

# 2023-24 BENEFITS & WELL-BEING





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## **YOUR** UK BENEFITS

UK staff and faculty are at their best when their health and well-being are a priority. That's why providing a generous benefits package is key to the University's goal to recruit and retain outstanding faculty and staff.

The University continues to make significant investments in health and well-being initiatives. Each year, we work to keep costs as low as possible while enhancing quality and providing outstanding coverage. This year, UK will invest about \$198 million in health care for our employees.

UK continues to pay more than 92% of the total cost of employee-only coverage on our Saver, HMO and PPO plans.

#### Sign up online

You can now enroll in and change your benefit selections through the myUK mobile app

#### When do benefits begin?

Benefits take effect on the first day of the month following your first day of work. If you are hired on the first day of the month, you may choose whether your benefits begin on your first day of work or the first day of the following month.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS?

Regular, full-time employees with an assignment of at least 0.75 FTE are eligible to receive the UK contribution toward the cost of health insurance, as well as:

- Matching contributions to the Matching Retirement Savings Plan
- Life insurance equal to one year's salary
- Accidental death and dismemberment insurance equal to one year's salary
- Long-term disability insurance after one year of service (this waiting period may be waived if you had similar coverage at a previous employer before coming to UK)

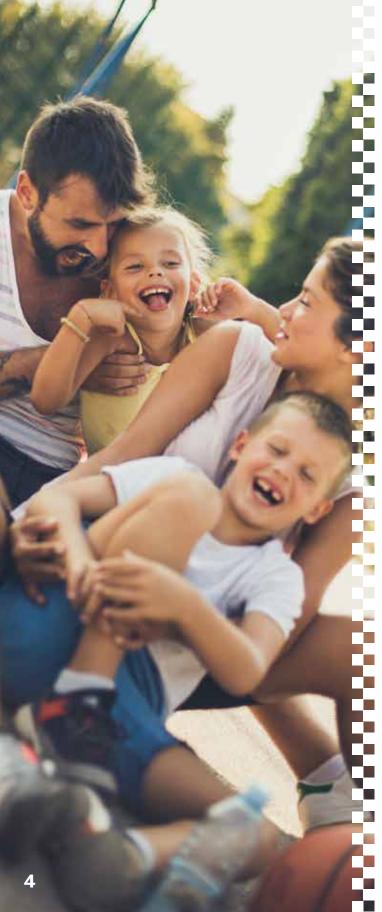
Regular, full-time employees may also take advantage of other insurance plans, including dental, vision, supplemental life and others.

Temporary employees who work at least 30 hours per week or with an assignment of at least 0.75 FTE are also eligible for health insurance with the subsidy, as well as, dental and vision benefits.

Regular and temporary part-time employees with an assignment of at least 0.2 FTE may enroll in health insurance, but they do not receive a University contribution toward the monthly cost.

You may also add eligible individuals to your insurance plans, including:

- Spouse
- Dependent children up to age 26
- Mentally or physically disabled children of any age who were or became disabled before the age limit and were already covered by your plan
- Adult sponsored dependent (an unrelated individual age 18 or older who has resided in your household for at least one year)
- Children up to age 26 of an adult sponsored dependent



## WHAT'S **NEW**

#### Slight increases to some health insurance plans

For 2023-24, we will have modest increases to our health insurance plans. The UK HMO plan will include a \$5 per month increase for individuals and a \$10 increase for families. The UK PPO plan will see its monthly rate increase by \$10 for individuals and \$20 for families.

The Saver plan will not include any increases in monthly premiums.

Monthly costs for vision and dental insurance will also remain the same.

Your UK employee health insurance remains an excellent value with rates and benefit levels that consistently compare favorably to other institutions.

#### Lower costs with UK HealthCare

No matter which health insurance plan you choose, you'll always pay less by seeing a UK HealthCare provider.

#### Online enrollment now available

The myUK mobile app now includes an added feature allowing you to manage benefit plans from the convenience of your smartphone or tablet. You can edit or enroll in benefit plans using myUK mobile for any-time benefit changes, or during open enrollment.

The "My Benefits Enrollment" feature is accessible via the Employee Self Service (ESS) portal in the myUK mobile app.

#### MORE OPTIONS FOR RECEIVING CARE

We know access to a health care provider is important to you and your family. That's why we have several options for care.

#### **Team Blue Clinic**

Team Blue is dedicated solely to UK employees and their family members who are on a UK health insurance plan. The clinic, located at Kentucky Clinic South off Harrodsburg Road, offers routine primary care as well as same-day appointments when you're sick.

The clinic has physicians and advanced practice providers.

To schedule an appointment, call 859-218-5999.

#### **UK HealthCare Urgent Care Clinic**

If you have an urgent medical concern and need to be seen by someone before your primary care provider is available, UK HealthCare now offers a walk-in clinic at its Turfland location on Harrodsburg Road and its Fountain Court location off Man O' War Boulevard near Richmond Road.

your primary care provider, you can walk in without an appointment if you have an injury or illness.

The Turfland clinic is open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. every day. The Fountain Court location is open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

#### No co-pays for telehealth

As a UK-insured employee, you can use LiveHealth Online or UK Telecare for telehealth appointments. There is no co-pay for these telehealth options.

These services allow you to connect with a medical professional online. They provide convenient and easy access for minor primary care medical conditions, and mental health counseling with LiveHealth Online, all at an excellent value.

To get started, sign up at www.livehealthonline. com or download the app to your mobile device.

Visit ukhealthcare.uky.edu/telecare to learn about UK HealthCare's telehalth services.



Some of our plans include a few adjustments to benefits this year.

For example, our HMO plan now includes a 10% co-insurance for an emergency room visit, in addition to a \$100 co-pay. This means you'll pay \$100 plus 10% of the remaining cost for the emergency room visit. The RHP and EPO plans now include 20% co-insurance in addition to the co-pay for emergency room visits.

The annual out-of-pocket maximum for all plans except our HMO plan will increase slightly this year as well. This is the most you will pay out of pocket for medical care during the July 1 to June 30 fiscal year. The out-of-pocket maximum for the HMO plan remains the same.



## **INSURANCE RATES**

### **HEALTH PLAN RATES**

#### **UK Health Saver Plan**

Coverage level	Total monthly cost	UK pays	You pay	UK deposits into your health savings account
Employee only	\$652	\$614	\$38	\$1,000
Employee + children	\$973	\$823	\$150	\$2,000
Employee + spouse	\$1,293	\$1,015	\$278	\$2,000
Employee + family	\$1,611	\$1,203	\$408	\$2,000

#### **UK-HMO**

Coverage level	Total monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$654	\$614	\$40
Employee + children	\$980	\$823	\$157
Employee + spouse	\$1,297	\$1,015	\$282
Employee + family	\$1,613	\$1,203	\$410

#### **UK-PPO**

Coverage level	Total monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$663	\$614	\$49
Employee + children	\$995	\$823	\$172
Employee + spouse	\$1,316	\$1,015	\$301
Employee + family	\$1,635	\$1,203	\$432

#### **UK-RHP**

Coverage level	Total monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$691	\$614	\$77
Employee + children	\$1,032	\$823	\$209
Employee + spouse	\$1,374	\$1,015	\$359
Employee + family	\$1,719	\$1,203	\$516

#### **UK-EPO**

Coverage level	Total monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$916	\$614	\$302
Employee + children	\$1,354	\$823	\$531
Employee + spouse	\$1,804	\$1,015	\$789
Employee + family	\$2,256	\$1,203	\$1,053

## **UNDERSTANDING** YOUR PLAN

To make the most of your coverage, and to help you decide which plan is right for you, it's helpful to understand some of the terms that go along with your benefits.

#### YOUR TOTAL COSTS

Choosing the right health plan for you is often a decision of when and how to pay for services. Here's a quick breakdown of how much you will pay for your health coverage: **Co-pay:** A set amount you pay for a health care service. For example, employees on the UK-HMO plan pay \$10 for a visit to a primary care doctor.

**Co-insurance:** The percentage you pay for the cost of a health care service, after you meet the deductible. For example, after you pay your deductible, the UK-PPO plan covers 80 percent of the cost for outpatient surgery, and you pay the remaining 20 percent.

PREMIUMS + DEDUCTIBLE + CO-PAY & TOTAL EMPLOYEE COST CO-INSURANCE

(UP TO THE OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM)

**Premiums:** The amount you pay for your health insurance every month. This comes out of your pay as an automatic deduction (monthly or bi-weekly, depending on your pay schedule). You only pay a small portion of the total cost of insurance. The University pays the bulk of the total cost.

**Deductible:** The amount you must pay before your insurance pays for some services. Not all plans and services have deductibles. See where deductibles apply at **hr.uky.edu/healthinsurance.** 

**Out-of-pocket maximum:** A cap on your costs for the year, which runs July 1 to June 30. Once you reach this maximum, your health plan will pay 100 percent of your covered expenses for the rest of the year.

#### **OTHER KEY TERMS**

**Formulary:** A list of prescription medicines that are covered by your prescription plan. Medicines not on this list may be unavailable or available only with prior authorization, or they may cost more.

**Generic drugs:** An FDA-approved medicine, made of virtually the same formula as a name-brand medicine. Generic medicines contain the same active ingredient but usually cost less.

**Specialty drugs:** Medicines produced in lower quantities for complex illnesses. They often require special storage and are not readily available at local retail pharmacies.

Preventive care: Services that help you manage your health, such as routine physical exams, screenings, Pap smears, mammograms and lab tests. These services are all covered at 100 percent by your health plan when received from an innetwork health care provider.

**In-network provider:** A provider (doctor, nurse practitioner or other professional) who has agreed to accept a negotiated rate from the health plan. Health care services will cost you more if you receive them from an out-of-network provider. No matter which plan you choose, UK HealthCare providers are in-network.

## **HEALTH PLANS**

UK offers five health plans to meet the diverse needs of our faculty and staff.

**THE UK HEALTH SAVER** provides a great way to save for health care costs this year and in the future. You will be at risk for covering some of your health care costs out of pocket through higher deductibles, but UK will deposit money into a health savings account to help you met your deductible.

THE UK-HMO offers an excellent value. You pay no deductibles and no co-payments for preventive care. Those on the UK-HMO plan must use UK HealthCare facilities and physicians. The plan is available to those who live in Central Kentucky.

THE UK-RHP offers high-quality care for those who live outside Central Kentucky. The coverage matches the UK-HMO plan but makes services from non-UK HealthCare facilities and providers available to those who live in outlying counties.

**THE UK-PPO** is our most popular plan. It offers greater flexibility to choose a doctor or health care facility. Members of the UK-PPO plan pay for this extra flexibility through deductibles and higher copays for certain services. UK HealthCare facilities and physicians are in the UK-PPO network and are available at lower co-pays and co-insurance than services outside of UK HealthCare.

**THE UK-EPO** offers flexibility to receive services outside of UK HealthCare. This plan has a higher monthly premium, but members of this plan have no co-insurance to pay or deductibles to meet. Employees who have (or whose spouse or covered dependent has) a chronic condition that requires frequent hospitalization most often take advantage of this plan.

#### **UK HEALTH SAVER PLAN**

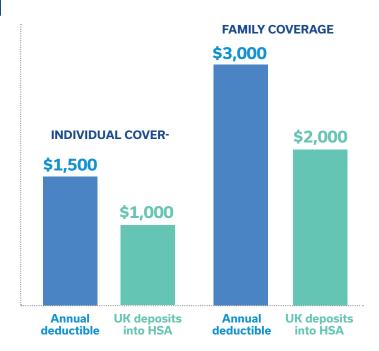
We offer a high-deductible health insurance plan combined with a health savings account. This type of insurance plan puts you at risk for covering some of your health care costs out of pocket, but it provides a way to save for health care costs this year and in the future.

The UK Health Saver Plan has a deductible of \$1,500 for single coverage and \$3,000 for coverage that includes family members, if you use UK HealthCare providers. Those deductibles are higher if you use other health care providers who are in the Anthem insurance network, and higher still if you see providers who are outside that network.

If you have employee-only coverage and see only UK HealthCare providers, for example, you must pay the first \$1,500 of health care costs for the year that begins July 1 before any insurance coverage begins. To help you cover these costs, UK will deposit \$1,000 into a health savings account. For coverage that includes family members, you're responsible for the first \$3,000 in health care cost, and UK will deposit \$2,000 into your health savings account to use toward those costs.

Once you meet your deductible, you'll still be responsible for paying a percentage of your health care costs. For example, if you have a UK HealthCare inpatient hospital stay, you are responsible for 10 percent of the cost, and your insurance will cover the remaining 90 percent.

This plan does include an out-of-pocket maximum, which varies depending on whether you see UK HealthCare or other providers. Once you have paid the maximum amount yourself for the year, your insurance will cover 100 percent of your health care costs.



Preventive care is covered at 100 percent of the cost prior to meeting your deductible.

The UK Saver Health Plan is not ideal if you expect to have a lot of health care costs during the year, including prescriptions, which you must pay for out of pocket until you reach your deductible. You will likely find a better value with our other health insurance plans.

The plan is also not ideal if you won't be able to pay out of pocket for your health care costs before you reach your maximum for the year.

However, if you believe you will have little to no health care costs, the plan's health savings account offers an opportunity to save money tax-free for medical costs later, including into retirement. The amount deposited into your health savings account never expires. So, you can use this money to cover health care costs in future.

For more information about this health insurance option, visit **hr.uky.edu/healthinsurance** 

#### **UK HEALTH SAVER PLAN**

Coverage level cost	Total monthly	UK pays	You pay	UK deposits into your health savings account
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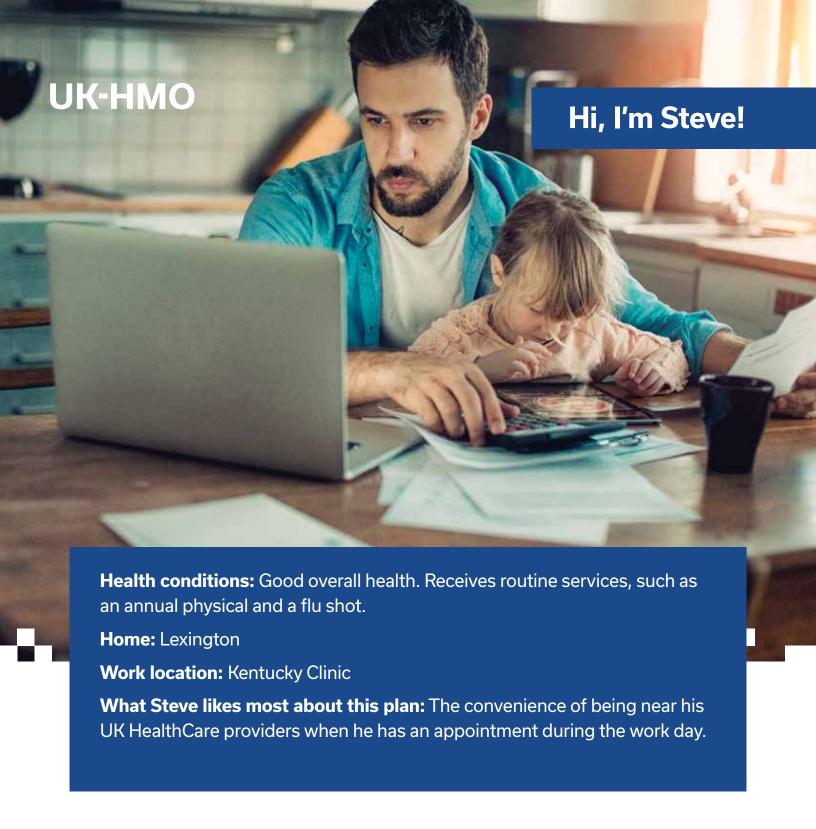
The UK Saver Health Plan has deductibles and out-of-pocket maximums that vary based on who you see for care:

	UK HealthCare provider	In the Anthem network	Outside the Anthem network
Deductible	\$1,500 single/\$3,000 family	\$3,500 single/\$7,000 family	\$7,500 single/\$15,000 family
Out-of-pocket maximu  * Minimum deductible	ım* \$3,000 single/\$6,000 family	\$7,000 single/\$14,000 famil	y No maximum

Health care service	Your cost with UK HealthCare after you meet your deductible	Your cost in the Anthem network after you meet your deductible	Your cost outside the Anthem network after you meet your deductible
Preventive care	\$0 (no deductible required)	\$0 (no deductible required)	40 percent of the cost
Primary care visit	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Specialty care visit	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Lab tests, X-rays, diagnostic tests	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
High-end diagnostics	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Allergy shots	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Inpatient hospital stay	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Outpatient surgery	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Urgent treatment center visit	30 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost
Emergency room visit center visit	30 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost
Physical therapy	10 percent of the cost	30 percent of the cost	40 percent of the cost

You can also add to UK's contribution by up to \$2,850 per year on the employee-only plan or \$5,550 per year on family plans. Health savings account contributions provide a triple tax savings. You save money on taxes when you contribute, your money can earn interest tax free, and you can withdraw money to pay for medical expenses tax free.

For a complete breakdown of coverage and costs, visit **hr.uky.edu/healthinsurance.** 



#### **UK-HMO**

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Employee only	\$654	\$614	\$40
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Employee + spouse	\$1,297	\$1,015	\$282
Employee + family	\$1,613	\$1,203	\$410

The UK-HMO has an annual out-of-pocket maximum of \$3,000 per member or \$6,000 per family for medical costs. The annual out-of-pocket maximum for prescriptions is \$5,000 per member or \$10,000 per family.

Below are your costs for common services on the UK-HMO plan:

Health care service	Your cost
Preventive care	\$0
Primary care visit	\$10 co-pay
Specialty care visit	\$30 co-pay
Lab tests, X-rays, diagnostic tests	\$0
Allergy shots	\$10 co-pay
Inpatient hospital stay	\$200 co-pay
Outpatient surgery	\$75 co-pay
Urgent treatment center visit	\$25 co-pay
Emergency room visit	\$100 co-pay plus 10% co-insurance (waived if admitted to hospital)
Physical therapy	\$15 co-pay per visit

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Work location: Coldstream Research Campus

What Megan likes most about her plan: She doesn't mind meeting higher deductibles and paying higher co-pays to have more choice in where she receives her health care. She can receive care at UK HealthCare and have similar out of pocket costs to the UK-HMO.

#### **UK-PPO**

Coverage level	Monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$663	\$614	\$49
Employee + children	\$995	\$823	\$172
Employee + spouse	\$1,316	\$1,015	\$301
Employee + family	\$1,635	\$1,203	\$432

We've reduced your costs if you see a UK HealthCare provider on the UK-PPO plan. Receiving care with a provider outside the Anthem network has the highest costs. The UK-PPO plan covers **out-of-network** providers at a higher deductible, co-insurance and no out-of-pocket maximum.

Here are your in-network deductibles and out-of-pocket maximums on the UK-PPO plan:

	With UK HealthCare	In the Anthem network
Annual deductible	\$100 per member, \$200 per family	\$500 per member, \$1,000 per family
Medical costs	\$3,000 per member, \$6,000 per family	\$4,000 per member, \$8,000 per family
Prescription costs	\$5,000 per member, \$10,000 per family	\$5,000 per member, \$10,000 per family

Below are your costs for common services on the UK-PPO plan:

Health care service	Your cost with UK HealthCare	Your cost in the Anthem network
Preventive care	\$0	\$0
Primary care visit	\$15 co-pay	\$25 co-pay
Specialty care visit	\$40 co-pay	\$50 co-pay
Lab tests, X-rays, diagnostic tests	\$0	\$0
High-end diagnostics	\$75 co-pay	20 percent of the cost after you meet your deductible
Allergy shots	\$10 co-pay	\$10 co-pay
Inpatient hospital stay	\$300 co-pay	20 percent of the cost after you meet your deductible
Outpatient surgery	\$100 co-pay	20 percent of the cost after you meet your deductible
Urgent treatment center visit	\$50 co-pay	\$50 co-pay
Emergency room visit	20 percent of the cost after \$100 co-pay (waived if admitted)	20 percent of the cost after \$100 co-pay (waived if admitted)
Physical therapy	\$20 co-pay per visit	\$30 co-pay per visit

For a complete breakdown of coverage and costs, visit hr.uky.edu/healthinsurance.



What Gail likes most about her plan: She doesn't live near UK HealthCare providers, but she likes having coverage with no deductibles and lower copays. She chooses the UK-RHP since she lives outside Central Kentucky.

#### **UK-RHP**

Coverage level	Monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$691	\$614	\$77
Employee + children	\$1,032	\$823	\$209
Employee + spouse	\$1,374	\$1,015	\$359
Employee + family	\$1,719	\$1,203	\$516

The UK-RHP has an annual out-of-pocket maximum of \$4,000 per member or \$8,000 per family for medical costs. The annual out-of-pocket maximum for prescriptions is \$5,000 per member or \$10,000 per family.

Below are your costs for common services on the UK-RHP:

Health care service	Your cost
Preventive care	\$0
Primary care visit	\$10 co-pay
Specialty care visit	\$30 co-pay
Lab tests, X-rays, diagnostic tests	\$0
Allergy shots	\$10 co-pay
Inpatient hospital stay	\$200 co-pay
Outpatient surgery	\$75 co-pay
Urgent treatment center visit	\$25 co-pay
Emergency room visit	\$100 co-pay plus 20% co-insurance (waived if admitted to hospital)
Physical therapy	\$15 co-pay per visit

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with providers outside of UK HealthCare.

Home: Lexington

Work location: UK campus

What Richard likes most about his plan: The UK-EPO plan has a higher monthly premium, but it offers a wider range of health care providers to choose from. It also has no deductibles to meet or co-insurances to pay. Health care services, including the frequent hospital stays, are covered at 100 percent after a co-pay. Co-payments are per admission and limited to two co-payments per year.

#### **UK-EPO**

Coverage level	Monthly cost	UK pays	You pay
Employee only	\$916	\$614	\$302
Employee + children	\$1,354	\$823	\$531
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Employee + family	\$2,256	\$1,203	\$1,053

The UK-EPO has an annual out-of-pocket maximum of \$4,000 per member or \$8,000 per family for medical costs. The annual out-of-pocket maximum for prescriptions is \$5,000 per member or \$10,000 per family.

Below are your costs for common services on the UK-EPO plan:

Health care service	Your cost with UK HealthCare	Your cost in the Anthem network
Preventive care	\$0	\$0
Primary care visit	\$15 co-pay	\$25 co-pay
Specialty care visit	\$40 co-pay	\$50 co-pay
Lab tests, X-rays, diagnostic tests	\$0	\$0
Allergy shots	\$10 co-pay	\$10 co-pay
Inpatient hospital stay	\$300 co-pay	\$500 co-pay
Outpatient surgery	\$100 co-pay	\$150 co-pay
Urgent treatment center visit	\$50 co-pay	\$50 co-pay
Emergency room visit	\$100 co-pay plus 20% co-insurance (waived if admitted to the hospital)	\$100 co-pay plus 20% co-insurance (waived if admitted to the hospital)
Physical therapy	\$20 co-pay per visit	\$30 co-pay per visit

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## **PRESCRIPTION** COVERAGE

The prescription benefit is the same for all UK health plans, except the UK Health Saver plan, which pays a percentage of prescription costs after you meet your deductible. You are automatically enrolled in prescription coverage if you are on a health plan. Express Scripts is our benefit manager for prescription coverage.

Generic prescription drugs are usually your best value. They contain the same active ingredients as brand-name equivalent drugs at a lower cost.

Receiving a 90-day supply for each prescription through Express Scripts Mail Service Pharmacy or a UK Retail Pharmacy (such as the one at Kentucky Clinic) may also cost less than three 30-day supplies.

For a complete breakdown of prescription costs, visit hr.uky.edu/healthinsurance.

Sometimes medicines can change categories (generic, preferred brand, non-preferred brand). It's always a good idea to check which category your medicine is in. Visit **www.express-scripts.com.** Please call a pharmacist with the Know Your Rx Coalition at **859-218-5979** or **855-218-5979** for information specific to your medication, formulary and costs.



## **FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS**

A Flexible Spending Account (FSA) allows you to set aside money tax free to pay for eligible expenses.

UK offers two kinds of FSAs:

- Dependent care, which allows you to use taxfree dollars to pay for child care expenses. You may contribute \$500 to \$5,000 each year to this FSA. Each household has a maximum \$5,000 contribution.
- Health care, which allows you to pay for eligible medical expenses. You may contribute \$250 to \$3,050 each year to this FSA.

ASI Flex manages these FSA benefits. The rules for contribution limits are specific to your situation. Visit **www.asiflex.com** for specific details on these accounts.

Keep your receipts! Some purchases will require follow-up verification. Failure to provide this information could cause your FSA debit card to be de-activated.

#### Eligible expenses

Always check with ASI Flex for eligibility, but in general, the following items are eligible for the dependent care FSA:

- Care for a child under age 14 at a daycare, camp, nursery school or a private sitter
- Elder care for an incapacitated adult who lives with you at least 8 hours a day
- Expenses for pre-school and after-school child care

In general, the following items are eligible for the health care FSA:

- Acupuncture
- Automobile modifications for a physically handicapped person
- Blood pressure monitoring device
- Chiropractic care
- Contact lenses & related materials
- Crutches
- Fertility treatment
- Guide dog or other animal aid
- Hearing aids
- Laser eye surgery
- Over-the-counter (OTC) health items
- Oxygen
- Prescription medications
- Wheelchair

**Note:** If you participate in the Health Saver insurance plan, you may not also participate in a health care flexible spending account.

Up to \$610 of unused funds in a 2023-24 health care flexible spending account may rollover into a 2024-25 health care FSA.

## **UK DENTAL**

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Ideal for: UK employees who like the convenience of seeing a UK Dentistry provider while enjoying lower premiums. Please note that while UK Dental might offer different coverage levels, services are often available for a discount, resulting in similar out-of-pocket costs to other dental plans.

Dental service (Basic)	UK Dental Preventive (Basic)	UK Dental Comprehensive
Two exams and cleanings per year	100%	100%
Restorative fillings	X	100%
Simple extractions	X	100%
Periodontics (scaling and root planning)	X	30% (every two years)
Crown or bridge	X	20% or 30%
Endodontics (root canal)	X	30%
Oral surgery	X	30%
Complete/partial dentures	X	30%
Orthodontics	X	20% up to a \$1,000 lifetime maximum
Emergency treatment (with UK Dentistry provider)		100%

#### **X** Not covered

#### **RATES**

#### **Preventive (Basic)**

Coverage	Monthly cost
Employee only	\$12.24
Employee + children	\$38.60
Employee + spouse/ sponsored dependent	\$24.26
Employee + family	\$54.81

#### Comprehensive

Coverage	Monthly cost
Employee only	\$27.13
Employee + children	\$55.46
Employee + spouse/ sponsored dependent	\$55.46
Employee + family	\$88.20

## DELTA **DENTAL**

#### **DELTA DENTAL**

Ideal for: Employees who wish to see a dentist outside of UK providers.

Delta Dental also offers two levels of coverage. Both levels have a \$25 per person and \$75 per family deductible that must be met before services are covered.

Dental service	Delta Dental Basic	Delta Dental Enhanced
Routine office visit	100%	100%
Two cleanings/routine office visits per year*	100%	100%
Restorative fillings	80%	80%
Simple extractions	80%	80%
Periodontics	80%	80%
Crown, bridge and dental implants	X	50%
Endodontics (root canal)	80%	80%
Oral surgery	80%	80%
Complete/partial dentures	X	50%
Orthodontics (up to age 19)	X	50% up to a \$1,000 lifetime maximum
Space maintainers (for permanent teeth)	X	X

<sup>\*</sup>Four cleanings for patients with certain medical conditions \*\* Not covered

#### **RATES**

#### **Basic**

Coverage	Monthly cost
Employee only	\$24.40
Employee + children	\$46.30
Employee + spouse/ sponsored dependent	\$51.90
Employee + family	\$76.30

#### **Enhanced**

Coverage	Monthly cost
Employee only	\$33
Employee + children	\$69.80
Employee + spouse/ sponsored dependent	\$72.80
Employee + family	\$113.50

## **VISION**

UK offers two vision insurance plans through EyeMed – Essential and Enhanced. The EyeMed network includes UK vision care providers along with LensCrafters, many private practices and other locations nationwide.

**EyeMed Essential:** Lower premiums out of your paycheck each month, higher co-pays for some services when purchased.

**EyeMed Enhanced:** Higher premiums out of your paycheck each month, lower co-pays for some services when purchased.

Here is a breakdown of your costs when you visit eye care providers in the EyeMed network.

	Your costs with EyeMed Essential	Your costs with EyeMed Enhanced
Monthly premiums		
Employee only	\$8.50	\$21.40
Employee + children	\$15.20	\$38
Employee + spouse/sponsored dependent	\$16	\$40
Employee + family	\$21.40	\$53.60
Vision services		
Exam with dilation as necessary	\$10	\$0
Laser vision correction	85% of retail price or 95% of promotional price	85% of retail price or 95% of promotional price



## **VISION**

	Your costs with	Your costs with
	EyeMed Essential	EyeMed Enhanced
Glasses		
Frames	80% of the charge minus a \$130 allowance	80% of the charge minus a \$160 allowance
Single vision standard plastic lens	\$10	\$10
Bifocal standard plastic lens	\$10	\$10
Trifocal standard plastic lens	\$10	\$10
Standard progressive lens	\$75	\$10
Premium progressive lens-Tier 1	\$95	\$30
Premium progressive lens-Tier 2	\$105	\$40
Premium progressive lens-Tier 3	\$120	\$55
Premium progressive lens-Tier 4	\$75 co-pay, then 80% of the charge minus a \$120 allowance	\$10 co-pay, then 80% of the charge minus a \$120 allowance
UV treatment	\$15	\$0
Tint (solid and gradient)	\$15	\$0
Standard scratch resistance	\$15	\$0
Standard polycarbonate (adults)	\$40	\$0
Standard polycarbonate (children under 19)	\$0	\$0
Standard anti-reflective coating	\$45	\$0
Premium anti-reflective coating-Tier 1	\$57	\$12
Premium anti-reflective coating-Tier 2	\$68	\$23
Premium anti-reflective coating-Tier 3	80% of retail price	80% of retail price minus a \$45 allowance
Polarization, other add-on services	80% of retail price	80% of retail price
Contact lenses		
Standard contact lens exam	\$40	\$0
Premium contact lens exam	90% of retail price	90% of retail price minus a \$55 allowance
Conventional contact lenses	15% off price after a \$130 allowance	15% off price after a \$160 allowance
Disposable contact lenses	Price minus a \$130 allowance	Price minus a \$160 allowance
Medically necessary contact lenses	\$0	\$0

Both plans cover one eye exam every 12 months and the purchase of lenses or contacts every 12 months. EyeMed Essential covers the purchase of frames once every 24 months, while the Enhanced plan covers frames once every 12 months.

Services have higher costs if you see an eye care provider outside the EyeMed network. For a complete listing of out-of-network costs, **hr.uky.edu/vision.** 

## THINKING ABOUT EXPANDING YOUR FAMILY? **HERE ARE SOME TIPS!**

If you are thinking about growing your family through a birth or adoption, there are several things to consider, including benefits you can choose during open enrollment.

#### WINFertility benefit available

Through our health insurance plan administrator, Anthem, you can access WINFertility benefits. It includes familybuilding benefits for adoption and surrogacy assistance as well as fertility benefits.

For more information, visit managed. winfertility.com/universityofky/

#### Being away from work

UK offers staff employees two weeks of paid parental leave. This parental leave can be taken up to six months after the birth or adoption of a child. Family and Medical Leave protects your job for up to 12 weeks while you're away for a birth or adoption (or other medical needs). Our HR Leave Administration team recommends you submit your Family Medical Leave application between weeks 20 and 30 of your pregnancy.

Family Medical Leave is unpaid job protection while you're away. But, if you have paid time off available, you will use it during this time. UK allows staff to take up to 12 weeks of paid time off. This can include any accrued vacation or sick time.

Faculty have a separate policy for time off for birth or adoption.

## Short-term disability insurance can pay part of your salary

This type of insurance will begin paying 70 percent of your salary or \$6,000 per month, whichever is less, after either 14 or 30 days away from work, depending on which type of plan you choose. If you've had a salary increase, you may want to consider increasing your benefit.

#### Help for your emotional well-being

Emotional well-being resources are available through our health insurance administrator, Anthem, to help you build resiliency, manage stress, improve your mood and even sleep better. Individualized support is available online or over the phone. Learn more at **hr.uky.edu/mental-health.** 

Anthem also offers a program called Future Moms (it supports future dads too). The program aims to help you have healthier pregnancies and longer-term babies. Through individualized nurse interventions, expectant members learn about prenatal care, the prevention of pre-term labor and how to best follow their physician's plan of care.

#### Additional support

The Little Cats guide from our HR Work-Life team offers information on preparing for your time away from work, help with finding child care and information on the child care centers near UK, the programs in place to support you and your family, understanding Family Medical Leave, and answers to the most frequently asked questions.

That and more help for new and expectant parents is available at **hr.uky.edu/new-parents-checklist.** 

### **VOLUNTARY INSURANCE PLANS**

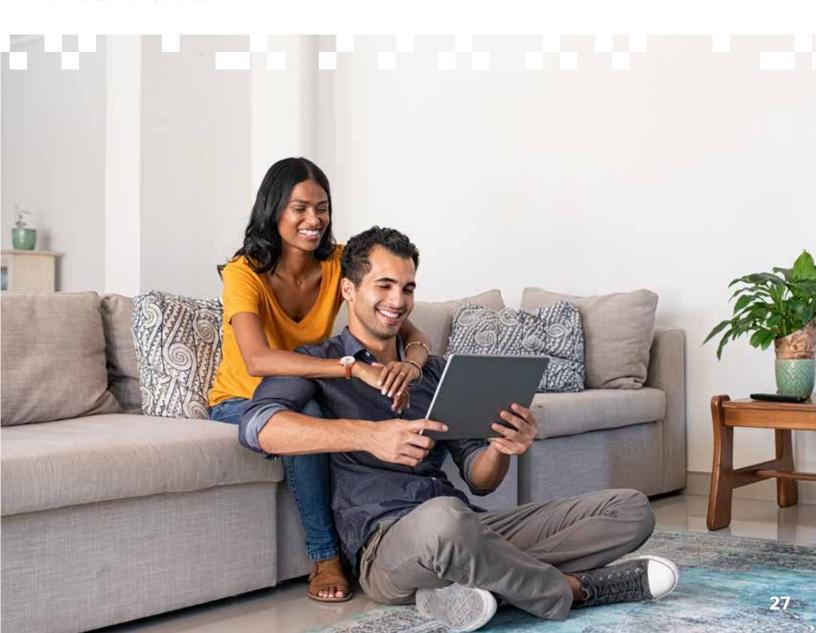
Have you thought about enrolling in additional insurance to cover costs beyond our standard health insurance?

You can sign up for any of these insurance plans through our vendor, The MPM Group:

- Short-term disability insurance
- Cancer insurance
- Universal life insurance

- Long-term disability insurance
- Critical illness insurance
- Accident insurance

In addition to the information in this booklet, you can learn more about these voluntary insurance plans by visiting **www.thempmgroupllc.com.** 



## LIFE INSURANCE

All employees in a regular position with an assignment of 0.75 FTE or greater automatically receive life insurance coverage equal to one times your salary at no cost. If your salary is more than \$50,000, you will pay tax on the premiums UK pays toward the cost of any amount higher than \$50,000. You may lower your coverage level to \$50,000 to avoid any additional taxes. (Note: For employees hired on or after July 1, 2017, life insurance is reduced to 65 percent upon turning 65 and to 50 percent upon turning 70.)

Employees may also purchase optional life insurance, up to eight times their annual salary. The need for life insurance varies greatly depending on your situation. New hires can enroll in up to five times their salary, or \$500,000, without having to provide medical evidence of insurability. Any request above this amount will require completion of medical evidence of insurability questions.

These questions may help you decide how much additional life insurance you should purchase:

- How much would my family need to pay for outstanding debt?
- How many years of my income do I need to replace?
- How much annual income will my survivors need?
- Do I have children who may go to college?
- Are there any one-time expenses I want to fund (wedding, home repairs, etc.)?
- How much money do I have available in investments outside of retirement accounts?

Prudential is the administrator for our life insurance plans.

For more information about life insurance, visit **hr.uky.edu/life-insurance.** 

#### **RATES**

Your age	Monthly cost per \$1,000 of coverage
Up to age 34	5 cents
35-39	8 cents
40-44	9 cents
45-49	13 cents
50-54	22 cents
55-59	37 cents
60-64	60 cents
65-69	\$1.11
70+	\$1.93

## LIFE INSURANCE

In addition to life insurance for yourself, you may also purchase life insurance for children and a spouse or sponsored dependent. New hires can enroll in maximum allowances without providing medical evidence of insurability for dependents.

Coverage	Monthly cost for \$10,000	Monthly cost for \$15,000	Monthly cost for \$20,000	Monthly cost for \$25,000	Monthly cost for \$30,000
Spouse/sponsored dependent	\$1.72	\$2.58	\$3.44	\$4.30	\$5.16
Child	\$1.32	\$1.98	\$2.64	\$3.30	\$3.96

## **ACCIDENTAL DEATH** AND DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

Accidental death and dismemberment insurance provides a benefit to you or your beneficiary if you are seriously injured or die in an accident.

If you purchase coverage for yourself plus children, your children's benefit will be 15 percent of your coverage amount, up to \$15,000. For employee + spouse/sponsored dependent coverage, your spouse/sponsored dependent benefit will be 50 percent of your coverage amount. On the employee + family plan, your spouse or sponsored dependent benefit is 50 percent and the child benefit is 10 percent. You can purchase from \$10,000 to \$1,000,000 in \$5,000 increments

#### **RATES**

Coverage	Monthly cost per \$10,000 of coverage
Employee only	17 cents
Employee + children	25 cents
Employee + spouse/sponsored dependent	25 cents
Employee + family	25 cents

## OTHER VOLUNTARY BENEFITS

#### Accident insurance

This plan is designed to help take care of unexpected bills related to injury accidents (even sports-related) that occur every day. Accident insurance provides benefits for initial care, injuries and follow-up care that are a result of a covered accident. These benefits are not offset by health insurance benefits, and all payments are paid directly to you. A \$100/year health screening benefit is also included. Policies are issued by Trustmark Insurance Company and are portable.

#### Cancer/disease specified insurance

Regular full-time or regular half-time employees are eligible for cancer/disease specified insurance. On-call pool nurses with benefits-purchase eligibility may also enroll in this voluntary benefit, which is offered through American Heritage Life Insurance Company.

This plan is designed to help offset the indirect expenses associated with cancer or the other 29 specified diseases covered. The plan pays benefits directly to the person covered. A \$100/ year wellness benefit is also included. Premiums are paid on a pre-tax basis from your paycheck. Coverage is portable upon leaving the University.

#### Short-term disability insurance

Regular full-time or regular half-time employees are eligible. On-call pool nurses with benefits-purchase eligibility may also enroll in this voluntary benefit.

The short-term disability plan has two options. The first option pays benefits after you have been away from work for 14 days due to illness, injury or pregnancy. The second option pays benefits after you have been away from work for 30 days due to illness, injury or pregnancy. Both plans

pay benefits for up to six months. You select the amount of your monthly short-term disability benefit at enrollment. The monthly benefit you select can be no more than 70% (up to \$6,000 per month) of your monthly earnings. You should update your coverage amount each year during Open Enrollment. Premiums are deducted on a pre-tax basis, and coverage is portable.

#### **Critical illness insurance**

This plan provides a lump sum benefit (\$5,000 to \$50,000) to help pay deductibles, coinsurance and living expenses when someone experiences a severe critical illness like a heart attack, stroke, major organ transplant and others. Coverage is available for spouses too. These benefits are not offset by health insurance benefits, and all payments are paid directly to the insured. A \$100 per year health screening benefit is also included. Premiums are deducted on a pre-tax basis.

#### Universal life insurance

Regular employees with an assignment of 50 percent or more (0.5 FTE) are eligible. On-call pool nurses with benefits-purchase eligibility may also enroll in this voluntary benefit. This permanent type of life insurance is designed to be there for you in your retirement years. You may also purchase separate policies for your spouse/sponsored dependent and your children whether or not you elect coverage for yourself. The voluntary benefit is offered through American Heritage Life Insurance Company.

Universal life insurance offers these benefits:

 Portability: If you leave the University or retire, you may take your universal life insurance coverage with you.

## OTHER VOLUNTARY BENEFITS

- Cash value: In addition to life insurance protection, universal life offers a cash value account. When you pay your premium, a portion of it goes to the cash value account and grows tax deferred.
- Simplified underwriting: Coverage is easier to obtain due to fewer health questions.
- Accelerated benefits: If you or a covered dependent become terminally ill, a percentage of the death benefit may be received immediately.

#### Auto/home insurance

This voluntary benefit is offered for eligible employees with a minimum 20 percent assignment (.2 FTE) and to retirees through Farmers Auto and Home and allows you to take advantage of special group rates, policy discounts and convenient payment options such as payroll deduction. Other payment options are available. Premium payments are spread over the policy term with no interest charges or service fees. You may enroll in this voluntary benefit anytime. Employees and retirees also may apply to receive insurance coverage for renter's property, landlord's rental dwelling, recreational vehicle, boat and personal excess liability (umbrella). Employees and retirees should compare coverage available through Farmer's to other options in the marketplace to determine what coverage and insurance provider best meets their individual needs.

#### MetLaw

This popular and cost-effective legal services benefit from MetLife allows employees to enroll and gain access to 14,000 experienced attorneys nationwide, and more than 200 in Kentucky. At a cost of \$16.50 per month per employee, or \$22.50 per month for a family, these experts can provide legal advice and representation on a wide variety of legal matters, including wills and trusts, review of contracts, financial matters, traffic and vehicle matters, and many others.

#### **Pet Insurance**

You are eligible for this program if you have an active assignment. This voluntary benefit is offered through Nationwide. Pet owners may visit any licensed veterinarian, veterinary specialist or animal hospital in the world for treatment of many medical problems. Rates are based on the age, species of the pet and the plan type selected.

#### Contact

For more information on accident insurance, long-term disability buy-up, universal life, short-term disability or cancer/specified disease insurance, you may contact The MPM Group, LLC at (859) 223-4973, or visit www.thempmgroupllc.com.

For more information on pet insurance, go to **benefits.petinsurance.com/uky** or call **877-738-7874.** For more information on Farmer's auto and home insurance, call **833-833-4110.** 

## **MORE BENEFITS** AND WELL-BEING

UK employees can take advantage of a wide variety of benefits that extend well beyond the insurance plans in this book. The University recognizes the need to support employees through each stage of life, from the time they begin working at UK, through major life events, through the development of their careers, continuing into their retirement.

Additional information on all these options is available at **hr.uky.edu/benefits.** But here is a quick overview of the many ways we can help support your health and well-being.



**Flexible scheduling:** Find out how a work schedule other than the standard 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. shift might help support work-life balance while still completing the necessary work.

**Reduced seasonal hours:** For departments who find some parts of the year busier than others, reduced seasonal hours offer flexibility for employees and potential savings for departments.



#### **SAVE**

Paid leave and holidays: UK offers a generous schedule of paid holidays as well as paid vacation and sick leave. Paid parental leave and paid elder care leave

Retirement benefits: All employees age 25 and older are automatically enrolled in UK's 403(b) retirement plan. Employees contribute 5 percent of their gross salary, and UK contributes an additional 10 percent. It's among the most generous retirement benefits available in the region.

**Financial counseling:** Talk with a financial expert with our partners at Enrich.

**Employee discount program:** Dozens of businesses offer discounts to UK employees.

**Employer-Assisted Housing Program:** UK will provide up to \$15,000 in forgivable loans toward the purchase of a home near UK's campus.

**Retirement guidance:** CAPTRUST is an independent advisory firm that provides investment advice to UK's retirement plan participants.



**Nutrition consults:** Our registered dietitians will help you develop a plan to meet your nutrition goals.

**Weight loss program:** WondrHealth (formerly Naturally Slim) is a free and popular online program you can do anytime, anywhere on your device during each spring, summer or fall session.

**EatWell:** EatWell membership provides a unique approach that accommodates a range of nutrition-related needs, including weight management, chronic disease prevention and management, and qualify of life.

#### **Community Supported Agriculture voucher:**

A limited number of vouchers are available each year to provide up to \$200 toward the purchase of a community supported agriculture share, which allows you to receive fresh produce from local farms throughout the growing season.



MoveWell employee gym: Go to one or both locations, Seaton Center or 1020 Export Street. At either location, you'll enjoy a variety of options for your workout including cardio equipment, strength training circuits, and free weights. Plus, benefit from on-site staff expertise!

**Physical activity challenges:** Earn prizes by tracking your activity – and, along the way, exploring your own motivation to move.

**Exercise consults:** Interested in becoming more physically active, but need a few pointers on getting started in a way that works for you? We can help!



## **MORE BENEFITS** AND WELL-BEING



**Counseling:** Our Work+Life Connections counseling is a voluntary, confidential benefit that covers five sessions with our licensed

therapists.

**Well-being consults:** Ready for a change but not quite sure what that looks like yet? Gain the clarity you need to create an inspiring path forward.

**Coaching:** Discover how to build a foundation for being you, at your best. Increase your capacity for well-being through ongoing support from a health coach.

#### **Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction:**

Practice ways to manage stress-related chronic conditions, relax your body, open your heart, prevent burnout and more.

**Practice group:** Gain an understanding of several research-based techniques and tools to help you thrive. Plus, develop a personal plan for putting these tips into practice.





**Elder care:** We're here to support you and help you save time as you navigate your way through issues involved in caring for an elderly loved one.

**Big Blue Family Care:** This is a network of current UK students who offer occasional caregiving (i.e. child care, pet care) to families of UK faculty and staff. Each student caregiver has passed a UK employee background check.

**Little Cats guide**: Check out our HR website for a complete guide to planning for a new child, from understanding family medical leave to finding child care, plus other checklists and to do's.

**Lactation support:** UK has breastfeeding and lactation support guidelines in place to support mothers in the workplace.



**Pet insurance:** Nationwide offers veterinary pet insurance, which covers preventive care and treatment of many medical problems.

**Tuition assistance programs:** UK employees and their families are eligible to have qualifying tuition waived or discounted.

**Professional development:** Available classes range from technology and software training to UK business procedures training, and from leadership academies to communication and problem-solving training.



#### **RECOVER**

**Call a pharmacist:** UK is a founding member of the Know Your Rx Coalition (KYRx), which has pharmacists on staff to help you find money-saving alternatives to your current medications and answer any prescription-related questions.

#### **Cancer and specified disease insurance:**

This plan is designed to help offset the indirect expenses associated with cancer or 29 other diseases that are covered.

**Short-term disability insurance:** This optional insurance is helpful while you build a bank of paid temporary disability leave (TDL) as an employee to cover you in the case of a short-term absence. The plan will pay benefits for up to six months while you cannot work due to illness, injury or pregnancy.

**Organ donor paid leave:** This policy allows donors to receive 30 days of paid leave for an organ donation and five days of paid leave for bone marrow donation.



#### Questions? Contact the appropriate provider listed below.

Benefit	Phone	Web	Email
Health			
UK-HMO	1-800-955-8547	www.mc.uky.edu/ukhmo	ukhmo@uky.edu
UK-RHP, UK-PPO, UK-EPO, UK Health Saver, UK Indemnity	1-855-634-3383	www.anthem.com	
Employee Benefits Advocate	859-257-2124		benefits@email.uky.edu
Pharmacy Express Scripts	1-877-242-1864 (for hearing impaired 1-800-899-2114)	www.express-scripts.com	
Know Your Rx Pharm-Assist (formerly Help with Your Medicine and Copay Counseling)	859-218-5979 or 1-855-218-5979	hr.uky.edu/kyrx	kyrx@uky.edu
<b>Dental and Vision Insurance</b> UK Dental	859-323-8566	dentistry.uky.edu/patient-care/plan	
Delta Dental	1-800-955-2030	www.deltadentalky.com	
EyeMed Vision Care	1-866-723-0596	www.eyemedvisioncare.com	
Flexible Benefits Spending Account Programs Medical Care Spending Account Dependent Care Spending Account (Administered by ASIFlex)	1-800-659-3035	www.asiflex.com	
Retirement Plan TIAA (to schedule a meeting) TIAA (for telephone counseling)	859-224-6900 1-800-842-2776	www.tiaa.org	
Fidelity Investments (general) Fidelity Investments (to schedule a meeting)	1-800-343-0860 1-800-642-7131	www.fidelity.com	
CAPTRUST Financial Wellness and Advice	1-800-967-9948	www.captrustadvice.com	
Voluntary Benefits Cancer/Specified Disease, Critical Illness, Accident Insurance, Long-Term Care Insurance, Universal Life Insurance, Voluntary Short-Term Disability, Supplemental Long-Term Disability, MetLaw (Administered by The MPM Group, LLC)	859-223-4973 or 1-888-388-1676	www.thempmgroupllc.com	mpmgroup@msn.com
Home and auto insurance (Administered by Farmer's) Pet insurance (Administered by Nationwide)	auto: 833-833-4110 pet: 877-738-7874	benefits.petinsurance.com/uky	
Other Benefits/Resources Employee Education Program (EEP), Family Education Program (FEP)	859-257-9519, option 3	hr.uky.edu/tuition	benefits@email.uky.edu
Elder Care	859-323-4600 or 1-800 873-8532	hr.uky.edu/eldercare	terri.weber@uky.edu
Health & Wellness Program	859-257-9355	hr.uky.edu/wellness	healthandwellness@email.uky.edu
Training & Development	859-257-9623	hr.uky.edu/training	
Employee Discount Program		hr.uky.edu/edp	
Mental health therapists	859-257-9433	hr.uky.edu/mental-health	

Have a general question? Contact UK Employee Benefits: Email us at benefits@email.uky.edu. Reach us by phone at 859-257-9519, select option 3. Send faxes to 859-323-1095.

