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2021 **benefits** **DIGEST**

Yadkin Valley Economic Development District, Inc.

We are pleased to provide you with the 2021-2022 Benefits Digest. This guide is intended to provide a high level summary of the benefit programs available to all benefit eligible employees.

At Yadkin Valley Development District, Inc., we are confident that our people are the reason behind our success. We value you as an employee and part of our professional team. With this in mind, we have developed a comprehensive employee benefit package to protect you and your family.

This brochure provides benefit information available December 1, 2021 through November 30, 2022.

If you have comments, questions or other inquiries, please contact Human Resources.

Employee Eligibility

All employees working 30 hours or more per week are eligible for benefits.

Benefits Begin: Date following 90 days of employment
Benefits Terminate: End of the month following date of termination (Medical, Dental, & Vision);
Date of termination (Life & Voluntary Life)

Dependent Age Limits

Medical, Dental, Vision:

Age 26

Voluntary Life:

Age 19 or 26 if a full time student

Your medical coverage through Blue Cross Blue Shield of NC is an “open access” PPO plan using the Blue Options Network, which means that you do not need to select a primary care doctor nor will you need a referral to visit a specialist. As long as you remain in the network, your benefits will be covered at the higher in-network benefit amount.

	IN-NETWORK	OUT-OF-NETWORK
Benefit Year	12/1-11/30	
Preventive Care	100%	70%*
Office Visit	PCP: \$20 Copay Specialist: 60%* Virtual: \$10 Copay	PCP: 50%* Specialist: 50%* Virtual: Not Covered
Prescription Drugs Essential Limited NC Formulary	Retail: \$4/\$25/\$35/\$75/25% ¹ Mail Order: 3x Copay	Copay + charge over in-network allowed amount
Emergency Room	60%*	60%*
Urgent Care	\$100 Copay	\$100 Copay
Annual Deductible	\$2,000/\$4,000	\$4,000/\$8,000
Out-of-Pocket Maximum	\$4,000/\$8,000	\$8,000/\$16,000
Inpatient Care	\$250 Copay, then 80%*	\$500 Copay, then 50%*
Outpatient Care	60%*	50%*

*Coverage provided after deductible

¹Tier 5 Specialty Drugs are subject to 25% coinsurance and have a \$100 per Drug Minimum and a \$200 per Drug Maximum for each 30-day supply.

Preventive Care is covered at 100% with a preventive primary diagnosis code. The service must be a covered preventive care benefit under healthcare reform.

Certain over the counter preventive medications for which you have a prescription are now available at no cost.

During your annual physical if anything is discussed or performed outside of the healthcare reform approved screenings, your visit may not be covered at 100%.

For a list of covered preventive benefits under healthcare reform please visit www.bcbsnc.com/preventive

Virtual Visits

BCBSNC has partnered with virtual visit provider Teladoc to provide you and your family with access to fast and convenient quality medical care. Video consultations are available 24/7.

- This is intended for non-emergency care only.
- Provides diagnosis and treatment (including some prescription drugs) by board- certified physicians for ailments such as allergies, sore throat, flu, respiratory infections etc.
- Consultations available online or available through the Teladoc mobile application available on the iTunes store and Google Play.
- Members will pay a \$10 consultation fee. Reference your BCBSNC Group Number (on your medical ID card) when accessing care.
- Pediatric, behavioral & psychiatric services are available.

Dental Plan

www.principal.com | 800-247-4695

Your dental plan is provided by Principal. Dentists who are in-network cannot balance bill you for amounts over the allowed charges. In-network dentists will always file claims on your behalf.

BASE PLAN	IN-NETWORK	OUT-OF-NETWORK
Benefit Period		1/1-12/31
Single/Family Deductible	\$0	\$100 Lifetime per Member
Benefit Max		\$1,000
Benefit Max Rollover		\$250 up to \$1,000 max
Orthodontia Lifetime Max		N/A
Preventive Care	100%	100%*
Basic Care	80%	80%*
Major Care (includes endo & periodontics)	50%	50%*
Orthodontia Care		N/A
UCR Level	Negotiated Fee	90 th

*Coverage provided after deductible

BUY UP PLAN	IN-NETWORK	OUT-OF-NETWORK
Benefit Period		1/1-12/31
Single/Family Deductible	\$0	\$100 Lifetime per Member
Benefit Max		\$2,000
Benefit Max Rollover		\$500 up to a \$2,000 max
Orthodontia Lifetime Max		\$1,000
Preventive Care	100%	100%*
Basic Care (includes endo & periodontics)	80%	80%*
Major Care	50%	50%*
Orthodontia Care (Child Only)	50%	50%
UCR Level	Negotiated Fee	90 th

*Coverage provided after deductible

Vision Plan

www.superiorvision.com | 800-923-6766

Your vision plan is provided by Superior Vision. Using an in-network provider will lower your cost.

	IN-NETWORK	OUT-OF-NETWORK ²
Benefit Frequency		Exam- 12 months Lenses & Contacts- 12 months Frames- 24 months
Exam	\$10 Copay	Ophthalmologist: Up to \$44 Optometrist: Up to \$39
Frames & Lenses	\$25 Copay ¹	Frames: Up to \$60 Allowance Lenses: Allowance varies from \$26-\$76
Elective Contact Lenses in lieu of Lenses & Frames	Up to \$150 Allowance	Up to \$100 Allowance

¹Frames are covered up to \$150 Allowance plus discount on balance over allowance after copay

²Copays apply to Out of Network providers for exams, lenses, and frames

- 100% Employer paid benefit
 - 1 x earnings to a maximum of \$50,000
 - Age reduction schedule applies beginning at age 65 and benefits terminate at retirement
- Additional life insurance is available for your spouse and dependents
 - Spouse - \$1,000 benefit
 - Dependents - \$100 from birth to 6 months, then \$1,000 from 6 months to age 19 or age 26 if a full time student
 - If you are interested in dependent life coverage, please see Human Resources

Employee Deductions

Employee contributions are the employee’s share of premium cost and are made through payroll deductions. Payroll deductions, as listed below, are deducted on a pre-tax basis. Teachers and Teacher Assistants will contribute during 19 pay periods. All other employees will contribute semi-monthly.

MEDICAL PLAN	SEMI-MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION	19 PAY PERIODS CONTRIBUTION
Employee	\$62.42	\$78.84
Employee + 1 Child	\$239.50	\$302.52
Employee + Children	\$463.47	\$585.44

DENTAL BASE PLAN	SEMI-MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION	19 PAY PERIODS CONTRIBUTION
Employee	\$15.26	\$19.28
Employee + Spouse	\$28.67	\$36.21
Employee + Child(ren)	\$34.58	\$43.67
Family	\$50.30	\$63.54

DENTAL BUY UP PLAN	SEMI-MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION	19 PAY PERIODS CONTRIBUTION
Employee	\$21.61	\$27.30
Employee + Spouse	\$39.08	\$49.36
Employee + Child(ren)	\$51.97	\$65.65
Family	\$73.07	\$92.30

VISION PLAN	SEMI-MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION	19 PAY PERIODS CONTRIBUTION
Employee	\$3.27	\$4.12
Employee + Spouse	\$6.53	\$8.25
Employee + Child(ren)	\$7.50	\$9.47
Family	\$11.55	\$14.59

If you have comments, questions or other inquiries, please contact Human Resources.

This document is an outline of the coverage proposed by the carrier(s), based on information provided by your company. It does not include all the terms, coverages, exclusions, limitations, and conditions of the actual contract language. The policies themselves must be read for those details. The intent of this document is to provide you with general information about your employee benefit plans. It does not necessarily address all the specific issues which may be applicable to you. It should not be construed as, nor is it intended to provide, legal advice. Questions regarding specific issues should be addressed by legal counsel who specialize in this practice area.

Enrollment/Change Application

Completed by Group Administrator Only	
Group Number (if applicable):	Blue Cross NC Subscriber ID Number (if available):

Instructions:

- All employees applying for medical coverage complete Sections **A, B** (if applicable), **C** (if applicable), **D, E, F, H, I**.
- For change requests, complete Sections **A, C** and all other applicable sections.
- If declining medical coverage, please complete Sections **A** and **D**.
- For help in reading this notice, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC) provides consumer assistance tools and services for individuals living with disabilities (including accessible Web sites and the provision of auxiliary aids and services at no cost to the individual) in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. Blue Cross NC also provides language services at no cost to the individual, including oral interpretation and written translations. To access these services and more, call **877-258-3334**. For TTY and TDD, call **800-442-7028**.

Please type or print in black or blue, NOT RED ink

A. Employee Information

First Name		Middle Initial	Last Name			Suffix
Employee Birthdate	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	Employee Social Security Number			<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Marital Status
Address		P.O. Box (For Blue Options HSA / HSA eligible plans you must also provide a street address.)	Apt. No.	City	State	Zip Code
Company Name			Occupation			
Work Location	Date of Full Time Employment	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	Language Preference			
<input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Home Phone Number		Work Phone Number		E-Mail	
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Ethnicity: (This information is optional and will not be used in a discriminatory manner. Responses or nonresponses to this question will not affect eligibility for coverage.)						
<input type="checkbox"/> African American/Black <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Asian American <input type="checkbox"/> Choose not to report <input type="checkbox"/> White/Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____						
<input type="checkbox"/> Active Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Cobra/State Continuation <input type="checkbox"/> Retiree (51+)						
COBRA/State Continuation Qualifying Life Event (OLE):						
<input type="checkbox"/> Termination of Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Reduction in Hours <input type="checkbox"/> Death of Subscriber <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce <input type="checkbox"/> Over Age Dependent <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare Eligible						
What was the date of the OLE?		<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	Date Continuation Started		<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	Date Continuation Ends
					<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	

B. If Enrolling Due to a Qualifying Life Event

You may apply for coverage for yourself or a dependent outside of open enrollment due to a qualifying life event within 30 days of the date of the event (unless 60 days is required by law). (Legal documentation may be required.) Please fill out this section unless otherwise instructed by your Group Administrator.

Adding a dependent due to:

<input type="checkbox"/> Marriage	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	<input type="checkbox"/> Adoption	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	<input type="checkbox"/> Court Order	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy
<input type="checkbox"/> Birth	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Placement	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Date of Occurrence	<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy

Enrolling and/or adding a dependent due to loss of other coverage as a result of:

<input type="checkbox"/> Exhaustion of COBRA Continuation	<input type="checkbox"/> Divorce	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of dependent status	<input type="checkbox"/> Death	<input type="checkbox"/> Meeting or exceeding the lifetime benefit maximum of other plan
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction in hours	<input type="checkbox"/> Termination of other coverage	<input type="checkbox"/> Termination of employment		
<input type="checkbox"/> Termination of employer contributions toward coverage	<input type="checkbox"/> Offered plan is no longer in your service area	<input type="checkbox"/> Discontinuance of other coverage		

If either of the following events occurred, you or your dependent(s) may apply within 60 days of the date of the event. Please indicate the event that applies to you and/or your dependent(s):

<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of eligibility for coverage under Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)	What was the date of the Qualifying Life Event?
<input type="checkbox"/> Gain eligibility for premium payment assistance from Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)	

<input type="text"/> mm <input type="text"/> dd <input type="text"/> yyyy

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C. If Making a Change from Previous Enrollment

Check All That Apply:

- Name (Legal documentation is required.)
- Address
- Other Insurance Information
- Phone Number
- Replace ID Card
- Date of Birth Correction (Legal documentation may be required.)
- E-Mail Address
- Other _____

Remove Dependent(s):

- | | |
|--|--------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dependent Age | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Death | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |

Reinstate Coverage:

Reason: _____

Cancel Coverage:

- | | |
|--|--------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not Eligible | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| Reason: _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left Employment | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Subscriber Request (Open Enrollment Only) | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | Date of Occurrence |
| | mm dd yyyy |

Reason: _____

D. Benefits and Coverage Selection – Complete for Blue Cross NC Health and Dental, if Offered by Employer

MEDICAL PLAN:	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Care® (HMO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Select Plus SM (PPO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Classic Blue® (CMM)	<input type="checkbox"/> High <input type="checkbox"/> Low	<input type="checkbox"/> No Medical Coverage
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Options 1-2-3 SM (PPO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Local SM with Atrium Health*			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Options HSA SM	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Local SM with Wake Forest Baptist Health**			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Options SM (PPO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Value 1-2-3 SM (POS)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Select SM (PPO)	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Value SM (POS)			

* I understand that I am enrolling in a plan with a local provider network limited to the Blue Local with Atrium Health network. I certify to understanding that in-network providers for this plan are concentrated in the following approved counties: Anson, Cabarrus, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly, and Union. I acknowledge that not all Blue Cross NC contracted providers may be in this plan's network, and if I visit a provider not in this plan's network, I may only receive benefits at the out-of-network level, except for emergency, urgent care, or ambulance services.

** I understand that the plan selected has a local provider network limited to the Blue Local with Wake Forest Baptist Health. I certify to understanding that in-network providers for this plan are concentrated in the following approved counties: Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, Stokes, Wilkes, and Yadkin. I acknowledge that not all Blue Cross NC contracted providers may be in this plan's network, and if I visit a provider not in this plan's network, I may only receive benefits at the out-of-network level, except for emergency, urgent care, or ambulance services.

I can search for a provider in the online "find a doctor" tool to determine if my provider is in my plan's network. I acknowledge that I have the right to decline my employer's coverage and enroll in different coverage outside of the coverage offered by my employer.

MEDICAL COVERAGE (if applicable): Employee Only Employee/Spouse/Domestic Partner Employee/Child(ren) Employee/Family

If your group is offering multiple plans, please enter plan name selected: _____

DENTAL PLAN: Dental No Dental Coverage

If your group is offering multiple plans, please enter plan name selected: _____

DENTAL COVERAGE (if applicable): Employee Only Employee/Child(ren) Employee/Spouse/Domestic Partner Employee/Family

BLUE 20/20SM VISION COVERAGE (if applicable): Employee Only Employee/Child(ren) Employee/Spouse/Domestic Partner Employee/Family

DECLINE MEDICAL COVERAGE: Check one only: I am rejecting Employee Coverage I am rejecting Dependent/Spouse Coverage

Declining coverage for the following reason (check one):

- Another plan offered by my employer
- COBRA or State Continuation
- An individual plan
- I and/or my dependents are not covered by any other health benefit plan
- My spouse's group coverage
- A government plan (type): _____
- Other (explain): _____

Names of any dependents rejecting coverage: _____

I understand that if I elect to apply for coverage for myself, my spouse/domestic partner, and/or my dependent child(ren) through this employer health plan at a later time, I may be delayed until the employer's open enrollment period.

Employee Name:

Important Notice of Special Enrollment:

If you are declining enrollment for yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance (including Medicaid or Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP)) or group health plan coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and the dependents in this plan if you or your dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage (or if the employer stops contributing towards your or your dependents’ other coverage). However, you must request enrollment within 30 days after your or your dependents’ other coverage ends (other than Medicaid or CHIP) or if the employer stops contributing towards your or your dependents’ other coverage and within 60 days after the loss of Medicaid or CHIP eligibility.

In addition, if you have a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents. However, you must request enrollment within 30 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption or foster care, except when adding a dependent child will not change your coverage type or premiums that are owed.

Signature of Primary Applicant: **X** _____ Date

Notice of Declination of Coverage must be received by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC) within 30 days of the date that employee is first eligible for coverage.

E. Family Information – Legal Documentation May be Required

Health	Dental	Blue 20/20 Vision	Name First, Middle Initial, Last, Suffix	Social Security Number (Required for Spouse/Domestic Partner)	Birthdate mm/dd/yyyy	Gender	Child Status (please check if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Partner		<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	NA
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Child 1		<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectually or physically disabled
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Child 2		<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectually or physically disabled
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Child 3*		<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectually or physically disabled

Additional Dependent form attached
Dependent children include foster, adopted or a child placed by court or administrative order.

* If you have more than three children enrolling on the Plan, complete an Additional Dependent form.

F. Other Health Insurance Information

Additional Health Coverage that will be in-force when this policy becomes active:

Insurance Carrier		Policy Number		Policy Holder Name	
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Effective Date	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Termination Date or Expected Termination Date	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (If remaining active leave blank)
What kind of coverage: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Group					
Persons covered: <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Partner <input type="checkbox"/> Child 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Child 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Child 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Dependents					

Additional Health Coverage that will be in-force when this policy becomes active:

Insurance Carrier		Policy Number		Policy Holder Name	
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Effective Date	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Termination Date or Expected Termination Date	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (If remaining active leave blank)
What kind of coverage: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Group					
Persons covered: <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Partner <input type="checkbox"/> Child 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Child 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Child 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Dependents					

Employee Name:

If anyone covered has Medicare Coverage please complete below:

Persons covered: Employee Spouse Domestic Partner Child 1 Child 2 Child 3 Additional Dependents

Medicare Claim Number: _____ Medicare C Yes No
If yes, Carrier's Name: _____

Eligible Due To: Renal Disease; First Day of Dialysis ; Where does dialysis take place? Home Center;
 Kidney Transplant? Yes No
 Disability; Is the member actively working? Yes No
 Age

Part A Effective Date: Part B Effective Date:

G. Other Dental Insurance Information

Have you or your dependents had any other dental coverage within the last 12 months (other than Blue Cross NC coverage that you are applying for today)? Yes No

See important notices regarding special enrollment information attached. Please list any dental coverage the employee and/or dependents has/had within the last 12 months (including Blue Cross NC coverage): (To receive prior dental credit against this group benefit plan, please list prior dental coverage within the last 12 months.) Blue Cross NC may request a certificate of creditable coverage for verification purposes.

Insurance Carrier _____ Policy Number _____ Policy Holder Name _____

Date of Birth Effective Date Termination Date or Expected Termination Date (If remaining active leave blank)

What kind of coverage: Individual Group

Persons covered: Employee Spouse Domestic Partner Child 1 Child 2 Child 3 Additional Dependents

Additional Dental Coverage that will be in-force when this policy becomes active.

Insurance Carrier _____ Policy Number _____ Policy Holder Name _____

Date of Birth Effective Date Termination Date or Expected Termination Date (If remaining active leave blank)

What kind of coverage: Individual Group

Persons covered: Employee Spouse Domestic Partner Child 1 Child 2 Child 3 Additional Dependents

Additional Dental Coverage that will be in-force when this policy becomes active.

Insurance Carrier _____ Policy Number _____ Policy Holder Name _____

Date of Birth Effective Date Termination Date or Expected Termination Date (If remaining active leave blank)

What kind of coverage: Individual Group

Persons covered: Employee Spouse Domestic Partner Child 1 Child 2 Child 3 Additional Dependents

I. Statement of Authorization for Release of Protected Health Information – Your Signature is Required

I understand that if I refuse to sign this authorization that Blue Cross NC may refuse to enroll me or determine that I am not eligible for benefits in Blue Cross NC.

I understand that my protected health information is individually identifiable health information, including demographic information, collected from me or created or received by a health care provider, a health plan, or a health care clearinghouse and that relates to:

- (i) my past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition;
- (ii) the provision of health care to me; or
- (iii) the past, present, or future payment for the provision of health care to me.

I authorize any current or past medical professional, medical care institution, pharmacy benefit manager or other medical care giver that has treated me or provided medical services or supplies to me to disclose my protected health information to Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina ("Blue Cross NC").

I further authorize Blue Cross NC to review any applications for health care coverage that I may have submitted to Blue Cross NC in the past.

I authorize Blue Cross NC to receive, use and disclose as necessary my protected health information in connection with any underwriting or eligibility determination purposes in connection with the coverage for which I have applied.

The protected health information (excluding psychotherapy notes) that may be used and disclosed is as follows:

Medical records or any information concerning my current or past health status or treatment received from my medical care providers or previous applications for health care coverage.

I understand that Blue Cross NC will use my protected health information for the following purposes:

To determine my eligibility for enrollment and my premium rate.

I understand that Blue Cross NC will make every effort to safeguard my protected health information. I further understand that Blue Cross NC will not disclose my protected health information unless I request it or when state or federal privacy laws permit or require Blue Cross NC to disclose my protected health information. I understand that Blue Cross NC may disclose my protected health information to individuals or organizations that are not health care providers, health care clearinghouses, or health plans covered by the federal privacy regulations. I understand that if my protected health information is received by individuals or organizations that are not health care providers, health care clearinghouses, or health plans covered by the federal privacy regulations, my protected health information described above may be re-disclosed and no longer protected by federal privacy regulations.

I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by sending a written notification addressed to:

**Commercial Operations/IDC
Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina
PO Box 2291
Durham, NC 27702-2291**

and this revocation will be effective for future uses and disclosures of protected health information. However, I further understand that this revocation will not be effective:

- (i) for information that Blue Cross NC already used or disclosed, relying on this authorization or
- (ii) if the authorization was obtained as a condition of coverage in Blue Cross NC and, by law, Blue Cross NC has a right to contest the coverage.

This authorization expires 120 days from the date this authorization is signed by the applicable person listed below.

Signature of Primary Applicant or Legal Personal Representative: X Date

mm	dd	yyyy
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Name of Legal Personal Representative and Relationship to Primary Applicant (please print): _____ Date

mm	dd	yyyy
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A photographic copy of this authorization shall be as valid as the original.

Non-Discrimination and Accessibility Notice

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC) provides:

- Free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as: qualified interpreters and/or written information in other formats (large print, accessible electronic formats, etc.)
- Free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as: qualified interpreters and/or information written in other languages

If you need these services, call the Customer Service or TTY number on the back of your member ID card.

If you believe that Blue Cross NC has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a grievance with:

Blue Cross NC, P.O. Box 2291, Durham, NC 27702
Attention: Civil Rights Coordinator-Privacy,
Ethics & Corporate Policy Office
Call: 919-765-1663, 1-888-291-1783 (TTY)
Fax: 919-287-5613
Email: civilrightscoordinator@bcbsnc.com

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax or email. If you need help filing a grievance, the Civil Rights Coordinator-Privacy, Ethics & Corporate Policy Office is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at:

Online: <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf>
Mail: U.S. Department of Health & Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509F
HHH Building Washington, D.C., 20201
Call: 1-800-368-1019, 1-800-537-7697 (TDD)
Complaint forms are available online at:
<http://www.hhs.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint/index.html>

This notice and/or attachments may have important information about your application or coverage through Blue Cross NC. Look for key dates. You may need to take action by certain deadlines to keep your health coverage or help with costs. You have the right to get this information and help in your language at no cost. If you need these services, call the Customer Service or TTY number on the back of your member ID card.

Discrimination is Against the Law

Blue Cross NC complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.

Blue Cross NC does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex.



Mailing Address
Des Moines, IA 50392-0002

Principal Life
Insurance Company

Employee
Enrollment &
Waiver - NC

Company name Yadkin Valley Economic Development District	Division level	Account number/unit number
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Employee Information					
Name			Social security number		
Mailing address (street)			Birth date	<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	
(city)	(state)	(ZIP code)	Do you have an eligible spouse or child? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Date employed full-time		Hours worked per week	Job occupation/class	Location	
Salary amount	Salary mode <input type="checkbox"/> yearly <input type="checkbox"/> weekly <input type="checkbox"/> hourly <input type="checkbox"/> monthly <input type="checkbox"/> bi-weekly				
What is your payroll mode? <input type="checkbox"/> monthly <input type="checkbox"/> semi-monthly <input type="checkbox"/> weekly <input type="checkbox"/> bi-weekly			Employer ZIP 27011	Employer county	

Dental

Elect Decline Choose from one of the following options.

Option #1

Design description: High Plan

Employee:	Spouse:	Child:
<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline	<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline	<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline

Option #2

Design description: Low Plan

Employee:	Spouse:	Child:
<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline	<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline	<input type="checkbox"/> Elect <input type="checkbox"/> Decline

Important! If declining any coverage for yourself or any dependent, give reason. Covered under:

- spouse's group coverage
- individual insurance
- other _____
- other coverage offered by my employer

Eligible Dependent Information (Complete if you have elected benefits for your spouse or children)

Spouse's name	Birth date	<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	Social security number
Name(s) of child(ren)	Birth date	<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	Social security number <input type="checkbox"/> foster child* <input type="checkbox"/> disabled or handicapped child **
		<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	<input type="checkbox"/> foster child* <input type="checkbox"/> disabled or handicapped child **

		<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	<input type="checkbox"/> foster child* <input type="checkbox"/> disabled or handicapped child **
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* If you checked foster child, was the child placed with you by an authorized state placement agency or by order of a court? Yes No

** When your child, who is developmentally disabled or physically handicapped, reaches/exceeds the maximum age, an Application to Continue Handicapped Child form must be completed and reviewed to determine eligibility.

Is your spouse employed by this company? Yes No

Employee Agreement (Read and sign)

I understand and agree with the following statements:

- My dependents are not eligible for coverages I don't have. My dependents, including step and foster children and any over the maximum age, are eligible based on plan provisions but those over the maximum age will be verified when a claim is filed.
- If I refuse dental coverage, I and my dependents may enroll later but this will affect the level of benefits.
- If I refuse coverage, I cannot enroll after retirement.
- If the group policy does not require my contribution, I cannot decline coverage unless the policy indicates otherwise.
- If the group policy requires my contribution, I authorize my employer to deduct from my pay.
- I represent all information on this form and attachments is complete and true to the best of my knowledge. They are part of this request for coverage. I agree Principal Life is not liable for a claim before the effective date of coverage and all policy provisions apply. I have read, or had read to me, the information and my answers on this form. During the first two years coverage is in force, fraud or intentional misrepresentations can cause changes in my coverage, including cancellation back to the effective date.
- Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he or she is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement, may be guilty of insurance fraud.
- Explanation of Benefits reflecting claims payments for myself and my dependents will be sent to my home address. I also understand collection of social security numbers for myself and/or my dependents will be used by Principal Life only as allowed by law.

A copy of this form will be as valid as the original.

I **declare** that the information I have completed on this enrollment form is complete and true. I understand an agent or broker cannot guarantee coverage, revise rates, benefits or provisions without written approval from Principal Life.

Your signature X _____ Date Signed _____

Instructions

After this form is completed and signed, make two copies and send the original to Principal Life Insurance Company:

- One for the employee
- One for the employer



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Enrollment / Change Form

Please print and complete all sections.

GROUP/EMPLOYEE INFORMATION A: Add (enroll) T: Terminate C: Change (change of name or coverage)

Group Name Yadkin Valley Economic Development District Inc.	Group Number 038898	Location	Effective Date	Date of Hire
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<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	Social Security Number
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Home Street Address	City/State/Zip	Home Phone ()	Work Phone ()
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Email Address	Cell Phone ()
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ELECTION(S)

Employee Only <input type="checkbox"/>	Employee + Spouse <input type="checkbox"/>	Employee + Children <input type="checkbox"/>	Employee + Family <input type="checkbox"/>	Waived due to other coverage <input type="checkbox"/>	Waive <input type="checkbox"/>
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FAMILY INFORMATION (Only those eligible may be enrolled.) A: Add (enroll) T: Terminate C: Change (change of name or coverage)

<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (spouse)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	
<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (dependent)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	Child unmarried and full-time student or handicapped? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (dependent)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (dependent)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (dependent)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> C	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	Last Name (dependent)	First Name	M.I.	Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Employee Signature: _____ Date: _____

Do you or any of your dependents have other vision insurance? Yes No

If yes, please give: Policyholder _____ and Insurance Company _____.

Declination of coverage must be accompanied by the Employee's signature above.

ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN PRISON.

Group Enrollment or Change Form

(Please print or type in Black ink.)

<input type="checkbox"/> New Employee	<input type="checkbox"/> Declination	<input type="checkbox"/> Class or Salary Change	Group # _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiary Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Termination Date: _____	Class _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Dependent Status Change (Indicate reason _____)			Dept/Location _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Reinstatement (Complete Date of Rehire as Employment Date)			Eff Date _____

SECTION 1 - APPLICANT INFORMATION

Employee Legal Name (First, M.I., Last)				For Name Change, Give Prior Last Name	
Home Address		City	State	Zip	Telephone No.
Social Security #		Date of Birth	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Marital Status
Occupation		Hours worked weekly		Date Employed Full-time	
Employer's Name				Salary \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Annual	

SECTION 2 - Complete this Section if applying for Optional Coverage(s). Evidence of Insurability (EOI) may be required when applying for these coverage(s).

Dependent Life	Add <input type="checkbox"/>	Delete <input type="checkbox"/>	Indicate Date of: Marriage/Divorce _____ Birth of Child _____		
Supp Life	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dependents to be Covered	Relationship	Birthdate
Supp AD&D	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
STD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
LTD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

SECTION 3 - BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION /CHANGE ■ Check if Change Only

This will revoke any existing beneficiary designations you may have for these benefits.

PRIMARY BENEFICIARY(IES) (Will receive proceeds if living at death of Employee):

Name (Last, First, MI)	Address	SSN	Birthdate	Relationship	Percentage

Total must equal 100% =

CONTINGENT BENEFICIARY(IES) (Will receive proceeds if Primary Beneficiary(ies) are not living):

Name (Last, First, MI)	Address	SSN	Birthdate	Relationship	Percentage

Total must equal 100% =

I represent that the information provided above is true and correct. I understand that if I am not actively at work on the effective date of my coverage, my insurance will not begin until the day I return to work. For those coverages I have declined, I understand that if I choose to enroll at a later date, Evidence of Insurability may be required. If the Plan provides that any contributions be made by me, I authorize my employer to deduct them from my pay.

Warning - It is or may be a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purposes of defrauding the company or other person. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, and a denial of insurance benefits in accordance with applicable state law.

_____ Date

_____ Signature of Employee

Date Received - Home Office

