

# Product summary for Manulife Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption Policy

Helps offer protection if something unexpected happens before or during your trip

# **HOW TO CONTACT US**

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#### **GUIDELINES FOR REVIEWING THIS SUMMARY**

# "You" can refer to many people

When referring to "you," we mean the person who purchased the insurance and any other insured person, unless the context states otherwise.

## "Trip" has a specific meaning

The word "trip" refers to the time between your effective date and the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

# Words in italics have a specific meaning

Refer to the Definitions section of this summary to find the meaning of each italicized word or phrase.

#### This is a summary

Review the <u>sample policy</u> for complete details. You can get a copy from your travel agency or on the website where you buy your insurance. You can also find the sample policy at: <a href="https://www.manulife.ca/personal/insurance/associations-insurance-plans/travel-insurance-policies-and-product-summaries.html">https://www.manulife.ca/personal/insurance/associations-insurance-plans/travel-insurance-policies-and-product-summaries.html</a>

#### THINGS TO CONSIDER

#### Before you buy this insurance

- Do you, and all the people you want to insure, meet **all** the eligibility requirements? Anyone who does not meet all the eligibility requirements might not be covered. To make sure, read section 1. Who can buy this insurance.
- Do you, or any of the people you want to insure, have a *medical condition* that is not *stable*? If so, expenses relating to the *medical condition* may not be covered.

### Before you travel

- Do all insured people still meet all eligibility requirements? Otherwise, exclusions may apply. Check before you leave.
- Have there been any changes in the health of any insured people since you purchased your insurance? If so, exclusions may apply.

### DON'T FORGET

All amounts in this summary are shown in Canadian dollars.

All coverages are per person unless the context states otherwise.

Provide full and accurate information. If you make a false or incorrect statement or if you fail to declare certain information before or during the coverage period, we may cancel your policy and/or deny your claim.

## Don't leave without paying

You're not covered until you pay for your insurance.

Note: The insurance policy doesn't provide any temporary coverage.

# 1. WHO CAN BUY THIS INSURANCE

# Requirements for purchasing this insurance

You can buy this insurance if you, and any people you want to insure, meet all the following requirements:

- You meet all the eligibility requirements.
- You purchase the insurance for the entire duration of your trip.

#### You cannot buy this insurance if:

- You were advised by a physician not to travel.
- You have been diagnosed with a terminal illness with less than 6 months to live.
- You have a kidney condition that requires dialysis.
- You have used home oxygen during the 12 months before you applied for this insurance.

If you don't meet the eligibility requirements, you cannot purchase the insurance:

- You will not be covered.
- The insurance will be cancelled.
- Your claim will not be paid.

# 2. WHO IS INSURED AND HOW WE CALCULATE YOUR INSURANCE COST



You are insured if:

- You meet all the requirements when you purchased this insurance
- You paid for the insurance.

## Your insurance costs are based on the following criteria:

- The age of each traveller
- The amount of coverage you choose the cost of your trip that you choose to insure
- The date you purchase the insurance coverage (if you receive a quote for insurance coverage, the cost of insurance may be different when you are ready to purchase)

The cost includes premium tax and the cost of any administration by us.

#### Other fees and costs

The insurance is sold within Canada only by authorized Manulife distributors. The sale is subject to applicable federal and provincial sales taxes. We charge a single, fixed amount and there are no other fees or expenses related to the cost of the insurance. The insurance is not renewable.

#### 3. THE LENGTH OF YOUR INSURANCE DEPENDS ON YOUR TRAVEL DATES

#### Maximum trip duration

The maximum trip duration this policy will cover, including any extensions, is 365 days.

# 4. YOUR INSURANCE APPLIES WORLDWIDE

**Warning:** Exclusions may apply if the Government of Canada has issued an advisory against travel to a certain region or country before you purchase the insurance or before you leave for your trip.

# 5. SUMMARY OF COVERAGES

# TRIP CANCELLATION & TRIP INTERRUPTION INSURANCE

The Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption Insurance section of the sample policy contains the full list of insurance benefits, including:

- · Covered events for cancelling your trip
- Covered events if you need to interrupt your trip
- The limits to the amounts we will pay
- The expenses we do not cover including pre-existing medical conditions

#### TRIP CANCELLATION

Trip Cancellation coverage is available before you leave on your trip and covers up to the amount that you select and purchase for the value of your trip. To have full coverage under Trip Cancellation, you should purchase coverage for the full value of your trip. There are specific covered events that allow you to cancel your travel arrangements and receive reimbursement. Some events may also apply to your *travel companion* 

Covered maximum: The amount of insurance coverage you purchase for your policy

#### Covered expenses, events, and risks

This is an overview of some covered expenses, events, and risks. For a full list, read "Trip Cancellation Insurance benefits" and "Trip Cancellation Insurance covered events" in the sample policy.

- Non-refundable portion of your trip or difference in price for next occupancy charges if your *travel companion* cancels their trip and you leave on your own
- Medical events
- · Government and legal events
- Work and education obligations

#### TRIP INTERRUPTION

Trip Interruption coverage is available if your trip is interrupted, delayed, you miss a connection, or you experience a travel disruption. If you must return to your *departure point* or go directly to your next destination, we pay certain non-refundable expenses for the portion of the trip you were unable to take.

There are specific covered events that allow you to interrupt your travel arrangements and receive reimbursement. Some events may also apply to your *travel companion*.

**Covered maximum:** The amount of insurance coverage you purchase for your policy

#### Covered expenses

This is an overview of covered expenses and applicable limits. For a full list, read "Trip Interruption Insurance benefits" and "Trip Interruption Insurance covered events" in the sample policy.

• Any unused portion of your trip that is non-refundable and non-transferable to another travel date or the extra cost to your next destination

100%

**Note:** We don't pay for the return ticket you purchased, but we cover the extra cost of your airfare to return to your *departure point*.

· Extra costs for incidentals

\$350 per day, to a maximum of 2 days

· Expenses related to your death

Specific benefit maximums are listed in the sample policy

## **Exclusions for Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption Insurance**

Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, Misconnection, Travel Disruption, and Delayed Return insurance coverage does not cover the expenses listed in this section. For a full list of exclusions, read "Exclusions & limitations for Trip Cancellation & Trip Interruption Insurance" in the sample policy.

- Your health before your trip
- The medical condition of the person you are visiting
- Minor mental or emotional disorder (anxiety)
- Events that you should have known may arise
- Expenses or losses when the Government of Canada has issued a formal warning to the country you are visiting
- Expenses related to pre-existing medical conditions:

If, at the time you purchase this insurance, you have a *medical condition* that is not *stable* in the mandatory 3-month or 12-month stability period before your insurance purchase date, we will not provide coverage for that condition.

Your medical condition is not stable if you have any new symptoms or if there is a change in medication or treatment during the stability period.

Coverge purchases	Required stability period before your departure date
Less than \$20,000	Any medical condition must be stable in the 3 months before your departure date
\$20,000 or more	Any medical condition must be stable in the 12 months before your departure date

#### **DELAYED RETURN INSURANCE AND OTHER EVENTS**

If a covered event happens after you leave home and makes it impossible for you to return home as outlined on your confirmation, we pay certain expenses during the time you are prevented from travelling. Read "Delayed Return Insurance benefits," "Delayed Return Insurance covered events," and "Other Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, and Delayed Return Insurance covered events" in the <a href="mailto:sample policy">sample policy</a> for a full list of benefits, including any restrictions and limits to the amount we pay.

#### **DEFAULT SUPPLIER PROTECTION COVERAGE**

This benefit provides coverage when your *travel supplier* ceases operations due to bankruptcy or insolvency and you do not receive the services you contracted the *travel supplier* to provide. To use this benefit, the *travel supplier* must substantially or completely discontinue their business. Read "Default Supplier Protection coverage" in the <u>sample policy</u> for full details.

# **MANULIFE FLIGHT ASSISTANCE**

This insurance policy also provides you with another value-added service. In this section, we outline some details of the Manulife Flight Assistance benefit. Read "Benefits" and "General conditions" in the <u>sample policy</u> for a list of all the benefits, the limits to the amounts paid, and the general conditions.

# **Covered maximum:** \$140 per policy for each registered insured person

To be covered for Manulife Flight Assistance, you must register the date and time of each flight on your airline booking receipt for all insured travellers at <u>flightassistancemanulife.com</u>. You must register each flight at least 1 hour before the original schedule departure time. Payments and services are offered by our partner, Blink Parametric (Blink). Blink monitors and tracks all flights that you register with them at least 1 hour before the scheduled departure time. If the airline delays or cancels your flight, Blink arranges payment of the covered benefits.

### Covered expenses

- If the flight is delayed by a minimum of 3 hours, each registered person receives \$40.
- If the flight is delayed by a minimum of 6 hours, each registered person receives \$140.
- If the flight is totally cancelled, each registered person receives \$140.

# 7. HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM



You can use the Manulife TravelAid<sup>™</sup> mobile app to make a claim. Before you travel, download the Manulife TravelAid mobile app through the Google Play<sup>™</sup> store or the Apple App Store<sup>®</sup>.



You can submit your claim online at manulife.acmtravel.ca

For faster and easier submissions, have all your documents available in electronic format, such as PDF or JPEG/JPG.



You can also write to us at:

Manulife Travel Insurance c/o Global Excel Management

P.O. Box 1237, Station A, Windsor, ON N9A 6P8

# 90 days to make your claim

You must send us written proof of your claim within 90 calendar days of an event.

## We pay within 30 days if your claim is approved

We notify you of our decision within 30 days after receiving your claim and all supporting documents. If we decline your claim, we explain our reasons to you, in writing.

# YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS IF YOU DISAGREE WITH OUR DECISION OR WANT TO FILE A COMPLAINT

1. You can ask us to reconsider your claim.

You can contact Customer Service, and, if you are still not satisfied, the Manulife Ombuds Office.

For more information: manulife.ca/personal/support/contact-us/resolve-a-complaint

2. You can contact the Autorité des marchés financiers.

The Autorité des marchés financiers reviews your file and can help us find a solution together, such as offering dispute resolution services. For more information: lautorite.qc.ca/en/general-public/assistance-complaints-and-compensation/

3. You can contact the OmbudService for Life and Health Insurance.

For more information: https://olhi.ca/

4. You can contest our decision in court.

Your legal action must be taken within the 3-year time frame prescribed by the Civil Code (prescription period). We recommend that you seek legal advice for information on your rights and the appeal process.

# 8. YOUR RIGHT TO RESCIND AN INSURANCE CONTRACT

Within 10 days after purchasing your insurance: Full refund.

A refund of trip cancellation insurance is possible only if you have not left on your trip. If you want to cancel your insurance contract, you must complete a Notice of Rescission of an Insurance Contract. You can get a copy of this document from your distributor or online at: <a href="https://www.igoinsured.com/travelcontent/?file=MS-MC Sched5.pdf">https://www.igoinsured.com/travelcontent/?file=MS-MC Sched5.pdf</a>

Your travel booking and any other contract you enter with your travel agency remains in effect.

No refund in other cases.

# 9. DEFINITIONS

departure point - The place you leave from for your trip and are going to return to.

medical condition - Any disease, sickness, or injury including symptoms of undiagnosed conditions.

minor mental or emotional disorder – 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.

pre-existing medical condition - A medical condition that exists before your effective date is considered pre-existing.

**stable** - A *medical condition* is *stable* when all the following criteria are true:

- There has not been any new *treatment* prescribed or recommended, or change(s) to existing *treatment* (including a stoppage in *treatment*), and
- There has not been any change in medication, or any recommendation or starting of a new prescription drug, and
- The medical condition has not become worse, and
- There have not been any new, more frequent, or more severe symptoms, and
- 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
- There is no planned or pending *treatment*.

All these conditions must be met for a medical condition to be considered stable.

travel companion - Someone who shares trip arrangements with you on any 1 trip, to a maximum of 5 people including you.

**treatment** - Hospitalization, 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.

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