

# **Stop Loss Insurance**

Risk Management Solutions to Protect Your Business

Prepared for: City of Ann Arbor

Effective Date: 1/1/2023

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Administrator: Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan

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#### **SPECIFIC STOP LOSS COVERAGE**

Covered Expenses:	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Option 5	Option 6
	Medical Rx	Medical Rx				
Specific Deductible per Person	\$350,000	\$375,000	\$400,000	\$350,000	\$375,000	\$400,000
Aggregating Specific Deductible:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$165,000	<mark>\$155,000</mark>	<b>\$145,000</b>
Benefit Period:	PAID	PAID	PAID	PAID	PAID	PAID
Lifetime Maximum:	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
Single: 635 COBRA Family: 995 Retirees Comp: 1630 Monthly Premium: Annual Premium: Commissions: Terminal Liability Option: Family Specific Deductible:	0 \$18.96	\$17.74	\$16.73	\$15.16	\$14.14	\$13.35
	0 \$56.91	\$52.80	\$49.42	\$45.51	\$42.11	\$39.43
	\$42.12	\$39.14	\$36.69	\$33.69	\$31.22	\$29.27
	\$68,663	\$63,805	\$59,799	\$54,913	\$50,889	\$47,716
	\$823,957	\$765,663	\$717,589	\$658,957	\$610,663	\$572,589
	3.50%	3.50%	3.50%	3.50%	3.50%	3.50%
	No	No	No	No	No	No

Proposal No:

**Expiration Date:** 

185243

11/30/2022

Estimated Maximum Cost: \$823,957 \$765,663 \$717,589 \$658,957 \$610,663 \$572,589

#### **Proposal Acceptance**

Please acknowledge acceptance of the terms in this proposal by signing and returning by proposal expiration date or effective date, whichever is sooner. No signed proposal will be accepted after the effective date unless otherwise agreed by mutual agreement. Failure to remit the signed application and/or disclosure by the expiration date of this proposal will result in updated large claim data being required for our review. Please indicate which option is selected and whether aggregate is to be included.

Option Selected:	4			
Specific coverage ty	pe selected:			
Composite:	Single/F	amily:		
Are you also purcha	sing aggregate co	verage (N	OTE - if selecting aggregate coverage, the aggrega	ate premium rate will be composite):
Yes, Composite aggr	egate factors :		Yes, Single/Family aggregate factors:	No Aggregate Coverage:
Signature:	Please see be	low.	D:	ate:
FOR THE CITY OF	ANN ARBOR		Approved as to so	ubstance:
By Christopher Ta	aylor, Mayor		By Milton Dohone	ey Jr., City Administrator
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By Jacqueline Be	audry, City Clerk		By	ity Attorney

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#### SUMMARY OF PLAN LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

BCS will follow the group's Plan Document subject to the BCS stop loss policy exclusions and requirements.

BCS will follow all state mandates that pertain to stop loss policies.

In most claim situations, BCS will agree with the standard third party reporting package as the basis for claim reimbursements however there may be claim submissions that will require additional information and that additional information may vary depending on the claim submission.

If the enrollment changes by 15% or more prior to the policy effective date, BCS has the right to re-rate, laser, and/or rescind this proposal.

This proposal is being provided to you in reliance upon the accuracy and completeness of the experience data provided to BCS by you, or on your behalf, when this proposal was requested. We may modify or withdraw this proposal, or declare the policy null and void, based upon incorrect, false or misleading information provided to us.

For firm quotes, this proposal expires on the Expiration Date or the Proposal Effective Date whichever is sooner. However, this proposal expires immediately on the date you file a voluntary petition, or an involuntary petition is filed against you, that commences a Federal bankruptcy proceeding, or the date you become insolvent or unable to meet your debts as they become due.

BCS reserves the right to modify or withdraw this proposal upon receipt of material information from whatever source.

Reinstating Attachment Point (incurred date) definition: A claim is considered to be incurred on the date that a service is rendered or a supply is delivered. In the case of a hospital claim, each day of a hospital stay is considered a separate incurred date.

We recommend that the group maintain in-force coverage until written acceptance of replacement coverage is provided by us.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES**

The Specific Deductible is per covered person per policy period.

If aggregate is included in this proposal, Claims up to the Specific Stop Loss deductible will be applied toward Aggregate Stop Loss coverage and the Monthly Aggregate Factor equals the Expected Losses adjusted by the corridor percentage.

PBM rebates paid to the plan will not be reimbursable under the aggregate.

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#### **ADDITIONAL NOTES**

The rates and factors in this proposal are firm. A signed proposal acceptance must be received by the expiration date of this proposal. For new business quotes, a completed application and disclosure are required and BCS retains the right to re-underwrite the terms of this proposed policy and laser or exclude individuals from coverage based upon the new information received in the disclosure.

The network is BC and/or BS network.

The claims administrator is BCBS of Michigan.

PBM is Express Scripts.

Retirees are covered under stop loss. Both retirees under age 65 are covered and retirees age 65 and over are covered. Retirees age 65 and over must be Medicare primary except for Public Safety Grandfathered members and those over age 65 without Medicare Part A and/or Part B, grandfathered by the City as approved by BCBS of Michigan.

NNL Option: At the renewal on 1/1/2024, no new claimants will be lasered and specific rates will increase no more than 50% assuming the same contract type and specific deductibles.

An Experience Refund option is included however this stop loss coverage must continue for a subsequent policy period and be in force at the time of the refund. BCS will then pay the policyholder 25% of the net positive profits but not to exceed 15% of the Specific Stop Loss Premiums not including broker commissions.

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# **BCS Stop Loss Insurance Program**

### Complete array of coverage options for your business

The stop loss delivery system, while offering protection against catastrophic or unpredictable losses, is often a complex multi-layered process involving insurance companies, third-party administrators, brokers, and customers. The BCS Stop Loss Program offers employers the following options:

Specific and aggregate coverage to both large and small self-funded groups

Specific coverage can include medical-only or medical with Rx Aggregate coverage can include medical-only or a combination of medical with Rx, dental, and vision

Multiple stop loss reinsurance arrangements Accumulation periods from 24/12 to 12/24 (and everything in-between)

Optional claim management services through our BCS Risk Navigator program powered by Blue Health Intelligence data



In this example, an 11.5% annual trend in first dollar claims leverages into a 19.2% trend in Stop Loss claim cost.

#### The BCS Advantage

#### The Power of Blue

Owned by all primary Blue Cross and Blue Shield licensees

70+ Years
Service to Blue Plans

#### 20+ Years

Experience writing stop loss coverage with a half billion dollars in total written premium to date



Licensed in all 50 states

6 Million Lives covered

#### \$691M

Gross Written Premium

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Rated A (Excellent) by A.M. Best



# Agreement to do business with BCS Insurance Company ("BCS") if you accept this proposal

#### Electronic record and signature disclosure

Please review this notice carefully to confirm that you wish to accept electronic delivery of policy documents, other notices and disclosures which we may be required by law to provide to you from time to time. If you agree to receive and access these materials electronically, your signature on this document or other acceptance will confirm agreement. If you do not wish to receive electronic delivery please note this above the signature line where you sign your name.

#### Getting paper copies

At any time, you may request a paper copy of any record provided or made available electronically. You will also have the ability to download and print electronic documents we send to you. If you wish for us to send you paper copies of documents you will not be charged for copies.

#### Withdrawing your consent

If you decide to receive notices and disclosures from us electronically, you may at any time tell us that you want to receive future required notices and disclosures in paper format. If you elect to change to paper delivery, please contact us at toll free 1-800-621-9215, email us at uquotes@bcsf.com or write to us at 2 Mid America Plaza, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181. Please be advised that electing paper delivery will slow the speed with which we can complete certain transactions and notify you of certain other information. In addition, you will no longer be able to use the BCS system to receive required notices and consents electronically from us or to sign electronically documents from us.

#### All notices and disclosures will be sent to you electronically

Unless you tell us otherwise using the process described above, we will provide electronically all required notices, disclosures, authorizations, acknowledgments, and other documents that are required to be provided or made available to you.

#### How to contact BCS

You may contact us to let us know your changes as to how we may contact you.



Frequency and severity of high-cost claims are rising, reinforcing the role Stop Loss insurance plays in a self-funded employer's risk management strategy.

## Top 10 High Cost Diagnosis\*

Diagnosis Category	Total Claims Dollars (in billions)	Frequency Rate Per 100,000 Members	0	erage Severity f Each Claim (in millions)	S	lighest Cost ingle Claim Amount in millions)
Other Diseases of Lung	\$ 4.7	1.4	\$	0.8	\$	8.4
Encounter for Other and Unspecified Procedures and Aftercare	\$ 2.9	1.0	\$	0.7	\$	5.6
Other Respiratory Conditions of Fetus and Newborn	\$ 2.5	0.6	\$	0.9	\$	9.6
Coagulation Defects	\$ 2.1	0.5	\$	1.0	\$	11.6
Disorders of Fluid Electrolyte and Acid-Base Balance	\$ 2.0	0.6	\$	0.8	\$	3.9
Myeloid Leukemia	\$ 1.8	0.6	\$	0.8	\$	7.4
Lymphoid Leukemia	\$ 1.7	0.5	\$	0.9	\$	9.2
Other and Unspecified Disorders of Metabolism	\$ 1.5	0.4	\$	0.8	\$	4.9
Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)	\$ 1.4	0.5	\$	0.7	\$	4.4
Disorders Relating to Short Gestation and Unspecified Low Birthweight	\$ 1.4	0.4	\$	0.8	\$	4.3
Top 10 Total	\$ 22.0	6.5	\$	0.8	\$	11.6
Total All Large Claims	\$ 54.7	16.7	\$	0.8	\$	17.9

Large claims defined as total ground up paid dollars for claims over \$500K per member per year. Approximately \$55 billion dollars in large claims ground up costs. These top 10 diagnosis comprise about 40% of all large claims ground up costs.



#### Top 10 Most Expensive Claims\*

Diagnosis Category	Year Incurred	lotal Paid Claims (in millions)		
Diseases of White Blood Cells	2015	\$ 17.9		
Coagulation Defects	2015	\$ 11.6		
Other Respiratory Conditions of Fetus and Newborn	2017	\$ 9.6		
Chronic Ulcer of Skin	2015	\$ 9.2		
Lymphoid Leukemia	2020	\$ 9.2		
Other Congenital Anomalies of Heart	2020	\$ 8.8		
Other Disorders of Soft Tissues	2013	\$ 8.7		
Coagulation Defects	2013	\$ 8.6		
Diseases of White Blood Cells	2019	\$ 8.5		
Other Diseases of Lung	2016	\$ 8.4		

Claims as shown = one year time period. Single large claims may span several years, potentially exceeding \$10M in paid claims.