# HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY HARTFORD LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY



# APPLICATION FOR SHORT TERM DISABILITY INCOME BENEFITS

This application package is divided into four sections, as follows:

Section I Employer's Statement - to be completed by the employer's authorized representative.

- Section II Employee's Statement to be completed by the employee who is applying for Short Term Disability Benefits
- Section III Authorization to Obtain Information to be signed by the employee.
- **Section IV** Attending Physician's Statement to be completed by the Healthcare Provider who is treating the employee.

Fax completed application to:

The Hartford P.O.Box 14301 Lexington, KY 40512-4301 Fax Number: (866) 411-5613

Please verify if the employee qualifies for any other group benefits through The Hartford and submit the claim accordingly.

PLEASE SEE THAT ALL SECTIONS ARE FULLY COMPLETED AND SIGNED. FORWARD THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO YOUR HARTFORD BENEFIT MANAGEMENT SERVICE CENTER.

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APPLICATION FOR SHORT TERM DISABILITY INCOME BENEFITS

### Section I - Employer's Section

To Be Completed by the Employer		
This claim is for (Employee's Name)	Social Security Number	Date of Birth
Employee's Address (Street, City, State, Zip)		Telephone Number
		( )
A. Information About the Employer		

Company's Name			
Address (Street, City, State, Zip)			
Name and Address of Division	Where Employee \	Vorks (if different from above)	
Group Policy Number	Class	Location	

## B. Information About the Employee

Date employee was hired	Date employee became insured under this plan Is the employee a union member? Yes No If Yes, name of union and local number:
What was the employee's reg	ularly scheduled work week?
Hours per We	ek Scheduled workdays M - F Other:
IS EMPLOYEE ENROLLED IN TH	IE HARTFORD'S LONG TERM DISABILITY PLAN ? Yes No IF "YES," EFFECTIVE DATE
Was the employee's STD insu	rance issued on the basis of a Personal Health Statement? Yes No If "Yes, attach copy.
Was the employee insured un	der your prior STD policy? Yes No
If "Yes," please provide the ind	clusive date of coverage. From Through
Was the employee on Qualifie	d Family Leave when disability began? Yes No
Did STD & LTD insurance cor	tinue while on Family Leave? Yes No
Date Leave of Absence starte	d under Family Leave Act:
C. Information Needed for	Withholding and Reporting Taxes
What percent of this employe	e's STD benefit is taxable?%.
What percentage, if any, do yo	ou contribute towards the cost of the STD premium?%
Does the employee contribute	towards the cost of the STD premium? Yes No. If "Yes," at what percent? %.
Is it on a Pre or Po	ost-tax basis?
	s's LTD benefits is taxable?%
	towards the cost of the LTD premium? Yes No. If "Yes," at what percent? %
Is it on a Pre or Pos	t-tax basis?
D. Information About the C	laim
What was the employee's per	nanent job on his or her last day at work? (Please attach a copy of the employee's job description.)
Last day employee actually w	orked: On that day, did the employee work a full day? Yes No

If "No," how many hours were worked?										
Why did employee stop working?										
Is the employee's condition work related?										
Has a claim been filed with Workers' Compensation?	Date employee is expected to return to work?									
Yes No If "Yes," send initial report of illness or injury or award notice.	Full time? Yes No									

E. Informatio	n About Salary																	
Employee's w	eekly/hourly rate of pay: \$																	
Will/Is Employ	ee receive(ing) Workers' Com	pensation Pa	avment	ts?		res 🗌	N	lo										
Will/Is Employee receive(ing) Workers' Compensation Payments? Yes No   Weekly Amount: \$ Date Payments Start: Date Payments Will End:   Is employee receiving Salary Continuance? Yes No or Sick Leave?																		
Is employee receiving Salary Continuance? Yes No or Sick Leave?																		
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F. Information About the Physical Aspects of the Employee's Job																		
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Check the items below that relate to the employee's job and complete the information requested.   Select either majority of workday or sporadically.   Majority of workday Sporadically the sporadically is the sporadical is																		
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Walk	or			1	2	34	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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Reach (ex	tend arms) above shoulder																	
G. Information	on About the Job as it Rela	ates to the	Disab	ility														
Can the job b	be modified to accommodate th	e disability e	either t	empora	arily	or perm	nane	ntly?	?	Yes		No	lf "	Yes	." ex	plain		
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Is it possible	to offer the employee assistand	e in doing tl	ne job	(e.g.	, thro	ugh the	use d	of tec	hnolo	gy or	pers	onal a	ssista	ance)	?			
Yes	No If "Yes," explain.																	
H. Signature																		
Name (Pleas	se print or type)					Title												
Signature						Date												
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		ENT INSURANCE C	OMPANY	THE HARTFORD
Last name: First:	Middle Initial: Ge	ender: Male 🗌 Female	Date of Birth:	Social Security Number:
Address: (Street, City, State & Zip)		Marital Status:	Married	Widowed Divorced
Personal Cell Telephone Number: ()	Alterna	te Telephone Numb	er: ( )	
May we have your authorization to leave confider		information on your il Address:	personal cell pl	none? Yes No
Signature	Date			
•	il is used to provide The Ha	rtford At Work registrat	ion instructions a	and important status updates.
<b>B. For an Injury, answer the following quest</b> When (i.e., date/time), where and how did the injur				
C. For Illness, Injury or Pregnancy, answer	the following question	S		
Name of Healthcare Provider:	<b></b>	Date you were fir	st treated by a (MM/DD/YYY)	Healthcare Provider:
Address of Healthcare Provider: (Street, City, Sta	te & Zip)		Telept (	none Number: )
Before you stopped working, did your condition re If "Yes," explain:	equire you to change you	r job, or the way you	ı did your job?	Yes No
What aspect of your condition made you unable t	o work?			
Are you receiving or eligible for: Workers' Co	•		ault Disability	Other
If "Yes," show policy number:	and name and addre	ess of insurer:		
Weekly Amount: <u>\$</u> Date	e Payments Start:	C	ate Payments	Will End:
Is your condition related to work activities or your	workplace? Yes	No If "Yes," ex	plain:	
Have you filed, or do you intend to file a Workers'	Compensation claim?	Yes No If	"No," explain:	
D. Information About the Disability				
	ou work a full day? 🏼 ץ	res No If "N	o," explain:	
Your Employer: (include division, if applicable)				
If you have not returned to work, do you expect to	0? Yes No	Date you were first	unable to work:	
Since that date, have you done any work?		art time Eull til	me	
Name of employer and amount earned.	<u></u>			
E. Information About Tax Withholding				

Federal law requires us to withhold federal income tax from your check if you request us to do so. We are also required to send a report to your employer at the end of each calendar year showing your name, total amount of benefits paid to you, total amount withheld, if any, and your social security number. If you want us to withhold tax, please indicate on the line below the dollar amount to be withheld per benefit check. Whole dollars only (minimum is \$ 20.00 per week). \$ \_\_\_\_\_\_ MPORTANT: If you pay the entire cost of the STD premium, but on Post-tax basis per Section C of the Employer's Statement, you will not be able to request any federal income tax withholding from your check. Puerto Rico residents may not request withholding.

**Note to residents of Iowa and the District of Columbia**: Should you choose federal income tax withholding, your state requires us to withhold state income tax. We must withhold at a state mandated rate (which may be higher than you need) until we receive a signed state Tax Withholding Certificate from you. Please cont act your employer or state Tax Department to obtain the proper withholding form.

**Note to residents of Nebraska, Rhode Island and South Carolina**: Should you choose federal income tax withholding, your state requires us to withhold state income tax. We must withhold at a state mandated rate (which may be higher than you need) until we receive a signed federal Form W -4, Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate, from you. You may go to www.irs.gov to obtain the proper withholding form.

### F. Signature - Please read the statement that applies to your state of residence and sign the bottom of the page.

With the exception of any source(s) of income reported above in this form, I certify by my signature that I have not received and am not eligible to receive any source of income, except for my disability benefits from this plan. Further, I understand that should I receive income of any kind or perform work of any kind during any period The Hartford has approved my disability claim, I must report all details to The Hartford, immediately. If I receive disability income benefits greater than those which should have been paid, I understand that I will be required to provide a lump sum repayment to the Plan. The Hartford has the option to reduce or eliminate future disability payments in order to recover any overpayment balance that is not reimbursed.

For residents of all states EXCEPT Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Tennessee, Virginia and Washington: 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.

# **For Residents of 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.

**For Residents of 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.

**For residents of 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 award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado Division of Insurance within the Department of Regulatory Agencies.

For residents of 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.

**For residents of Kentucky:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim or an application for insurance 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.

**For residents of Maine, Tennessee, and Washington:** It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

**For Residents of Maryland:** Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit and who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

**For residents of New Jersey:** Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties. Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

For residents of New York: 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 shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

For residents of Oregon: 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 that the insurer relied upon is subject to a denial and/or reduction in insurance benefits and may be subject to any civil penalties available.

**For residents of 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 hereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

**For residents of Puerto Rico:** Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances be present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

For residents of Virginia: Any person who, with the intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement may have violated the state law.

The statements contained in this form are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

Date

Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) is our standard method of payment. When making our claim decision we may contact you to obtain your banking information.



#### Section III AUTHORIZATION TO OBTAIN AND DISCLOSE INFORMATION

**To:** Any health care provider, pharmaceutical provider, pharmacy benefits manager, employer, benefit plan, insurer, service provider, financial institution, educational institution, or Federal, State, or Local Government Agency, including the Social Security Administration and Veterans Administration. **I AUTHORIZE** you to disclose to The Hartford<sup>1</sup> a complete copy of, and to communicate telephonically or electronically with The Hartford's representatives about, any and all of the following personal, private, or privileged information, records, or documents relative to:

Insured's Name (*Please print*)

Date of Birth

Last 4 Digits of Social Security Number

Any and all medical information or records, including medical histories, physical, mental, or diagnostic examinations, pharmaceutical records, and treatment notes, and including information regarding HIV/AIDS, communicable diseases, alcohol or drug abuse, and mental health; work and performance information and history, including job duties and earnings; information on any insurance coverage and claims filed, including all records and information related to such coverage and claims; financial information, including pension benefits and bank records; business transaction billing and payment records; academic transcripts; and any and all information concerning Social Security benefits, including monthly benefit amounts, monthly payment amounts, entitlement dates, and information from my Master Beneficiary Record. The information obtained by use of this Authorization will be used by The Hartford (including subsidiaries and affiliates) for the purpose of evaluating and administering my claim(s) for benefits and/or leave request and/or request for accommodation. Such information shall be referred to herein collectively as "My Information." I understand I have the right to revoke this Authorization for future disclosures, except to the extent action has been taken in reliance upon this Authorization. I must revoke this Authorization in writing directly to The Hartford.

I UNDERSTAND that once My Information has been disclosed to The Hartford as permitted under this Authorization, it may be re-disclosed by The Hartford as permitted by law or my further authorization. I authorize The Hartford to use or disclose My Information (i) to my employer for a) functions related to accommodating my restrictions/limitations, including in accordance with law; b) responding to claims related to accommodation or adverse or discriminatory treatment related to my claim or condition; c) responding to complaints by me or my representative relating to benefits or leave or accommodation; d) responding to any litigation, agency or regulatory proceeding, or lawful subpoena (including regarding employment claims); e) federal, state, or other leave administration; f) fulfilling fiduciary obligations under my benefit plan; or (g) claim or other audits or reviews: (ii) to the administrator or other service providers, including health and wellness vendors, of my employer's benefit plan(s) and/or programs, including leave management, for plan, benefit, or program related functions or data aggregation and analysis; (iii) to any electronic claim systems or programs or third party vendors used for claims administration or processing or to any insurance broker to carry out functions related to my benefit plan or claim; (iv) to any health care professional who has treated or evaluated me or who may do so; (v) to other persons or entities performing business, medical, or legal services related to my claim; (vi) for other insurance or reinsurance purposes, including workers' compensation insurance, Social Security Disability insurance, or subrogation or reimbursement purposes; (vii) as may be lawfully required; (viii) as may be reasonably necessary to protect the personal safety of others; (ix) as may be reasonably necessary to respond to regulatory complaints; and (x) as may be reasonably necessary to prevent or detect perpetration of a fraud.

I ALSO UNDERSTAND that information disclosed pursuant to this Authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient. I understand that I have the right to revoke this Authorization for future disclosures The Hartford may make, unless The Hartford has taken action in reliance upon this Authorization. I must revoke this Authorization in writing directly to The Hartford. I understand that my medical treatment or payment for medical benefits cannot be conditioned on my allowing The Hartford to re-disclose My Information. The authorizations set forth herein expire two years from the date listed below, or upon my revocation, if earlier, but will not exceed the term of my coverage under the policy(ies) or benefit plan or program, except as may be reasonably necessary to prevent or detect perpetration of a fraud, respond to regulatory complaints, or protect the personal safety of others. I understand that I am entitled to receive a copy of this Authorization upon request. A photocopy or facsimile of this Authorization shall be as valid as the original. If there is a conflict between a prior request for restriction on the disclosure of My Information and this Authorization, this Authorization will control.

Signature of Insured or Authorized Representative Date (Valid for 2 years)

Relationship to Insured (if signed by Authorized Representative)

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Please fax the completed form to:Fax Number: 866-411-5613The HartfordATTENDING PHYSP.O.Box 14301ATTENDING PHYSLexington, KY 40512-4301To be completed by the Employee	SICIAN'S STATEMEN	NT - INI	TIAL REPORT	THE
Patient Name:		Date of	Birth:	Insured ID Number:
Patient Address: (Street, City, State & Zip Code)				
To be completed by the Provider - Use current inform to complete this form. (The patient is responsible for				
Patient's condition is the result of: Sickness Inju	ury Pregnancy			
If pregnancy, what is the expected date of delivery?	onth Day	Year		
Is condition due to illness or an injury that is related to:	Work Activity		Motor Vehicle Acc	ident
Medical Conditions Impacting Activity				
Primary condition:			ICD-9 Code:	
			ICD-10Code: ICD-9 Code:	
Secondary condition(s):			ICD-10 Code(s)	:
Subjective symptoms:				
Pertinent Test Results (list all results or attach test res Test: Test: Condition(s) Specific Medications, Dosage and Frequency	Date:			
Treatments				
Date your patient reported stopping work:	Date of disability:		Expected Ret	urn to Work Date:
Date you first treated this patient:	Date you first treated	this patie	ent for this conditio	n:
Date of reported onset of this condition:	Date of most recent tr	eatment:		_
How often has patient been seen/treated for this condition	?		Date of ne	xt office visit:
Current Treatment Plan:				
Has surgery been performed? Yes No Is su Procedure:	urgery planned?   Ye CPT Code:			Date:
Was patient hospitalized for this condition? Yes	No If "Yes," Date(s) a	dmitted:_	Date	(s) Discharged:
Name of Hospital:	Т	elephone	e Number of Hosp	ital: _()
Has patient been referred to any other physician?		•		
Other Physician Name:	Phone Number:	: ()	Spe	cialty:
Other Physician Name	Phone Number	: ( )	Spe	cialty:
The Hartford® is underwriting companies Hartford Life ar The Hartford® is The Hartford Financial Services Group,			and Hartford Life	Insurance Company.

Patient Name: Complete this section to the best of your ability. Generation								Date of Birth:								Insured ID Number:										
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