Manulife Global Basic Package Plan



This policy is underwritten by

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company (Manulife)

First North American Insurance Company,

a wholly owned subsidiary of Manulife.

NOTICE REQUIRED BY PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION

This policy contains a provision removing or restricting the right of the insured to designate persons to whom or for whose benefit insurance money is to be payable.

Important Notice - Read Carefully Before You Travel

You have purchased a travel insurance policy - what's next? We want you to understand (and it is in your best interest to know) what your policy includes, what it excludes, and what is limited (payable but with limits). Please take time to read through your policy before you travel.

Italicized terms are defined in your policy.

- Travel insurance covers claims arising from sudden and unexpected situations (i.e. accidents and emergencies) and typically not follow-up or recurrent care.
- To qualify for this insurance, you must meet all of the eligibility requirements.
- This insurance contains limitations and exclusions (i.e. medical conditions that are not stable, pregnancy, child born on trip, excessive
 use of alcohol, high risk activities).
- This insurance may not cover claims related to pre-existing medical conditions, whether disclosed or not at time of policy purchase.
- Contact the Assistance Centre before seeking treatment or your benefits may be limited.
- In the event of a claim your prior medical history may be reviewed.
- If you have been asked to complete a medical questionnaire and any of your answers are not accurate or complete, your policy will be voidable.

It is your responsibility to understand your coverage. If you have questions, call 1 866 298-2722.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE

It is important *you* read and understand *your* policy before *you* travel. It is *your* responsibility to review the terms, conditions and limitations outlined in this policy.

To be eligible for insurance under this policy, *you* must meet all the Eligibility Requirements outlined on Page 3 of this policy booklet.

A *pre-existing condition* exclusion applies to *your* coverage. It is *your* responsibility to review and understand the *pre-existing condition* exclusion that applies to *you:*

- Trip Cancellation & Trip Interruption Insurance: please review the pre-existing condition exclusions listed on Page 6 of this policy hooklet
- Emergency Medical Insurance: please review the pre-existing condition exclusions listed on Pages 7-8 of this policy booklet.

ITALICIZED WORDS have a specific meaning. Please refer to the "Definitions" section of this policy to find the meaning of each italicized word.

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY, YOU MUST CALL THE ASSISTANCE CENTRE IMMEDIATELY

1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada, +1 (519) 251-7821 collect where available.

Our Assistance Centre is there to help you 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

Our Assistance Centre can also be contacted through the ACM TravelAid™ mobile application.

Please note that if **you** do not contact the Assistance Centre in an *emergency*, **you** will have to pay 25% of the eligible medical expenses we would normally pay under this policy. If it is medically impossible for **you** to call, please have someone call on **your** behalf.

THIS POLICY IS UNDERWRITTEN by The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company (Manulife) and First North American Insurance Company (FNAIC), a wholly owned subsidiary of Manulife. Manulife has appointed Active Claims Management (2018) Inc. (operating as "Active Care Management") as the provider of all assistance and claims service under this policy. Please note that risks identified with ‡ throughout this document are covered by FNAIC.



Everyone wants to have a carefree trip and should be able to travel with confidence in their travel insurance purchase. Most people travel every day without a problem, but if something does happen, the member companies of the Travel Health Insurance Association of Canada (THiA) want you to know your rights. THiA's Travel Insurance Bill of Rights and Responsibilities builds on the golden rules of travel insurance:

Know your health • Know your trip Know your policy • Know your rights

For more information, go to www.thiaonline.com

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10-Day Free Look to Review this Policy

You have 10 days from your insurance purchase date to review this policy. If it does not meet your needs, you may terminate this insurance coverage and receive a premium refund if:

- (i) you have not departed on your trip; and
- (ii) there is no claim in progress.

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To request a premium refund, simply contact *your* travel agent from whom *you* purchased the insurance.

After the 10-Day Free Look, refund of premium is not available.

MEDICAL CONCIERGE SERVICES

Manulife Global Travel Insurance is pleased to provide you with value-added medical concierge services.

What services are available?

StandbyMD has an International network of medical providers and partners who provide services across time zones and who assure a quick and streamlined access to healthcare 24/7/365 all over the world.

StandbyMD allows you to access multiple levels of personalized care ranging from:

- Teleconsultations for eligible cases (telephone/chat/videoconference access to a qualified physician who can assess your symptoms and provide treatment options)
- A network of visiting physicians (in 141 countries and over 4,500 cities)
- · In-network clinics close to the patient
- In-network ERs located close to the patient only if necessary In addition, when you travel within Canada or to the United States, StandbyMD offers the following services:
- Same-day co-ordination and delivery of lost/forgotten prescription maintenance medication, eyeglasses or contact lenses and medical supplies.

How does this service work? StandbyMD's risk assessment algorithm triages patients according to their symptoms, profiles and location. Based on the information provided they are instantly referred to the most appropriate level of care their specific situation requires.

StandbyMD uses a worldwide network of providers that offer high-quality care at preferred rates and direct billing solutions, minimizing the likelihood of paying out-of-pocket.

The StandbyMD program will assist with co-ordinating payment of eligible expenses subject to the terms and conditions of the policy. To access this service, simply call the Assistance Centre using the phone numbers indicated on the wallet card.

Disclaimer, Waiver, and Limitation of Liability: StandbyMD is not intended to be a substitute for professional medical advice, it is provided for the purpose of assisting you in finding medical providers. The advice provided by StandbyMD is a recommendation only, and entirely voluntary. You still retain the right to choose for yourself, your own level of care regardless of StandbyMD's recommendation. Medical providers utilized by StandbyMD are not employees, agents, nor in any way affiliated with StandbyMD, beyond accepting StandbyMD's referrals. StandbyMD does not have any control, real or implied, over the medical judgment of participating medical providers, nor their actions or inactions. StandbyMD, upon making referrals under this policy does not assume any responsibility for:

- the availability,
- their quality,
- the results or outcome of any treatment or service.

Policyholders hereby specifically waive any and all rights to proceed legally against StandbyMD or anyone related to StandbyMD* in any and all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, and suits of any kind, nature, or amount which relate to, or in any way directly or indirectly flow from the medical concierge services that StandbyMD is offering. StandbyMD's liability under these medical concierge services, if any, is limited solely to the amount of payment made to participating medical providers for the services that a policyholder obtained after they received a referral from StandbyMD.

*Related persons include principals, parents, successors and assigns of StandbyMD.

INTRODUCTION

Policy Contract

This is *your* insurance policy, a contract detailing terms and conditions of the insurance coverage *you* purchased. Coverage under this policy is issued on the basis of information provided in *your* application. *Your* entire contract with *us* consists of: this policy; *your* application for this policy; the *confirmation* issued in respect of that application; and any other amendments or endorsements resulting from extensions of coverage.

How to contact us

Prior to travelling, or when travelling and *you* require *emergency* assistance, call **1 800 211-9093** toll-free from the USA and Canada

+1 (519) 251-7821 collect where available

For coverage information or general enquiries, please contact Manulife Travel Customer Service at **1 866 298-2722**.

SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

Basic Package Plan		
Eligible <i>Age</i> *	Up to <i>age</i> 69	
Medical Concierge Services	Included	
Trip Cancellation and Trip Interrruption		
Trip Cancellation	Covered Amount Selected (Maximum \$15,000)	
Trip Interruption	Covered Amount Selected (Maximum \$15,000)	
Misconnection	See Page 5	
Early Return	Economy Class Fare	
Meals & Accommodation	\$175/day maximum 2 days	
Act of Terrorism	See Page 8	
Emergency Medical**		
Hospital & Medical	Up to \$1,000,000	
Accidental Dental	Up to \$1,500	
Medical Repatriation	Up to \$1,000,000	
Accommodation & Meals	\$175/day maximum \$1,750	
Expenses for Childcare	\$100/day maximum \$300	
Expenses Related to Your Death	See Page 6	
Act of Terrorism	See Page 8	

ELIGIBILITY

You are NOT eligible for coverage if:

- a) you have been advised by a physician not to travel; and/or
- b) you have been diagnosed with a terminal illness with less than 6 months to live; and/or
- c) you have a kidney condition requiring dialysis; and/or
- d) you have used home oxygen during the 12 months prior to the date of application.

To be eligible for insurance coverage under the Manulife Basic Package Plan.

- *you must not be under 31 days or over 69 years of age;
- you must be a resident of Canada and covered under a government health insurance plan for the entire duration of your trip.
 - **If at time of claim, it is discovered that *you* no longer have coverage under a *government health insurance plan*, the maximum amount payable for all eligible expenses combined will be limited to \$25,000;
- your total trip does not exceed:
 - 60 days if you are age 60 to 69 inclusive; or
- 183 days if you are under age 60.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE

Coverage must be for the entire time that you are away from home and you must pay the required premium to your travel agency before you leave home.

THE DATE YOUR COVERAGE STARTS / YOUR EFFECTIVE DATE OF COVERAGE

For *Trip* **Cancellation Insurance**, coverage starts at the date and time *you* pay the premium for that coverage.

For *Trip* Interruption Insurance, coverage starts on *your departure date*.

For Emergency Medical Insurance, coverage starts on *your departure date* when *you* leave *home*.

THE DATE YOUR COVERAGE ENDS / YOUR COVERAGE EXPIRY DATE

For *Trip* **Cancellation Insurance**, coverage ends on *your* departure date as shown on *your confirmation*.

For Trip Interruption Insurance, coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date when you return to your departure point; or
- b) on the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

For Emergency Medical Insurance, coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return home*; or
- b) the expiry date, as shown on your confirmation.

*Your insurance coverage will not end if you temporarily return home
If you have requested and received prior approval from our Assistance Centre
to return to your destination under the Emergency Medical Insurance
benefit #12, Return to Destination, your medical coverage will deemed not
to have terminated but will be suspended for the duration of your temporary
return. Your medical coverage will resume once you begin travel in
accordance with the coverage restrictions set out under Emergency Medical
Insurance benefit #12, Return to Destination.

In all cases of such temporary returns, there will be no refund of premium for any of the days that *you* have returned to *your home*.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Under *Trip* Interruption Insurance, *we* will extend *your* coverage automatically beyond the date *you* were scheduled to return *home* as per *your confirmation:*

- for up to 10 days, if you have an emergency that prevents you from returning home on that date; or
- for up to 30 days, if you are hospitalized and that hospitalization prevents you from returning home on that date.

However, if travel is medically possible before the applicable 10 or 30 days have passed, we will honour your claim for eligible expenses only until such earlier date.

Under all other types of insurance, we will extend your coverage automatically beyond the date you were scheduled to return home as per your confirmation if:

- your common carrier is delayed. In this case, we will extend your coverage for up to 72 hours; or
- you or your travel companion are hospitalized on that date. In this case, we will extend your coverage during the hospitalization and for up to 5 days after discharge from the hospital; or
- you or your travel companion have an emergency that does not require
 hospitalization but prevents travel. In this case, we will extend your
 coverage for up to 5 days.

In any case, we will not extend any coverage beyond 12 months after your effective date of insurance.

TO STAY LONGER THAN PLANNED

Extensions: If you have not left home yet, simply call your travel agent to ask for the extension. If, however, you are already on your trip, and need to apply for an extension of your coverage, simply call your travel agent before the expiry date of your existing coverage. You may be able to extend your coverage as long as:

- the total length of *your trip* does not exceed:
 - 60 days if you are age 60 to 69 inclusive; or
 - 183 days if you are under age 60;
- you pay the additional premium; and
- you have had no event that has resulted or may result in a claim. Any extension is subject to the approval of the Assistance Centre.

TRIP CANCELLATION & TRIP INTERRUPTION INSURANCE

To have full coverage under *Trip* Cancellation & *Trip* Interruption Insurance, *you* must purchase coverage for the full value of the non-refundable portion of *your trip* and for the full duration of *your trip*.

Trip Cancellation Insurance

Trip Cancellation Insurance coverage starts at the date and time *you* pay the premium for that coverage.

Trip Cancellation Insurance coverage ends on *your departure date* as shown on *your confirmation*.

Benefits - What does Trip Cancellation Insurance cover?

If you are unable to travel due to a covered event listed immediately below that occurs before you leave home, we will pay up to the covered amount you selected:

- A. For the prepaid unused portion of *your trip* that is non-refundable and non-transferable to another travel date.
- B. For the next occupancy charge, if *your travel companion* must cancel his/ her *trip* due to a covered event applicable to him/her, and *you* decide to go on *your trip* as planned.

What are the conditions that apply to Trip Cancellation Insurance?

To cancel a *trip* before *your* scheduled *departure date, you* must cancel *your trip* with the agent or *travel supplier* on the day the cause of cancellation occurs or on the next business day <u>at the latest</u>. Claims payment will be limited to the cancellation penalties specified in the *trip* contracts which are in effect on the next business day following the time the cause of cancellation occurs.

Trip Cancellation for a *medical condition* must be recommended by the *physician* attending the person who is the cause of the claim.

Events Covered Under Trip Cancellation Insurance:

Medical Related Events

- 1. You develop a medical condition.
- 2. Your travel companion develops a medical condition.

Pregnancy

- 3. You become pregnant after you book your trip and your departure date falls in the 9 weeks before the expected delivery date or any time after that date.
- Your travel companion becomes pregnant after you book your trip and your departure date falls in the 9 weeks before the expected delivery date or any time after that date.
- 5. You develop any complication of pregnancy within the first thirty-one (31) weeks of pregnancy.
- 6. Your travel companion develops any complication of pregnancy within the first (31) weeks of pregnancy.

Death

- 7. *You* die.
- 8. Your travel companion dies.

Work

- 9. ‡ *You*: a) lose a permanent job because of layoff or dismissal without just cause, or b) are transferred by *your* respective employer and must move from *your* respective principal residence.
- 10. ‡ Your travel companion: a) loses a permanent job because of layoff or dismissal without just cause, or b) is transferred by their respective employer and must move from their respective principal residence.

Government

- 11. ‡ *Your* travel visa is not issued for a reason beyond *your* control, provided the documentation shows *you* were eligible to apply, that the refusal is not due to a late application, and the application is not a subsequent attempt for a visa that had been previously refused.
- 12. ‡ Your travel companion's travel visa is not issued for a reason beyond their control, provided the documentation shows your travel companion was eligible to apply, that the refusal is not due to a late application, and the application is not a subsequent attempt for a visa that had been previously refused.
- 13. ‡ The Government of Canada issues an "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" or an "Avoid All Travel" travel advisory after *you* purchase *your* insurance, advising or recommending that Canadian residents should not visit a destination included in *your* trip.

Accommodations

- 14. ‡ You are unable to occupy your principal residence because of an event that is independent of any intentional or negligent act on your part.
- 15. ‡ Your travel companion is unable to occupy their principal residence because of an event that is independent of any intentional or negligent act on their part.

Hijacking

- 16. ‡ You are hijacked.
- 17. ‡ Your travel companion is hijacked.

Benefits - What does Misconnection Insurance cover?

If any of the covered events listed immediately below occurs before or after *your* originally scheduled *departure date* and causes a misconnection or a travel disruption which prevents *you* from travelling as shown on *your confirmation, we* will pay:

- A. Up to \$800, for your misconnection or travel disruption expenses for:
 - i. the lesser of; the change fee charged by the airline for your missed connection or the cost of your one way economy transportation via the most cost-effective itinerary to the next destination,
 - ii. the unused prepaid portion of your trip (less the prepaid unused transportation home) that is non-refundable and non-transferable to another travel date (provided such expenses are not reimbursable by any other source).
- B. Your additional and unplanned hotel and meal expenses, your essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares) to a maximum of \$175 per day for up to 2 days when no earlier transportation is available.

Misconnection Insurance or Travel Disruption Covered Events:

- ‡You or your travel companion are delayed for at least 6 hours in arriving at your trip destination or returning to your home due to the delay or schedule change or cancellation of your or your travel companion's common carrier.
- 2. ‡ You miss your next connecting common carrier because the airline with whom you have booked an earlier connecting flight (that is included in your insured prepaid travel arrangements) cancels such earlier flight.
- 3. ‡ Your earlier connecting common carrier has been rendered unusable because the airline with whom you have booked a subsequent connecting flight (that is included in your insured prepaid travel arrangements) cancelled the subsequent flight.
- 4. ‡You miss a connection because of a delay in clearing customs and security controls due to your or your travel companion's mistaken identity. You must have been scheduled to arrive at your point of boarding in time to comply with the travel supplier's check-in procedure.

Only misconnection or travel disruption expenses outlined under this Misconnection Insurance will be payable.

You must make reasonable efforts to continue on your trip as originally planned. The amount payable will be reduced by any amounts paid or payable by the rescheduled or delayed common carrier.

Trip Interruption Insurance

Trip Interruption Insurance coverage starts on your departure date.

Trip Interruption Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return to your departure point; or
- b) on the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Benefits - What does Trip Interruption Insurance cover?

If your trip is interrupted due to a covered event listed immediately below that occurs on or after the day you plan to leave home, we will pay:

- A. Up to the covered amount you selected for the prepaid unused portion of your trip that is non-refundable and non-transferable to another travel date less the prepaid unused transportation home.
- B. Your additional and unplanned hotel and meal expenses, your essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares) to a maximum of up to \$175 per day for up to 2 days when no earlier transportation arrangements are available.
- C. Your extra cost of one-way economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary to your or your group's next destination, or to return home.

Events Covered Under Trip Interruption Insurance:

Medical Related Events

- 1. You develop a medical condition.
- 2. Your travel companion develops a medical condition.

Pregnancy

- 3. *You* develop any complication of pregnancy within the first thirty-one (31) weeks of pregnancy.
- 4. Your travel companion develops any complication of pregnancy within the first (31) weeks of pregnancy.

Death

- 5. You die.
- 6. Your travel companion dies.

Work

- 7. ‡ You: a) lose a permanent job because of layoff or dismissal without just cause, or b) are transferred by your respective employer and must move from your respective principal residence.
- 8. ‡ Your travel companion: a) loses a permanent job because of layoff or dismissal without just cause, or b) is transferred by their respective employer and must move from their respective principal residence.

Government

- 9. ‡ *Your* travel visa is not issued for a reason beyond *your* control, provided the documentation shows *you* were eligible to apply, that the refusal is not due to a late application, and the application is not a subsequent attempt for a visa that had been previously refused.
- 10. ‡ Your travel companion's travel visa is not issued for a reason beyond their control, provided the documentation shows your travel companion was eligible to apply, that the refusal is not due to a late application, and the application is not a subsequent attempt for a visa that had been previously refused.
- 11. ‡ The Government of Canada issues an "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" or an "Avoid All Travel" travel advisory after you purchase your insurance, advising or recommending that Canadian residents should not visit a destination included in your trip.
- 12. ‡ If your or your travel companion's passport and/or travel visa is lost or stolen during your trip, you will be reimbursed for reasonable travel and accommodation expenses until your replacement travel documentation is replaced. You will also be reimbursed for the change fee charged by the airline

Accommodations and Transportation

- 13. ‡ You are unable to occupy your principal residence because of an event that is independent of any intentional or negligent act on your part.
- 14. ‡ Your travel companion is unable to occupy their principal residence because of an event that is independent of any intentional or negligent act on their part.
- 15. ‡ You miss a connection or must interrupt your trip because of the delay of your connecting private passenger vehicle, when the delay is caused by the mechanical failure of your connecting private passenger vehicle, a traffic accident, an emergency police-directed road closure, weather conditions, earthquakes or volcanic eruptions. Your connecting private passenger vehicle must have been scheduled to arrive at your point of boarding in time to comply with the travel supplier's check-in procedure.
- 16. ‡ You miss a connection or must interrupt your trip because of the delay of your connecting common carrier, when the delay is caused by the mechanical failure of your connecting common carrier, a traffic accident, an emergency police-directed road closure, weather conditions, an unannounced strike, earthquakes or volcanic eruptions. The common carrier must have been scheduled to arrive at your point of boarding in time to comply with the travel supplier's check-in procedure.

Hijacking

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- 17. ‡ You are hijacked.
- 18. ‡ Your travel companion is hijacked.

Exclusions & Limitations – What does *Trip* Cancellation & *Trip* Interruption Insurance <u>not</u> cover?

When reading this section, please take the time to review the definitions of "pre-existing condition" and "stable" at the end of this booklet.

We will not cover any expenses for a medical condition related to you or your travel companion, if that medical condition was not stable six (6) months before the effective date for this insurance.

In addition to the "stable" requirement, we will not cover any expenses relating to:

- your/their heart condition, if, in the six (6) months before the effective date, any of your/their heart condition(s) has/have not been stable or you/they have taken any form of nitroglycerine for the relief of angina pain; and/or
- your/their lung condition, if, in the six (6) months before the effective date, any of your/their lung condition(s) has/have not been stable or you/they required treatment with oxygen or prednisone for any lung condition.

We will not pay for losses or expenses incurred for, or as the result of, the following events which are applicable to all coverages detailed in this section, including *Trip* Cancellation, *Trip* Interruption and Misconnection Insurance:

- Any reason, circumstance, event or medical condition affecting you or anyone, which you were aware of on or before the effective date, and which may eventually prevent you from starting and/or completing your covered trip as booked when you purchase this insurance coverage.
- 2. The *medical condition* or death of a person who is ill when the purpose of *your trip* is to visit that person.
- 3. *Your* self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.
- Any claim that results from or is related to your commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- Any medical condition that is the result of you not following treatment as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- Any medical condition, including symptoms of withdrawal, arising from, or in any way related to, your chronic use of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants whether prior to or during your trip.
 - Any medical condition arising during your trip from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants.
- 7. Any loss resulting from your minor mental or emotional disorder.
- 8. routine pre-natal or post-natal care;
 - pregnancy, delivery, or complications of either, arising 9 weeks before the expected date of delivery or 9 weeks after.
- 9. Your child born during the trip.
- 10. A medical condition:
 - when you knew or for which it is reasonable to believe or expect that treatment will be required during your trip; and/or
 - for which future investigation or treatment was planned before you left home: and/or
 - which caused symptoms that would have caused an ordinarily prudent person to seek treatment in the 3 months before leaving home; and/or
 - that caused a *physician* to advise *you* not to go on *your trip*.
- 11. A travel visa that is not issued because of a late application.
- An act of war or act of terrorism. Limited coverage applies with respect to an act of terrorism as described in the Act of Terrorism Coverage provision.
- 13. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all non-essential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before your effective date. To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site. This exclusion does not apply to claims for an emergency or a medical condition unrelated to the travel advisory.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage starts when you leave home. Emergency Medical Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return home; or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Benefits - What does Emergency Medical Insurance cover?

Emergency Medical Insurance covers you for up to \$1,000,000 CDN of reasonable and customary charges incurred by you as a result of emergency treatment required by you during your trip if a medical condition begins unexpectedly after you leave home but only if these covered expenses are eligible expenses under this policy and are not covered by your government health insurance plan or any other benefit plan. The medical attention must be required as part of your emergency treatment and ordered by a physician (or a dentist in the case of dental treatment).

In the event of an *emergency*, call the Assistance Centre immediately: 1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada or +1 (519) 251-7821 collect where available.

You must call the Assistance Centre before obtaining emergency treatment, so that we may:

- · confirm coverage
- provide pre-approval of *treatment*.

If it is medically impossible for *you* to call prior to obtaining *emergency treatment*, *we* ask *you* to call or have someone call on *your* behalf as soon as possible. Otherwise, if *you* do not call the Assistance Centre before *you* obtain *emergency treatment you* will be responsible for 25% of *your* medical expenses covered under this insurance.

After your medical emergency treatment has started, the Assistance Centre must assess and pre-approve additional medical treatment. If you undergo tests as part of a medical investigation, treatment or surgery, obtain treatment or undergo surgery that is not pre-approved, your claim will not be paid. This includes but is not limited to MRI, MRCP, CAT Scan, CT Angiogram, sonograms, ultrasounds, Nuclear Stress Test, biopsies, Angiogram, Angioplasty, cardiovascular surgery including any associated diagnostic test(s), Cardiac Catheterization or any surgery.

Subject to the policy's maximums, exclusions and limitations the eligible covered expenses are:

- 1. Expenses to receive emergency treatment Medical care received from a physician in or out of a hospital, the cost of a semi-private hospital room (or an intensive or coronary care unit where medically necessary and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition or quality of medical care), the services of a licensed private duty nurse while you are in hospital, the rental or purchase (whichever is less) of a hospital bed, wheelchair, brace, crutch or other medical appliance, tests that are needed to diagnose or find out more about your condition, and drugs that are prescribed for you and are available only by prescription from a physician or dentist.
- Expenses to receive professional services Care received from a licensed chiropractor, osteopath, physiotherapist, chiropodist or podiatrist, up to \$300 by profession.
- Expenses for ambulance transportation Reasonable and customary charges for local licensed ambulance service to transport you to the nearest qualified medical service provider in an emergency.
- Expenses related to your death If you should die during your trip from an emergency covered under this insurance, we will reimburse your estate for:
 - the return home of your body (in the standard transportation container normally used by the airline); plus up to \$5,000 to have your body prepared where you die and the cost of a standard casket;
 - up to \$5,000 to have your body prepared and the cost of a standard casket or urn, plus up to \$5,000 for your burial where you die; or
 - the return home of your ashes, plus up to \$5,000 to cremate your body where you die including the cost of a standard urn.

In addition, if someone is required to identify *your* body and must travel to the place of *your* death, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, *we* will pay the round-trip economy class airfare via the most cost-effective itinerary for that person and up to \$300 for that person's hotel and meal expenses. *We* will also provide that person with *Emergency* Medical Insurance under the same terms and limitations of this policy for up to 72 hours.

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- 5. Expenses to bring you home If your treating physician recommends that you return home because of your emergency or if our medical advisors recommend that you return home after your emergency, when approved and arranged in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay the reasonable and customary expenses for:
 - the extra cost of an economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary; or
 - a stretcher fare on a commercial flight via the most cost-effective itinerary, if a stretcher is medically necessary; and
 - the return cost of an economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary for a qualified medical attendant to accompany you, and the attendant's reasonable fees and expenses, if this is medically necessary or required by the airline; or
 - the cost of air ambulance transportation, if this is medically necessary, is appropriate and consistent with the diagnosis and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition or quality of medical care.
- 6. Extra expenses for meals, hotel, phone calls and taxi If a medical emergency prevents you or your travel companion from returning home as originally planned, or if your emergency medical treatment or that of your travel companion requires your transfer to a location that is different from your original destination, we will reimburse up to \$175 per day to you to a maximum of \$1,750 for your extra meals, hotel, essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares). We will only pay for these expenses if you have actually paid for them.
- 7. Expenses to bring someone to your bedside If you are travelling alone and are admitted to a hospital for 3 days or more because of a medical emergency when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay the round-trip economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary for someone to be with you. We will also pay up to \$500 for that person's hotel and meals and cover him/her under Emergency Medical Insurance, under the same terms and limitations of this policy, until you are medically fit to return home. For a child insured under this policy, this benefit is available immediately upon his/her hospital admission.
- 8. **Expenses for** *emergency* **dental** *treatment* If *you* need *emergency* dental *treatment, we* will pay:
 - up to \$300 for the relief of dental pain; and
 - if you suffer an accidental blow to the mouth, up to \$1,500 to repair or replace your natural or permanently attached artificial teeth.
- 9. Expenses to return children under your care If you are admitted to hospital for more than 24 hours or must return home because of an emergency, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay for the extra cost of one-way economy class airfare to return your children or grandchildren home via the most cost-effective itinerary and the return economy class airfare via the most cost-effective itinerary for a qualified escort when the airline requires it. We will cover him/her under the Emergency Medical Insurance, under the same terms and limitations of this policy for a qualified escort. The children or grandchildren must have been under your care during your trip and be covered under this policy.
- 10. Expenses for childcare If you are admitted to hospital, we will cover the expenses for an attendant to provide childcare services when such service is required. The attendant must be a person other than the child's parent, member of the immediate family, your travel companion, or the person whose guest you are during the trip. We will reimburse you up to \$100 per day to a maximum of \$300 per trip. The child(ren)/ grandchild(ren) must have been under your care during your trip.
- 11. Expenses to return your vehicle home If, because of a medical emergency, hospitalization, death or repatriation, you are unable to drive home the vehicle you used during your trip, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will cover up to the reasonable cost charged by a commercial agency to bring your vehicle home. If you rented a vehicle during your trip, we will cover its return to the rental agency.
- 12. Return to Destination When approved in advance by the Assistance Centre and provided your attending physician determines no further treatment is required, you will be reimbursed the extra cost of one-way economy transportation to return to your trip destination after you are returned to your home for emergency treatment under Benefit #5 (Expenses to bring you home). Once you return to your trip destination, a recurrence of the medical condition which required your return home or any related condition will not be covered under this policy. This benefit can only be used once during your trip and only if the return can be arranged within the original period of coverage.

- 13. Baggage Return If you return home under Benefit #5 (Expenses to bring you home), when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay up to \$500 for the extra costs to return your baggage to your home.
- 14. Expenses to replace prescription drugs We will pay up to a maximum of \$50 if you have misplaced or have forgotten your prescription medication during your trip and it is necessary for you to continue taking the prescribed medication. Charges for vitamins, vitamin preparations, over-the-counter drugs, contraceptives or birth control are not covered.
- Vision Care Up to \$200 for the replacement of prescription eyeglasses due to theft, loss or breakage during *your trip* and assistance to co-ordinate the replacement.

Exclusions & Limitations – What does *Emergency* Medical Insurance not cover?

We will not pay for any losses, expenses or benefits relating to:

 A pre-existing condition. When reading this section, please take the time to review the definitions of "pre-existing condition" and "stable" at the end of this policy.

We will not pay any expenses relating to:

- a pre-existing condition that was not stable in the six (6) months before your effective date; and/or
- a heart condition, if, in the six (6) months before your effective date, any heart condition has not been stable or you have taken any form of nitroglycerine for the relief of angina pain; and/or
- a lung condition, if, in the six (6) months before your effective date, any lung condition has not been stable or you required treatment with oxygen or prednisone for any lung condition.
- 2. Any *medical condition* when, prior to departure, *you* had not met all the Eligibility Requirements.
- 3. Expenses that exceed \$25,000, if you do not have valid coverage under a *government health insurance plan* for the entire duration of your trip.
- Covered expenses that exceed the reasonable and customary charges where the medical emergency happens.
- Covered expenses that exceed 75% of the cost we would normally have to pay under this insurance, if you do not contact the Assistance Centre at the time of the emergency, unless your medical condition makes it medically impossible for you to call (in that case, the 25% co-insurance does not apply).
- 6. Any treatment that is not for an emergency.
- Any non-emergency, experimental or elective treatment such as cosmetic surgery, chronic care, rehabilitation including any expenses for directly or indirectly related complications.
- The continued treatment of a medical condition or related condition, following emergency treatment during your trip, if our medical advisors determine that your emergency has ended.
- 9. A medical condition:
 - when you knew or for which it is reasonable to believe or expect that treatment will be required during your trip; and/or
 - for which future investigation or treatment was planned before you left home: and/or
 - which produced symptoms that would have caused an ordinarily prudent person to seek treatment in the 3 months before your effective date; and/or
 - that had caused your physician to advise you not to travel.
- An emergency resulting from an accident that occurs while you are participating in:
 - any sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving when that sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving is your principal paid occupation;
 - any sport or activity indicated below:
 - any form of BASE jumping (ie: wingsuit flying);
 - hang-gliding;
 - rock climbing;

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- mountain-climbing which involves the ascent or descent of a mountain requiring the use of specialized equipment, including crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners and lead or top-rope anchoring equipment;
- any competition, speed event or other high-risk activity involving the use of a motor vehicle on land, water or air, including training activities, whether on approved tracks or elsewhere.
- 11. Your self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.

- 12. Any claim that results from or is related to *your* commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- Any medical condition that is the result of you not following treatment as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 14. Any medical condition, including symptoms of withdrawal, arising from, or in any way related to, your chronic use of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants whether prior to or during your trip.
 - Any medical condition arising during your trip from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants.
- 15. Any loss resulting from your minor mental or emotional disorder.
- routine pre-natal or post-natal care;
 - pregnancy, delivery, or complications of either, arising 9 weeks before the expected date of delivery or 9 weeks after.
- 17. Your child born during the trip.
- 18. For insured *children* under 2 years of *age:* any *medical condition* related to a birth defect.
- 19. Any treatment, services or supplies not medically necessary, or any medical procedures and/or tests (including but not limited to MRI, MRCP, CAT Scan, CT Angiogram, Nuclear Stress Test, Angiogram or Cardiac Catheterization) not authorized by the Assistance Centre in advance. All surgery must be authorized by the Assistance Centre prior to being performed except in extreme circumstances where surgery is performed on an emergency basis.
- Any further medical *treatment* if *our* medical advisors determine that *you* should transfer to another facility or return to *your* home province/ territory of residence for *treatment*, and *you* choose not to.
- 21. Any benefit that must be authorized or arranged in advance by the Assistance Centre when it has given no authorization or made no arrangement for that benefit.
- An act of war or act of terrorism. Limited coverage applies with respect to an act of terrorism as described in the Act of Terrorism Coverage provision.
- 23. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all non-essential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before your effective date. To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site. This exclusion does not apply to claims for an emergency or a medical condition unrelated to the travel advisory.

ACT OF TERRORISM COVERAGE

Where an *act of terrorism* directly or indirectly causes *you* a loss for which benefits would otherwise be payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of this policy, this insurance will provide coverage as follows:

- We will provide benefits to you for your eligible expenses, subject to the
 maximums shown in the benefits section and this provision; and
- The benefits payable, as described directly above, are in excess to all
 other potential sources of recovery, including alternative or replacement
 travel options offered by airlines, tour operators, cruise lines and other travel
 suppliers and other insurance coverage (even where such other coverage
 is described as excess) and will only become available after you have
 exhausted all such other sources.

Any benefits payable shall be subject to an overall maximum aggregate payable limit relating to all in-force travel policies issued by *us*, including this policy. If total claims otherwise payable for a type of coverage under all travel policies issued by *us*, resulting from one or more *acts of terrorism* occurring within an applicable time period, exceed this maximum aggregate payable limit, then the amount paid on each claim shall be reduced on a pro rata basis so that the total amount paid in respect of all such claims shall be the maximum aggregate payable limit.

Coverage is only available for up to two (2) acts of terrorism within a calendar year and the maximum aggregate payable limit for each act of terrorism is:

Type of Insurance Coverage	Maximum Aggregate for Each Act of Terrorism (CDN\$)
Emergency Medical	\$35,000,000
Trip Cancellation & Trip Interruption	\$2,500,000

If, in *our* judgment, the total of all payable claims under one or more *acts of terrorism* may exceed the applicable limits, *your* prorated claim may be paid after the end of the calendar year in which *you* qualify for benefits.

Exclusion to this Act of Terrorism Coverage provision

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this policy or any endorsement thereto, this policy does not cover any liability, loss, cost or expense of whatsoever nature which is directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from, arising out of or in connection with any act of terrorism perpetrated by biological, chemical, nuclear or radioactive means, regardless of any other cause contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the liability, loss, cost or expense.

WHAT ELSE DO YOU NEED TO KNOW?

General Conditions

This insurance is void in the case of fraud or attempted fraud, or if you conceal or misrepresent any material fact or circumstance concerning this insurance, either at the time of application for this policy (including any request for extension of benefits), at the time of claim or at any other moment during your coverage period.

We will not pay a claim if you, any person insured under this policy or anyone acting on your behalf attempt to deceive us or makes a fraudulent, false or exaggerated statement or claim.

When completing the application, *your* answers must be complete and accurate. In the event of a claim, *we* will review *your* medical history. If any of *your* answers are found to be incomplete or inaccurate:

- your coverage will be void,
- which means your claim will not be paid.

You must be accurate and complete in your dealings with us at all times.

This policy is non-participating. You are not entitled to share in our divisible surplus.

The right of any person to designate persons to whom or for whose benefit insurance money is payable is restricted.

This policy shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the province or territory of residence of the insured.

Despite any other provision contained in the contract, the contract is subject to the applicable statutory conditions in the Insurance Act, as applicable in *your* province of residence, respecting contracts of accident and sickness insurance.

Limitation of Liability

Our liability under this policy is limited solely to the payment of eligible benefits, up to the maximum amount purchased, for any loss or expense. Neither we, upon making payment under this policy, nor our agents or administrators assume any responsibility for the availability, quality, results or outcome of any treatment or service, or your failure to obtain any treatment or service covered under the terms of this policy. The participation of the insurers is several and not joint and none of them will under any circumstances participate in the interest and liabilities of any of the others.

Premium

The required premium is due and payable at the time of purchase and will be determined according to the schedule of premium rates then in effect. Premium rates and policy terms and conditions are subject to change without prior notice.

Upon payment of premium, this document becomes a binding contract provided it is accompanied by a *confirmation* upon which a contract number appears and we have received *your* completed application prior to *your departure date*. If the premium is insufficient for the period of coverage selected, we will:

- 1. charge and collect any underpayment; or
- 2. shorten the policy period by written endorsement if an underpayment in premium cannot be collected.

Coverage will be null and void if the premium is not received, if a cheque is not honoured for any reason, if credit card charges are invalid or if no proof of *your* payment exists.

Subrogation

How does this insurance work with other coverages that you may have? This is second payor coverage. You may have other in-force plans or contracts such as, but not limited to, third party liability, auto insurance, group or individual health insurance providing hospital, medical or therapeutic coverage. In this case, the amounts payable under this insurance are limited to that portion of your eligible expenses that are in excess of the amounts provided by those other in-force plans or contracts.

Total benefits paid to *you* by all insurers cannot exceed *your* actual expenses. We will coordinate the payment of benefits with all insurers who provide *you* with benefits similar to those provided under this insurance, (except if *your* current or former employer provides *you* with an extended health insurance plan with a lifetime maximum coverage of \$50,000 or less, we will not coordinate payment with that coverage. If *your* lifetime maximum is more than \$50,000, we will coordinate payment) to a maximum of the largest amount specified by any such insurer.

In addition, we have full rights of subrogation. In the event of a payment of a claim under this policy, we will have the right to proceed, in your name, but at our expense, against third parties who may be responsible for giving rise to a claim under this policy. You will execute and deliver such documents as are necessary and cooperate fully with us to allow us to fully assert our rights. You must do nothing to prejudice such rights.

If you are insured under more than one insurance policy underwritten by us, the total amount we pay to you cannot exceed your actual expenses; and the maximum you are entitled to is the largest amount specified for the benefit in any one policy.

IN THE EVENT OF A CLAIM

In the Event of an Emergency

In the event of an *emergency*, call the Assistance Centre immediately, prior to receiving *treatment*:

1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada or

+1 (519) 251-7821 collect where available. The Assistance Centre is ready to assist *you* 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

Please note that if **you do not contact** the Assistance Centre in an *emergency*, **you will have to pay 25% of the eligible medical expenses** we would normally pay under this policy (25% co-insurance).

If it is medically impossible for *you* to call when the *emergency* happens, the 25% co-insurance will not apply. In this case, *we* ask that *you* call as soon as *you* can or that someone call on *your* behalf. Do not assume that someone will contact the Assistance Centre for *you*. It is *your* responsibility to verify that the Assistance Centre has been contacted.

If at time of claim, it is discovered that *you* no longer have coverage under a *government health insurance plan*, the maximum amount payable for all eligible expenses combined will be limited to \$25,000.

If you choose to pay eligible expenses directly to a health service provider without prior approval by the Assistance Centre, these services will be reimbursed to you on the basis of the reasonable and customary charges that we would have paid directly to such provider. Medical charges that you pay may be higher than this amount; therefore, you will be responsible for any difference between the amount you paid and the reasonable and customary charges reimbursed by us. Some benefits are not covered if they have not been authorized and arranged by the Assistance Centre.

To Make a Claim for Benefits

To make a claim for benefits under this policy, *your* written proof of claim and *your* fully completed Manulife Travel Insurance claim form(s) must be sent or submitted to *us* within 90 days after the event, but not more than 12 months after the date of such event or loss.

More information on the documentation that must be sent or submitted with *your* written proof of claim is provided on the following pages.

Written claims correspondence should be mailed to:

Manulife Basic Package Plan

c/o Active Care Management

PO BOX 1237, Station A, Windsor, ON N9A 6P8

Online Claims Submission

For quick and easy claim submission, please have all of *your* documents available [in electronic format] and visit https://manulife.acmtravel.ca to submit *your* claim online.

You may also call the Assistance Centre directly to inquire about your claim status at: 1 855 841-4793.

For coverage information or general enquiries, please contact Manulife Travel Customer Service at **1 866 298-2722**.

If you are making a *Trip* Cancellation or *Trip* Interruption Insurance claim, we will need proof of the cause of the claim, including:

- a) a medical certificate completed by the attending physician and stating why travel was not possible as booked, if the claim is for medical reasons; or
- b) a report from the police or other responsible authority documenting the reason for the delay if *your* claim is due to a misconnection.

We will also need, as applicable:

- a) complete original unused transportation tickets and vouchers;
- b) original passenger receipts for the new tickets you had to purchase;
- c) original receipts for the travel arrangements you had paid in advance and for the extra hotel, meal, telephone, internet usage fees, taxi fares or car rental expenses you may have had;
- d) any other invoice or receipt supporting your claim; and
- e) the entire medical file of any person whose health or *medical condition* is the reason for *your* claim.

If you are making an Emergency Medical Insurance claim, we will need:

- a) original itemized receipts for all bills and invoices;
- b) proof of payment by you and by any other benefit plan;
- c) medical records including complete diagnosis by the attending physician or documentation by the hospital, which must support that the treatment was appropriate and consistent with the diagnosis and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition and quality of medical care and cannot be delayed until your return home;
- d) proof of the accident if *you* are submitting a claim for dental expenses resulting from an accident;
- e) proof of travel (including departure date and return date); and
- f) your historical medical records (if we determine applicable).

Who will we pay your benefits to if you have a claim?

Except in the case of your death, we will pay the reasonable and customary expenses under this insurance to you or the provider of the service. Any sum payable for loss of life will be payable to your estate. You must repay us any amount paid or authorized by us on your behalf if we determine that the amount is not payable under your policy. All amounts shown throughout this contract are in Canadian dollars. If currency conversion is necessary, we will use our exchange rate on the date you received the service outlined in your claim. We will not pay for any interest under this insurance.

Is there anything else you should know if you have a claim?

If you disagree with our claim decision, the matter may be submitted for judicial resolution under the applicable law(s) of the Canadian province or territory where you reside at the time of application for this policy.

Every action or proceeding against an insurer for the recovery of insurance money payable under the contract is absolutely barred unless commenced within the time set out in the *Insurance Act*, or in the *Limitations Act, 2002* in Ontario, or other applicable legislation.

For the purposes of determining the validity of a claim under this policy, we may obtain and review the medical records of the attending physician(s), including the records of the regular physician(s) at home. These records may be used to determine the validity of a claim whether or not the contents of the medical records were made known to you before you incurred a claim under this policy. In addition, we have the right, and you shall afford us the opportunity, to have you medically examined when and as often as may reasonably be required while benefits are being claimed under this policy. If you die, we have the right to request an autopsy, if not prohibited by law.

DEFINITIONS

When italicized in this policy, the term:

Act(s) of terrorism means any activity that involves a threat to use or the actual use of violence or any dangerous or threatening act, or the use of force. Such act is directed against the general public, governments, organizations, properties or infrastructures, or electronic systems.

The intention of such activity is to:

- instill fear in the general public;
- · disrupt the economy;
- intimidate, coerce or overthrow a sitting government or occupying power;
 and/or
- promote political, social, religious or economic objectives.

Act of war means hostile or warlike action, whether declared or not, in a time of peace or war, whether initiated by a local government, foreign government or foreign group, civil unrest, insurrection, rebellion or civil war.

Age means your age at time of application.

Change in medication means the medication dosage, frequency or type has been reduced, increased or stopped, and/or new medication(s) has/have been prescribed. **Exceptions:** the routine adjustment of Coumadin, warfarin or insulin (as long as they are not newly prescribed or stopped) to test *your* blood levels; and a change from a brand name medication to a generic brand medication of the same dosage.

Child, Children means your unmarried, dependent son or daughter or your grandchild(ren) travelling with you or joins you during your trip and is either:

- i) under 21 years of age;
- ii) under 26 years of age if full-time student; or
- iii) your child of any age who is mentally or physically disabled.

In addition, for *Emergency* Medical Insurance, the *children* must be older than 30 days of *age*.

Common carrier means a conveyance (such as a bus, taxi, train, boat, airplane) which is licensed, intended and used to transport paying passengers.

Confirmation means the application for this policy, and any other documents confirming *your* insurance coverage once *you* have paid the required premium; and where applicable, includes the medical questionnaire and *your trip* arrangements. It may also include tickets or receipts issued by an airline, travel agent, tour operator, rental agency, cruise line or other accommodation or travel provider with whom *you* made arrangements for *your trip*.

Departure date means the date you leave for your trip.

Departure point means the place *you* leave from for *your trip* and are going to return to.

Effective date means the date on which *your* coverage starts.

- Trip Cancellation Insurance, your coverage starts at the date and time you
 pay the premium for that coverage, indicated as the purchase date on your
 confirmation.
- For Trip Interruption Insurance, your coverage starts on your departure date.
- For Emergency Medical Insurance, your coverage starts on your departure date when you leave home.

Emergency means a sudden and unforeseen *medical condition* that requires immediate *treatment*. An *emergency* no longer exists when the evidence reviewed by Assistance Centre indicates that no further *treatment* is required at destination or *you* are able to return to *your* province or territory of residence for further *treatment*.

Expiry date means the date your coverage ends.

- For *Trip* Cancellation Insurance, *your* coverage ends on *your* departure date as shown on *your confirmation*.
- For *Trip* Interruption Insurance, *your* coverage ends on the earlier of:

 a) the date when *you* return to *your departure point*; or
 b) on the expiry date as shown on *your confirmation*.
- For Emergency Medical Insurance, your coverage ends on the earlier of:
 a) the date you return home;
 - b) on the expiry date, as shown on your confirmation.

Government health insurance plan means the health insurance coverage that a Canadian provincial or territorial government provides to its residents.

Heart Condition means **ANY** disorder relating to the heart. *Heart conditions* include but are not limited to the following:

- An abnormal cardiac test result
- Atrial fibrillation
- · Chest pain or discomfort due to the heart, or angina
- Heart failure, or heart attack, or myocardial infarction, or cardiac arrest
- Heart murmur (Does not include a murmur that existed as a child if the physician has advised that there is no murmur as an adult.)
- Narrowing or blockage of a coronary artery, or coronary artery disease
- Prior heart surgery of any kind, including but not limited to angioplasty, bypass surgery, valvuloplasty, valve replacement, heart ablation surgery, heart transplantation or surgery for any congenital heart disorder
- Any heart valve disorder, or any rapid, or slow, or irregular heartbeats or heart rates for which a physician has prescribed medication, or for which there has been surgery or cardioversion
- Treatment with a pacemaker or a cardiac defibrillator device
- Water on the lungs or swelling of the ankles due to a heart disorder.

Home means *your* Canadian province or territory of residence. If *you* requested *your* coverage to start when *you* leave Canada, *home* means Canada. In the case of *Trip* Interruption, it means the *departure point*.

Hospital means an institution that is licensed as an accredited hospital that is staffed and operated for the care and treatment of in-patients and out-patients. Treatment must be supervised by physicians and there must be registered nurses on duty 24 hours a day. Diagnostic and surgical capabilities must also exist on the premises or in facilities controlled by the establishment. A hospital is not an establishment used mainly as a clinic, extended or palliative care facility, rehabilitation facility, addiction treatment centre, convalescent, rest or nursing home, home for the aged or health spa.

Immediate family means *spouse*, parent, legal guardian, step-parent, grandparent, step-grandparent, grandchild, in-law, natural or adopted child, step-child, brother, sister, step-brother, step-sister, aunt, uncle, niece or nephew.

Injury means sudden bodily harm and that is caused by external and purely accidental means, and independent of *sickness* or disease.

Medical condition any disease, *sickness* or injury (including symptoms of undiagnosed conditions).

Minor mental or emotional disorder means:

- · having anxiety or panic attacks, or
- being in an emotional state or in a stressful situation.

A *minor mental* or *emotional disorder* is one where *your treatment* includes only minor tranquilizers or minor anti-anxiety (anxiolytics) medication or no prescribed medication at all.

Physician means a person:

- who is not you or a member of your immediate family or your travel companion;
- licensed in the jurisdiction where the services are provided, to prescribe and administer medical treatment.

Pre-existing condition means any *medical condition* that exists prior to your effective date.

Reasonable and customary means charges incurred for goods and services that are comparable to what other providers charge for similar goods and services in the same geographical area.

Sickness means illness, disease, disorder or any symptom.

Spouse means someone to whom one is legally married, or with whom one has been residing and publicly represented as a *spouse*.

Stable means a *medical condition* is considered *stable* when all of the following statements are true:

- there has not been any new treatment prescribed or recommended, or change(s) to existing treatment (including a stoppage in treatment), and
- 2. there has not been any *change in medication*, or any recommendation or starting of a new prescription drug, and
- 3. the *medical condition* has not become worse, and
- 4. there has not been any new, more frequent or more severe symptoms, and
- 5. there has been no hospitalization or referral to a specialist, and
- there have not been any tests, investigation or treatment recommended, but not yet complete, nor any outstanding test results, and
- 7. there is no planned or pending *treatment*.

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All of the above conditions must be met for a *medical condition* to be considered *stable*.

Travel companion means someone who shares *trip* arrangements with *you* on any one *trip*, up to a maximum of 5 persons including *you*.

Travel services means transportation, sleeping accommodation or other service provided or arranged by a *travel supplier* for *your* use (but does not include taxes or insurance).

Travel supplier means a tour operator, travel wholesaler, airline, cruise line, provider of ground transport or provider of travel accommodation or provider of other services to *you* that is:

- a) contracted to provide travel services to you; and
- b) licensed, registered or is otherwise legally authorized in the particular location of the *travel supplier* to operate and provide *travel services* as shown on *your confirmation*.

Treatment means a procedure prescribed, performed or recommended by a *physician* for a *medical condition*. This includes but is not limited to prescribed medication, investigative testing and surgery.

Important: Any reference to testing, tests, test results, or investigations excludes genetic tests. "Genetic test" means a test that analyzes DNA, RNA or chromosomes for purposes such as the prediction of disease or vertical transmission risks, or monitoring, diagnosis or prognosis.

Trip means the period of time between *your* effective date and expiry date as shown on *your confirmation*.

Vehicle includes any private or rental passenger automobile, boat, mobile home, camper truck or trailer home which *you* use during *your trip* exclusively for the transportation of passengers (other than for hire).

We, us, our means FNAIC in connection with risk identified with ‡ throughout this document; and Manulife in connection with all other coverages under this policy.

You, your means the person(s) named as the insured(s) on the *confirmation*, for whom insurance coverage was applied for and for whom the appropriate premium was received by *us*.

In this policy, words and terms denoting the singular shall be interpreted to mean the plural and vice versa, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

Accessible formats and communication supports are available upon request.

Visit Manulife.ca/accessibility for more information.

NOTICE ON PRIVACY

Your privacy matters. We are committed to protecting the privacy of the information we receive about you in the course of providing the insurance you have chosen. While our employees need to have access to that information, we have taken measures to protect your privacy. We ensure that other professionals, with whom we work in giving you the services you need under your insurance, have done so as well. To find out more about how we protect your privacy, please read our Notice on Privacy and Confidentiality.

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- Direct link to the Assistance centre
- Healthcare provider information
- · Directions to the nearest medical facility
- · Official travel advisories
- Travel tips
- Claim submission support

The TravelAid mobile app can also provide *you* with local emergency telephone numbers (such as 911 in North America), and pre- and post-departure travel tips. *We* recommend that *you* download the app before *you* travel to avoid incurring roaming charges that may apply at *your* destination.

HELP IS JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY.

Our multilingual Assistance Centre is there to help and support *you* 24 hours a day, every day of the year, with:

Pre-Trip Information

- √ Passport and Visa information
- √ Health hazards advisory
- √ Weather information
- √ Currency exchange information
- √ Consulate and Embassy locations

During A Medical Emergency

- √ Verifying and explaining coverage
- $\sqrt{}$ Referral to a doctor, *hospital*, or other health care providers
- √ Monitoring *your* medical *emergency* and keeping *your* family informed
- $\sqrt{}$ Arranging for return transportation *home* when medically necessary
- Arranging direct billing of covered expenses (where possible)

Other Services

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- $\sqrt{}$ Assistance with lost, stolen or delayed baggage
- √ Assistance in obtaining emergency cash
- √ Translation and interpreter services in a medical *emergency*
- √ Emergency message services
- √ Help to replace lost or stolen airline tickets
- √ Assistance in obtaining prescription drugs.
- √ Assistance in obtaining legal help or bail bond

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1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada **+1 (519) 251-7821** collect where available.

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