’s open enrollment).
- Beginning or returning from an unpaid leave of absence.
- Loss of health coverage.
- Significant increase or reduction in hours.
- Dependent reaching age 26.
- A significant cost change, coverage curtailment, improvement, new option, or a change in coverage under your spouse’s or dependent’s plan.
- Entitlement to or loss of Medicare or Medicaid.

How to change your coverage
IRS rules state that health care election changes must be on account of, and correspond to, a change in status that affects eligibility under the health plan. Paperwork must be received by LCPS within 30 days* of your status change or qualifying event.

It is your responsibility to inform the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits about a status change by completing a Health Insurance enrollment form, which is available under Forms and Publications on the LCPS Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website or by calling 571-252-1810.

You must also provide the required documentation to support the change in coverage.

Additional required documentation may include:

- Divorce decree (applicable pages).
- Letter from your spouse’s or dependent’s employer or open enrollment notice including enrollment dates and effective date.
- Letter from your spouse’s or dependent’s HR Department or insurance plan with insurance cancellation date.
- Letter from your spouse’s or dependent’s HR Department or insurance plan explaining circumstances regarding a significant cost change, coverage curtailment, improvement, new option, or change in coverage for your dependent.
- Copy of your letter from Medicare/Medicaid.

If you fail to notify LCPS Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within the 30-day* period, you may not enroll, cancel, or change coverage until the next Open Enrollment. Changes made to your coverage during Open Enrollment become effective January 1 of the following calendar year.

Notes
- Two full time school employees with Family Coverage will each pay discounted rate per month toward the cost of their coverage.
- All new hires will be paid on the semi-monthly pay cycle.
- If you elect not to participate in the insurance plan upon hire, you may enroll during any Open Enrollment thereafter. Open Enrollment is October 15 to November 15, with changes/additions to be effective January 1st.
- Children are covered up to age 26.

Things to know:
- Your Health Insurance is a bundled plan
- One application is all you need to enroll in the “bundled” Health Insurance Program.
- Coverages can not be “unbundled”.

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Adding or Removing a Family Member

- If you marry, you may change your enrollment from Individual to Employee plus Spouse or Family.
- If you divorce your former spouse no longer qualifies for LCPS health insurance. You may change your enrollment:
  - Once your divorce is final; or
  - Having a signed separation agreement or property settlement.
- If you and your spouse have a baby, adopt a baby, or gain legal guardianship of a child, you can add the new dependent and change your level of coverage.
- If you have a child participating in the Dependent Care Flexible Benefit Plan Account, and you add a new child to the family, you may change your Dependent Care account contribution.
- If your son or daughter “ages out”—that is, he or she turns age 26—he or she is no longer eligible for LCPS coverage as a dependent. Coverage automatically ends at the end of the month in which he or she turns age 26.

In addition to submitting an enrollment change form, you must also provide documentation of the event as described on the form.

To facilitate compliance with federal mandates relating to health plans, you are requested to provide Social Security Numbers of all eligible dependents when adding them to your health benefit plans.

Employment Changes

- If you are enrolled through a health plan with your spouse’s employer and your spouse loses coverage, you and your family may enroll in an LCPS plan.
- If your spouse changes jobs and you join your spouse’s employer’s plan, your enrollment in that plan will allow you to cancel your LCPS coverage.
- If your spouse’s or dependent’s employer has a benefits open enrollment period that does not coincide with the LCPS enrollment period, and if you, your spouse, or your dependent joins that plan, you may cancel LCPS coverage.
- If you return to active employment from a leave of absence or retirement and are eligible for benefits, you must enroll within 30 days of your status change.

Coordination of Benefits

When both spouses work, each person may be covered by his or her employer’s health plan, as well as the spouse’s health plan. Coordination of benefits determines which group health care plan pays benefits first. The secondary health plan may then pay additional benefits. Health insurers follow a common set of guidelines to determine which plan pays first and which plan pays second for family members. Your employer’s group health care plan is always primary for you as an employee.

If you are married, and both you and your spouse cover your dependent children, the plan that covers the parent whose birthday falls first in the calendar year usually is primary for any dependent children.

Other factors that can change which plan pays first include eligibility for Medicare, court decrees or custody arrangements, the length of time you are covered, and whether you are an employee or retiree.

Pre-existing Conditions

None of the health care plans offered by LCPS will deny you or your qualified dependents coverage because of a pre-existing condition.

Public Law 110-173 requires the LCPS health plans to report participant’s Social Security Numbers (SSNs) in order to coordinate benefits with Medicare or other insurance benefits. All participants (employees and dependents) age 45 or older must provide SSNs in order for LCPS health plans to meet the requirements of this law. All participants who are receiving kidney dialysis or have received a kidney transplant, as well as all participants under age 45 who have Medicare, are also required to report SSNs.

Notes

- Your Health Plan is effective the 1st of the month following eligibility and the receipt of completed and signed enrollment paperwork in the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits including all supporting documentation.

- If you elect not to participate in the insurance plan upon hire, you may enroll during any Open Enrollment thereafter. Open Enrollment is October 15 to November 15, with changes/additions to be effective January 1st.

- This summary of Loudoun County Public Schools Health Insurance Program is for informational purposes. In the event of discrepancy or error, the Summary Plan Documents on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website at www.lcps.org will prevail.

* You must notify the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within the first 30 days of your employment to initially elect benefits. In order to make a change outside of open enrollment, you must also contact the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within 30 days of any qualified event.
Notes

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Things to know:

• Forms can be found under Forms and Publications on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website at www.lcps.org.

• Make sure you submit your application within the first 30 days of your hire date.

Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Website

The Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website has detailed benefits information, forms, and more. From the LCPS homepage

www.lcps.org

With your cursor over Administration, click on Business and Financial Services, then click on “Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits” on the left side.

Your Health First

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• Asthma
• Metabolic Syndrome
...and more

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### Active Employees—Group Health Insurance Premiums

**Medical, Prescription, Dental and Vision Coverage**

January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2014

#### 30+ HOURS PER WEEK

Includes all employees in a full time position on June 30, 2013 and all full time employees hired on or after July 1, 2013 who work 30+ hours per week.

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<td>Employee Cost Monthly: $195.13, LCPS Cost Monthly: $1,105.73, Total Premium Monthly: $1,300.86</td>
<td>Employee Cost Monthly: $379.27, LCPS Cost Monthly: $1,105.73, Total Premium Monthly: $1,485.00</td>
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#### 25-29 HOURS PER WEEK

Includes all full time employees hired on or after July 1, 2013 who work 25-29 hours per week.

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#### 20-24 HOURS PER WEEK

Includes all full time employees hired on or after July 1, 2013 who work 20-24 hours per week.

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CIGNA Healthcare (Group 3320020)  
Member Services: 1-800-244-6224  
www.cigna.com or www.mycigna.com  

24 Hour Nurseline: 1-800-564-8982  
Express Scripts: 1-800-886-9672  

Delta Dental of Virginia (Group #6111-6000)  
Member Services: 1-800-237-6060  
www.deltadentalva.com  

Davis Vision (Group LOU)  
Member Services: 1-888-235-3130  
www.davisvision.com
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**PREVENTIVE CARE**

| Routine Physical Exam  | No charge                         | 30% after deductible             | No charge                         | 20% after deductible             |
| Well Baby/Child Care   | No charge                         | 30% after deductible             | No charge                         | 20% after deductible             |
| Childhood Immunizations| No charge                         | 30% after deductible             | No charge                         | 20% after deductible             |

**PHYSICIAN SERVICES**

| Primary Care Physician (PCP) Office Visit | $15 co-pay | 30% after deductible | $15 co-pay | 20% after deductible |
| Specialist Office Visit              | $30 co-pay | 30% after deductible | $30 co-pay | 20% after deductible |
| Lab Work and X-Rays                  | 10% after deductible | 30% after deductible | Covered in full | 20% after deductible |
| Allergy Evaluations                  | PCP or Specialist co-pay | 30% after deductible | PCP or Specialist co-pay | 20% after deductible |
| Allergy Shots                        | PCP or Specialist co-pay | 30% after deductible | PCP or Specialist co-pay | 20% after deductible |

**MATERNITY CARE**

| Physician Services | PCP/Specialist co-pay for Initial Visit to confirm pregnancy: 10% after deductible | 30% after deductible | PCP/Specialist co-pay for Initial Visit to confirm pregnancy, no charge after confirmation | 20% after deductible |
| Hospital Services   | $200 co-pay, then 10% after deductible | $400 per admission, than 30% after deductible | Covered in full | 20% after deductible |

**EMERGENCY SERVICES (WHEN MEDICALLY NECESSARY)**

| Urgent Care Centers | $50 co-pay | $50 co-pay | $25 co-pay | $25 co-pay |
| Emergency Room      | $100 co-pay | $100 co-pay | $100 co-pay | $100 co-pay |
| Emergency Physician Services | No charge | No charge | No charge | No charge |
| Emergency Ambulance  | 10% after deductible | 10% after deductible | No charge | No charge |

Note
This is a summary of benefits for your Network POS and OAP Co-pay plan. In the POS plan, all in-network services must be performed by the Primary Care Physician (PCP), referred by the PCP (unless using the OAP plan) or approved by the local Health Plan.

Deductibles and out-of-pocket maximum will reset at the beginning of each plan year.

Find your participating doctors at:
www.cigna.com
www.mycigna.com

Employees who participate with LCPS Health Insurance will also have access to the 24-Hour Nurseline hotline, regardless of which plan they choose. The number for the 24-Hour Nurseline is 1-800-564-8982.
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<td>$200 co-pay, then 10% after deductible</td>
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<td>Professional Services</td>
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<td><strong>HOSPITAL SERVICES-OUTPATIENT</strong></td>
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<td>Surgical Procedures</td>
<td>$100 per visit, then 10% after deductible</td>
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<td><strong>OTHER SERVICES</strong></td>
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<td>External Prosthetics</td>
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<td>Organ Transplant</td>
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<td>30% of charges</td>
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Submit your Medical Claims to:
CIGNA Healthcare
PO. Box 182223
Chattanooga, TN 37422

Submit your Behavioral Health Claims to:
CIGNA Behavior Health
PO. Box 46279
Eden Prairie, MN 55344
Dental Plan Summary

The Delta Dental PPO Program allows you to:

- Change dentists at any time without pre-approval;
- Go to a specialist without pre-approval.

During your first appointment, provide your dentist with the following information:

- the subscriber’s identification number
- inform the dentist that your program is through Delta Dental of Virginia

You may select the dentist of your choice. However, you will receive the highest level of benefits available in your group’s program by choosing a Delta Dental PPO Dentist.

### Choosing A Dentist

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<td>Payment will be made directly to the dentist for covered benefits.</td>
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<td>Delta Dental’s payment will be based on the Delta Dental PPO Allowance for covered benefits.</td>
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<td>The dentist will accept Delta Dental’s payment, plus any required co-insurance and deductible (if applicable) as payment in full for covered benefits.</td>
<td>Delta Dental Premier dentists have agreed to accept Delta Dental Premier Allowances plus any required co-insurance and deductible (if applicable) as payment in full for covered benefits. The amount you would owe a Delta Dental Premier Dentist who is not a Delta Dental PPO Dentist may be higher than the amount you would owe a Delta Dental PPO Dentist for the same covered benefits.</td>
<td>You will be responsible for any required co-insurance and deductible (if applicable) as well as the difference between the non-participating dentist’s charge and Delta Dental’s payment for covered benefits. The amount you would owe a Non-Participating Dentist may be higher than the amount you would owe a Delta Dental PPO or Delta Dental Premier Dentist for the same covered benefits.</td>
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The preceding information is offered as a brief description of the Delta Dental PPO program and what Delta Dental pays for services covered under the program. It is not intended for use as a summary plan description nor is it designed to serve as an Evidence of Coverage for the program. This Delta Dental PPO program is administered by Delta Dental of Virginia. If you have specific questions regarding benefit structure, limitations or exclusions, consult the plan document or call Delta Dental’s Benefit Services Department at 800-237-6060.

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*The amounts listed under the Plan Differential are the deductible and maximum benefits permitted. The in-network and out-of-network deductibles and maximums are not separate and amounts applied to one will apply to the other.

**In order to be compliant with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act requirement for Essential Health Benefits and Pediatric Dental, annual benefit maximums will not apply toward Diagnostic & Preventive Services, Basic Services or Major Services for any covered member under the age of 19.

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<td>Oral exams and cleanings</td>
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<td>Amalgam (silver) and composite (white) fillings</td>
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<td>Retreatment limited to once per surface in a 24-month period.</td>
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<td>Stainless steel crowns</td>
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<td>Limited to primary (baby) teeth for participants under age 14.</td>
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<td>Oral Surgery</td>
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<td>Simple extractions, impactions, and other surgical procedures.</td>
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<td>Denture repair and recementation of crowns, bridges and dentures</td>
<td>80%</td>
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<td>Cost limited to 50% of allowance for a new denture or prosthesis.</td>
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<td>Endodontic services/root canal therapy</td>
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<td>Repeat treatment only after 2 years from initial root canal therapy treatment.</td>
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<td>Periodontic services (scaling and root planing, soft tissue and bony surgery, including grafts)</td>
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<td>Limitations of 2-3 years apply based on services rendered. 4 periodontal cleanings in a calendar year.</td>
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<td>Prosthodontics/Dentures/ Bridges</td>
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<td>Once every 5 years, and only when an existing prosthesis cannot be rendered serviceable. Fixed bridges or removable partials are not benefits for Dependents under age 16.</td>
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<td>Crowns</td>
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<td>Once per tooth every 5 years, and only when an existing crown cannot be rendered serviceable. Benefit available only when tooth is damaged by decay or fractured to the point it cannot be restored by an amalgam or composite restoration. Crowns for dependents under the age of 12 are not covered. Temporary prosthetic devices are not a separate benefit. Any charge for these devices is included in the fee for the permanent device.</td>
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<td>Orthodontic Benefits</td>
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<td>Lifetime maximum of $1000.  These services are exempt from the deductible and the annual maximum.</td>
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Vision Plan Summary

Vision Care Plan benefit description
Loudoun County Public Schools is pleased to provide this information about your vision care plan administered by Davis Vision, Inc., a leading national administrator of routine vision care programs. Eligibility for vision care benefits is determined by the same rules that apply to your other health care benefits.

How do I receive services from a provider in the network?
• Call the network provider of your choice and schedule an appointment.
• Identify yourself as a Davis Vision plan participant and a Loudoun County Public Schools employee or covered dependent.
• Provide the office with the employee’s identification number and the name and date of birth of any covered dependents needing services.

It’s that easy! The provider’s office will verify your eligibility for services, and no ID cards or claim forms are required!

Who are the network providers?
They are licensed providers who are extensively reviewed and credentialed to ensure that stringent standards for quality service are maintained. Please call 1-888-235-3130 to access the Interactive Voice Response (IVR) Unit, which will supply you with the names and addresses of the network providers nearest you, or you may access their website at www.davisvision.com and utilize their “Find a Doctor” feature.

What about retail locations?
In order to provide our employees with the greatest amount of flexibility and convenience, Davis Vision makes available a number of retail establishments to our provider network. Benefits at retail locations may vary slightly from other locations.

What are the plan benefits, frequencies and costs?
Eye Examinations — Every 12 months including dilation as professionally indicated.
• In-Network Co-pay — $15.00
• Out-of-Network — Reimbursed up to $35.00
Eyeglasses
• Frame — Every 24 months
• Spectacle lenses — Every 12 months
• In-Network Co-pay — $15.00 for lenses
  You may choose a frame from “The Collection” (Designer selection) available in most network provider offices. A $110.00 credit will be applied toward a network provider’s own frame.
• Out-of-Network — Reimbursed up to $35.00 for a frame, up to $25.00 for single vision lenses, up to $40.00 for bifocals, up to $55.00 for trifocals, up to $125.00 for lenticular (post-cataract) lenses.
Contact Lenses — Every 12 months
• In-Network Co-pay — $15.00
  Standard soft daily-wear, disposable* or planned replacement* contact lenses may be selected in lieu of eyeglasses. A $100.00 credit, plus a 15% discount on any average (which may or may not apply toward fitting/follow-up care fees), will be applied toward contact lenses from the provider’s own supply. Medically necessary contact lenses will be covered in full with prior approval.
• Out-of-Network — Reimbursed up to $95.00 for elective contact lenses; up to $210.00 for medically necessary contact lenses with prior approval.

*Please note: Contact lenses can be worn by most people. Once the contact lens option is selected and the lenses are fitted, they may not be exchanged for eyeglasses. Routine eye examinations may not include professional services for contact lens evaluations. Any applicable fees are the responsibility of the patient. Disposable contact lens wearers will receive four multi-packs of lenses. Planned replacement contact lens wearers will receive two multi-packs of lenses.

Coverage is based on a 12-month rolling calendar with the exception of frames which are on a 24-month rolling calendar.
When will I receive my eyewear?
Your eyewear will be sent to your provider from the laboratory generally within two to five business days. More delivery time may be needed when out-of-stock frames, ARC (anti-reflective coating), specialized prescriptions or a participating provider’s frame is selected.

May I use the benefit at different times?
You may “split” your benefits by receiving your eye examination and eyeglasses (or contact lenses) on different dates or through different provider locations, if desired. However, complete eyeglasses must be obtained at one time, from one provider. Continuity of care will best be maintained when all available services are obtained at one time from either an in-network or an out-of-network provider. To maximize your benefit value we recommend that all services be obtained from an in-network provider.

What on lenses/coatings are included?
- Plastic or glass single vision, bifocal or trifocal lenses, in any prescription range
- Glass grey #3 prescription lenses
- Oversize lenses
- Post-cataract lenses
- Fashion, sun or gradient tinted plastic lenses
- Polycarbonate lenses for dependent children, monocular patients and patients with prescriptions +/- 6.00 diopters or greater

Are there any optional frames, lens types or coatings available?
Yes, you can pay the low, discounted fixed fees indicated and receive these exciting optional items:
- $25.00 for a Premier frame from “The Collection”
- $30.00 for polycarbonate lenses
- $35.00 for standard ARC (anti-reflective coating)
  Premium ARC is $48.00, Ultra ARC is $60.00
- $20.00 for scratch-resistant coating
- $20.00 Photogrey Extra® (photosensitive) glass lenses
- $12.00 for ultraviolet (UV) coating
- $20.00 for blended invisible bifocals
- $30.00 for intermediate vision lenses
- $75.00 for polarized lenses
- $65.00 for plastic photosensitive lenses
- $55.00 for high-index (thinner and lighter) lenses
- $50.00 for standard progressive addition multifocal lenses. Premium progressive addition multifocal lenses are $90.00.**

** Progressive addition multifocals can be worn by most people. Conventional bifocals will be supplied for anyone who is unable to adapt to progressive addition lenses; however, the copayment will not be refunded.

What about out-of-network provider benefits?
- Information about Low Vision Services: You and your covered dependents are entitled to a comprehensive low vision evaluation once every five years and low vision aids up to the plan maximum. Up to four follow-up care visits will be covered during the five year period.
- Information about Laser Vision Correction Services:
  Davis Vision is pleased to provide you and your eligible family members with the opportunity to receive Laser Vision Correction Services through a network of experienced, credentialed surgeons at significant discounts. For more information, please visit their website at www.davisvision.com or call 1-888-235-3130.
- More special features: Free membership and access to a mail order replacement contact lens service, Lens 123, providing a fast and convenient way to purchase replacement contact lenses at significant savings. For more information, please call 1-800-LENS-123 (1-800-536-7123) or visit the Lens 123 website at www.Lens123.com. A one year unconditional breakage warranty is provided for all eyeglasses completely supplied by Davis Vision.

You may receive services from an out-of-network provider, although you will receive the greatest value and maximize your benefit dollars if you select a provider who participates in the network. If you choose an out-of-network provider, you must pay the provider directly for all charges and then submit a claim for reimbursement.
Express Scripts is the administrator of the Loudoun County Public Schools prescription drug benefit.

Their strengths include
- A network of nearly 60,000 pharmacies nationwide, including chains and independent pharmacies
- Convenient mail-order pharmacies for maintenance (long-term) prescriptions
- A full suite of internet services, including online prescription ordering
- Sophisticated checks and balances to ensure safety and high quality
- Round-the-clock access to pharmacists
- Online access to nonprescription drugstore items
- Specially trained Member Services representatives

How to use the retail program
- Take your prescriptions to a participating retail pharmacy.
- Present your Express Scripts prescription drug ID card and prescriptions to the pharmacist. There are no claim forms to file and no waiting for reimbursement if you fill your prescriptions at a participating pharmacy.

How to use the Express Scripts Pharmacy
- If you take a medication on an ongoing basis, consider the advantages of the Express Scripts Pharmacy mail-order service.
- Ask your doctor to write a prescription for up to a 90-day supply, plus refills. Mail your prescription and co-payment, along with the order form that you find in your welcome packet. (A welcome packet will be mailed to your home upon enrollment.)
- You may need to consider a 30-Day prescription or samples to ensure you have enough of your medication until the mail-order prescription arrives.

### Prescription Plan Summary

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Submit your Prescription Claims to:
Express Scripts Health Solutions, Inc.
PO Box 14711
Lexington, KY 40512
Instructions for Completing the Application for Group Health Insurance

When you can enroll:
- Within 30 days of becoming eligible for benefits
- Within 30 days of a qualifying event (see below for definitions)
- During the annual Open Enrollment (Oct. 15-Nov. 15)

Effective date of coverage will be the later of the 1st of the month following:
- The first day in your benefitted position; and the date the employee submits a completed and signed Health Insurance Enrollment/Change Form with the appropriate documentation of spouse/dependent’s relationship.
- The date the employee incurs a qualifying change in family, dependent, or employment status; and the date the employee submits a completed and signed Health Insurance Enrollment/Change Form and the corresponding supporting documentation.

Who you can enroll:
- A person of the opposite sex who is legally married to the employee.
- Any natural, adopted or stepchild under the age of 26.
- A child under a Qualified Medical Support order.
- A child of whom you have legal guardianship or custody.

How to enroll:
- Select your Medical coverage—Point of Service (POS) or Open Access Plus (OAP).
- Complete the Employee Information Section on this application.
- Complete the Active Dependent Information Section for any spouse or child(ren) you wish to cover.
- If you have elected the POS plan, you will need to select a primary care physician (PCP). Please list the doctor’s name and the practice name. You may list a different PCP for each covered person. If you do not list one, one will automatically be assigned based on your home zip code.
- If you have elected the OAP plan, you do not need to list a PCP, as referrals are not required under this plan.
- Sign the Health Insurance Enrollment/Change Form.
- Return the completed Health Insurance Enrollment/Change Form to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits, with the appropriate documentation outlined below, within the appropriate time frame.

Required Dependent Documentation
When enrolling a spouse or dependent, documentation verifying their relationship to you must be attached to the enrollment form. If this documentation is not received you and those dependents will not be enrolled. Refer to the chart on the next page to determine what documentation is required.

Qualifying Events
Outside of an employee’s initial 30 day eligibility period and/or open enrollment an employee may only make changes to their health insurance elections with the occurrence of a qualifying event. Employees have 30 days from the date of their qualifying event to make the corresponding changes to their health insurance election. A new Application for Group Health Insurance form must be completed and the appropriate dependent documentation and proof of qualifying event must be attached. LPCS follows the qualifying event rules as specified by the IRS Section 125 Pre-Tax Rules and Regulations. The following is a general list of qualifying events.
- Marriage or Legal Separation
- Divorce
- Death of Dependent
- Birth or Adoption of a child
- Loss of Coverage
- Change of employment or work schedule of employee or spouse that affects their access to benefits

See Page 15-3 for Group Health Insurance Application Form.
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<td>If married more than 1 year, a copy of Page 1 of the most current Federal Tax Return that shows the dependent listed as “Spouse”</td>
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<td>Child(ren) (Natural, adopted, child under</td>
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<td>Copy of birth certificate showing employee as a parent Or</td>
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<td>Qualified Medical Support Order or child</td>
<td>Unmarried dependent children over the age limit if they are incapable of self-support</td>
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<td>you have legal guardianship of)</td>
<td>because of a physical or mental incapacity that started before they reached the age</td>
<td>If Applicable, copy of Qualified Medical Child Support Order, copy of Court Order of legal guardianship, or</td>
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<td>limit and are chiefly dependent on enrollee or spouse for support.</td>
<td>copy of Divorce Decree requiring employee to provide healthcare coverage.</td>
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<td>Stepchild</td>
<td>Your spouse’s child(ren) provided they are substantially dependent upon you for support</td>
<td>Copy of birth certificate (or adoption agreement) showing the name of employee’s spouse; And</td>
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<td>Copy of marriage certificate showing the employee and spouse (parent) name, Or</td>
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<td>If married more than one year, a copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the dependent’s parent listed as spouse.</td>
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<td>Grandchild</td>
<td>A grandchild, who is in court ordered custody, resides with and is the dependent of the</td>
<td>Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and seal; And</td>
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<td>Copy of current school record or report card showing child lives with you Or</td>
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<td>for natural and adoptive children.</td>
<td>Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the grandchild listed as a dependent.</td>
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Notes
This summary of Loudoun County Public Schools Health Insurance Program is for informational purposes. In the event of discrepancy or error, the Summary Plan Documents on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website at www.lcps.org will prevail.
Communications

- Benefit Source Newsletter
- Benefits Website
- Facebook
- Contact
Stay Informed!

Benefit Source Newsletter
The Benefit Source Newsletter is distributed every other month via email and can also be found on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Website or posted at your worksite. It contains important information about your benefits, open enrollments, upcoming events, and updates related to discount offers to Loudoun County Public Schools' employees.

Go to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Website for the most recent version of the Benefit Source Newsletter!
Website

The Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits and Retirement and Disability Programs Website is a comprehensive resource for benefits information. You can find benefit forms, vendor contact information, descriptions of your benefits, plan documents, workshops & events, benefits contact information and much more!

Go to www.lcps.org, scroll over the Administration drop down menu, click on Business & Financial Services, and then on the left hand side, click Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits or Retirement and Disability Programs.

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Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits is on Facebook

Like us on Facebook and see what exciting new things are happening in your LCPS benefits.
Benefits Contact List

Group Health Insurance
CIGNA Healthcare (Group 3320020)
www.cigna.com .............................................. 1-800-244-6224
www.mycigna.com ................................. 24 Hour Nurseline: 1-800-564-8982

Davis Vision (Group LOU)
www.davision.com Control Code 7025 ...................... 1-888-235-3130

Delta Dental of Virginia (Group #6111)
www.deltadentalva.com ................................... 1-800-237-6060

Express Scripts (Group #RX4LCPS)
www.express-scripts.com ................................... 1-800-886-9672

Loudoun County Public Schools Retirement Programs
403(b) Elective Deferral Program (Lincoln Financial Group)
www.lfg.com ........................................ 1-800-234-3500

457 Deferred Compensation Program w/ ICMA-RC
www.varetire.org

Virginia Retirement System
www.varetire.org and www.varetire.org/myVRS .............. 1-888-827-3847
A printable Virginia Retirement Handbook is available online

Other Contacts
Cigna for Disability Plans ........................................... 800-362-4462
(See LCPS website for more information)

Apple Federal Credit Union
www.applefcu.org ........................................... 703-788-4800

Employee Assistance Program
(Lytle EAP Partners) ........................................ 1-800-327-7272

Loudoun Credit Union
www.loudouncu.com ........................................... 703-777-4744

Minnesota Life
www.minnesotalife.com ........................................... 1-800-441-2258

Loudoun County Public Schools
Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Staff
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Kristy Reynolds, Specialist ....................................... 571-252-1810
Lisa Bontemps, Specialist ....................................... 571-252-1810
Ana Reymundo, Assistant ....................................... 571-252-1810
Phyllis Ford, Secretary ........................................... 571-252-1810
Fax: ............................................................................. 571-252-1401
Benefits Email: ........................................................lcpshhealthwellness@lcps.org
Wellness Email: ........................................................wellness@lcps.org
LCPS Website: ....................................................... www.lcps.org
Administration > Business & Financial Services > Employee Health, Wellness
and Benefits
Address: ..................................................................... 21000 Education Ct, Ashburn, VA 20148

Loudoun County Public Schools
Retirement and Disability Programs Staff
Carol Edwards, Supervisor ........................................... 571-252-1690
Jeanette Evans, Specialist ........................................... 571-252-1690
Lacey Simms, Specialist ........................................... 571-252-1690
Shari Edwards, Assistant ........................................... 571-252-1690
K. Michelle Hoffman, Assistant .................................... 571-252-1690
Pam Mercready, Secretary ........................................... 571-252-1690
Fax: ............................................................................. 571-252-1699
Benefits Email: ........................................................lcpssretiredisability@lcps.org
LCPS Website: ....................................................... www.lcps.org
Administration > Business & Financial Services > Retirement & Disability
Programs
Address: ..................................................................... 21000 Education Ct, Ashburn, VA 20148
Wellness Works! Program

Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
571-252-1810

- Wellness Program
- Wellness Ambassadors
- Wellness Newsletter
Wellness Works! Program

Loudoun County Public Schools has developed a program, in partnership with our healthcare provider, that successfully engages employees in programs that increase their exercise levels, lowers their stress, and helps them take greater control of their health. This program has reduced the incidences of three serious chronic diseases, improved employees' overall health, and has seen a reduction in health care costs, which are savings to you.

The most important achievement of the program is hearing the success stories and testimonials from the staff of how this program has saved their life, either by changing their behaviors or by having that preventive screening that caused them to act in the nick of time.

What is the Wellness Works! Program?
Wellness Works! offers employees opportunities to attend Wellness Workshops, receive FREE preventative health screenings, and participate in exciting events and programs throughout the year. LCPS wellness programs and opportunities include:

- Quarterly Challenges
- Flu Shots
- Walking Challenges
- Biometric Screenings
- Seminars & Workshops
- Blood Drives
- Worksite Activities
- Wellness Passport (FREE $120!!!)

What is a Wellness Ambassador?
A Wellness Ambassador is an employee at your worksite who has volunteered to be part of the Loudoun County Public Schools Wellness Works! Program. Your Wellness Ambassador works with the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division to help educate, communicate and promote the Wellness Works! program. Your Wellness Ambassador helps with the following:

- Health Assessment Education
- Passport Program
- Worksite Activity Groups
- Wellness Programs (e.g. 10,000 Steps-a-Day Challenge)
- Communication between Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits and your worksite

To view a list of Wellness Ambassadors and to find yours, visit the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Webpage.

Wellness Works!

Some exciting programs and opportunities are:

- Wellness Passport Program
- Quarterly Challenges
- Flu Shots
- Walking Challenges
- Biometric Screenings
- Seminars and Workshops
- $120 Reward—Cash!

See the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division website for more information.
Wellness Works! Newsletter

The Wellness Works! Newsletter is distributed every month and can be found on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Website under the Wellness Works! Link or posted at your worksite. It contains important information about monthly wellness topics, upcoming wellness events, recipes and more.
Flexible Spending Accounts

Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
571-252-1810

- Flexible Spending Account Summary
- Medical Expense Reimbursement Account
- Dependent Care Reimbursement Account
Flexible Spending Accounts

These plans are a great way for you and your family to save money by reducing your taxable income. By enrolling in one or both of these accounts, you can pay for eligible health and dependent care expenses with pre-tax dollars. The following is a brief description of the plans available through LCPS.

1. Each year during the Open Enrollment period, determine how much money you wish to contribute based on your estimates of health and/or dependent care expenses for the upcoming year.

2. Each pay period, money will be deducted on a pre-tax basis in equal increments and contributed to your health and/or dependent care account.

3. When you have eligible expenses to be reimbursed, enter your request online or via paper. You must then forward your appropriate receipts.

4. You will then be reimbursed for eligible expenses up to the maximum you elected for the health reimbursement account for the plan year. You will only be reimbursed up to your current account balance for the dependent care account.

5. Flex claims must be submitted no later than March 31st of the following year. Any claims submitted after that time will not be considered. See note on page 5-3 for the Medical Expense Reimbursement Account grace period.

How To Enroll

• Complete the Employee Information Section on the application.
• Enter the amount for the Flexible Spending Account account you wish to enroll in the appropriate sections — Medical Expense or Dependent Care.
• Sign the Flexible Spending Account Enrollment/Change form.
• Return the completed Flexible Spending Account Enrollment/Change form to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division, with the appropriate documentation (if making a change), within the appropriate time frame.

Eligible Dependent Care Expenses:
• Daycare
• Before and after school programs
• Nursery school or preschool
• Summer Day Camp
• Adult daycare
• Care in a house or by a licensed provider (income must be claimed by your care provider)

Ineligible Dependent Care Expenses:
• Child Support Payment
• Food, clothing and entertainment
• Educational supplies
• Activity or registration fees
• Private school tuition for dependents K-12
• Overnight Camps

Medical Expense Reimbursement Account

This account will reimburse you with pre-tax dollars for healthcare expenses not reimbursed under your family’s healthcare plan(s). The maximum amount you may contribute to this account for the plan year is $2,500.

How it Works:

The medical expense reimbursement account can help you cover a variety of expenses that may not be reimbursed in full by other plans, such as medical, prescription, vision, and dental deductibles, amounts not covered by insurances, expenses in excess of medical and dental plan limits, co-payments, and some over-the-counter products. The general rule is that any medical expense deductible on your federal income tax return may be reimbursed through the medical reimbursement account without regard to the 7.50% Adjusted Gross Income rule. The following is a partial list of items that the IRS or the federal courts have held to constitute eligible medical expenses for Flexible Spending Accounts. Items traditionally covered under health insurance plans, such as expenses associated with physicians, hospitals, dentists, etc. are also eligible even if not listed specifically.

Eligible Expenses:
• Office visit co-pays
• Over-the-counter medicines with prescription for a specific diagnosis
• Prescription drug co-pays
• Deductibles and coinsurance
• Eye exams and prescription eyewear
• Laser eye surgery
• Chiropractic services
• Installation of special medical equipment and home improvements to relieve a medical condition (see IRS Pub 502 for details)
• Hearing aids and batteries
• Medical donors expenses
• Special school and tutoring costs for physically and mentally handicapped children
• Durable medical equipment
• Diabetic supplies including test strips, syringes, monitors, etc.
• Orthopedic shoes/braces
• Dental expenses and orthodontia
• Contact solutions
• Infertility services (see IRS Pub 502 for details)
• Weight loss for obesity with a doctor’s note
• Speech therapy with a doctor’s note
• Costs for medical care of an elderly person (if claimed as a dependent on tax return)
• Telephone-teletype costs for closed caption service for the deaf

Ineligible Expenses:
• Health clubs, spas, non-prescription weight loss programs
• Vitamins
• Non-prescription smoking cessation drugs

Points to Remember
• All monies left in the account at the end of the plan year’s grace period* will be forfeited.
• Claims incurred during one plan year cannot be submitted for reimbursement for another plan year, except during the grace period*.
• Monies from the medical expense reimbursement account may not be applied to the dependent care account or vice versa.
• Eligibility does not depend on enrollment in the LCPS health plan.
• Each year you must re-enroll during the Open Enrollment period to continue participating in the plan (October 15 - November 15).
• Employees utilizing the dependent care account must still submit Form 2441 with their Federal tax return.
• You may not change your Flexible Spending Account elections during the plan year unless you have a qualifying event. The qualifying event must be submitted to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division within 30 days of the event and the change in elections must be consistent with the qualifying event.
• Daycare and medical claims can only be reimbursed for services that have been rendered.
• Do not send cancelled checks or credit card receipts—Compusys/Erisa is unable to accept them.
• Do not send Medical receipts with a balance forward. Compusys/Erisa needs the claim incurred data and the services that were rendered.
• Prescription receipts must have Rx# patient name and pharmacy (no cash register receipts).
• Participating in this program will slightly decrease your average earnings reported to the IRS and therefore your retirement benefits. However, the current tax savings more than offset this deduction.
• You should keep the copies of all receipts.
• You can pay a family member to care for your child if the member is not a dependent on your federal tax return and is over age 19.

Grace Period:
• Only applies to the medical expense reimbursement account.
• You can use expenses incurred in the next plan year until March 15th.
• All claims must be submitted by March 31st of the next plan year or the remaining balance will be forfeited.

Notes
Ineligible Expenses (con’t):
• Expenses for which you receive benefits from another health plan
• Cosmetic surgery (unless medically necessary)
• Teeth whitening
• Dietary supplements
• Group health insurance premiums sponsored through your employer or another employer

The Loudoun County Public Schools Flexible Spending Account (hereinafter “Flex”) will be administered by:
Compusys/Erisa Group, Inc.
13706 Research Blvd, Ste 308,
Austin, TX 78750-7840
Phone: 800-933-7472
Fax: 512-250-9487
Website: www.lcpsflex.com
Email: flex@cserisa.com
Business Hours: 8:45am – 6:00pm EST

This partnership brings the following benefits to our participants:
• Availability of debit card for quick, automated, electronic payment of eligible expenses
• Submission of non-debit card claims by email, fax, or mail
• Direct deposit for prompt electronic reimbursement on non-debit card transactions credited directly to your bank account
• Claim Submission status updates emailed to participants
• Quarterly account statement provided to participants
… and the continued convenience of 24/7 secured, online access to account information.

If you’d like to give this program a try, just complete and return the appropriate application to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division within 30 days of new hire date for current plan year or during the October 15-November 15 Open Enrollment period for the next calendar year. More information and applications can be found on our website or by calling our office.

Name of Plan:
Loudoun County Public Schools Flexible Spending Accounts
Participants:
Eligible employees of Loudoun County Public Schools
Name & address of employer:
Loudoun County Public Schools
21000 Education Court
Ashburn, VA 20148
Employer Identification Number:
54–6001395
Plan Year:
January 1 through December 31 of each year
Funding of Plan:
Plan is funded by employee pre-tax contributions
Administration of the Flexible Spending Accounts benefit is provided by Compusys/Erisa Group.

Plan Details
• As a participant, you may examine, without charge at the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits office, all plan documents, reports and descriptions (subject to the privacy rights of other individuals), and you may obtain copies of the same at a reasonable charge.
• If your claim for a benefit is denied in whole or in part, you may request a written explanation of the reason for denial. You may request that your claim be reviewed and reconsidered.
• LCPS intends to maintain these plans permanently, but reserves the right to amend (modify) or terminate any or all of the plans. This includes changes which may affect benefits or rights under the plan, but will not affect a participant’s right to claim reimbursement under a reimbursement plan for expenses incurred prior to the end of the Plan Year in which such amendment or termination occurs, except to comply with governing law or regulation to the contrary.
Mid-Year Election Changes

If any of the following events occur during the plan year, you may be allowed to change (add, terminate, increase or decrease) your current flexible spending account elections as indicated below. The change must be as a result of one of these events and must be consistent with the status change requested. To make a Medical Expense election change, it must meet the following two conditions: 1) the status change results in the employee, spouse or dependent gaining or losing eligibility for accident or health coverage under the cafeteria plan or an accident or health plan of the spouse’s or dependent’s employer; and 2) the election corresponds with that gain or loss of coverage.

Below are the qualifications to make a mid-year election change.

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<td>Work schedule—reduction/increase in hours, or switch between part-time and full-time which affects your health coverage election</td>
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<td>Employment status—termination or commencement of employment by the employee, spouse, or dependent</td>
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<td>Dependent Satisfies or Ceases to Satisfy the Requirements for Dependency Status—student status, dependent no longer qualifies because of age or change in dependency status which affects eligibility under the health plan</td>
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<td>Change in place of residence—which affects your health coverage election, or change in dependent’s residence or worksite which affects his/her health coverage election</td>
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See Page 15-7 for Flexible Spending Account Account Enrollment/Change form.

Enrollment must be within thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date or during Open Enrollment, which is October 15th through November 15th, to be effective January 1st.

Notes
What is a Flex Debit Card?
One of the features to our Medical Flexible Spending Account is the addition of a Flex Debit Card. This card works similarly to a check card and allows you to pay for your medical expenses directly out of your flex account at the time of service. You may be required to submit supporting documentation after the fact.

How do I submit for reimbursement?
Claims are sent to and processed by Compusys/Erisa. They accept claims and receipts by mail, email and fax. To print a claim form or to get additional information about claim submissions please visit their website at www.lcpsflex.com or call them at 800-933-7472.
### WHAT IS MY POTENTIAL SAVINGS?

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(Subtract Flex line 9 from Standard Line 9) Potential Savings!!!

### Federal Tax Rates 2013 (Estimate)

#### ANNUAL PAYROLL PERIOD

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Other Taxes 2013 (Estimate)

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Retirement Programs

Retirement & Disability
571-252-1690
- Virginia Retirement System Pension
- Purchase of Prior Service
- myVRS

Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
571-252-1810
- 403(b) Elective Deferral Program
- 457 Deferred Compensation Program
### Retirement Programs

**Virginia Retirement System Pension Plans**

Loudoun County Public Schools participates in the Virginia Retirement System (VRS) as its primary pension plan. Employees eligible for benefits under the VRS are covered for the following:

- Retirement Plan
- Basic Group Term Life Insurance/Accidental Death and Dismemberment; and
- Optional Group Term Life Insurance (if elected).

### Virginia Retirement System (VRS)

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<th>VRS PLAN 1 (MEMBERS HIRED BEFORE 7/1/10 WHO HAVE NOT TAKEN A REFUND)</th>
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<td>Defined Benefit Vesting</td>
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<td>Average of a member’s 36 consecutive months of highest salary</td>
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<td>Defined Benefit Service Retirement Multiplier</td>
<td>1.7%</td>
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<td>Age 65 with at least 5 years of service or age 50 with at least 30 years of service</td>
<td>Normal Social Security retirement age and have at least 5 years of service credit, or when the member’s age and service equal 90. Example: Age 60 with 30 years of service credit</td>
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<td>Defined Benefit Reduced Retirement Eligibility</td>
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<td>Defined Benefit Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA)</td>
<td>COLA matches the first 3% increase in the CPI-U and half of any additional up to 4% increase, for a maximum COLA of 3%</td>
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Under the Code of Virginia, the Retirement Plan and Group Term Life Insurance benefits are mandatory for regular full-time employees. Effective July 1, 2012, all new LCPS employees are required to pay the entire 5% member contribution to VRS; Loudoun County Public Schools contributes the employer share for the Retirement Plan and the full cost of the Basic Group Term Life Insurance.

(Refer to the VRS Member Handbook for more detailed information, located online at www.varetire.org)
Retirement benefits are determined by the employee’s age at retirement, average final compensation, years of service, type of retirement and position classification. The formula for normal (unreduced) retirement is as follows: Retirement Multiplier x Average Final Compensation x Number of Years of Creditable Service (This amount may be reduced for employees who retire prior to their normal retirement age.)

### Your Social Security Retirement Age

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<td>66 &amp; 10 months</td>
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<td>1960 or later</td>
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Service Credit: Eligible employees are credited with one month of service for each month a contribution is made by the LCPS and Employees.

Member Benefit Profiles (MBP): Profiles showing balance and retirement information are available annually through myVRS.

VRS Disability Retirement: Plan 1 and Plan 2 members are eligible for disability retirement benefits beginning with their first day of employment in an eligible position, provided the disability did not exist at the time you were employed (unless the condition worsened substantially since your employment). Disability Insurance is provided to VRS Hybrid Plan members through VA Local Disability Plan (VLDP).

### Purchase of Prior Service Credit

The 2011 General Assembly passed legislation that makes the cost of purchasing eligible service credit less expensive. Under the new law employees may purchase prior service for the following:

- **Military**—48 months at 5% or 9.4% (see below) of current annual creditable compensation
- **Federal Civil Service**—48 months at 5% or 9.4% (see below) of current annual creditable compensation
- **Other Governmental Service**—48 months at 5% or 9.4% (see below) of current annual creditable compensation
- **VRS Refunded Service**—No limit/cap at 5% (Plan 1 or Plan 2) of current annual creditable compensation
- **Active Duty Military**—No limit/cap at no cost
- **Non-Covered Service with a VRS Participating Employer**—48 months at 5% or 9.4% (see below) of current annual creditable compensation

#### Under Plan 1

Your cost is based on 5% of your compensation or average final compensation if you purchase prior service within three years of becoming eligible. After your three-year eligibility period, you will pay actuarial cost. Actuarial cost does not apply to VRS Refunded Service or Active Duty Military.

#### Under Plan 2 & Hybrid Plan

Your cost is based on 9.4% of your compensation or average final compensation for eligible prior public service if it is purchased within one year of becoming eligible. Plan 2 members who purchase service after their one year eligibility period will pay actuarial cost. Actuarial cost does not apply to VRS Refunded Service or Active Duty Military.

More information about purchasing prior service is available at www.varetire.org.
Why you should save even more!
Don’t let another pay day fly by. The tendency to put things off is a growing problem. Thirty years ago, 5% of all Americans considered themselves chronic procrastinators, delaying action on even the most important responsibilities. Today, more than 25% admit to putting this off. Don’t delay!

The cost of waiting just one year to save for retirement may run into thousands of dollars.

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<th>AGE</th>
<th>RETIREMENT PLAN BALANCE AT AGE 65</th>
<th>COST OF WAITING ONE YEAR</th>
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This assumes a $200.00 monthly contribution, 6% interest and retirement age of 65 years of age.

*provided by Lincoln Financial Group
Voluntary Elective Deferral Plan and Deferred Compensation Plan

Lincoln Financial Group - 403(b)

Virginia Retirement System - 457
# LCPS Optional Elective Deferral Plan and Deferred Compensation Plan

## Feature

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<th>Traditional 403(b)</th>
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<td><strong>Contributions</strong></td>
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<td>Designated Roth employee elective contributions are made with after-tax dollars.</td>
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<td><strong>Basic 2014 Contribution Limit</strong></td>
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| **Who may benefit from contributing?** | • Employees who expect to be in a lower tax bracket at retirement.  
• Employees who want to defer current taxation on income and investment earnings. | • Younger employees in lower tax brackets with long time horizon until retirement.  
• Employees who are unable to contribute to Roth IRAs due to income constraints.  
• Employees who expect tax rates to increase by their retirement date.  
• Employees interested in estate planning opportunities. | • Employees who expect to be in a lower tax bracket at retirement.  
• Employees who want to defer current taxation on income and investment earnings.  
• Employees who will terminate employment prior to age 59 1/2 and want to withdraw funds. |
| **Timing of Distributions** | • Age 59 1/2  
• At retirement if over 55  
• Total & Permanent Disability  
• Death  
• Severance from employment  
• In-service hardship  
• In-service loan  
• Purchasing Service Credits in gov. pension plan | • Age 59 1/2  
• Total & Permanent Disability  
• Death  
• Severance of employment  
• In-service loan | • Severance of employment  
• Death  
• Total & Permanent Disability  
• In-service unforeseeable emergency  
• Purchasing Service Credits in gov. pension plan |
| **Taxation of Withdrawals** | Withdrawals of contributions and earnings are subject to federal and state income taxes. | Withdrawals of contributions and earnings are not taxed provided it is a qualified distribution.  
The account must be held for at least 5 years and one of the following has occurred:  
• Severance of employment and over 59 1/2  
• Disability, or  
• Death of participant | Withdrawals of contributions and earnings are subject to federal and state income taxes. |
| **Required Minimum Distributions** | Distributions must begin no later than age 70 1/2, unless still working. | Distributions must begin no later than age 70 1/2, unless still working. | Distributions must begin no later than age 70 1/2, unless still working. |
VRS 457 Deferred Compensation Plan
Thinking how your retirement picture may look?
The Commonwealth of Virginia 457 Plan can help you focus on your goals. If you’re not already saving, look at the opportunities you may be missing!
Have questions? Below are three ways to contact ICMA-RC about your 457.
1. Visit the Web site: www.varetire.org
Select Commonwealth of Virginia Deferred Compensation Plan under the Defined Contribution Plans tab.
2. Call toll-free 1-VRS-DC-PLAN1 (1-877-327-5261)
3. Contact your local representative

Enrollment is online for the 457 plan.
Visit www.varetire.org to set up an account.

403(b) Elective Deferral Plan with Lincoln Financial Group (LFG)
You can start saving for a comfortable retirement and take advantage of your employer’s 403(b) program in less time than it takes to finish a cup of coffee. For one-on-one retirement planning assistance—at no additional charge—call your LFG Retirement Consultant.

Have questions? Below are three ways to contact LFG about your 403(b).
1. Visit the Web site: www.lfg.com
2. Call toll-free 1-800-234-3500
3. Contact your local representative:

Evette Caceres
866-540-7218
evette.caceres@lfg.com

Ernest Massenberg
866-248-5180
ernest.massenberg@lfg.com

If you would like more information about saving for retirement sent to you please fill out the form in the back of the book (15-5) and send it into the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division.
Leaves Information

Retirement and Disability Programs
571-252-1690

- Summary of Leave Benefits
- Donated Family Sick Leave Bank

For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members
- Short Term Disability
- Voluntary Long Term Disability

For VRS Hybrid Members
- Short Term Disability with VLDP
- Long Term Disability with VLDP
Leave Policies

**General Leave Policies**

**Full-Time Employment**
Full-time is defined as being the sole employee under a regular contract or assignment in a position that is budgeted for at least 180 days, for no less than 40 hours daily or the equivalent.

**Part-Time Employment**
Any employee not included above or who is designated an at-will employee, or who signs a temporary/intern agreement, is considered a part-time employee.

Leave benefits accrue while an employee is on approved paid leave. Leave benefits do not accrue if an employee is on unauthorized leave, or leave without pay.

Using leave request procedures, employees must generally secure approval from their supervisor or principal before beginning an absence from work. If emergencies or unforeseen circumstances arise which require the use of sick or other leave, an employee must notify his/her supervisor as soon as possible and obtain approval at the beginning of the employee's next workday.

False or fraudulent use of leave, or failure to follow leave policy, may be cause for disciplinary action.

Each school/location may have its own procedures for requesting leave. Check with your supervisor to determine the leave request procedures for your school/location.

**Annual Leave**

**Full-Time Twelve (12) Month Personnel**
A new employee in a twelve-month position earns one day of annual leave a month for the first six (6) consecutive months of employment for a maximum of six (6) days (pro-rated for the first month). At the completion of six months, the remainder of the first year's annual leave will be advanced. Thereafter, annual leave will be advanced in July of each year. One additional day is earned for each additional year of service up to the thirteenth (13th) year. A maximum of twenty-four (24) days of annual leave are earned after the 13th year of service.

**Administrative Personnel**
New administrators will be advanced their annual leave. Thereafter, annual leave will be advanced in July of each year.

Administrative personnel shall earn annual leave as follows:
- 20 days for the first and second year of employment
- 21 days after two (2) years of service
- 22 days after four (4) years of service
- 23 days after six (6) years of service
- 24 days after eight (8) years of service

Annual leave will be prorated based on the number of contract/assignment days actually worked after July 1 of the current school year.

**Use of Annual Leave**
Employees must submit annual leave plans, in advance, to their supervisor. Supervisors should make every effort to accommodate reasonable annual leave requests. The school division reserves the right to designate when some or all annual leave is taken. The immediate supervisor of an eligible employee is responsible for ensuring adequate staffing levels and should attempt, when feasible, to resolve vacation scheduling conflicts.

**Limitations**
Accumulated annual leave will be calculated as of July 1 of each year. Employees may carry over up to sixty (60) annual leave days from July 1 to June 30 each year. Approval to carry over more than sixty (60) annual leave days from one fiscal year to the next must be approved by the Division Superintendent.

When an employee has accumulated sixty (60) days of annual leave as of June 30th and has used at least ten (10) days of annual leave during the fiscal year, any annual leave in excess of sixty (60) days will be converted to sick leave as of July 1.

When an employee has accumulated sixty (60) days of annual leave as of June 30th and has used less than ten (10) days of annual leave, the employee will be assessed the difference between the annual leave they have used and ten days. The remaining balance in excess of sixty (60) days will be converted to sick leave as of July 1.
Payment of Annual Leave Upon Separation
Employees who terminate their employment will have their annual leave prorated based on total amount earned for the school year.
Employees exceeding their total earned annual leave will be charged in their final pay and/or will be invoiced any amounts not recouped in the final paycheck.

Misuse of Leave
The misuse of annual leave may result in termination of employment.

Sick Leave
This plan includes provisions for personal illness, family illness or death, religious observance, other deaths, and other sick days.

Personnel Covered — Eligibility and Accumulation
A full-time employee under regular contract (probationary or continuing) shall accumulate sick leave during the time the employee performs his/her assigned duties, including paid leave, under terms of the contract. The maximum allowance per year is:

- 12 month position: 14 days
- 11 month position: 11 days
- 180–203 day position: 10 days

When the length of a contract has been shortened (e.g. for a late start or early release), the number of sick leave days will be prorated. Employees who have resigned and overused their sick leave will be charged in their final paycheck and/or will be invoiced for any amounts not recouped.

Unused sick leave may accumulate without a maximum limit. Employees will be given a monthly accounting of accumulated sick leave on their paycheck stub.

An employee transferring from another Virginia public school district or a former Loudoun employee returning directly to Loudoun may be credited with sick leave accumulated, provided that the employee has not received payment for such unused accumulated sick leave; that the employee has not accepted employment other than in Virginia public schools since leaving employment; that the employee has not been absent from employment in the public schools of Virginia for more than three (3) years; and further provided that in the case of an employee transferring from another Virginia public school district, the school board of that division approves the transfer of such leave. Maximum transfer allowed is 90 days.

Absences Covered
Personal Illness—Personal illness is defined as incapacity to perform duties because of medical condition or confinement on the advice of a licensed physician. However, under the provisions of this section, dental or medical check-ups may be counted as illness. An employee on sick leave may be required after three (3) consecutive days of absence to have verification from a licensed physician (or dentist) that he/she is unable to perform his/her duties because of a medical condition or confinement, or that he/she has a medical or dental check-up.

Family Death—An employee will be allowed to take days off for death in the employee’s immediate family. Family of an employee shall be regarded to include natural parents, foster parents, stepmother, stepfather, wife, husband, children (including stepchildren and foster children), brother and sister, grandparents, great-grandparents, grandparents-in-law, mother-in-law, father-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, grandchildren, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and any other relative living in the household of the employee (”any other relative living in the household of the employee” is limited only in that the relative, however distant, must live in the household of the employee).

Website
The LCPS website has detailed benefits information, forms, and more.
From the LCPS homepage
www.lcps.org
With your cursor over Administration, click on Business and Financial Services, then click on Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits or Retirement and Disability Programs on the left side.
Other Deaths—An employee will be allowed three (3) days for attendance at funerals not covered in the family relationships listed above, but the salary of the substitute will be deducted from the employee's salary.

Transfer of Leave
Upon separation from employment, except for retirement, employees are not entitled to payment for unused accumulated sick leave; however, the district will approve transfer of accumulated sick leave to another Virginia district unless the separated employee has (a) accepted employment other than in the public schools of Virginia since leaving employment in Loudoun; (b) been absent from employment in the public schools of Virginia for more than three (3) years.

Misuse of Sick Leave
The misuse of sick leave may result in termination of employment.

Personal Leave
Personnel Covered
A full-time employee not covered by annual leave is eligible for personal leave each year.

The maximum allowance of personal leave per year is 3 days, or the equivalent hours.

Limitations
A personal leave request will not be granted during the following periods or circumstances:

- The first five instructional days and the last five instructional days of the school year, and/or
- On any teacher inservice or orientation workday that involves the employee:
  - in a central office sponsored inservice,
  - on a day that the employee is scheduled to hold parent conferences,
  - when in the judgment of the immediate supervisor a qualified substitute cannot be secured.

Transfer of Personal Leave
Personal leave not used during a school year will be automatically transferred to the eligible employee's accumulated sick leave.

Liability Insurance
Loudoun County Public Schools provides extensive liability and other insurance coverage for all employees and authorized volunteers. Please refer to the LCPS Employee Handbook or LCPS Intranet for further details of this insurance coverage.

Leave Without Pay
The School Board has established Leave Without Pay Policy §7-58 for employees who may need to have extended leave without pay. The following Regulation has been established to support Leave Without Pay Policy §7-58.

A. General
1. Eligibility—Leave without pay may be granted to any employee of the Loudoun County Public Schools. If the employee is still on probation at the time of the request, the probationary period will be extended to the maximum extent permitted by law, by the length of the absence.

2. Period of Leave—Employees may request leave without pay not to exceed five (5) working days in any one (1) contract/appointment year provided the following extenuating circumstances apply:
   a. All other applicable leave, such as personal leave, annual leave, or sick leave, has been exhausted.
   b. Such leave, except when used for personal or family illness, death, or religious observance, shall not be granted during the first five (5) and the last five (5) instructional days for students, for any teacher work day for licensed staff, during peak work periods for classified staff, or to extend any holiday period.

3. Application—The employee shall submit a written request for leave without pay in advance of the date the desired leave is to begin. Special consideration will be given to emergencies, but in no case will such leave be permitted to begin without the prior approval of the employee's immediate supervisor.

4. Benefits—Employee will experience no change to eligibility or cost of benefits.

5. Return to Work—Employee will experience no change to employment status.
B. Emergency, Adoption or Childcare

1. Eligibility—Leave without pay for emergencies such as personal or family hardship of an unusual nature, adoption of a child, or childcare may be granted to an employee of the Loudoun County Public Schools. If the employee is still on probation at the time of the request, the probationary period will be extended to the maximum extent permitted by law, by the length of the absence.

2. Period of Leave—The employee may request leave without pay for emergencies such as personal or family hardship of an unusual nature, adoption of a child, or childcare for a period not to exceed one (1) year.

3. Application
   a. The employee shall submit an Application For Leave Without Pay and supporting documentation to Retirement and Disability Programs Division, for leave without pay for emergencies such as personal or family hardship of an unusual nature, adoption of a child, or childcare in advance of the date the desired leave is to begin.
   b. Special consideration will be given to emergency leave. In no case will leave for adoption or childcare be permitted to begin without prior approval of the employee's immediate supervisor and the Assistant Superintendent for Business and Financial Services or his/her designee.

4. Benefits
   a. During the emergency, adoption or childcare leave, the employee may elect to continue health and/or life insurance coverage by making arrangements with Retirement and Disability Programs Division to pay the full cost of the premiums on a per diem basis.
   b. See Policy §7-63 for leave without pay approved under the Family and Medical Leave Act.

5. Return to Work
   a. An employee granted emergency, adoption or childcare leave shall notify the Department for Personnel Services, in writing, at least 30 calendar days prior to the expiration of the leave of the employee's intent and availability to return to duty. Failure to provide such notification shall be deemed a resignation by the employee, effective as of the first day following the expiration of the leave.
   b. The employee shall be placed by the Department for Personnel Services in the next suitable vacancy.
   c. Any employee granted leave without pay for emergency, adoption or childcare leave shall bear the sole responsibility for the purchase of any VRS service credit for which the employee is eligible.

C. Educational

1. Eligibility—Educational leave for the purpose of student teaching, obtaining an initial teacher license, licensure in a critical field, professional licensure or certification of non-teaching employees, or an advanced degree may be granted to an employee of the Loudoun County Public Schools. If the employee is still on probation at the time of the request, the probationary period will be extended to the maximum extent permitted by law, by the length of the absence.

2. Period of Leave—The employee may request educational leave for a period of not more than fourteen (14) weeks. The period of time must coincide with a term at an accredited university or college.

3. Application
   a. The employee shall submit a written request to the Department of Personnel Services for educational leave at least thirty (30) calendar days in advance of the date the desired leave is to begin. The employee shall also submit supporting documentation (such as degree requirements, documentation of course availability, advisor's comments, and etcetera) as may be requested.
   b. Approval shall not be granted unless the Assistant Superintendent for Personnel Services has determined that a highly qualified replacement for the employee is available.
   c. In no case will such leave be permitted to begin without the prior approval of the Assistant Superintendent for Personnel Services.
4. Benefits
   a. During the educational leave, the employee may elect to continue health and/or life insurance coverage by making arrangements with Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits to pay the full cost of the premiums on a per diem basis.
   b. Any employee granted educational leave without pay shall bear the sole responsibility for the purchase of any VRS service credit for which the employee is eligible.

5. Return to Work—During the period of time of an employee’s educational leave, a suitable substitute will be employed in anticipation of the employee’s return to the position vacated as a result of the educational leave. Employee will experience no change to employment status.

D. Restoration of Health

1. Eligibility—Leave without pay may be granted to any employee of the Loudoun County Public Schools with debilitating or life-threatening illness or injury for the restoration of the employee’s health or the health of the employee’s spouse, child, parent or legal dependent with a debilitating or life-threatening illness or injury. If the employee is still on probation at the time of the request, the probationary period will be extended to the maximum extent permitted by law, by the length of the absence.

2. Period of Leave—The employee may request restoration of health leave without pay for a period not to exceed one (1) year, provided all earned sick leave has been exhausted.

3. Application
   a. The employee shall submit an Application For Leave Without Pay for restoration of health leave in advance of the date the desired leave is to begin. The request shall be accompanied by supporting documentation from the attending physician attesting to the need for such leave and estimating the length of leave that should be required. The employee shall provide any additional documentation as may be required.
   b. Special consideration will be given to emergencies. Restoration of health leave requires notification to the employee’s immediate supervisor and the Retirement and Disability Programs Division within 24 hours or the next assigned work day.
   c. A request for an extension of leave without pay for restoration of health for any employee shall be reviewed by the Retirement and Disability Programs Division, in consultation with the immediate supervisor, and approved on a case by case basis by the Division Superintendent or his/her designee.

4. Benefits
   a. Employer paid benefits will remain in place for the first thirty (30) work days of restoration of health leave without pay.
   b. Employee may elect to continue health and/or life insurance coverage by paying the total cost of premiums for health and/or life insurance for any additional leave without pay granted for restoration of health on a per diem basis.
   c. Any employee granted restoration of health leave without pay shall bear the sole responsibility for the purchase of any VRS service credit for which the employee is eligible. See Policy §7-63 for leave without pay approved under the Family and Medical Leave Act.
5. Return to Work
   a. If the employee returns to work within the first thirty (30) work days of restoration of health leave without pay, the employee will be restored to the same position.
   b. Beyond the initial thirty (30) work days the employee shall be placed by the Department for Personnel Services in the next suitable vacancy.
   c. Notice of return to work must be provided to the Retirement and Disability Programs Division two (2) weeks prior to the employees anticipated return. For a leave without pay granted for the restoration of the employee's health, such notice must include written certification from a health care provider as to the employee's ability to return to full duty.

Sabbatical Leave

Purpose
The purpose of a sabbatical leave is to provide incentives for professional staff members to be granted time to engage in formal study designed to increase the employee's competence or for such purpose as may be recommended by the Division Superintendent and approved by the School Board. Compensation will be paid in those years that it is funded in the budget.

Eligibility
All professional staff, on the recommendation of the Division Superintendent and approval by the School Board, are eligible to take sabbatical leave. Please send written request to the Department of Personnel Services. The first such leave may be granted after the completion of the staff member's sixth year within the Loudoun County Public Schools. Additional sabbatical leave may be granted after each successive period of six years of professional service in Loudoun County Public Schools. Sabbatical leave shall be granted for a period not to exceed one calendar year and not less than one semester.

The employee returning from sabbatical leave will return to the same position or one of comparable status.

Any employee granted such leave agrees to sign an agreement to accept a professional assignment for a period of at least three (3) years following the expiration of the leave. Should the employee elect not to fulfill this agreement the employee shall reimburse the School Board for all or part of the salary and benefits received within one year of termination of employment.

Sick leave will not accrue during the period of leave; however, sick leave accumulated will be retained.

Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA)

The Superintendent shall promulgate regulations consistent with the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 for the employees covered under that Act.

Family and Medical leave is available to those employees who have been employed in a full-time position by Loudoun County Public Schools for 12 months.

An employee who uses Family and Medical Leave will be allowed to return to the same position or to a position with equivalent responsibilities, duties, benefits and pay.

When both parents of a child work for Loudoun County Public Schools the full amount of leave shall be limited to a combined total of 12 workweeks in a 12-month period.

Any employee who believes that he or she needs FMLA paperwork should contact the Retirement and Disability Programs Division at 571-252-1690. All communications are confidential.

Your Rights Under the Family & Medical Leave Act of 1993
FMLA requires covered employers to provide up to 12 weeks of unpaid, job-protected leave to eligible employees for certain family and medical reasons. Employees are eligible if they have worked for their employer for at least one year, and for 1,250 hours over the previous 12 months, and if there are at least 50 employees within 75 miles. The FMLA permits employees to take leave on an intermittent basis or to work a reduced schedule under certain circumstances.

Reasons for Taking Leave
Unpaid leave must be granted for any of the following reasons:

- to care for the employee's child after birth, or placement for adoption or foster care;
- to care for the employee's spouse, son or daughter, or parent who has a serious health condition; or
- for a serious health condition that makes the employee unable to perform the employee's job.
- An eligible employee who is a spouse, son, daughter, parent, or next of kin (the nearest blood relative) of a covered service member of the U.S. armed forces with a serious injury or illness is entitled to a combined total of 26 workweeks of unpaid FMLA leave during a single 12-month period to care for that service member.

At the employee's or employer's option, certain kinds of paid leave may be substituted for unpaid leave.
Advance Notice and Medical Certification
The employee may be required to provide advance leave notice and medical certification. Taking of leave may be denied if requirements are not met.

- The employee ordinarily must provide 30 days advance notice when the leave is “foreseeable”.
- An employer may require medical certification to support a request for leave because of a serious health condition, and may require second or third opinions (at the employer’s expense) and a fitness for duty report to return to work.

Job Benefits and Protection
For the duration of FMLA leave, the employer must maintain the employee’s health coverage under any “group health plan.”

- Upon return from FMLA leave, most employees must be restored to their original or equivalent positions with equivalent pay, benefits and other employment terms.
- The use of FMLA leave cannot result in the loss of any employment benefit that accrued prior to the start of an employee’s leave.

Unlawful Acts by Employers
FMLA makes it unlawful for any employer to:

- Interfere with, restrain or deny the exercise of any right provided under FMLA;
- Discharge or discriminate against any person for opposing any practice made unlawful by FMLA or for involvement in any proceeding under or relating to FMLA.

Enforcement
The U.S. Department of Labor is authorized to investigate and resolve complaints of violations.

- An eligible employee may bring a civil action against an employer for violations.

FMLA does not affect any Federal or State law prohibiting discrimination, or supersede any State or local law or collective bargaining agreement which provides greater family or medical leave rights.

For Additional Information:
If you have access to the Internet visit DOL’s FMLA website: http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/fmla. To locate your nearest Wage-Hour Office, telephone our Wage-Hour toll-free information and help line at 1-866-4USWAGE (1-866-487-9243); a customer service representative is available to assist you with referral information from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in your time zone; or log onto our Home Page at http://www.wagehour.dol.gov.

U.S. Department of Labor
Employment Standards Administration
Wage and Hour Division
Washington, DC 20210
**Medical Assistance and Accommodations & Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)**

LCPS complies with the ADA and provides reasonable accommodation to those who need it. An employee who believes that he or she has a disability and needs special assistance to perform his or her job should contact the Retirement and Disability Programs Division at 571-252-1690. All communications are confidential.

**Workers’ Compensation**

What to do if you’re accidentally injured on the job:

1. **Report the Injury**—Immediately report the injury to your Supervisor…including details on what happened, when, where, why, and how. An Employers Report of Accident form will be completed by your Supervisor or a designee.

2. **Treatment**—If your injury is an Emergency situation, call 911 or go to the nearest Hospital Emergency Room or Urgent Care facility. Follow up treatment should be with an “LCPS Authorized Panel of Physicians” doctor. You must see a physician listed on the “LCPS Authorized Panel of Physicians” for your Doctor’s bills to be covered by Workers’ Compensation.

3. **Prescriptions**—You may get your prescribed medications at a facility of your choice. You may submit the receipts to the Retirement and Disability Programs Division for reimbursement from the LCPS Claims Administrator, PMA Management Corp.

4. **X-Rays**—You may get any prescribed x-rays or other testing at a facility of your choice, with the exception of MRIs which require preauthorization from PMA Management Corp, phone 1-800-476-2669.

5. **Missing Time From Work**—If your injury causes you to miss time from work you must have a Doctor’s excuse and provide it to your supervisor.

6. **Time and Attendance**—It is your responsibility to make sure the Retirement and Disability Programs Division is notified of your time and attendance in a timely fashion. Not reporting your time and attendance will affect your paycheck. The Retirement and Disability Programs Division will be monitoring your workers’ compensation claim throughout the entire process. Any questions, just give us a call at (571) 252-1690.

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Did you know that not all work related injuries are covered by Workers’ Comp?

If you do not follow safety rules (written or verbally spoken), your claim can be denied.

Things that can put your claim in jeopardy:

- Standing on a chair
- Standing on a table
- Standing in a sink

You should always use a ladder or step stool. Broken bones, head injuries and hospital confinements denied by workers compensation may mean no income during your recovery! Take time to use the proper equipment. It could be time well spent.
The Loudoun County School Board has established the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank for full-time employees.

This bank may provide employees with access to additional sick leave days other than those personally accumulated when a member of an employee’s immediate family, specifically, the employee’s spouse, employee’s child or employee’s parent, is incapacitated by long-term personal illness or injury. The Donated Family Sick Leave Bank will be maintained as long as at least one-third (1/3) of the eligible members agree to participate in accordance with the provisions of this policy. Participation will be voluntary.

Procedure

- Employees may enroll within the first thirty (30) contract days of initial full-time employment or thirty (30) contract days after re-employment by completing an application and donating two (2) days of sick leave. Please see page 15-11 for application.
- Members of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank will be assessed two (2) additional days at any time the bank is depleted to 200 days. Membership will be continuous unless the employee informs the Retirement and Disability Programs Division in writing of the intent to withdraw.
- Upon termination of employment with Loudoun County Public Schools or withdrawal of membership from the bank, a participating employee will not be permitted to withdraw days contributed.
- An employee who does not enroll when first eligible may do so between any subsequent open enrollment, October 15th to November 15th. The effective date of that enrollment will be January 1st of the following plan year.
- A member of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank shall not be permitted to withdraw days from the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank until all leave is depleted.
- The first thirty (30) working days of family member’s illness or disability must be covered by the employee’s own accumulated leave or leave without pay. A maximum of thirty (30) days from the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank, for which the elimination period need not be consecutive, can be drawn by any one member from the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank.
- Members utilizing leave days from the bank will not be required to replace these days except as a regular contributing member of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank program.
- Only sick leave may be contributed to the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank.
- You must have two sick leave days available at the time of enrollment to be eligible to enroll.
Short-Term Disability - For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members

**Employer Paid Short-Term Disability Plan**

A goal of Loudoun County Public Schools is to help maintain your earnings at 100% throughout any period of disability resulting from a non-work related injury/illness.

LCPS offers a 100% employer paid short-term disability plan, administered by Cigna for VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 members only.

You will be automatically enrolled; feel confident that you may receive benefits to help replace lost income if you have an unexpected illness or injury!

- All VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 benefits-eligible employees will be automatically enrolled and accepted into the program.
- The elimination period is 20 calendar days.
- Benefits are paid for up to 10 calendar weeks following the elimination period at 60% of your regular income up to $1,730.00 per week maximum.
- To keep your pay at 100% for as long as possible, LCPS will supplement the short-term disability benefit with 40% from your sick leave—until the disability period ends or your sick leave is exhausted.
- Short-term disability benefits for pregnancy are provided the same as for a disability caused by illness/injury.

**Short-Term Disability FAQs**

What is short-term disability insurance?

Short-term disability insurance provides income replacement for non-work related injury/illness.

Who is eligible for short-term disability insurance?

All benefits-eligible employees under VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2. VRS Hybrid Plan Members are covered under VLDP.

What is the elimination period?

The 20 consecutive calendar days you are required to be absent before becoming eligible to receive the benefit.

How much will it cost me?

Nothing. LCPS is paying the premium for all eligible employees.

When am I eligible for short-term disability benefits?

Your coverage begins on the first day of the month after you become an eligible employee.

Who is the short-term disability insurance carrier?

Cigna was awarded the contract by the School Board.

Is maternity leave covered under short-term disability?

Short-term disability benefits for pregnancy are provided the same as for a disability caused by illness/injury.

Is paternity leave covered under short-term disability?

No, paternity leave is not covered.

Can I use sick leave to add to the 60% benefit?

Yes, if available, during the time you are receiving short-term disability payments.

What happens if I ran out of sick leave, can I supplement with another leave benefit?

Yes, you may choose to use your annual leave or personal leave.

How can I receive short-term disability benefits?

It is the employee’s responsibility to contact Cigna to make a claim for short-term disability. Their phone number is 1-800-362-4462.

VRS Hybrid Plan Members are automatically enrolled in VLDP

More information on VLDP can be found at www.varetire.org or by calling the Retirement and Disability Programs Division at 571-252-1690
Long-Term Disability For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members

Long Term Disability Insurance

Eligibility
VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 active full-time employees who work more than 180 days and have a minimum of 20 hours per week on a regular scheduled basis for Loudoun County Public Schools.

Eligibility Waiting Period
If you are working for the employer full-time there is no waiting period.

Current Enrollment Period
30 days from first working day

Elimination Period
Plan 1: 90 Days
Plan 2: 180 Days

Cigna offers two optional plan designs for employees. These programs will not replace the VRS Disability Retirement plans, but will provide more comprehensive coverage to employees for partial and total disabilities.

Option #1
60% income replacement to a maximum of $7,500, 90-day elimination period, 2 year benefit period, full integration* with VRS and Social Security Disability benefits.

Definition of disability for this plan:
“For the 24 months following the elimination period, if an employee is prevented from performing one or more of the essential duties of your own occupation due to a disabling condition, and as a result your current monthly earnings are less than 80% of your pre-disability earnings.” These benefits may be payable to Social Security Normal Retirement Age. This benefit does not integrate with VRS or Social Security Disability benefits.

Benefits from this program are paid tax free.

Option #2
40% income replacement to a maximum of $5,000, 180-day elimination period, 2 year own occupation protection and benefits to Social Security Normal Retirement Age** if they can't perform the duties of any occupation after this period. This benefit does not integrate with VRS or Social Security Disability benefits.

Definition of disability for this plan:
“For the first 24 months following the elimination period, if an employee is prevented from performing one or more of the essential duties of your own occupation due to a disabling condition, and as a result your current monthly earnings are less than 80% of your pre-disability earnings, you are considered disabled if you are prevented from performing one or more of the essential duties of any occupation.” These benefits may be payable to Social Security Normal Retirement Age. This benefit does not integrate with VRS or Social Security Disability benefits.

Benefits from this program are paid tax free.

Exclusions and Limitations
Long-Term Disability Exclusions Benefits are not payable for disabilities resulting from any of the following: war or act of war (declared or not) or, the commission or attempt to commit a felony. In addition, your plan may exclude a disability caused or contributed to by an intentionally self-inflicted injury. Benefits are not payable if you are not under the regular care of a physician.

Pre-existing Condition Limitation If your plan has a pre-existing condition limitation, any disability due to a condition for which you were diagnosed or received care before the effective date of your plan will only be covered in one of three situations. The first is that there has been a treatment-free period of twelve (12) months since your effective date. The second is that even if you are receiving treatment, you would be eligible to receive benefits if the disability begins after you have been insured for a twelve (12) month period. The third is that you have already satisfied the twelve (12) month pre-existing condition requirement of a prior insurer.

* Cigna will take any Other Income Benefits, which means any payments that are made to you or your family in relation to your loss of earnings, and offset your disability benefit.

** Normal retirement age means the Social Security Normal Retirement Age as stated in the 1983 revision of the United States Social Security Act.
Benefit Amount Offsets  Your Long-Term Disability benefit amount will be reduced by:

Plan 1

Other income benefits you (or possible your family) receive or are eligible to receive. Examples of such “other income benefits” are income from Social Security Disability Insurance, Virginia Retirement System (VRS) plan, the Civil Service Retirement System, Railroad Retirement Act, the Jones Act, Canada Pension Plan, the Veteran’s Administration, Workers’ Compensation or occupational disease laws; group, association, union or other organizational coverage; employer-related individual policies; any disability or unemployment benefits; damages or settlements for income loss; and compulsory no-fault automobile plans.

For Long-Term Disability Benefits Amounts, retirement benefits are another example of “other income benefits” if the retirement plan is wholly or partially funded by employer contributions, unless you were receiving them prior to becoming disabled, or you immediately transfer the payment to another plan qualified by the U.S. Internal Revenue Service for the funding of a future retirement.

Plan 2

Your Long-Term Disability benefits payments will not be reduced by retirement benefits from Social Security Disability Insurance, Virginia Retirement System (VRS) plan, or similar plans, or by any portion of retirement benefits that you (or your family depending on your plan) receive that are funded by your after-tax contributions.

Your Long-Term Disability benefit payments will not be reduced by your savings or investments, IRAs or Keoghs, profit-sharing, personal disability policies or Social Security increases.

How much do the plans cost and how do we pay premiums?

Cigna voluntary plans are offered in 5 year age bands and based on your current age for the plan year. Shown below are a few sample costs of the two voluntary options:

Option #1 (60% plan, 2 year duration)
Assumptions: 36 year old employee with an annual salary of $35,000
$35,000 annual salary/12 = $2,917 monthly salary/100 x .102 monthly rate = $2.98/month ($1.49/pay)

Option #2 (40% plan, benefits to SSNRA, non-integrated)
Assumptions: 36 year old employee with an annual salary of $35,000
$35,000 annual salary/12 = $2,917 monthly salary/100 x .156 monthly rate = $4.55/month ($2.28/pay)

This Benefit Highlights and the accompanying material explain the general purpose of the insurance described, but in no way change or affect the policy as actually issued. In the event of any discrepancy between any of these documents and the policy, the terms of the policy apply. Complete coverage information is in the certificate of insurance booklet on the Retirement and Disability Programs Division website and is available by request. Please read it carefully and keep it in a safe place with your other important papers.

Underwritten by:
Cigna
Medical Evidence Underwriting
6740 North High Street
Worthington, OH 43085
Phone: 1-800-551-7265, ext 38839
Fax: 1-614-880-3529

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More information on VLDP can be found at www.varetire.org or by calling the Retirement and Disability Programs Division at 571-252-1690
Life Insurance

Retirement and Disability Programs
571-252-1690

- Basic Group Term Life Insurance
- Designation of Beneficiary
- Optional Group Term Life Insurance
Basic Group Term Life Insurance

Administered By: Minnesota Life for VRS 1-800-441-2258

Benefit: Coverage is two (2) times current annual salary for group term life and up to an additional two (2) times annual salary for accidental death and dismemberment.

Premiums: Loudoun County School Board currently pays the entire premium for this coverage.

Additional Benefits:
- Safety Belt Benefit: If a member dies or suffers dismemberment in an accident while driving or riding in a private passenger car, Minnesota Life will pay an additional benefit equal to 10 percent of the accidental death or dismemberment amount, provided the passenger car was equipped with safety belts, a safety belt was in proper use by the member, and the driver of the passenger car was a licensed driver and was not intoxicated, impaired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs. The maximum benefit payable is $50,000.
- Repatriation Benefit: This benefit pays an additional accidental death benefit for the transportation and associated costs of returning a member’s remains, if a member dies in an accident at least 75 miles from home. The amount paid will be either the cost of transportation or $5,000, whichever is less.
- Felonious Assault Benefit: The life insurance provider pays a benefit equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 25% of the accidental death or dismemberment benefit amount if a member dies, or suffers dismemberment, because of a felonious assault while performing his or her job. If the assault causes the death of the member, and the member has a dependent child or children under age 18 (or 18 if still in high school), the benefit will provide a Virginia Education Savings Trust account to be used for college tuition and mandatory fees at any accredited college or university in the country that is eligible to participate in federal student financial aid programs. The amount will be approximately equal to the cost for a four-year in-state university.

See the VRS Handbook for Members for more details.

Beneficiary Designations

The Order of Precedence

The order of precedence for retirement contributions and life insurance benefits provides for benefits to be distributed in an order established by law. It is only necessary to designate a beneficiary if you want payment to be made in a way other than the following:

Life Insurance Benefits: The order established by law provides that payment will be made as follows in the event of your death:
- to your spouse;
- if no surviving spouse, to your child(ren) and descendents of deceased children, per stirpes;
- if none of the above, to your parents equally or to the surviving parent;
- if none of the above, to the duly appointed executor or administrator of your estate;
- if none of the above, to other next of kin entitled under the law of the state you live in at the time of death.

Retirement Benefits: The order established by law provides for payment to be made as follows in the event of your death while in service:
- to your spouse;
- if no surviving spouse, to your child(ren) and descendents of deceased children, per stirpes;
- if none of the above, to your parents equally or to the surviving parent;
- if none of the above, to the duly appointed executor or administrator of your estate;
- if none of the above, to other next of kin entitled under the law of the state you live in at the time of death.

If a member wants to provide for someone other than what is provided for by law, the VRS-2 Beneficiary Change form must be completed to allow the member to make that type of designation.

To review or print the complete policy, visit the Retirement and Disability Programs website or contact the Retirement and Disability Programs.
Optional Group Term Life Insurance

Benefit: Additional term life insurance at group rates is available to VRS members as an optional benefit. Members may purchase additional coverage, up to 4 times the employee’s annual salary. Spouse and children coverage is also available (note that coverage must be consistent with the option level elected by the employee).

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The guaranteed issue amount is up to $350,000 for the employee and .5x your salary for your spouse, and up to $30,000 for children when coverage is elected within 31 days of eligibility.

Premiums: Premiums are based on the employee’s age (and the age of the employee’s spouse, if spousal coverage is elected), annual salary and amount of elected coverage. Premiums are conveniently deducted through payroll deduction.

Optional Group Life Insurance (per $1,000 of coverage)

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* Rates/benefit amounts effective July 1, 2011
** One premium covers all children.

Notes
Employees who apply for coverage later than 31 days after initial eligibility and employees whose optional coverage would exceed $350,000, or employees who elect more than 1/2 salary for spousal coverage must complete and provide an EOI (Evidence of Insurability) form to Minnesota Life.
Calculation Worksheet
Optional Group Term Life Insurance

To calculate the employee’s “optional life” premium complete the following:

Enter Your Annual Salary: ____________________________________________
(rounded up to the next even thousand)

Divide by 1000 to get Covered Payroll: ______________________________

Multiply by Monthly Premium Rate: _________________________________
(based on employee’s age—see schedule on previous page)

\[ \text{Monthly Premium (Option 1)} \]

Multiply by 2 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 2)
Multiply by 3 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 3)
Multiply by 4 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 4)

(Enter Monthly Premium _______________
divide by 2 ______________ = Your Semi-Monthly Premium)

Calculations for spouse’s coverage are based on the spouse’s age (see previous page for rates).

Enter Your Annual Salary: __________________________________________
(rounded up to the next even thousand)

Divide by 1000 to get Covered Payroll: ______________________________

Multiply by Monthly Premium Rate: _________________________________
(based on spouse’s age - see schedule on previous page)

\[ \text{Monthly Premium (Option 1)} \]

Multiplying by 2 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 2)
Multiply by 1 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 3)
Multiply by 1.5 = _____________ Monthly Premium (Option 4)

(Enter Monthly Premium _______________
divide by 2 ______________ = Your Semi-Monthly Premium)

Add the spouse’s amount to the employee’s premium, and children’s premium (if elected) to determine the total amount deducted per pay.

See schedule on previous page for child(ren) rates.*

Eligible Dependents
The following persons are eligible to be insured under the VRS Optional Group Term Life Insurance Plan:

- the employee’s spouse, and
- the employee’s unmarried, natural, or legally adopted children who are not self-supporting, and
- the employee’s unmarried step-children who live full-time with the employee in a parent-child relationship and can be claimed as a dependent on the employee’s Federal income tax return, and
- any other children if they are in the permanent court-ordered custody of the employee.

* at least 15 days old from birth and less than 21 years of age if not a full-time student, age 25 if a full-time student.

Beneficiary Information
The employee’s beneficiary for Optional Group Term Life Insurance is the same as designated for the employee’s Basic VRS Group Term Insurance. The employee is the beneficiary for the Optional Group Term Life Insurance on the employee’s spouse and children.

Notes
See Page 15-9 for Enrollment Application Form for VRS Optional Group Term Life Insurance.
Other Voluntary Benefits

- Virginia 529 prePAID
- Virginia 529 inVEST
- Hepatitis B Vaccination
- AFLAC Supplemental Income Protection Plans—Cancer and Hospital Intensive Care
- Long Term Care Insurance Program
- United States Securities through Treasury Direct
- Loudoun Credit Union
- Apple Federal Credit Union
- LCPS Discounts (ID Badge required)
Virginia 529 prePAID™

Internal Revenue code § 529 prepaid tuition plan

Expenses covered:
- In-state undergraduate tuition
- All mandatory fees

Guarantee
- Program backed by statutory guarantee
- Lock in future costs of in-state undergraduate tuition and mandatory fees at Virginia public colleges

Tax Advantages
- Tax-free earnings
- Tax-free qualified distributions
- Favorable federal estate and gift tax provisions
- Virginia income tax deduction for account owner

Protection from creditors under Virginia law
Use at any accredited college in the country eligible to accept federal financial aid

Age limits
- Newborn through ninth grade

Limited enrollment period
State residency requirements
Maximum 5 year university and 3 year community college contracts

For more information visit: www.Virginia529.com

Virginia 529 inVEST™

Internal Revenue code § 529 tuition plan

- May be used for all IRC § 529 expenses
- Tuition and Fees
- Room and board
- Textbooks and required supplies and equipment
- No guarantee
- Investments subject to market conditions
- Savings may not be sufficient to cover all college costs

Tax Advantages
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Protection from creditors under Virginia law
Use at any accredited college in the country eligible to accept federal financial aid
No age limits
- Adults and children

Enrollment open all year
No state residency requirements
$250,000 account limit

For more information visit: www.Virginia529.com
Hepatitis B Vaccine
What You Need to Know

What is Hepatitis?
Hepatitis means inflammation of the liver. The liver is a vital organ that processes nutrients, filters the blood, and fights infections. When the liver is inflamed or damaged, its function can be affected.

What is Hepatitis B?
Hepatitis B is a contagious liver disease that results from infection with the Hepatitis B virus. When first infected, a person can develop an "acute" infection, which can range in severity from a very mild illness with few or no symptoms to a serious condition requiring hospitalization. Acute Hepatitis B refers to the first 6 months after someone is exposed to the Hepatitis B virus. Some people are able to fight the infection and clear the virus. For others, the infection remains and leads to a "chronic," or lifelong, illness. Chronic Hepatitis B refers to the illness that occurs when the Hepatitis B virus remains in a person's body. Over time, the infection can cause serious health problems.

How is Hepatitis B spread?
Hepatitis B is usually spread when blood, semen, or other body fluids from a person infected with the Hepatitis B virus enter the body of someone who is not infected. This can happen through sexual contact with an infected person or sharing needles, syringes, or other injection drug equipment. Hepatitis B can also be passed from an infected mother to her baby at birth.

What are the symptoms of acute Hepatitis B?
Not everyone has symptoms with acute Hepatitis B. Most adults have symptoms that appear within 3 months of exposure. Symptoms can last from a few weeks to several months and include:
  • Fever
  • Fatigue
  • Loss of appetite
  • Nausea
  • Vomiting

  • Abdominal pain
  • Grey-colored stools
  • Dark urine
  • Joint pain
  • Jaundice

What are the symptoms of chronic Hepatitis B?
Many people with chronic Hepatitis B do not have symptoms and do not know they are infected. Even though a person has no symptoms, the virus can still be detected in the blood. Symptoms of chronic Hepatitis B can take up to 30 years to develop. Damage to the liver can silently occur during this time. When symptoms do appear, they are similar to acute infection and can be a sign of advanced liver disease.

Can Hepatitis B be prevented?
Yes. The best way to prevent Hepatitis B is by getting vaccinated. For adults, the Hepatitis B vaccine is given as a series of 3 shots over a period of 6 months. The entire series is needed for long-term protection.

Who should get vaccinated against Hepatitis B?
Vaccination is recommended for certain LCPS employees, including:
  • Nurses
  • Nurse Assistants
  • Athletic Trainers
  • Custodians
  • Severe Special Education Teachers
  • Severe Special Education Teacher Assistants

For more information:
Talk to your health professional, call your health department, or visit www.cdc.gov/hepatitis.

Notes
When a covered individual is diagnosed with cancer, this plan provides for hospital, confinement, radiation and chemotherapy and surgery, among others.

In addition, AFLAC will pay a First Occurrence Benefit when a covered individual is first diagnosed as having internal cancer. Benefits are determined by state, but may include:

- Hospital Confinement
- Radiation and chemotherapy
- National Cancer Institute (NCI) evaluation/consultation

Enroll in the first thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date or during Open Enrollment, October 15-November 15, with coverage taking effect January 1st.

For further information on these products, contact AFLAC Agent:
Debbie Smith
(703) 851-5504

Long-term care (LTC) is a variety of services which help meet both the medical and non-medical needs of people with a chronic illness or disability who cannot care for themselves for long periods of time.

It is common for long-term care to provide custodial and non-skilled care, such as assisting with normal daily tasks like dressing, bathing, and using the bathroom. Increasingly, long-term care involves providing a level of medical care that requires the expertise of skilled practitioners to address the often multiple chronic conditions associated with older populations. Long-term care can be provided at home, in the community, in assisted living facilities or in nursing homes. Long-term care may be needed by people of any age, although it is a more common need for senior citizens.

Enroll in Genworth within the first thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date for Guaranteed Issue or anytime after with approval of Issuers.

Check out and compare policies carefully before you enroll:

**Virginia Retired Teacher Association Plan**
offered by Creekside Insurance Advisors
(800) 467-5425

**Commonwealth of Virginia Voluntary Group Long Term Care Program**
offered by Genworth Life Insurance Company
(866) 859-6060
www.genworth.com/cov
TreasuryDirect is a web-based system that allows you to purchase electronic Series EE and I savings bonds, as well as Treasury bills, notes, bonds and TIPS. You will NOT receive paper bonds through TreasuryDirect.

Your payroll deduction is sent to your TreasuryDirect account each pay period. When you have accumulated a minimum of $25.00 in your account, you may purchase whatever Treasury security you wish online. You are able to purchase your securities whenever it is convenient – TreasuryDirect is available 24/7.

Some of the advantages of using TreasuryDirect are:

• Since all securities are electronic, there is no paper to lose.
• You may set up an account for minor children.
• You control the issuance of savings bonds.
• TreasuryDirect provides a summary of account activity, including recent purchases, payments and account balances.
• TreasuryDirect tracks details such as issue date and current value for you.
• Bonds don't get lost in the mail or returned as undeliverable.

TreasuryDirect Enrollment Information

(You must have internet access to use TreasuryDirect)

First, open a TreasuryDirect account:

• Go to www.treasurydirect.gov (note the .GOV)
• On the right hand side of the screen you will see:
  TreasuryDirect®
  Legacy Treasury Direct®
  FedInvest®
  SLGSafe®

Click on TreasuryDirect

• Enter the required information. (You will be asked for your banking information – NO money will be deducted from your account, but this number is required by TreasuryDirect. This is a method of identification, and the account to which any redeemed securities will be deposited.)
• Next, complete the LCPS TreasuryDirect Payroll Authorization form found on page 15-15 and return it to the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits Division to begin your deductions. It's that easy!
Direct Deposit/Payroll Deduction
Enjoy the convenience of direct deposit or payroll deduction.

With Direct Deposit you normally receive your deposit a day early. For example, if your direct deposit has an effective date of Friday, we will normally post it to your account on Thursday.

Payroll Deduction is an allotment to the credit union for deposit and/or to make a loan payment.

Member Discounted Automobile & Homeowners Insurance
AH&T a local insurance agency, through Susan J Evans CIC CPIA, is offering Loudoun Credit Union Members the opportunity to purchase Auto & Home insurance at a LCU discount. Save money while improving your insurance protection with an insurance company that has a financial strength rating of “A+,” Superior. Please call Susan at 703-737-2209 for your free quotations.

Visa Check (Debit) Card
Eliminate the need to write a check with the Loudoun Credit Union Visa Check (Debit) Card. The check card is tied directly to your checking account and you can make purchases or obtain cash from any ATM displaying the VISA logo.

Visa Gift Cards
For an easy gift idea, purchase a Visa Gift Card at Loudoun Credit Union. For a minimal fee of $2.00 per card, you can specify the card amount between $10 and $500, and let the recipient have fun shopping for the gift of their choice!

Surcharge Free ATMs
LCU has joined the CO-OP Network. No surcharge ATM machines are now available to you throughout the United States and Canada. Simply check our website to find a surcharge free ATM nearest you!

Identity Theft Protection
Identity theft is one of the fastest growing problems facing everyone today. You may purchase Identity Theft Shield protection through Loudoun Credit Union.

Notary Public Service
As a courtesy to our members only, we offer free notary service. No appointment is necessary; there are three notaries on staff.

Discount Busch Garden Tickets
One of the great attractions in Virginia is Busch Gardens and tickets are sold at the credit union well below gate prices

Traveler Cheques
If you are traveling, we recommend the safety guarantee of American Express Traveler Cheques. If they are lost or stolen, American Express will issue you a refund. Literally, don’t leave home without them. Travel Cheques are 50 cents per $100.

Wire Transfers
For a minimum fee, funds can be wired from your credit union account to another financial institution. Wire requests must be submitted before 2:00 p.m. for same day service. A Wire Transfer Form must be completed before a wire is initiated; this is done to maintain security.

United Buying Service
Are you considering purchasing a new or used car and want to get a good deal without haggling over the price? Learn how you can save time and money by contacting us for more information about UBS!

Mortgage Financing
The Loudoun Credit Union has partnered with PHH Mortgage Services, who offers you the strongest mortgage guarantees anywhere. Available 6 days a week, Call 1-877-256-1358

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Apple Credit Union has been serving the community since 1956.

As a financially sound and strong institution, their goal is to be your number one financial service provider.

The beauty of an Apple Federal Credit Union membership is that once you join you are a member for life.

Family members are also eligible to take advantage of the many products and services Apple FCU has to offer. This includes spouses, children, siblings, grandparents and grandchildren. With over 18 locations throughout Northern Virginia, Apple FCU is convenient for you, the employee. Besides convenience, Apple has a variety of products to fit every need.

For more information call 703-788-4800.

www.applefcu.org

Their products include:
- Direct Deposit
- Savings Accounts
  - Money Market Accounts
  - Individual Retirement Accounts
- Checking Accounts
- VISA Debit Cards
- VISA Personalized Credit Cards
- Certificates of Deposit (CDs)
- Auto Loans
- Student Loans
- Mortgages
- Home Equity Lines of Credit
- Extra Students Accounts
- Business Services
- NetBranch Online Banking
- Web Bill Payer
- Express Yourself Personalized Debit Cards
- Professional Development Loans
- Financial Counseling Services
Employee Discounts

There are many Loudoun County businesses that offer discounts to LCPS employees.

Be prepared to show your badge as proof of LCPS employment.

To see a complete list please check out our website (www.lcps.org, click on Business & Financial Services under the Administration drop down menu, and then click on Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits on the left hand side.) under “Employee Discount List” to get an updated list of our Discounts.

The Employee Discount list includes discounts from:

- Apartments
- Auto Services
- Banks
- Computers
- Dentists
- Educational Centers
- Fitness Centers
- Food Services
- Hair & Spa Services
- Home Services
- Hotels
- Mortgage Companies
- Realtor
- Restaurants
- And many more...
Employee Assistance Program

Retirement and Disability Programs

571-252-1690
What is an EAP?
The EAP provides employees of Loudoun County Public Schools and family members with free and confidential help in dealing with personal problems. This benefit provides up to 4 sessions per problem per year for you and your family members. The EAP can help you and your family with most any kind of problem that affects your personal well-being and your ability to perform your job. These include:

- Marital or family problems
- Financial/Legal difficulties
- Balancing work/life situations
- Emotional or stress related problems
- Drug or alcohol abuse
- Problems related to work

What happens when I call?
An intake counselor will listen to your concerns, help you decide what services would be most helpful, and refer you to a licensed practitioner, if appropriate. The intake counselor will call and locate a provider in your area who meets any specific criteria you might have such as specialty, language capabilities, service location, etc. This simple process eliminates the time consuming need for you to call a list of providers on your own.

Who can participate?
EAP services are available for full-time and part-time Loudoun County Public Schools employees and immediate family members who reside in the same household as the employee.

What do EAP services cost?
There is no direct cost to the employee for EAP services. LCPS is providing these services at no cost to you.

How do I access service?
The EAP is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by calling 1-800-327-7272. To access the website for educational information: Go to www.lytleeap.com and use “lcps” as the password.
Payroll Information
Payroll Information

LCPS’s Payroll Time Report

Purpose
The Fair Labor Standards Act requires that certain class of employees (NON EXEMPT) must record time worked. The LCPS Payroll Time report is used to record time worked for all non-exempt employees, with the exception of custodians, cafeteria workers, and garage employees who punch a clock.

For all employees the Time Report is used to record absences for sick, personal or annual leave. LCPS has two cut-off dates per month (the 15th and the last working day of the month) if the fifteenth falls on the weekend, the cut-off is the last working day before the 15th.

Procedure
Timesheet labels are distributed to all schools or departments for all employees paid in the prior pay period.

- New employees will not receive a pre-printed label for the timesheet for their first pay period.
- Employees who work in more than one position will only receive one pre-printed label for the primary position. These employees must complete a written time sheet for all other positions worked in a pay period.

The timesheet must be completed and signed by the employee, then forwarded to the employee’s supervisor for review and signature. Once approved by the supervisor, the information is reported to the Payroll Division and the timesheet is kept by the school or department.

How to Record
For each date during the pay period, enter the information as specified below. All hours are reported as they occur. The Payroll Division will process in quarter hour increments.

Date
Time In and Time Out—is the time that the employee actually starts and stops work on that day.

Leave Type
Sick Leave—enter the number of hours to cover each day or portion of a day an employee is absent from work.

Reason Code
OI – Own Illness;
FI – Family Illness;
FD – Family Death.

- If FI or FD are used, you must State Relationship to Employee.
- Personal Leave—Only available for employees working less than 248 days but more than 185 days. Enter the number of hours to cover each day or portion of a day an employee is absent from work.
- Annual Leave—Only available for 254 day (12 month) employees. Enter the number of hours to cover each day or portion of a day an employee is absent from work.
- Other Leave Used
  Worker’s Compensation—WC;
  Religious Observance—RO;
  Leave without pay—NO;
  Subpoenaed witness—SW;
  Jury Duty—JD;
  Funeral not covered—FN;
  School Business or Conference, etc.—PF

Substitute Information
When the employee is absent and a substitute has been hired to replace the employee, the substitute must print name and SSN#, sign the form and indicate the number of hours worked.

Signatures Needed At The Bottom
- The employee should sign and date the form.
- Forms should be kept by the supervisor based on the retention schedule.

All Schools or Divisions should have a Time Keeper who is responsible for submission of leave information on the Leave Summary document to the Payroll Division.
Information On Your Paycheck

**Earnings**

Standard Hours for Regular Pay
All employees who receive regular pay through a normal payrun process will have a total of hours listed beside their regular pay rate. These standard hours are calculated this way:

Hours Per Day Employee Works multiplied (X) By Number Of Days In Position Employee Is Working divided by (/) Number of Paychecks (24).

Example:
Employee Works 7 hours per day
Contract Length is 197 days
Number of Paychecks = 24
7 x 197 = 1379/24 = 57.46
Standard Hours

Example:
Employee Works 6.5 hours per day
Contract Length is 187
Number of Paychecks = 24
6.5 Hours x 187 = 1215.5/24 = 50.65
Standard Hours

What those abbreviations on your pay advice/paycheck stand for (includes, but is not limited to)?

**DEDUCTIONS**
(Located on the Right Hand Side of the Paycheck Stub)

- **FICA – OASDI**
  Social Security – Medicare Benefit

- **FICA – HI**
  Social Security – Health Insurance Benefit

**FEDERAL**
Federal Tax Withholding Exemption Status
M — Married or S — Single
Followed By Number of Exemptions That Employee Has Claimed.

**STATE**
State Tax Withholding
- VA Virginia State Withholding
- WV West Virginia State Withholding
- DC District of Columbia
- MD Maryland

Followed by the County in which the employee lives.

**GARNISHMENT**
Normally court ordered.

**TAX LEVY**
Tax Levy issued by IRS, State, or County

**CHILD SUPPORT**
Child Support Payments

**ED LOAN GARNISH**
Educational Loan Garnishment

**OAP PRE TAX**
Open Access Plus Pre-Tax
(Health Insurance Premium)

**OAP AFTER TAX**
Open Access Plus After-Tax
(Health Insurance Premium)

**POS PRE TAX**
Point of Service Pre-Tax
(Health Insurance Premium)

**POS AFTER TAX**
Point of Service After-Tax
(Health Insurance Premium)

**VRSI PREBUYBACK**
Virginia Retirement System Pre-Tax
Buy Back Of Prior Service—Group 1

**VRS 1 BUYBACK**
Virginia Retirement System After-Tax
Buy Back Of Prior Service—Group 1

**OPT LIFE1 CHILD**
Optional Life—Child/(ren) Coverage—Group 1

**OPT LIFE1 EMPL**
Optional Life—Employee Coverage—Group 1

**OPT LIFE1 SPOUS**
Optional Life—Spouse Coverage—Group 1

**OPT LIFE2 CHILD**
Optional Life—Child/(ren) Coverage—Group 2
Notes

OPT LIFE2 EMPL
Optional Life—Employee Coverage – Group 2

OPT LIFE2 SPOUS
Optional Life—Spouse Coverage – Group 2

OPT OUT
Opt Out of Health Insurance Credit

VRS2 PREBUYBACK
Virginia Retirement System—Pre-Tax Buy Back of Prior Service—Group 2

VRS 2 BUYBACK
Virginia Retirement System After-Tax Buy Back of Prior Service—Group 2

DEPENDENT CARE
Dependent Care “Flex Plan”

MEDICAL EXPENSE
Medical Expense “Flex Plan”

UNITED WAY
United Way

VA PREPAID EDUC
Virginia Prepaid Education Savings Plan

LOAN REPAYMENT
Visiting International Faculty Teachers Must Repay A Loan Given To Them When They Arrive In The United States

AFLAC ICU PRE
AFLAC Intensive Care Unit Insurance Pre-Tax

AFLAC ICU AFT
AFLAC Intensive Care Unit Insurance After-Tax

AFLAC CANCR PRE
AFLAC Cancer Insurance Pre-Tax

AFLAC CANCR AFT
AFLAC Cancer Insurance After-Tax

VRS-LTC
VRS Long Term Care Insurance Plan

VA ASSOC ELEM P
Virginia Association Of Elementary Principals

VA ASSOC SEC PR
Virginia Association of Secondary Principals

ING 457
ING 457 Plan

LINFIN PRETAX
Lincoln 403(b) Plan Pre-Tax

LINFIN POSTTAX
Lincoln 403(b) Plan Post-Tax

NET PAY
Employees Take Home Pay

ADMIN FEE
Administrative Fee For Payment of Child Support, Tax Levies, Personal Property Taxes, Garnishments

LOUDOUN ED ASSO
Loudoun Educational Association Dues

TAX LEVY PAYMENT
Tax Levy Payment

TAX LIENS
Tax Liens

CREDIT UNION DD
Loudoun Credit Union Direct Deposit For Loans, Savings or Shares Accounts

AF CU DD
Apple Federal Credit Union Direct Deposit For Loans, Savings or Shares Accounts

TREASURY DIRECT
Savings Bond Purchase

LT DISABILITY
Long Term Disability

LFG LOAN REPAYMENT
Lincoln 403(b) Loan Repayment

W-2 REPRINT FEE
Fee for reprinting W-2’s

EMP HI PAY LWOP
LWOP greater than 5 days of ER share of Health Premium
Register and View Your Paystub on EPay

Web Address: www.intranet.lcps
From the LCPS Intranet home page click on E-Pay.

Diagram A

If this is the first time you are using the system, you MUST register. From the E-Pay page click on “Register to View Your Paystub”.

Diagram B

If you have already registered, then click on “View Your Paystub (Registration Required)” and skip to next page.

Complete the information requested on the registration page.

The information in the first (3) fields MUST match the information in the payroll system. Contact the Payroll Office if not sure 571-252-1260.

Employees may access the information from their school or home. Employees who will never view their paystub from home can opt-out of access to your paystub over the internet by clicking inside the checkbox to opt-out of this access.

Click on the Register button when you have completed this page.
Once you've successfully registered, you will be directed to the login screen. Complete the login screen with your social security number and your EPay password.

See the “Note” section at the bottom of this screen regarding setting up your E-Pay password. Some examples of acceptable passwords are:

- ABC@2006
- TBONE*84
- GOLFPAR@2
- REDMUM#3
- TOPDOG*1

Click on the login button.
Diagram E

Click on the drop down arrow and select the pay date you want to view.
Scroll to the bottom of the screen to view your paystub.

Diagram F

Be sure to click on the “Sign Out” button when you’ve finished.

Diagram G

Diagram H

You’ve successfully signed out of ePay!
To view pay stubs from home (after first registering for E-Pay on a worksite computer) visit the LCPS website: www.lcps.org/

1. Under Our District Select “Employee Resources”

2. Select “E-Pay”

3. Click “Sign On”

You will then login with your social security number (include dashes) and password (case sensitive). Remember to log out when you are done.
Important Notices

- Your Benefits and the Law
- COBRA Notice
- Privacy Notice
- Medicare Credible Coverage Notice
- State Children’s Health Insurance Program (SCHIP)
- Universal Availability Notice
Your Benefits and the Law

Your LCPS benefits comply with all federal mandates that govern public sector employee plans. To obtain more information about the requirements of these legislative acts, please refer to the following:

Women's Health & Cancer Rights Act - www.dol.gov
If you have had or are going to have a mastectomy, you may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998 (WHCRA). For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided (in a manner determined in consultation with the attending physician and the patient) for all stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed:

• Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symetrical appearance
• Prostheses
• Treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedema

These benefits are subject to the same deductibles and coinsurance applicable to other medical and surgical benefits provided under the plan. Benefits provided in connection with a mastectomy are subject to the plans’ regular deductibles and copayments. For more information, refer to the summary plan documents for your appropriate medical plan, available on the LCPS website or contact your health plan vendor.

Mental Health Parity & Addiction Equity Act - www.sanhsa.gov
The Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008 prohibits group health plans that offer mental health and substance use disorder benefits from creating more restrictive financial requirements or treatment limitations for mental health and substance use disorder services than those applied to medical and surgical benefits. Plan participants may not be required to pay more in deductibles, copayments, coinsurance, and out-of-pocket expenses for mental health and substance abuse benefits than those imposed by the plan’s medical/surgical benefits.

Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (GINA) - www.eeoc.gov
GINA prohibits employers from requiring or purchasing genetic information about you or your family members. The law also prohibits group and individual health insurers from using your genetic information in determining eligibility or premiums.

Newborns’ & Mothers’ Health Protection Act - www.dol.gov
The Newborn and Mother’s Health Protection Act of 1996 provides protections on the length of time mothers and their newborn infants may stay in the hospital following childbirth. Generally, group health plans and health insurers may not restrict benefits for a hospital stay in connection with childbirth to less than 48 hours (or 96 hours following a cesarean section). The law allows an attending provider, in consultation with the mother, to authorize an earlier discharge. To ensure that the exception does not result in early discharges that might harm the health of the mother or newborn, a group health plan or health insurer may not reduce the compensation of the attending providers because they provide care to a covered individual in accordance to the Act, nor provide incentives to induce the attending providers to provide care in a manner inconsistent with the Act.
Uniformed Services Employment & Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA) - www.dol.gov

USERRA is a federal law that protects civilian job rights as well as health and pension benefits for veterans and members of Reserve components.

Individuals who take a leave of absence from LCPS to perform military duty may elect to continue LCPS medical and dental benefits. If military service is expected to last more than 30 days, the service member may continue health benefits for up to 24 months. He/she is required to pay premium costs of up to 102 percent of the full premium for continued coverage.

For military service of less than 31 days, health care coverage is provided as if the service member had remained employed.

Employees who choose to terminate health care coverage due to commencement of military service have the right to reinstate their health care coverage within 30 days of return to work with LCPS. For more information regarding USERRA, visit www.dol.gov/compliance/laws/comp-userra.html.

Mandatory Insurer Reporting Law - www.cms.gov

Public Law 110-173 requires LCPS' health plans to report participants' Social Security Numbers (SSNs) in order to coordinate benefits with Medicare or other insurance benefits. All participants (employees and dependents) age 45 or older must provide SSNs in order for LCPS health plans to meet the requirements of this law. All participants who are receiving kidney dialysis or have received a kidney transplant, as well as all participants under age 45 who have Medicare, are also required to report SSNs. For more details on this legislation, go to www.cms.hhs.gov/MandatoryInsRep.
On April 7, 1986, a new federal law was enacted entitled the “Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA)” (Public Law 99-272, Title X) requiring that most employers sponsoring a group health/dental plan offer employees and their families the opportunity for a temporary extension of coverage (called “continuation coverage”) at group rates in certain instances where coverage under a plan would otherwise end. This notice is intended to inform you, in a summary fashion, of your rights and obligations under the continuation coverage provision of the law. It is suggested that you and your covered dependents take the time to read this notice carefully.

If you are an employee of Loudoun County Public Schools covered by the Loudoun County Public Schools Group Health Insurance Plans, you have a right to choose this continuation coverage if you lose your group health coverage because of reduction in your hours of employment or the termination of your employment (for reasons other than gross misconduct on your part).

If you are the spouse of an employee covered by one of these Plans, you have the right to choose continuation for yourself if you lose group health coverage for any of the following four reasons:

1. Death of your spouse;
2. Termination of your spouse’s employment (for reasons other than gross misconduct) or reduction in your spouse’s hours of employment;
3. Divorce or legal separation from your spouse; or
4. Your spouse becomes eligible for Medicare.

In the case of a dependent child of an employee covered by one of these Plans, he or she has the right to continuation coverage if group health coverage under the plan is lost for any of the following five reasons:

1. Death of a parent;
2. Termination of a parent’s employment (for reasons other than gross misconduct) or a reduction in a parent’s hours of employment;
3. Parent’s divorce or legal separation;
4. A parent becomes eligible for Medicare; or
5. Dependent child ceases to be a “dependent child.”

Under the law, the employee or family member has the responsibility to inform Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits in the Department of Business and Financial Services of a divorce, legal separation, or of a child losing eligible dependent status under the Plan within sixty (60) days of the date of the event, or the date in which coverage under the Plan would end because of the event, whichever is later.

When Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits is notified that one of these events has happened, you will be informed in writing of your option to elect continuation coverage. Under the law, you have at least 60 days from the date you would lose coverage because of one of the “qualifying events” described above to inform Flexible Benefits Administrators (Loudoun County Public Schools COBRA Administrator) that you want to elect continuation coverage. The first insurance premium payment is due no later than 45 days after you elect continuation coverage. If you do not choose continuation coverage, your group health insurance coverage will end. If Flexible Benefits Administrators does not receive the COBRA Election Notice from you within the 60-day period stated above, you will automatically waive your rights under COBRA.

If you choose continuation coverage, Loudoun County Public Schools is required to give you coverage that is identical to the coverage provided under the Plan to similarly situated employees or family members. The law requires that you be afforded the opportunity to maintain continuation coverage for 36 months unless you lost group health coverage because of a termination of employment or reduction in hours.

If either of these events occur, the required continuation period is 18 months. These 18 months may be extended for affected individuals to 36 months from termination of employment if other events (such as a death, divorce, legal separation, or Medicare entitlement) occur during that 18-month period.
In no event will continuation coverage last beyond 36 months from the date of the event that originally made a qualified beneficiary eligible to elect coverage. The 18 months may be extended to 29 months if a qualified beneficiary is determined by the Social Security Administration to be disabled (for Social Security disability purposes) at any time during the first 60 days of COBRA coverage. This 11-month extension is available to all individuals who are qualified beneficiaries due to a termination or reduction in hours of employment. To benefit from this extension, a qualified beneficiary must notify the Plan Administrator of the eligibility determination within 60 days and before the end of the original 18-month period. The affected individual must also notify the Plan Administrator within 30 days of any final determination that the individual is no longer disabled.

A child who is born to, or placed for adoption with, the covered employee during a period of COBRA coverage will be eligible to become a qualified beneficiary. In accordance with the terms of the Loudoun County Public Schools Group Health Insurance Plan and the requirements of federal law, these qualified beneficiaries can be added to COBRA coverage upon proper notification to the Plan Administrator of the birth or adoption.

The law also provides that your continuation may be terminated for any of the following five reasons:

1. Loudoun County Public Schools no longer provides group health insurance to any of its employees;
2. The premium for your continuation coverage is not paid on time;
3. You, your spouse, or dependent child(ren) become covered, after the date of your COBRA election, under another group health insurance plan that does not contain any exclusion or limitation with respect to any pre-existing conditions;
4. You become eligible for Medicare;
5. You extend coverage for up to 29 months due to disability and there has been final determination that the individual is no longer disabled.

You do not have to show that you are insurable to choose continuation coverage. Under the law, Loudoun County Public Schools is also permitted to add 2% to this rate to defray administrative expenses. The law also says that, at the end of the 18, 29 or 36 month continuation coverage period, you must be allowed to enroll in an individual conversion health plan.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) restricts the extent to which group health plans may impose pre-existing condition limitations. These rules are generally effective for plan years beginning after June 30, 1997. HIPAA coordinates COBRA’s other coverage cut-off rule with these new limits as follows:

If you become covered by another group health plan and that plan contains a pre-existing condition limitation that affects you, your COBRA coverage cannot be terminated. However, if the other plan’s pre-existing condition rule does not apply to you by reason of HIPAA’s restrictions on pre-existing condition clauses, the Loudoun County Public Schools Group Health Insurance Plan may terminate your coverage.

If you have questions about your rights under COBRA, please contact: Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits.

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### Website

The LCPS website has detailed benefits information, forms, and more. From the lcps homepage

**www.lcps.org**

With your cursor over Administration, click on Business and Financial Services, then click on Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits or Retirement and Disability Programs on the left side.
This Notice describes how medical information about you may be used and disclosed, and how you can get access to this information. Please review it carefully.

**Covered Entity’s Duties**

Health plans are considered covered entities under the HIPAA Privacy regulation. Therefore, Loudoun County Public Schools (hereinafter “LCPS”) is required by law to perform certain duties.

The following is a list of some, but not all of these responsibilities:

- Provide and maintain a Privacy Notice;
- Designate a Privacy Official;
- Abide by the Federal and State privacy regulations for protecting and securing protected health information;
- Not use or disclose protected health information other than as permitted under the law without your authorization; and,
- Require our business associates and employees to comply with privacy regulations.

**Complaints or Inquiries**

Individuals may send any complaint or inquiry about our privacy policy to us. A written inquiry or complaint may be sent to the contact address below. Please include your name and account information. There will be no retaliation for any complaint received by our company. If you feel your privacy rights have been violated, you may send a complaint to us as well as to the Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services.

Also, if you would like a written listing of any disclosures of your protected health information, or you would like to request an amendment of the protected health information created by LCPS, you may send a written request to the contact address below with your name and account information.

**Contact Information**

Complaints and inquiries need to be addressed to:

Loudoun County Public Schools
Administrative Offices
21000 Education Court
Ashburn, VA 20148
Attention: Privacy Official

To request a copy of the Privacy Notice, please contact Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits.

**Commitment**

We at LCPS are committed to providing excellent service while protecting your health information from unauthorized uses or disclosures.

**Amendments**

This Privacy Notice will be amended as required to remain compliant with any changes in State and/or Federal law. You will receive a new Privacy Notice within 60 days of any amendment to this Notice.

Protecting your medical history is an important part of how we do business. This notice explains our privacy practices and procedures. The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) contains patient privacy regulations and rights that apply to health care providers and health plans.
Uses and Disclosures

We receive information about you from (but not limited to) the following:

- Information you provide with an application for medical leave;
- Information you provide with regard to flexible benefit reimbursement;
- Information you provide with regard to a worker’s compensation claim, American’s with Disabilities Act or Occupational Safety Hazard Association claim;
- Information you provide to Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits in order for them to assist you in medical, dental or vision claim resolution/processing; and,
- Information received as a result of employment drug testing.

We use information about you for (but not limited to) the following reasons:

- To determine eligibility and duration of leave;
- To determine eligibility for reimbursement under flexible spending regulations;
- To determine eligibility for a worker’s compensation claim, American’s with Disabilities Act or Occupational Safety Hazard Association claim;
- To assist you in receiving proper reimbursement of medical, dental or vision claims; and,
- To determine compliance with employment conditions.

We disclose information about you without an authorization for the following reasons:

- When required by law; and,
- To the health care provider who supplied the information.

Individual Rights

Individuals have the following rights under the HIPAA regulation:

- The right to inspect and obtain copies of your protected health information (subject to the cost of copying and mailing charges);
- The right to request an amendment to your protected health information;
- The right to receive a list of any disclosures of your protected health information (Limited to six (6) years of information, not including information disclosed prior to the April 14, 2003 HIPAA compliance date or information disclosed by us based on a valid authorization);
- The right to request a restriction on certain uses and disclosures of your protected health information (LCPS has the right not to agree to a requested restriction);
- The right to receive confidential communications regarding your protected health information;
- The right to revoke an authorization except those given with an enrollment application;
- The right to a duplicate copy of this Privacy Notice upon request.

Effective Date: March 25, 2003
New Health Insurance Marketplace Coverage Options and Your Health Coverage

PART A: General Information
When key parts of the health care law take effect in 2014, there will be a new way to buy health insurance: the Health Insurance Marketplace. To assist you as you evaluate options for you and your family, this notice provides some basic information about the new marketplace and employment-based health coverage offered by your employer.

What is the Health Insurance Marketplace?
The Marketplace is designed to help you find health insurance that meets your needs and fits your budget. The Marketplace offers “one-stop shopping” to find and compare private health insurance options. You may also be eligible for a new kind of tax credit that lowers your monthly premium right away. Open enrollment for the health insurance coverage through the Marketplace begins in October 2013 for coverage starting as early as January 1, 2014.

Can I Save Money on my Health Insurance Premiums in the Marketplace?
You may qualify to save money and lower your monthly premium, but only if your employer does not offer coverage, or offers coverage that doesn't meet certain standards. The savings on your premium that you're eligible for depends on your household income.

Does Employer Health Coverage Affect Eligibility for Premium Savings through the Marketplace?
Yes. If you have an offer of health coverage from your employer that meets certain standards, you will not be eligible for a tax credit through the Marketplace and may wish to enroll in your employer's health plan. However, you may be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium, or a reduction in certain cost-sharing if your employer does not offer coverage to you at all or does not offer coverage that meets certain standards. If the cost of a plan from your employer that would cover you (and not any other members of your family) is more than 9.5% of your household income for the year, or if the coverage your employer provides does not meet the “minimum value” standard set by the Affordable Care Act, you may be eligible for a tax credit.

Note: If you purchase a health plan through the Marketplace instead of accepting health coverage offered by your employer, then you may lose the employer contribution (if any) to the employer—offered coverage. Also, this employer contribution—as well as your employee contribution to employer—offered coverage—is often excluded from income for Federal and State income tax purposes. Your payments for coverage through the Marketplace are made on an after-tax basis.

How Can I Get More Information?
For more information about your coverage offered by your employer, please check your summary plan description or contact:
Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
571-252-1810
Lcpshealthwellness@lcps.org
The Marketplace can help you evaluate your coverage options, including your eligibility for coverage through the Marketplace and its cost. Please visit www.HealthCare.gov for more information, including an online application for health insurance coverage and contact information for a Health Insurance Marketplace in your area.

1An employer-sponsored health plan meets the “minimum value standard” if the plan’s share of the total allowed benefit costs covered by the plan is no less than the 60% of such costs.

PART B: Information About Health Coverage Offered by Your Employer
This section contains information about any health coverage offered by your employer. If you decide to complete an application for coverage in the Marketplace, you will be asked to provide this information. This information is numbered to correspond to the Marketplace application.

Here is some basic information about health coverage offered by this employer:
• As your employer, we offer a health plan to all benefits eligible employees.
A benefits eligible employee is defined as full time and eligible as detailed in School Board policy.
• As your employer, we offer coverage for eligible dependents.
An eligible dependent is defined as the employee’s legal child, step child or child for whom they have legal custody who is under the age of 26 or is permanently disabled.

This coverage meets the minimum value standard, and the cost of this coverage to you is intended to be affordable, based on employee wages.

** Even if your employer intends your coverage to be affordable, you may still be eligible for a premium discount through the Marketplace. The Marketplace will use your household income, along with other factors, to determine whether you may be eligible for a premium discount. If, for example, your wages vary from week to week (perhaps you are an hourly employee or you work on a commission basis), if you are newly employed mid-year, or if you have other income losses, you may still qualify for a premium discount.

If you decide to shop for coverage in the Marketplace, www.HealthCare.gov will guide you through the process.

Here is some basic information about health coverage offered by this employer:

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Important Notice From Loudoun County Public Schools About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare

There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare’s prescription drug coverage:

1. Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.

2. LCPS has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by LCPS is, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.

When Can You Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from October 15th through December 7th. However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

What Happens To Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your current Loudoun County Public Schools coverage will be affected. Although your medical, dental and vision coverage will remain the same, prescription drug coverage will no longer be available to you under the LCPS health plan. You may be entitled to a premium reduction if this occurs.

If you do not enroll in a Medicare prescription drug plan, your prescription drug coverage under the LCPS health plan will remain the same.

If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your current LCPS coverage, be aware that you and your dependents will not be able to get this coverage back.

When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with LCPS and don’t join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following November to join.

For More Information About This Notice Or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage

Contact the person listed below for further information. Note: You’ll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through LCPS changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the “Medicare & You” handbook. You’ll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans. For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit www.medicare.gov
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the “Medicare & You” handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at www.socialsecurity.gov, or call them at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778).

Medicaid and the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Offer Free Or Low-Cost Health Coverage To Children And Families

If you are eligible for health coverage from your employer, but are unable to afford the premiums, some States have premium assistance programs that can help pay for coverage. These States use funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs to help people who are eligible for employer-sponsored health coverage, but need assistance in paying their health premiums.
If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a State listed below, you can contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, you can contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office or dial 1-877-KIDS NOW or www.insurekidsnow.gov to find out how to apply. If you qualify, you can ask the State if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

Once it is determined that you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, your employer’s health plan is required to permit you and your dependents to enroll in the plan— as long as you and your dependents are eligible, but not already enrolled in the employer’s plan. This is called a “special enrollment” opportunity, and you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance.

If you live in one of the following States, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. You should contact your State for further information on eligibility.—

Virginia—Medicaid and CHIP
Medicaid Website: http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/rcp-HIPP.htm
Medicaid Phone: 1-800-432-5924
CHIP Website: http://www.famis.org/
CHIP Phone: 1-866-873-2647

West Virginia—Medicaid
Website: http://www.wvrecovery.com/hipp.htm
Phone: 304-342-1604
To see if any more States have added a premium assistance program since September 1, 2010, or for more information on special enrollment rights, you can contact either:
U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
www.dol.gov/ebsa
1-866-444-EBSA (3272)
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
www.cms.hhs.gov
1-877-267-2323, Ext. 61565
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Loudoun County Public Schools 403(b) Elective Deferral Plan
This notice provides important information regarding the 403(b) plan (the “plan”) in which you are eligible to participate.

You may want to take this opportunity to either (1) begin making pre-tax and/or Roth 403(b) elective deferral contributions or (2) review your current elections and decide if you want to make changes. Before making any initial elections or changes, be sure to consult the written plan and any other materials provided to you that explain the terms of the plan.

When can I enroll?
You are eligible to enroll immediately upon your date of hire.

You may choose your initial elective deferral rate by completing the appropriate application and any other necessary forms at the time of your initial enrollment.
Can I change or stop my elective deferral contributions?
You may change your elective deferral contributions once per pay period during the plan year.

When are my elective deferral contributions effective?
After completing the enrollment requirements, your elective deferral contributions will begin on the next pay period or as soon as administratively possible.

What is the maximum amount that I can contribute?
The Internal Revenue Code limits the annual contributions you can make to a 403(b) plan and the limits are adjusted each year. The 2014 limits are as follows:

- Elective deferral limit
  $17,500.00
- Age 50 catch-up
  $5,500.00
- 15 years of service catch-up
  $3,000.00*

* The 15 years of service catch-up contribution applies before the age 50 catch-up contribution and is based on a formula that takes into account all past contributions to the plan and the employee's total years of service to the employer. The maximum allowable for the 15 years of service catch-up is $3,000 per year up to a $15,000 lifetime benefit, but an employee's actual catch-up may be lower than this maximum.

Will my employer make additional contributions?
No.

Whom do I contact for additional information?
To learn more about 403(b) plans, please visit http://www.irs.gov and search for Publication 571. If you have any questions about how the plan works or your rights and obligations under the plan, please contact LCPS Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits at:

Loudoun County Public Schools
Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
210000 Education Court
Ashburn, VA 20148
571-252-1810
lcpshealthwellness@lcps.org
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LCPS EMPLOYEE BENEFITS HANDBOOK 13-1
Brand-Name (Advertised) Drug—A drug protected by a patent issued to the original maker of the drug. A patent prohibits other companies from manufacturing the drug as long as the patent remains in effect. Because of this exclusivity, brand-name drugs are more expensive than generic equivalent drugs.

Case Manager—A registered nurse who gathers medical information from your physician(s) and may authorize the replacement of wages during a period of disability.

Compensable Claim—A Workers’ Compensation claim for benefits that is covered under the Virginia Workers’ Compensation Act.

Copay or Copayment—The dollar amount you pay for certain health care services and supplies.

Deductible—The amount you pay before your plan pays benefits. This usually applies to out-of-network benefits.

Deferred Compensation—457(b)—A plan that allows you to save more now—by setting aside your salary on a pre-tax basis—and withdrawing your contributions and earnings later in life.

DPPO—Dental Preferred Provider Organization—A type of managed care dental plan that contracts with primary and specialty care dentists to provide comprehensive dental services. Out-of-network services are covered.

Dependent Day Care Flexible Spending Account—A flexible spending account for day care expenses that are incurred while you are at work. This account allows you to reimburse yourself with pretax dollars for eligible dependent day care expenses.

EAP—Employee Assistance Program—A program provided by LCPS that offers assessment and referral for personal issues such as stress, family, relationship problems, substance abuse, grief, and life change adjustment.

Elective Deferral Plan—An optional retirement savings program, also known as a 403(b) plan, which allows you to save pre-tax dollars for retirement.

Elimination Period—The period during which you are waiting for the beginning of benefit payments under that benefit plan.

Family—You and two or more dependents.

Formulary—a list of preferred drugs selected by pharmacy managers to prescribe for patients for particular medical conditions.

FSA—Flexible Spending Account—An account that allows you to set aside pre-tax dollars directly from your paycheck to help you save taxes on certain costs, like health care and dependent day care.

FMLA—Family and Medical Leave Act—A federal law enacted in 1993 that requires employers with more than 50 employees to provide eligible workers with up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave each year for births, adoptions, foster care placements, and illnesses of employees and their families.

Generic Drugs—Generic Equivalent—Drugs equivalent in therapeutic power to brand-name originals because they contain identical active ingredients at the same dosage.

In-Network—Care you receive in accordance with plan rules from a health care provider who participates in the network of health care providers for your plan.

Leave of Absence—An unpaid absence or unpaid leave granted by LCPS for any cause for a period specified under LCPS regulations, including an absence due to service in the United States Armed Forces.

Lifetime Maximum—A limit on the amount that can be paid from a plan or the number of times a plan will pay for a specified procedure.

LTC—Long-Term Care—An insurance plan that covers eligible nursing home or at-home assistance for daily living activities.

LTD—Long-Term Disability

VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members. An insurance plan that is designed to help replace part of your salary while you are unable to work due to an illness or injury for an extended period of time that exceeds the LCPS STD period.

VRS Hybrid Members are enrolled in VLDP. More information about VLDP can be found at www.varetire.org.
Medical Flexible Spending Account—A flexible spending account for health care expenses incurred by you or your dependents. This account allows you to reimburse yourself with pre-tax dollars for eligible health care expenses. You do not have to be enrolled in an LCPS health plan to enroll in this program.

Network—A group of providers contracted to provide service to health plan members.

OAP—Open Access Plus—A type of managed care plan that coordinates your medical care and referrals are not required for specialty care. Out-of-network benefits are available, subject to higher out-of-pocket expenses.

Open Enrollment—A period of time when you can enroll or change your benefit plans for the next calendar year.

Out-of-Network—Care received in accordance with plan rules from a health care provider who is not an in-network provider for your plan.

Out-of-Pocket—The maximum amount of money you pay in addition to your premium payments. This is usually the sum of co-pays, coinsurance and deductible amounts you pay for health care.

POS—Point-of-Service—A type of managed care plan that coordinates your medical care and provides referrals for specialty care through a Primary Care Physician (PCP). Out-of-network benefits are available, subject to higher out-of-pocket expenses.

Premium—The amount of money paid to fund insurance benefits. The employer and employee usually each pay a percentage of the premium.

Pre-Tax Premiums—Certain LCPS plans are known as Section 125 or “cafeteria plans,” which means you pay your premiums for these plans with pre-tax dollars. This decreases the amount of your pay that is taxable, but requires the plans to adhere to strict rules for enrolling, changing, or canceling coverage.

PCP—Primary Care Physician—A physician who specializes in general, internal medicine, or pediatrics and coordinates medical care and provides referrals for specialty care.

Prior Authorization—A list of drugs that require proof of medical necessity before a prescription for these drugs will be paid by the plan. The purpose of prior authorization is to prevent misuse and off-label use of expensive and potentially dangerous drugs.

Program Administrator—An outside contractor, for example, Cigna, who administers the STD and LTD program.

Status Change or Qualifying Event—An event that changes your eligibility status or that of your dependents. These events include the birth or adoption of a child, marriage, divorce, death of a spouse or child, a dependent turning age 26, or a spouse’s or dependent’s change in employment status or their employer’s open enrollment.

STD—Short-Term Disability

VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members—A plan that continues to pay your salary and provide benefits when you are away from work due to a serious personal illness or injury for a period not to exceed 10 weeks.

VRS Hybrid Members are enrolled in VLDP. More information about VLDP can be found at www.varetire.org.

Specialty Medications—A home or office delivery service for participants who use specialty oral or injectable medications. The medication is covered through the Specialty Care Pharmacy managed by Accredo.

Step Therapy—A protocol designed to ensure that you receive the most clinically appropriate medication for your condition. In most cases, Express Scripts will guide you to use more cost-effective first-line drugs when medically appropriate before more costly second-line drugs are covered.

VRS—Virginia Retirement System—A mandatory retirement program for full-time employees.

Workers’ Compensation—A plan that is designed to pay medical expenses, and, if necessary, replace lost wages if you sustain an injury or contract an illness determined to be compensable under the Worker’s Compensation Act.
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Medical, Dental, Prescription, and Vision Plan Enrollment Form
(Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits)
Enrollment must be within thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date (in most cases, this is thirty [30] days from date of hire).

- Enrollment is not automatic. Application must be completed and returned to Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits with the required documentation.
- If you choose not to enroll upon eligibility, you must wait until open enrollment, which is October 15th through November 15th, to be effective January 1st, or, if you have a qualifying change of status and supporting documentation.
- One application form is used as enrollment form for all companies.

Optional Group Term Life Insurance
(Retirement and Disability Programs)
Employees and children are guaranteed approval of all options if coverage is applied for within 30 days of benefited eligible date; spouse is guaranteed Option 1.

- Employee may purchase additional coverage at any time (no open enrollment), but beyond the initial 31 days will require approval.

Donated Family Sick Leave Bank
(Retirement and Disability Programs)
Decision to participate/not participate must be made within 30 days from benefits eligibility date, or during open enrollment.

- Open enrollment is October 15th through November 15th.
- Two (2) days from an employee’s sick leave must be donated in order to join—this is a one-time donation unless bank becomes depleted (falls below 200 days).
- This benefit is up to thirty (30) paid sick days, as certified by a physician.

Long Term Disability
(Retirement and Disability Programs)

- For VRS Plan 1 and Plan 2 Members Only
- Enrollment must be within thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date or open enrollment, which is October 15th through November 15th, to be effective January 1st.

Checklist

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All the forms should be returned to either Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits or Retirement and Disability Programs:
Administrative Offices
21000 Education Court
Ashburn, VA 20148

Note
For new enrollees outside of the Open Enrollment period, benefits will start the 1st of the following month in which all documentation is received and complete.
Hepatitis B Vaccination
(Retirement and Disability Programs)
- LCPS will pay for Hepatitis B Vaccinations for the following positions:
  - Nurses
  - Health Clinic Assistants
  - Athletic Trainers
  - Custodians
  - Severe Special Education Positions
  - Teachers
  - Teacher Assistants

AFLAC Supplemental Income Protection
(Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits)
- Cancer and Intensive Care Unit insurance.
- Contact agents noted in packet
Enrollment must be within thirty (30) days from benefits eligible date or open enrollment, which is October 15th through November 15th, to be effective January 1st.

Long Term Care Insurance
(Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits)
- Contact agents noted on brochure
- Genworth Only: Employees may enroll at any time (no open enrollment). Employees are guaranteed approval if coverage is applied for within 30 days of benefited eligible date.

Treasury Direct
(Employee Health Wellness and Benefits)
- Can be purchased at any time (no open enrollment) through www.TreasuryDirect.gov
- Payroll deductions taken every pay period.
- May stop deductions at any time

Loudoun Credit Union
(Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits)
- (703) 777-4744 can be set up for payroll deduction at any time www.loudouncu.com
- 803 Sycolin Rd, Ste. 105, Leesburg, VA 20175
- 8:00 am–5:30 p.m. Monday–Friday

Apple Federal Credit Union
(Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits)
- (703) 788-4800 can be set up for payroll deduction at any time www.applefcu.org
- Multiple locations, please check website for a branch nearest you
- 24-hour ATM

Purchase of Prior Service
(Retirement and Disability Programs)
- Contact Retirement and Disability Programs at 571-252-1690 to see if you are eligible to buyback prior service.
- Plan 1: Discounted cost during Employee’s three-year eligibility period. After the three-year eligibility period, employees will pay actuarial cost.
- Plan 2: Discounted cost during Employee’s one-year eligibility period. After the one-year eligibility period, employees will pay actuarial cost.
- Actuarial cost does not apply to VRS Refunded Service or Active Duty Military.
How do I Get My Forms to you?

Once you have completed all the forms for the benefits that you wish to enroll in, you can submit them (and the required supporting documentation) to either Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits or Retirement and Disability Programs within 30 days of your new hire period in the following ways:

- **US Mail**
  Loudoun County Public Schools
  21000 Education Court
  Ashburn, VA  20148

- **Inter-office Pony**
  Administration Building
  Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
  or
  Retirement and Disability Programs

- **Fax (Designation of Beneficiary and Optional Group Term Life Insurance forms may not be faxed)**
  Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits - 571-252-1401
  Retirement and Disability Programs - 571-252-1699

- **Brought in person**
  Administration Building, 3rd Floor

- **Scan and emailed**
  Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
  lcpshealthwellness@lcps.org
  Retirement and Disability Programs
  lcpsretireddisability@lcps.org

Regardless of how you submit your forms, keep copies for your records.
# LOUDOUN COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS – GROUP #3320020

HEALTH INSURANCE ENROLLMENT/CHANGE FORM

(Medical, Prescription, Dental and Vision Coverage)

Return to Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits

## SELECT YOUR PLAN

- [ ] Point of Service (POS)
- [ ] Open Access Plus (OAP)
- [ ] Opt Out Credit

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Employee Primary Care Physician (PCP): [ ] Date Of Birth

Circle One: New Employee [ ] Active Employee

## ACTIVE DEPENDENT INFORMATION: (See reverse for documentation requirements)

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**Spouse’s Employment**

Is your spouse an employee of Loudoun County Public Schools?  [ ] YES  [ ] NO

If YES, spouse’s name: ____________________________  Social Security Number or PID: ____________________________

I hereby apply for membership in the above noted health plan for myself and for any eligible dependents listed, and I agree, for myself and for any eligible dependents listed, to abide by the rules and regulations of the health plan. I certify that the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that my coverage and benefits may be affected by failure to provide complete and accurate information. Further, I understand and acknowledge the information provided on the reverse side of this form.

I hereby authorize LCPS to deduct from my wages/compensation, as a pre-tax deduction, the appropriate premium necessary to provide the level of coverage that I have elected, and to deduct any missed health insurance premiums resulting from a change in my normal pay. I am aware that my coverage may be cancelled if premiums are at any time deemed uncollectible by LCPS. This authorization will be effective for this plan year and subsequent years, unless modified by my completion and LCPS acceptance of a new Health Insurance Enrollment/Change form.

If you have any questions concerning the benefits and services provided by or excluded under this agreement, please contact the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits office before signing this application.

______________________________  ________________________________
Employee’s Signature  Date

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Return to Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
Qualifying Events

- Birth or Adoption of a child
- Death of Dependent
- Marriage or Legal Separation
- Divorce
- Change of employment or work schedule of employee or spouse that effects their access to benefits

The following is a general list of qualifying events.

- Enrollment/Change form must be completed and the appropriate dependent documentation and proof of qualifying event must be attached.
- LCPS follows the qualifying event rules specified by the IRS Section 125 Pre-Tax Rules and Regulations.

Qualifying Events Documentation Required

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<td>Death of Dependent</td>
<td>Copy of current school record or report card showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Copy of birth certificate showing employee as a parent and seal; Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the dependent listed as “Spouse” and the dependent’s parent listed as spouse.</td>
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<td>Marriage or Legal Separation</td>
<td>Copy of Marriage Certificate showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Support Order, copy of Court Order of legal custody, resides with and adoptive children.</td>
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<td>Divorce</td>
<td>Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation.</td>
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<td>Change of employment or work schedule of employee or spouse</td>
<td>Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the employee or spouse as the opposite sex who is legally married to the employee.</td>
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How to enroll:

- A child of whom you have legal guardianship or custody.
- Any natural, adopted or stepchild under the age of 26.
- A person of the opposite sex who is legally married to the employee.
- Your spouse’s child(ren) provided they are substantially dependent on enrollee or spouse for support.
- Grandchild, who is in the court ordered custody, resides with and is the dependent of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Your spouse’s child(ren) provided they are predominantly dependent on enrollee or spouse for support and maintenance.
- Unmarried dependent children over the age limit if they are biologically related and at least 18 years old.
- A child you have legal guardianship of who is not your biological child.

Required Dependent Documentation

- Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the child lives with you and is the dependent of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of current school record or report card showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Copy of marriage certificate showing the employee or retiree.
- Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse, who is in the court ordered custody, resides with and adoptive children.
- Support Order, copy of Court Order of legal custody, resides with and adoptive children.
- Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the child lives with you and adoptive children.
- Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the child lives with you and is the dependent of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of current school record or report card showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Copy of marriage certificate showing the employee or retiree.
- Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the child lives with you and is the dependent of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of current school record or report card showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Copy of marriage certificate showing the employee or retiree.
- Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of most current Federal Tax Return that shows the child lives with you and is the dependent of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.
- Copy of current school record or report card showing the name of employee’s/retiree’s spouse; Copy of marriage certificate showing the employee or retiree.
- Copy of the Final Court order with judge’s signature and the appropriate dependent documentation of the enrollee or the enrollee’s spouse.

How to complete the Health Insurance Enrollment/Change form:

- Complete and sign the form.
- If you have elected the OAP plan, you do not need to list a PCP, as referrals are not required under this plan.
- PCP for each covered person. If you do not list one, one will automatically be assigned based on your home zip code.
- Complete the Active Dependent Information Section for any spouse or child(ren) you wish to cover.
- If you are electing the Opt Out credit, you must enroll during your appropriate eligibility period, as outlined below.
- If applicable, copy of Qualified Medical Support Order or Qualified Medical Child Support Order.
I would like more information about the 403(b) Elective Deferral Plan

(Please place a check mark by your request)

I would like the:

_____ 403(b) representative to contact me

_____ 403(b) enrollment packet sent to me

Your Name (Please print) ____________________________________________________________

School/Worksite __________________________________________________________________

Work Phone _____________________________ Home Phone ______________________________

Email ____________________________________________________________________________
Employee Information

Name: ___________________________ Plan Year: ___________________________

PID: ___________________________ Plan Year: January -December

Reason for Enrollment (circle one)

New Hire  Open Enrollment  Mid Year Change (see page 2 for restrictions and instructions)

Election of Medical Expense Reimbursement Account

I elect to contribute a total of $ _____________________ * for the Plan Year. This amount will be divided evenly over my remaining pays in the Plan Year.

Grace Period: January 1st –March 15th

Any medical services provided during the Grace Period can be applied towards prior year balances if needed.

*If your election is due to a qualifying event, please list the new ANNUAL amount you wish to contribute for the Plan Year.

Election of Dependent Care Expense Reimbursement Account

I elect to contribute a total of $ _____________________ * for the Plan Year. This amount will be divided evenly over my remaining pays in the Plan Year.

Grace Period: Does not apply to Dependent Care Accounts

*If your election is due to a qualifying event, please list the new ANNUAL amount you wish to contribute for the Plan Year.

SIGNATURE AND AUTHORIZATION

As a participant enrolling in the Flexible Benefit Account(s) I have read and understand the following:

- The plan is governed by the provisions of IRS code and regulations as stated within the Plan Document. As such, I am making a binding election for the entire plan year. I cannot change or stop my contribution amount during the plan year unless I experience a qualifying change in family status. Should this occur, I must notify Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits within 30 days of the qualifying family status change.

- For expenses incurred during the plan year (including the grace period) for which this election is being made, I have until March 31 of the following calendar year to submit expenses. After March 31, all remaining balances will be forfeited. Amounts remaining in my account may not be carried over into the next calendar year, nor may they be transferred to another account. If I terminate employment mid-year, I may claim eligible expenses only from my date of enrollment (or beginning date of the plan year, whichever is later) through my termination date.

- I cannot contribute more than $2,500 into the Dependent Care Expense Account if I am filing a separate return from my spouse. Additionally, if my spouse and I are filing a joint return, we cannot withhold more than a total of $5,000 between the two Flexible Spending Accounts. (Note: highly compensated employees (gross taxable income $80,000+), may be required to lower their contribution amounts in accordance with IRS guidelines).

- This form must be signed and dated prior to the last day of Open Enrollment in order to participate in this plan year. If I am making a mid-year change in my election due to a qualifying family status change, the amount(s) listed on this form is the new total amount to be withheld for the entire plan year.

- I authorize Loudoun County Public Schools to make a payroll deduction to fund my election(s) in the Flexible Benefit Account(s). The Annual Contribution Amounts listed on the reverse side will be deducted from my pay in equal portions during the plan year.

Signature_________________________________________ Date: ____________

Maximum Annual Election: $2500
Minimum Annual Election: $300

Maximum Annual Election: $5000
Minimum Annual Election: $300

$2500 MAX $5000 MAX
$50 MIN $30 MAX

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<td>Change in place of residence which affects your eligibility under the health plan.</td>
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Enrollment Application For VRS
Optional Group Life Insurance

Employer code (5 digits) | Employer name | Employee's annual salary
--- | --- | ---

1 - EMPLOYEE INFORMATION
Social Security number | Employee name (last, first, middle initial)
Street address | City | State | Zip code

Sex
- [ ] Male
- [ ] Female
- [ ] Married
- [ ] Single
Age | Date of birth (mo/day/yr) | Employment date (mo/day/yr) | Payroll frequency

2 - ELECTION OF INSURANCE AMOUNTS
I wish to insure myself [ ] and [ ] my spouse and [ ] my child(ren).
Sign and date section 4, Payroll Deduction Authorization. (If you do not elect to be insured under the VRS Optional Plan, you must complete section 3 below.)

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If the option you elected will provide insurance of $350,000 or higher, you must complete an Evidence of Insurability form (EOI). Your spouse must also complete an EOI form if you elected options 2, 3, or 4. Optional amounts of insurance in excess of $700,000 for an employee and $350,000 for a spouse are not provided. If you and your spouse are insured as employees under the Basic VRS Group Life insurance plan, neither of you is eligible for coverage as a spouse. If you do not apply when you are first eligible to do so, or within 31 days immediately thereafter, you must complete an EOI for yourself and eligible dependents you subsequently elect to insure.

3 - DEPENDENT INFORMATION
See reverse side for definition of Eligible Dependents (eligibility must be verified by Employer's Representative.)
How many children do you have who are less than 21 years of age? [ ]
How many children do you have who are age 21 to 25 and who are currently full-time students? [ ]
List information about your spouse and youngest child below:

| Name (first name, middle initial, last) | Relationship | Sex
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<td>Youngest Child</td>
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Social Security number | Date of birth (mo/day/yr)

4 - PAYROLL DEDUCTION AUTHORIZATION
I hereby authorize my Employer to deduct from my compensation the amount necessary to provide the insurance amounts indicated above. I understand that the deduction amount will change as my age and annual salary change.

Signature: ___________________________ | Date signed: ________________
X

5 - WAIVER OF COVERAGE
I DO NOT wish to enroll for myself or for my eligible dependents in the VRS Optional Insurance Plan. I understand that once coverage is waived, I will have to furnish evidence of insurability for myself and eligible dependents if I wish to become insured at a later date.

Signature: ___________________________ | Date signed: ________________
X

6 - STATEMENT BY EMPLOYER'S REPRESENTATIVE
I certify that I believe the statements made herein are true and accurate, as disclosed by the records of this office, and the Social Security Number and Annual Salary are correct as entered.

Employer's representative: ___________________________ | Title: ___________________________ | Date signed: ________________
X
Donated Family Sick Leave Bank

For Long Term Illness or Injury to the Employee's Spouse, Employee's Child or Employee's Parent

In accordance with the provisions of the School Board Policy and Regulation §7-66, I hereby request to become a member of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank established by Loudoun County Public Schools. Furthermore, my signature affixed below is to give permission for two (2) days to be deducted from my accumulated sick leave. I agree to abide by all provisions of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank Policy and Regulations as approved by the Loudoun County Public Schools.

Check one option:

☐ This is to officially apply to become a member of the Family Sick Leave Bank of Loudoun County Public Schools.

☐ This is to confirm my understanding of the Donated Family Sick Leave Bank Policy and Regulations and my decision not to participate in the Family Sick Leave Bank during the school year _______.

Please contact the Retirement and Disability Programs Division at (703) 221-2400 should you have any questions about the Family Sick Leave Bank.

Please contact the Payroll Department at (703) 221-2600 if you have questions about your accumulated sick leave balance.

______________________________________________________________________________
print name

______________________________________________________________________________
pid number date

______________________________________________________________________________
school/work location

______________________________________________________________________________
signature
Enrollment Form
Voluntary Long Term Disability
Loudoun County
School Board

SECTION I - APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: ________________________________
Date of Birth ________________________
SSN ____________________
Hours Worked ________________________
Date of Hire ________________________
Age ____________________
Annual Salary ________________________
Group Number AL00003889
Occupation ________________________

SECTION II - BENEFIT SELECTION

You may choose one of the two options listed below: (If you do not wish to elect Voluntary LTD coverage, decline both options)

Voluntary Long Term Disability - Tier 1

ACCEPT ☐ DECLINE ☐

60% of your earnings to a monthly maximum of $7,500

Voluntary Long Term Disability - Tier 2

ACCEPT ☐ DECLINE ☐

40% of your earnings to a monthly maximum of $5,000

Use the rate chart and calculation line below to determine your Monthly cost for this coverage.

*Note: Your cost may change on January 1st of each calendar year if your age category or salary changes.

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Annual Salary / 12 = Monthly Salary / 100 = Monthly Rate = Your Monthly Cost*

Max Salary = $150,000

SECTION III - ELIGIBILITY AND AUTHORIZATION

Employee Confirmation

I have been given the opportunity to enroll in Loudoun County School Board's Voluntary Long Term Disability coverage. I understand that if I decline now, but later decide to enroll, I will be required to provide evidence of good health that is satisfactory to the insurer and understand my request for coverage may be denied. After the initial offering 10/15/13 - 11/15/13, current employees who did not previously enroll will be required to provide evidence of insurability.

I request to be insured and authorize payroll deductions to cover the cost of such insurance. Information in this application, including the Evidence of Insurability Form, is given to obtain insurance and the statements and answers are represented, to the best of my knowledge and belief to be true and complete. I understand that (a) the insurance applied for shall not take effect until the application is approved; and (b) all insurance is subject to the eligibility provisions of the policy; and (c) I must be actively at work (as defined in the group policy) to be insured. If I am not actively at work on the date my coverage would become effective, my coverage will not begin until the day I return to work. I also understand that a pre-existing condition exclusion may apply to my coverage.

If your answers on this application are incorrect or untrue, the carrier has the right to deny benefits or rescind your coverage. Authorization to Release Information: I authorize any licensed physician, medical practitioner, hospital, clinic, or other medical or medically related facility, insurance company, the Medical Information Bureau (MIB) or any other organization, institution or person that has any records of knowledge of me or my health to give CIGNA Insurance Company or its reinsurer(s) any such information. This authorization is valid for 24 months from the date it is signed. I agree that a photocopy of this authorization shall be as valid as the original.

Employee Signature ____________________ Date ____________________
TreasuryDirect Payroll Authorization
(This form can only be completed after you have established a TreasuryDirect account)

Return this form to Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits
21000 Education Court
Ashburn, VA 20148
or fax it to 571-252-1401

Employee Name __________________________________________
Contact Number _________________________________________
PID ______________________________________________________
Work Location ____________________________________________
Deduction per pay period $ _________________________________

TreasuryDirect Account Number _____________________________
TreasuryDirect Routing Number 051736158
Start Date _______________________________________________
End Date _______________________________________________
(only if stopping deduction)

Deductions will begin the pay period after this form is received. Please be sure to review your e-stub and call Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits (571-252-1810) immediately if you have any questions or concerns.

Employee Signature _______________________________________
Date _____________________________________________________

For Office Use Only:
HED _____________________________________________________
Date Entered ____________________________________________
Initials _________________________________________________
Benefits Acknowledgement

I have received and understand the information presented in the Benefits Orientation, and make the following acknowledgments:

- I am aware that I have thirty (30) days from my Benefits Eligible Date to make my benefits election(s). Failure to return the appropriate applications AND any necessary supporting documentation within this period will prevent me from enrolling in such programs until the applicable open enrollment period. I understand that if I do not want to enroll in Health Insurance, to receive the Opt-Out Credit, I must complete and return the enrollment form, selecting the Opt-Out Credit.
- Summary of Benefit Coverage (SBC) can be found on the Employee Health, Wellness and Benefits website.
- I have received training regarding bloodborne pathogens.

Further, I acknowledge that I have received information on the following:

- Women’s Health and Cancer Rights Act (WHCRA) - www.dol.gov
- Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act - www.samhsa.gov
- Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (GINA) - www.eeoc.gov
- Newborns’ and Mothers’ Health Protection Act – www.dol.gov
- Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) – www.medicaid.gov
- 403(b) Universal Availability Notice – www.irs.gov

Print Full Name

Employee Signature

PID Number ________________ Date ________________
This Handbook contains only a summary of plan highlights, they are not comprehensive plan documents. Complete details are set forth in the individual plan documents found on the LCPS website. If there are any discrepancies between this Handbook and the official plan documents, the plan documents will govern. Loudoun County Public Schools has the right to modify, amend, or terminate the plans at any time. These plans and your eligibility for coverage are not an employment contract. They do not guarantee you the right to continued employment with Loudoun County Public Schools.