

Group Disability Claim Filing Instructions

(Not for use when filing for Physician's Expense Benefits)

Disability Claim form is to be completed after you become disabled.

1. Complete Employee's Disability Benefits Application in full.
2. Have the treating physician complete the Attending Physician's Statement and return to you.
3. Have your Employer complete the Employer's Report of Claim.
4. Submit the completed:
 - A. Employee's Disability Benefits Application
 - B. Employer's Report of Claim
 - C. Attending Physician's Statementto the address below or submit via our toll-free fax @ 1-800-818-3453
5. Please complete if you desire benefits deposited directly into your bank account.

I authorize AFAC to initiate credit entries to my account at the depository named below. This authorization is to remain in force and effect until AFAC receives written notification from me of its termination in such time and in such manner as to afford AFAC and the Depository opportunity to act on it. This authorization applies to benefits payable under all insurance policies held with AFAC.

Signature: _____

NOTE: You must attach a voided check to begin direct deposit.

All portions of this form package must be completed to avoid undue delay in processing claimant's request for benefits. If you have any questions regarding completion of this form please call:

Toll Free: 1-800-662-1113

Local: 405-523-5025

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Warning: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive an insurer files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information may be guilty of insurance fraud and subject to criminal and civil penalties.

California - For your protection, California law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

AR, DC, LA, MD, NJ, NM, TX, and WV - 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.

DE, ID, IN, MN, OH, and OK - **WARNING:** Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

Colorado - It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies.

New Hampshire - Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20.

Kentucky - Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

Oregon - Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud or solicit another to defraud an insurer: (1) by submitting an application, or (2) by filing a claim containing a false statement as to any material fact, may be guilty of insurance fraud.

Pennsylvania - Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

Arizona - For your protection, Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

Florida - Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.



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EMPLOYEE'S DISABILITY BENEFITS APPLICATION

See front page for fraud warnings.

Full Name: (last, first, middle initial)		Maiden Name	Account Number:		
Residence: (street, city, state and zip code)			Social Security Number:		
Mailing Address: (P.O. Box or street, city and zip code)			Date of Birth: / /		
Telephone Number: (including area code)		<input type="checkbox"/> Single	<input type="checkbox"/> Married	<input type="checkbox"/> Widowed	<input type="checkbox"/> Divorced
Occupation:		Has your employment terminated?		If so, date:	
Names & birth dates of spouse & dependents:		Name	Birth date	Name	Birth date
		Name	Birth date	Name	Birth date
1. Date accident or illness began:		2. If accident, explain where and how it happened?			
3. Have you ever had the same or similar condition in the past? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If so, when? _____ If yes, names and address of treating physicians and/or hospitals: _____					
4. Nature of illness or injury:			5. Dates of medical treatment: Date of next doctor's appointment:		
6. If hospitalized give full name(s) and addresses of hospitals: (attach additional list if necessary)			Admit Date: / / Discharge Date: / /		
7. Full names and addresses of all treating physicians: (attach additional list if necessary)			8. Is your disability related to your employment/occupation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, have you or do you intend to file for Worker's Compensation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
9. On what date did you last work? _____		Dates of total disability: From _____		Thru _____	
On what date did you return to work? _____		Part Time _____		Full Time _____	
10. If your request for benefits is approved, do you want us to withhold Federal Taxes from each benefit check? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, amount: \$ _____ (indicate amount per month \$86.00 minimum)					
11. Identify other income sources and amount of income for which you are receiving or may be entitled to receive during this disability					
Your Social Security: (disability or retirement) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.		V.A. Benefits: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.			
Dependent Social Security: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.		Worker's Compensation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.			
Sick Leave or Wage Continuation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.		Other Disability Coverage: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.			
Retirement: (normal early or disability) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.		(identify) _____			
State Disability Income <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.		Include a copy of your award or denial letter for any source in which one has been received.			
Unemployment <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No \$ _____ Mo.					
Signature: _____			Date: _____		
I certify this information is true and correct.					
AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION					
I hereby authorize the entities specified below to disclose any information about my entire medical record, benefits payable, or benefit eligibility for this disability and history of treatment for physical and/or emotional illness to include psychological testing, except psychotherapy notes, to individuals representing American Fidelity Assurance Company (AFAC) who are involved in determining whether I am eligible for benefits under my insurance coverage. Those so authorized are: a) licensed physicians or medical practitioners; b) hospitals, clinics or medically-related facilities; c) health plans; d) Veteran's Administration; e) past or present employers; f) pharmacy; g) insurance companies; h) the Social Security Administration; i) retirement systems; j) Department of Motor Vehicles; and k) Workers' Compensation Carrier.					
NOTICE: Information authorized for release may include information on communicable or venereal diseases such as hepatitis, syphilis, gonorrhea, HIV/AIDS (Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome) or other conditions for which you may have been treated. This authorization excludes disclosure of the result of a test for HIV if you have tested HIV positive but have not developed symptoms of the disease AIDS. Such test results shall not be discovered or published. Nothing in this caveat will prohibit this authorization from including the fact that you have AIDS.					
I understand that I may refuse to sign this authorization; however, if I do not sign the authorization, my failure to sign the authorization may result in a denial or a delay of benefits.					
I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by writing to AFES Benefits Department, PO Box 25160, Oklahoma City, OK 73125-0160 or by calling, toll-free, 1-800-662-1113.					
I understand that my right to revoke this authorization is limited to the extent that: AFAC has taken action in reliance on the authorization; or, the law provides AFAC with the right to contest my insurance coverage or a claim under my insurance coverage. A copy of this authorization will be as valid as the original.					
I understand that if protected health information is disclosed to a person or organization that is not required to comply with federal privacy regulations, the information may be redisclosed and no longer protected by the federal privacy regulations.					
For health insurance coverage this authorization will expire twenty-four months from the date it is signed or upon termination of my insurance policy, whichever occurs first. For insurance coverage other than health insurance, this authorization will expire twenty-four months from the date it is signed or upon expiration of my claim for benefits, whichever occurs first.					
Signature (Patient) or Personal Representative (if applicable) _____			Printed Name (Patient) _____		
Relationship of Personal Representative to Patient _____			Date _____		
If authorization is supplied by a personal representative a description of the authority to act on behalf of the Insured must be included.					
Please retain a copy for your personal records, or you may request a copy from our company.					



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EMPLOYER'S REPORT OF CLAIM

EMPLOYMENT	Name of Employer: _____	Phone No.: _____ ()
	Mailing Address: (include street, city, state and zip code) _____	Fax No.: _____ ()
	Name of Employee: _____	Social Security Number: _____
	Address: (include street, city, state and zip code) _____	Phone No.: _____ ()
	Date of Hire: _____ Effective date of employee's coverage: _____	Occupation: (please attach job description) _____
	Status of employment at time employee last worked: <input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Leave of Absence <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Retired Number of hours worked per week at time of leave: _____ In-house days: Number of contract days: _____ for _____ school year. First Day _____ Last Day _____ Has employee's status of employment changed? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, current status and date of status-change? _____	
PREMIUMS	Does employee participate in Social Security? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, hired after 4/1/86? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Please furnish the percentage of the employee's AFA disability premium you pay: Short Term _____ %	
	Are the AFA disability premiums withheld before or after taxes? Long Term _____ % Short Term Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Before <input type="checkbox"/> After Long Term Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Before <input type="checkbox"/> After	
SALARY	CONTRACTED SALARY AT TIME OF DISABILITY	
	Annual: \$ _____ Effective Date: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 Month Work Schedule <input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 Month Pay Schedule	
DISABILITY	Date employee last worked: _____	
	Has employee returned to work? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	If Yes, date returned to work: _____ Full Time: _____ Part Time: _____	
OTHER INCOME	Did Employee's disability result from employment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	If yes, name, address and phone number of Worker's Compensation carrier: _____	
	Has employee made a claim for or is entitled to Worker's Compensation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	If yes, weekly rate of compensation: \$ _____	
	Provide: The final date the employee is entitled to fully paid sick leave _____	
	Is this employee eligible to receive any other form of wage continuation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If so, please advise the amount and the final date the employee is entitled to receive this pay. _____	
	The first date the employee is entitled to differential/sabbatical pay, if any _____ The last date the employee is entitled to differential/sabbatical pay _____ The daily rate of differential/sabbatical pay \$ _____	
Name, address and phone number of any other disability carrier: (include street, city, state and zip code) _____		
Is employee eligible for disability retirement benefits? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Remember - To attach a copy of the applicable school calendar for any contracted employee. FAILURE TO DO SO COULD RESULT IN DELAYED BENEFITS		
I hereby certify that the above named employee is a member of our Group Disability Program. The information stated above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.		
Authorized signature of employer firm or authorized official: _____		
Title: _____	Date: _____	
E-mail Address: _____	Extension: _____	



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ATTENDING PHYSICIAN'S STATEMENT

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Name of Patient:		Date of Birth:	Social Security Number:	Account Number:
D I A G N O S I S	Diagnosis: (including complications)			ICDA Code:
	Is disability due to injury or sickness arising out of or in the course of patient's employment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
	Is disability the result of pregnancy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, type of delivery: _____			
Date pregnancy was diagnosed? ____/____/____ Date of delivery:(if delivered) ____/____/____ Expected date of delivery? ____/____/____				
H I S T O R Y	When did symptoms first appear or accident happen?		Date patient first consulted you for this condition?	
	____/____/____		____/____/____	
	Has the patient ever had the same or similar condition? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, indicate when and describe:			
Was the patient referred to you? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, full name and address of referring physician:				
T R E A T M E N T	Frequency of treatment: <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
	Date of next appointment : ____/____/____			
	Nature of treatment being rendered (including surgery and any medications being prescribed)			
	List all dates of treatment or medical attention since the disability began:			
	Is patient still under your regular care for this condition? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, please explain and provide name of the current treating physician:			
	Has the patient been confined to a hospital? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Admitted: ____/____/____ Discharged: ____/____/____			
If yes, give admit and discharge dates along with name and address of hospital. Admitted: ____/____/____ Discharged: ____/____/____				
Name: _____ Address: _____				
P R O G N O S I S	Dates of total disability: (unable to work) From: _____ Through: _____			
	Disabled from: Patient's Job <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Any other work <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
	Dates of partial disability? From: _____ Through: _____			
	If the patient is currently disabled, what is the anticipated length of disability?			
<input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 Months <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Months <input type="checkbox"/> 3-6 Months <input type="checkbox"/> 6-12 Months <input type="checkbox"/> More than 12 Months <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent				
When, in your opinion, will the patient recover sufficiently to return to work?				
I M P A I R M E N T S	Functional Limitations that render your patient totally disabled:			
	Current Treatment Plan:			
Attending Physician's Name: (print)		Specialty:	Telephone #:	Fax #:
Street Address:		City:	State:	Zip Code:
Signature:		Federal Tax ID #:	Date:	
Email address:				