

Manulife Travel Insurance

# Manulife Youth Deluxe All-inclusive Policy for Travelling Canadians

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# 10-day free look period

You have 10 days from the date you purchase the insurance to review this policy and make sure it meets your needs. You may terminate the insurance and receive a premium refund if:

- You have not departed on your trip; and
- No claims are in progress.

To request a refund, contact us, the broker, or the travel agency where you purchased this insurance. A premium refund is not available after the 10-day free look period.

Underwritten by The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company (Manulife). Some portions may be underwritten by First North American Insurance Company (FNAIC), a wholly owned subsidiary of Manulife.

Claim payment and administrative services are provided by the administrator, Active Claims Management Inc. Manulife has appointed Active Claims Management (2018) Inc., operating as "Active Care Management", "ACM" "Global Excel Management" and/or "Global Excel" as the provider of all assistance and claims services.

#### 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, meaning 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 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. For coverage information or general inquiries, contact your travel agent or broker or Manulife Customer Service at 1-800-565-2338. You can also send an email to travel@manulife.ca.



#### TRAVEL HEALTH INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF CANADA (THIA)

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, visit:

thiaonline.com/Travel\_Insurance\_Bill\_of\_Rights\_and\_Responsibilities

# TRAVEL ASSISTANCE AND CLAIM SUBMISSION FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD

# Manulife TravelAid™ app

Before you travel, download the Manulife TravelAid mobile app through the Google Play™ store or the Apple App Store®. TravelAid offers immediate access to healthcare provider information, directions to the nearest medical facility, international 911 lookup, pre- and post-departure travel tips, and claim submission support to out-of-province and out-of-country travellers. So, no matter where your travels take you – and no matter your travel emergency situation – TravelAid ensures you have access to all the care you need.

#### Features of the app include:

- Access to international emergency numbers by GPS
- Speaking to medical doctors
- Finding medical facility locations by GPS
- Current travel advisories
- Contact form with your preferred method of returned communications (text, email, phone) for 24/7 assistance
- Claims submission portal
- Relevant and timely travel tips

#### Online claim submission

In addition to the mobile app, you can also submit your claims online at <u>manulife.acmtravel.ca</u>. For faster and easier submissions, have all your documents available in electronic format, such as PDF or JPEG/JPG.

# 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.

#### MANULIFE FLIGHT ASSISTANCE

Manulife has contracted Blink Parametric (Blink) to use their technology to monitor and track all flights that you register with them at <u>flightassistancemanulife.com</u>. If your airline provider delays your flight at least 3 hours beyond the scheduled departure time or cancels your flight, Blink administers payment of the covered benefits. Review the <u>Manulife Flight Assistance</u> section of this policy for full details.

Important: You must register your mobile/cell phone number and the flight information for each flight in your journey at least 1 hour before the scheduled departure time. Blink will contact you at the phone number you provide in your registration. This service is provided by Blink and its availability is subject to change without notice.

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# YOUTH DELUXE ALL-INCLUSIVE POLICY

In an *emergency*, contact the Assistance Centre immediately. They are available 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

From Canada or USA: 1-888-881-8010 Collect, where available: +1(519) 945-8346

You can also contact the Assistance Centre with the TravelAid mobile app. Download the app through the Google Play store or the Apple App Store. For more information, visit active-care.ca.

If you do not call the Assistance Centre, you must pay 25% of the eligible medical expenses we normally pay under this plan. For more information, read the <a href="Exclusions & limitations for Emergency">Exclusions & limitations for Emergency</a> Medical insurance section.

Do not assume that someone will contact the Assistance Centre for you. It is your responsibility to verify they are contacted. If it is medically impossible for you to call during the *emergency*, the 25% co-insurance does not apply. In this case, contact the Assistance Centre as soon as possible or have someone call on your behalf.

If you choose to pay for expenses before you contact the Assistance Centre, we reimburse you according to *reasonable* and customary charges that we would have paid directly to the provider. Medical charges you pay may be higher than this amount and you are responsible for the difference between the amount you paid and what we reimburse. Some benefits are not covered unless they are pre-approved and pre-arranged by the Assistance Centre.

# **GUIDELINES FOR READING THIS POLICY**

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. When you read this policy, please keep this information in mind:

- All amounts in this policy are shown in Canadian dollars.
- Italicized words have a specific meaning. Refer to the
   <u>Definitions</u> section of this policy to find the meaning of each italicized word or phrase.
- "You" and "your" can refer to many people. It means the
  person named as insureds on the confirmation, for whom
  coverage was applied, and for whom we received the
  appropriate premium, unless the context states otherwise.
- "We," "us," and "our" means Manulife and/or FNAIC throughout this policy.
- Any claims you submit to us must be for items or events that are insured under this policy and for people who are included in this insurance coverage.
- All coverages are per person unless the context states otherwise.
- Words and terms that appear in the singular can be interpreted to mean the plural and vice versa unless the context indicates otherwise.

# 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; and
- Your application for this policy; and
- The confirmation issued in respect of that application; and
- Any riders, amendments, or endorsements resulting from extensions of or changes in coverage.

# **HOW TO CONTACT US**

Prior to travelling, or when travelling and you require *emergency* assistance, call 1-888-881-8010 toll-free from the USA and Canada or + 1(519) 945-8346 collect where available. For coverage information or general enquiries, contact your travel agent or broker or Manulife Customer Service.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

#### REQUIREMENTS TO PURCHASE THIS INSURANCE

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

- Are at least 30 days of age and under age 30
- Live in Canada
- Are travelling for 30 days or less
- Are covered under a government health insurance plan (GHIP) for the entire trip duration
- Purchase coverage for the full trip duration and for the full value of the pre-paid, non-refundable portion of your trip up to \$10,000

#### **CHAPERONE COVERAGE**

Chaperone coverage is available for 1 chaperone to 5 youths. To be considered a chaperone, you must be appointed by the organization or the principal leader of the youth group to accompany youths *age* 18 or younger.

You must also:

- Be age 65 or younger at the time of the application
- Live in Canada
- Be travelling for 30 days or less
- Be covered under a *GHIP* for the entire *trip* duration
- Purchase coverage for the full *trip* duration and for the full value of the pre-paid, non-refundable portion of your *trip* up to \$10,000

#### GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE

Coverage must be for the entire time that you are away from *home*. You must pay the required premium to us, your travel agency, or broker before you leave *home*.

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:

• <u>Emergency Medical Insurance pre-existing condition</u> exclusions

After you apply for insurance, meet all eligibility requirements, and pay the appropriate premiums, we will pay up to the maximums outlined in this policy. We pay the benefits in this document subject to the terms, limitations, exclusions, and other conditions and in excess of the benefits that are payable under any group, individual, private, or public plan or contract of insurance, including any auto insurance plan and your *GHIP*.

SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS		
TRIP CANCELLATION AND TRIP INTERRUPTION INSURANCE		
Trip Cancellation	Up to the covered amount	
	you selected, to a maximum	
	of \$10,000	
Trip Interruption	Economy fare	
Schedule change	Up to \$1,000	
Accommodations and meals	Up to \$300	
for <i>Trip</i> Interruption		
Accommodations and meals	Up to \$700	
for <i>Trip</i> Disruption		
Default protection	Read benefit information	
EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE		
Hospital and medical	Up to \$5 million, combined	
Medical repatriation	with all other medical	
	expenses	
Accommodations and meals	Up to \$3,500	
Bedside visit	Round-trip economy fare	
Expenses related to your	Read benefit information	
death		
FLIGHT ACCIDENT INSURANCE AND WORLDWIDE ACCIDENT		
INSURANCE		
Flight Accident	Maximum \$100,000	
Worldwide Accident	Maximum \$50,000	
BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE, AND DELAY INSURANCE		
Delayed luggage	Maximum \$400	
Delayed sports equipment	Maximum \$150	
Lost luggage	Up to \$500 per item to a	

#### YOUR COVERAGE EFFECTIVE DATE

*Trip* Cancellation Insurance coverage starts on the date and time you pay the premium.

maximum of \$1,000 per trip

\**Trip* Interruption, *Emergency* Medical, Flight Accident and Worldwide Accident, and Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance coverages all start on your *departure date*.

\*Note: If you purchase this insurance as a top-up to another plan, coverage starts on the effective date indicated on the *confirmation* you receive for your top-up. The coverage with us must be purchased before your other plan expires.

# YOUR COVERAGE EXPIRY DATE

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

*Trip* Interruption, Flight Accident and Worldwide Accident, and Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance coverages all end on the earlier of:

- The date you return to your departure point; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return *home*; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

#### **COVERAGE EXTENSIONS**

#### **Automatic extensions**

Under *Trip* Interruption Insurance, we extend your coverage automatically beyond the date you are scheduled to return *home*, shown as the expiry date on your *confirmation*, in the following instances:

- If your *common carrier* or *vehicle* is delayed and prevents you from travelling on your *expiry date*, we extend your coverage for up to 72 hours.
- If you have an *emergency* that prevents you from returning *home* on the scheduled date, we extend your coverage for up to 10 days.
- If you are admitted to a *hospital* and unable to return *home* on your scheduled date, we extend your coverage for up to 30 days.

Note: If it is medically possible for you to travel before the extended 10 or 30 days, we will consider claims up to the earlier date only.

Under all other insurance coverages, we extend your coverage automatically beyond the date you are scheduled to return *home*, shown as the expiry date on your *confirmation*, in the following instances:

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

Note for all insurance coverages: If you have been advised by a medical professional to self-isolate or quarantine beyond your *expiry date*, we will extend your coverage for the duration of your quarantine and up to 72 hours after the date your quarantine ends.

#### Staying longer than planned

You may be able to extend your coverage before you leave *home* or during your *trip* when you call Manulife Customer Service or the travel agency or broker where you purchased your coverage, as long as it has not expired.

Additionally, to extend your coverage:

- You must pay the additional premium.
- There must not be any change in your health status.
- No event may have taken place that resulted in a claim or may result in a claim in the future.

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

#### Top-ups

If you want to top-up another plan for *trips* longer than the number of coverage days you have, call Manulife Customer Service or the travel agency or broker where you purchased your coverage to add days before you leave *home*.

It is your responsibility to confirm that top-ups are allowed on your existing plan.

#### PREMIUM REFUNDS

There are no premium refunds available under this policy. Exception: The 10-day free look period.

#### MEDICAL CONCIERGE SERVICES

This policy provides value-added medical concierge services through our partner, Standby $MD^{TM}$ .

StandbyMD has an international network of medical providers and partners who can provide quick and streamlined services and access to healthcare, 24 hours a day, every day of the year. StandbyMD offers access to personalized care including:

- Telephone or video chat with a qualified physician who can assess symptoms and provide treatment options (for eligible cases)
- A network of physicians who make house call visits in 141 countries and over 4,500 cities
- In-network clinics and emergency rooms when necessary
- Coordination and delivery of lost or forgotten prescription medications, eyeglasses or contact lenses, and medical supplies when you travel within Canada and the US

#### How this service works

StandbyMD triages you according to your symptoms, profile, and location and then refers you to the most appropriate level of care for your situation.

The worldwide network offers preferred rates and direct billing options to help reduce your out-of-pocket expenses. The StandbyMD program also helps coordinate payment for eligible expenses according to the terms and conditions of this policy. To use this service, contact the Assistance Centre at the number provided in this policy.

# Disclaimer, waiver, and limitation of liability

StandbyMD is not intended as a substitute for professional medical advice. The program is provided to assist you in finding medical providers.

The advice StandbyMD provides is a recommendation only and entirely voluntary. You retain the right to choose your own level of care, regardless of the recommendation StandbyMD makes. Medical providers within the StandbyMD network are not employees or agents and are not affiliated with StandbyMD in any way beyond accepting referrals. StandbyMD has no control – real or implied – over the medical judgment, actions, or inactions of the medical providers and does not assume any responsibility for:

- Availability of the medical providers
- · Quality of the medical providers
- The results or outcome of any treatment or service

You waive any and all rights to proceed legally against StandbyMD or anyone related to StandbyMD.

Related people include principals, parents, successors, and assigns of StandbyMD.

Waiving these rights to proceed legally includes the following that relate in any way to the medical concierge services offered by StandbyMD:

- Any and all claims
- Demands
- · Actions and causes of action
- Suits of any kind, nature, or amount

StandbyMD's liability, if any, is limited solely to the amount of payment made to participating medical providers for services you received after obtaining a referral from StandbyMD.

# TRIP CANCELLATION AND TRIP INTERRUPTION INSURANCE

To have full coverage under *Trip* Cancellation and *Trip* Interruption Insurance, make sure you purchase coverage for:

- The full value of your pre-paid, non-refundable *trip*, up to \$10,000
- Any published cancellation or amendment fees you may incur
  if you have to cancel your trip, up to \$200
- The entire duration of your *trip*

#### TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE BENEFITS

*Trip* Cancellation Insurance coverage starts on the date and time you pay the premium.

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

If you are unable to travel as planned because one of the <u>Trip</u> <u>Cancellation and Trip Interruption Insurance covered events</u> happens before you leave *home*, we pay up to the covered insured amount that you selected when you applied for insurance:

- For the prepaid, unused portion of your insured travel arrangements that are non-refundable and non-transferrable to another travel date
- For the next occupancy charge if your travel companion cancels due to an applicable covered event and you decide to travel as planned
- For any published fees that a travel agency charges for cancellation, amendment, and/or administration to a maximum of \$200, as long as the fees are included in the covered amount of *Trip* Cancellation Insurance you purchased

#### CONDITIONS THAT APPLY TO TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE

You must cancel your *trip* before your scheduled *departure date* with your travel agent or *travel supplier* on the day the cause or cancellation occurs or by the next business day.

Claim payments are limited to the cancellation penalties specified in the *travel supplier*'s terms and conditions for the insured *trip* in effect on the next business day that follows the day the cause of cancellation occurs.

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

#### **TRIP INTERRUPTION BENEFITS**

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

*Trip* Interruption Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return home; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

If a *Trip* Cancellation and *Trip* Interruption Insurance covered event interrupts your *trip* on or after the day you leave *home*, we pay:

- The prepaid, unused portion of your insured *trip* that is non-refundable and non-transferrable to another date, minus the prepaid, unused transportation *home*.
- Up to \$150 per day to a maximum of \$300 for your additional and unplanned hotel and meal expenses, your essential phone calls, internet usage fees, taxi fares, or car rental in lieu of taxis. This benefit is available only when earlier transportation is not available.
- The extra cost of your one-way economy class transportation on the most cost-effective itinerary to your next destination, or to return home.
- The fees for the next occupancy changes if your travel companion, who you shared pre-paid accommodation with, cancels and you decide to continue the trip as originally planned.
- Published cancellation fees that you are charged for unused hotel accommodations or the early return of your rental vehicle.
- The cost of a round-trip ticket you have paid for, up to the amount of a one-way economy class fare to return *home*, if you must interrupt your *trip* to attend a funeral or to go to the bedside of a hospitalized *immediate family* member.
- If you die during your *trip*, we reimburse your estate for your prepaid, unused *travel arrangements*.

We also reimburse your estate for one of the following:

- The costs to prepare your body where you die plus costs to return your body or ashes *home* in the standard transportation container used by the airline;
   or
- Up to \$3,000 to prepare your body and bury or cremate you where you die.

Expenses for headstones, caskets, and funeral service charges are not covered.

# *TRIP* CANCELLATION AND *TRIP* INTERRUPTION INSURANCE COVERED EVENTS

#### Medical events

- 1. You or your *travel companion* develop a sudden and unforeseen *medical condition* or die unexpectedly.
- 2. Any of the following people develop a sudden and unforeseen *medical condition* or dies unexpectedly:
  - A member of your *immediate family*
  - A member of your travel companion's immediate family

- 3. Any of the following people who are not travelling with you develop a sudden and unforeseen *medical condition* or die unexpectedly:
  - Your key person
  - Your travel companion's key person
- 4. Your friend who is not travelling with you dies unexpectedly.
- 5. Based on medical history, you or your travel companion cannot be immunized or take preventative medication that is required to enter a location on your travel itinerary. Note: The mandatory immunizations or preventative medications must have become a requirement after you made your travel arrangements and purchased this insurance.
- 6. Quarantine or hijacking of you, your *travel companion*, or the *spouse* or *children* of either.
- 7. The host you are staying with at their home for the majority of your *trip* is quarantined, admitted to a *hospital*, or dies.

#### Pregnancy and adoption events

- 8. Any of the following applies to you, your *travel companion*, or the *spouse* of either:
  - Become pregnant after the effective date and your departure date is within 9 weeks of the expected delivery date or later
  - Complications in the first 31 weeks of pregnancy and the attending *physician* advises against travel
  - Legally adopt a child and the date of adoption is during the trip and the notice of adoption is received after the date you applied for insurance
- 9. The early and unexpected birth of your *immediate family* member not travelling with you during your *trip*.

#### Work and education obligations

- You, your spouse, or your travel companion are called to emergency service as a member of police force, armed forces, reserves, firefighting unit, or essential medical personnel.
- 11. Any of the following applies to you, your *spouse*, your parent/legal guardian, or your *travel companion*:
  - Lose a permanent job by layoff or dismissal without cause, if you had no knowledge of such action before the application date
  - Transferred by your employer and must move your principal residence

Note: Parent/legal guardian applies to full-time elementary or high school students only.

12. The purpose of your *trip* is a business meeting, trade show, training course, or convention for you or your *travel* companion and the event is cancelled. The event must have been scheduled before you purchased this insurance. The cancellation must be beyond your or your *travel* companion's control or beyond the control of your or your *travel* companion's employer.

The event must not be between companies with related ownership. In the case of a trade show, training course, or a

- convention, you or your *travel companion* must be registered to attend.
- 13. The date of a previously scheduled exam that you or your travel companion must write changes and now falls during your *trip*. The new date must have been published after you purchased this insurance.
  - Note: This benefit applies to professional career course exams and college or university exams.
- 14. You or your *travel companion* fail an exam and must re-take the exam on a date that falls during your *trip*.
- 15. The school board cancels your school *trip* because of:
  - A teachers' labour strike
  - Risk of harm to you during your school *trip* because of an identified threat from an event that occurred within 90 days of your scheduled *departure date*. The school *trip*, or a portion of the *trip*, must include a visit or a stay in the area where the event occurred.

# Government and legal events

- 16. If, during your coverage period, any of the following apply to you, your *travel companion*, or the *spouse* or *children* of either:
  - Called to jury duty
  - Subpoenaed as a witness
  - Must appear as a defendant in a civil suit
- 17. Travel visas for you or your *travel companion* are not issued for reasons beyond your and your *travel companion*'s control.
  - Note: Documentation must show that you or your *travel companion* were eligible to apply, that you were not refused because of your late application, and the application is not an additional attempt for a visa that was previously refused.
- 18. After the date you purchased your insurance, the Government of Canada issues a formal warning for Canadian residents to Avoid non-essential travel or to Avoid all travel to any destination included in your *trip*.
- 19. After the date you purchased your insurance, a pandemic or natural disaster results in a state of emergency declared by any provincial or foreign governing body at any destination included in your trip.

#### Accommodations and transportation events

- 20. Any of the following applies to you or your *travel companion* when a disaster or event beyond your or your *travel companion*'s control prevents the ability to:
  - Stay in your principal residence
  - Operate your place of business
  - Note: Events must not include any intentional or negligent acts on your part.
- 21. The principal residence or place of business of you or your *travel companion* is burglarized within 7 days of your *departure date,* and you must cancel your *trip* to secure the location or meet with police and insurance companies.
- 22. After you book your *trip*, a natural disaster leaves either of the following uninhabitable:

- Your insured, prepaid accommodation when the accommodation does not qualify for reimbursement from the travel supplier
- The home of the host you are staying with for the majority of your trip

#### Forces of nature

23. You chose not to continue with your *travel arrangements* because weather conditions, earthquakes, or volcanic eruptions cause delays to at least 30% of your *trip*.

#### Acts of terrorism

- 24. If an *act of terrorism* directly or indirectly causes loss that is eligible under the terms and conditions of this policy, we cover:
  - Up to 2 acts of terrorism within a calendar year; and
  - Up to a maximum aggregate payable limit of \$2.5 million across all eligible, in force *trip* cancellation and *trip* interruption policies that are issued and administered by us.

The amount we pay for each eligible claim is in excess of all other payments you receive, including alternative or replacement travel options and other insurance coverage. The amount we pay for claims is reduced on a pro rata basis so as not to exceed the respective aggregate maximum we pay after the end of the calendar year and after we adjudicate all claims related to acts of terrorism.

# TRIP DISRUPTION INSURANCE: BENEFITS AND COVERED EVENTS

The disruption of your *trip* by one of the following unforeseen events must happen during your coverage period.

#### Delay

- 1. If at any time during your insured *travel arrangements* one of the <u>Reasons for delay</u> causes you to miss a connection or you must interrupt your *trip* for any of the following reasons, we pay:
  - The pre-paid, non-refundable portion of your *travel* arrangements that are unused, excluding the cost of the pre-paid transportation back to your *departure point*
  - The cost of one-way economy transportation on the most cost-effective itinerary to the next destination on your trip, including the return to your departure point

# Reasons for delay

- A. You miss a connection or must interrupt your *trip* when your connecting *vehicle* is delayed for any of these reasons:
  - Mechanical failure of your private automobile
  - Traffic accident
  - Police-directed emergency road closure
  - Weather conditions
  - Earthquakes
  - Volcanic eruptions

Note: You must have scheduled enough time to arrive at your boarding point to comply with the *travel supplier*'s check-in procedures.

- B. You miss a connection or must interrupt your *trip* when your connecting *common carrier* is delayed or cancelled for any of these reasons:
  - Mechanical failure of your common carrier
  - Traffic accident
  - Police-directed emergency road closure
  - Weather conditions
  - Unannounced strike
  - Earthquakes
  - Volcanic eruptions

Note: The connecting *common carrier* must have scheduled enough time to arrive at your boarding point to comply with the *travel supplier*'s check-in procedures.

- C. You miss a connection because a passenger on your cruise ship has a medical *emergency* that delays or changes your itinerary.
- 2. Forces of nature affecting travel plans
  - A. You choose not to continue with your *travel* arrangements because weather conditions, earthquakes, or volcanic eruptions cause delays to your scheduled *common carrier* for at least 30% of your *trip* duration. We will pay:
    - The prepaid, non-refundable, unused portion of your insured travel arrangements, minus the prepaid, unused transportation back to your departure point
    - Any insured published service, cancellation, or administrative fees that are specifically indicated on your confirmation
    - The cost for one-way economy transportation on the most cost-effective itinerary to return you to your departure point
  - B. If your *travel companion's* flight is delayed for at least 30% of the *trip* by weather conditions, earthquakes, or volcanic eruptions and your *travel companion* decides not to travel, we pay the cost of your next occupancy charge.

# Schedule change causing a misconnection

- 3. If the airline you are booked on has a *schedule change*, we pay:
  - The change fee charged by the airline or up to \$1,000 for the extra cost of one-way economy fare on the most cost-effective itinerary to the next destination on your trip, including the return to your departure point, when you miss a connection to another portion of your travel arrangements because of the schedule change; or
  - The change fee charged by the airline or the extra cost of a one-way economy fare to modify or replace the portion of your *trip* that is no longer usable so you may continue your *travel arrangements* as originally scheduled.

#### Cancellations

- 4. If the airline you are booked on cancels a flight included in your *travel arrangements*, we pay up to \$1,000 for the prepaid, non-refundable airfare that is no longer usable.
- 5. If your cruise or tour is cancelled for any reason except *default* and the cancellation occurs:
  - Before you depart from your departure point, we reimburse the prepaid portion of the non-refundable airfare that is not part of your tour/cruise package, up to \$1,000.
  - After you depart from your departure point but before the cruise/tour ship departs, we reimburse the lesser of:
    - The extra cost of one-way transportation on the most cost-effective itinerary to return you to your departure point, up to \$1,000; or
    - The change fee charged by the airline on existing tickets, if that option is available, to return you to your departure point.

#### Lost or stolen passports

- 6. If your or your *travel companion's* passport and/or travel visa is lost or stolen during your *trip*, we pay:
  - Reasonable and customary travel and accommodation expenses until the documents are replaced; and
  - The change fee charged by the airline, to a maximum of \$1,000.

#### Accommodations and meals

- If your *trip* is disrupted for any of the <u>Trip Disruption</u>
   <u>Insurance: Benefits and covered events</u>, we pay up to \$150 per day for additional and unplanned hotel and meal costs; essential phone calls, and taxis to a maximum of \$300.
- 8. If a natural disaster leaves your insured prepaid accommodation uninhabitable, we reimburse up to \$250 for accommodations.
  - Note: The benefit applies only when the prepaid accommodation does not qualify for reimbursement from the *travel supplier*.
- 9. If your insured hotel is overbooked and your tour provider provides you with a lesser-quality hotel, we reimburse you up to \$250.

These benefits are available when all *travel arrangements* are booked before or concurrently with your *trip*.

Original receipts are required when you submit a claim for these benefits.

#### **VACATION VOUCHER**

If you return *home* earlier than your scheduled return date due to the death or hospitalization of your *immediate family* member or your *key person* not travelling with you, we will issue a vacation voucher up to \$750 when:

- You consequently miss at least 75% of your scheduled package tour; and
- You request the voucher from us.

#### LIMITATIONS FOR A VACATION VOUCHER

- You are eligible to receive a vacation voucher only if we have approved and paid a valid *trip* interruption claim under the *Trip* Cancellation and *Trip* Interruption Insurance of this policy.
- 2. The redeemable voucher is:
  - Payable only to you; and
  - Valid for 180 days (indicated as the expiry date on your voucher) from the date you returned from your interrupted *trip*; and
  - Non-transferable; and
  - Not redeemable for cash.
- 3. The replacement trip must:
  - Begin before the expiry date on your voucher; and
  - Be purchased through a travel agency that offers Manulife Travel Insurance.

# EXCLUSIONS & LIMITATIONS FOR TRIP CANCELLATION, TRIP INTERRUPTION, AND TRIP DISRUPTION INSURANCE

Please review the <u>definition</u> of *stable* as you read this section. *Trip* Cancellation, *Trip* Interruption, and *Trip* Disruption insurance does not cover losses or expenses incurred for or resulting from any of the following:

- Any reason, circumstance, event (including, without limit, a pandemic as declared by the World Health Organization or natural disaster), or medical condition affecting you or anyone, that you are aware of when you buy this insurance:
  - That could prevent you from starting your *trip*; and/or
  - That could prevent you from completing your *trip*.
- 2. Any claim caused by a *medical condition* that arises during your coverage period and for which:
  - You were advised by a *physician* not to travel.
  - You travelled with the intention of obtaining medical *treatment*.
  - You received a terminal prognosis before your trip.
  - You have symptoms that would cause an ordinarily prudent person to seek medical advice.
- 3. The *medical condition* or death of a person who is ill when the purpose of your *trip* is to visit that person.
- 4. 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
- 6. Any *medical condition* that is the result of you not following *treatment* as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 7. 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
  - Arising during your *trip* from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other intoxicants

- 8. Any loss that results from your *minor mental or emotional* disorder.
- 9. Your:
  - 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
- 10. Your child born during your trip.
- 11. Pregnancy termination/abortion.
- 12. An *emergency* resulting from an accident that happens when you participate in any of the following activities:
  - A sporting activity you are paid for, including snorkeling and scuba diving
  - Any form of BASE jumping, such as wingsuit flying
  - Hang gliding
  - Rock climbing
  - Mountain climbing, including ascending or descending a mountain using specialized equipment such as crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners, and lead or top-rope anchoring equipment
  - Competitions, speed events, or other high-risk activities using motor *vehicles* on land, water, or in the air and training activities for these events on approved tracks or elsewhere
- 13. Expenses you incur as the result of an inadequate or invalid passport, visa, or other documentation that is required by countries included in your *travel arrangements*.
- 14. Participation in armed forces training exercises or manoeuvres.
- 15. Any act of war.
- 16. Any *act of terrorism* caused by biological, chemical, nuclear, or radioactive means.
- 17. Any loss, act of terrorism, or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating to Avoid non-essential travel or to Avoid all travel regarding the country, region, or city of your destination, before your effective date. To read the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.
  - Note: This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.
- 18. Any claims submitted for someone who is not insured on the policy.
- 19. Your inability to obtain desired accommodations or your aversion to the *trip* or to the transportation you use during your *trip*.
- 20. Any expenses you incur at any destination included in your *trip*, when before your *departure date* there were foreign government and/or regional travel guidelines or restrictions in place requiring you or your *travel companion* to self-isolate or quarantine for a specific period of time during your *trip*.
- 21. Any *Trip* Interruption benefits because of a quarantine or self-isolation in Canada as mandated by any government.

22. If this policy is purchased to top-up the coverage provided by another insurance provider, we do not pay for any expenses related to a claim that are incurred before the *effective date* of this policy.

# **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. Important:

- We do not cover any losses that arise when an agent, travel agency or broker experiences bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, or seeks protection thereof.
- Additionally, we do not cover losses from a foreign travel supplier, unless the travel services are part of an inclusive package. An inclusive package means a travel itinerary which would include transportation, accommodation, and possibly meals, packaged together for one price.

You may submit a claim for *Default* Supplier Protection Coverage when all of the following scenarios apply:

- You entered into a contract for travel services with a travel supplier who is in good standing. Good standing means that at the time you booked your travel arrangements, and before you purchased the insurance, the travel supplier was not bankrupt, insolvent, in receivership, or seeking protection from creditors under bankruptcy, insolvency, or any similar legislation.
- You do not receive part or all of your pre-paid *travel* arrangements.
- You have already exhausted <u>all</u> options to recover the costs of the undelivered *travel services*. This means you must first seek compensation from the *travel supplier*, any government or other compensation fund, your credit card company, or a source that is legally responsible or under contract to reimburse you before you submit your claim to us.

### **BENEFITS**

If the *default* happens <u>before your *departure date*</u>, we reimburse you for the pre-paid, non-refundable *travel services* in the *Trip* Cancellation coverage you purchased for your *trip*, up to the <u>Limits and maximums</u> outlined in this policy.

If the *default* happens <u>after your *departure date*</u>, we reimburse you for the following, up to the <u>Limits and maximums</u> outlined in this policy:

- The pre-paid, non-refundable *travel services*, excluding your pre-paid, unused transportation *home*
- Additional and unplanned hotel and meal costs; essential phone calls, and taxis to a maximum of \$200 per day for 3 days
- The extra cost of economy transportation on the most costeffective itinerary to your next destination or to return you home

#### LIMITS AND MAXIMUMS

The maximum we will pay for 1 *trip* is \$3,500.

The maximum we will pay for all insured persons covered under the same Manulife policy is \$7,500.

Benefits are also subject to an overall maximum aggregate payable limit across all eligible policies that are issued and administered by us. The maximum aggregate limits are:

- \$1,000,000 for the default of 1 travel supplier
- \$3,000,000 for *defaults* of all *travel suppliers* that occur in the same calendar year

The amount we pay for claims will be reduced on a pro rata basis so as not to exceed the respective maximum aggregate we pay after the end of the calendar year and after we adjudicate all claims related to *travel supplier default*.

# **EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE**

*Emergency* Medical Insurance coverage starts on your *departure date*.

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return home; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

#### **EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE BENEFITS**

This section outlines eligible expenses for *Emergency* Medical Insurance.

We cover expenses for your *emergency* medical *treatment* up to \$5,000,000 during your *trip* when:

- The medical *emergency* begins unexpectedly after you leave *home*.
- The expenses are more than what is covered by your *GHIP* or other benefit plan.
- The *treatment* is required for your *emergency* and ordered by a *physician* or a dentist for dental *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 MRIs, MRCP tests, CAT scans, CT angiograms, sonograms, ultrasounds, nuclear stress tests, biopsies, angiograms, angioplasty, cardiovascular surgery including any associated diagnostic tests, cardiac catheterization, or any surgery.

In the event of an *emergency*, call the Assistance Centre immediately:

1-888-881-8010 toll-free from the USA and Canada or +1(519) 945-8346 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.

Covered expenses and benefits are subject to policy maximums, exclusions, limitations, and any applicable deductibles.

#### **COVERED EXPENSES**

### 1. Emergency medical treatment

We consider reasonable and customary expenses for:

- Medical care received from a physician
- Hospital room costs
- Intensive care costs if considered medically necessary by the attending *physician* that could not be avoided without adversely affecting your condition and quality of medical care
- Services of a licensed private duty nurse in lieu of hospitalization when ordered by the attending *physician* and arranged by the Assistance Centre
- The lesser cost to rent or purchase a wheelchair, hospital bed, brace, crutch, and other medical appliances when pre-approved by the Assistance Centre
- Tests to diagnose or learn more about your condition
- Drugs available with a prescription only, prescribed to you by a physician or dentist

# 2. Paramedical services

We pay up to \$300 per category of practitioner for *emergency* services provided by a licensed chiropractor, osteopath, physiotherapist, chiropodist, or podiatrist for a covered *medical condition*.

#### 3. Ambulance transportation

We pay *reasonable and customary* charges for a local licensed ambulance service to transport you to the nearest medical facility that can fully treat your *medical condition* in an *emergency*.

If an ambulance was medically necessary but not available, expenses will be reimbursed for local taxi fares. If local taxi services are required to get to and from the nearest medical service provider for an *emergency*, expenses will be reimbursed up to \$100.

#### 4. Expenses related to your death

If you die during your *trip*, we reimburse your estate for one of the following:

- The costs to prepare your body where you die plus costs to return your body or ashes *home* in the standard transportation container used by the airline; or
- Up to \$5,000 to prepare your body and bury or cremate you where you die.

Expenses for headstones, caskets, and funeral service charges are not covered.

If someone must travel to the place of your death to identify your body, we pay for round-trip economy class airfare on the most cost-effective itinerary for that person. We also pay up to \$450 for their hotel and meal expenses and provide them with up to 3 business days of *emergency* medical insurance under the same terms and conditions of this policy.

# 5. *Emergency* medical transportation/Expenses to bring you *home*

We pay reasonable and customary expenses when:

- The treating physician recommends that you should be transported to another hospital or return home because of your emergency; or
- You call the Assistance Centre, and our medical advisors recommend, approve, and pre-arrange for you to be transported to another hospital because of your emergency or return home after your emergency.

#### Expenses include:

- The cost of an economy-class fare on the most costeffective itinerary to return home; or
- A stretcher fare on a commercial flight on the most cost-effective itinerary to return *home* if a stretcher is medically necessary; and
- The return cost of an economy-class fare on the most cost-effective itinerary if a qualified medical attendant must accompany you on your return home because it is required by the airline or it is medically necessary. We also pay reasonable and customary fees and expenses for the medical attendant.
- The cost of an air ambulance if it is medically necessary, consistent with your condition, and cannot be avoided without adversely affecting the quality of your medical care.

### 6. Expenses to bring someone to your bedside

We pay expenses for 1 relative or close friend's travel and accommodation to visit at your bedside when:

- You are hospitalized due to a critical sickness or injury;
- The attending physician states in writing that it is necessary for someone to travel to, remain with, and/or escort you back to your province or territory of residence in Canada, provided prior written approval is obtained by contacting the Assistance Centre.

#### Benefits include:

- Up to \$3,500 for return economy-class airfare on the most cost-effective itinerary
- Up to \$500 for their hotel and meals
- Emergency medical insurance for them under the same terms and conditions of this policy until you are medically fit to return home

# 7. Emergency dental treatment

If you need emergency dental treatment, we pay:

- Up to \$300 for services to relieve dental pain; and
- Services to repair or replace natural or permanently attached artificial teeth when you suffer an accidental blow to the mouth.
- We also consider up to \$1,500 in the 180 days after the accident to continue medically necessary treatment after you return to Canada.

# Expenses to bring home children under your care When pre-approved by the Assistance Centre, if you are hospitalized for more than 24 hours or must return home

because of an *emergency*, we pay the following to return *children* who are travelling with you and are under your care:

- Extra cost of one-way economy class airfare on the most cost-effective itinerary; and
- If required by the airline, the cost of return economy class airfare on the most cost-effective itinerary and overnight accommodation for a qualified escort.

Note: This benefit applies when the *children* are insured under a travel policy that is underwritten by us.

#### 9. Expenses for childcare

We pay up to \$50 per day to a maximum of \$500 for professional childcare services if you are relocated to receive *emergency* medical *treatment* or delayed beyond the scheduled *return date* due to your *sickness* or *injury*. Note: This benefit applies when the childcare provider is not the *child*'s parent or member of their *immediate family*, your *travel companion*, or the host you are staying with during your *trip*. You must provide original receipts from the professional childcare provider.

# 10. Expenses to bring *home* your *travel companion*

If you return *home* under the <u>Emergency medical</u> <u>transportation/Expenses to bring you *home* benefit, we pay the extra cost of a one-way economy class airfare on the most cost-effective itinerary to return your *travel companion* to their province or territory of residence in Canada.</u>

Note: This benefit applies when your *travel companion* is insured under a travel policy that is underwritten by us.

# 11. Your travel expenses due to the repatriation of your *travel companion*

If you are unable to return as originally scheduled because your *travel companion* is medically evacuated or dies, we pay the extra cost of one-way economy transportation on the most cost-effective itinerary to your province or territory of residence in Canada.

#### 12. Expenses to return your *vehicle*

When pre-approved by the Assistance Centre, we cover reasonable and customary charges for a commercial agency to return your vehicle home or the return of a rental vehicle to a rental agency if you experience an emergency and cannot drive your vehicle.

### 13. Hospital allowance

When you are hospitalized for 48 hours or more, we reimburse you for out-of-pocket expenses such as phone calls, TV rental, and parking fees. We pay up to \$50 per day to a maximum of \$500. You must provide original receipts for all expenses.

### 14. Baggage return

When you return *home* under the *Emergency* medical <u>transportation/Expenses to bring you *home*</u> benefit, we pay up to \$200 to return your baggage to your *home*.

Note: This benefit applies when pre-approved by the Assistance Centre.

### 15. Expenses to replace prescription drugs

If you forget to bring your prescription medication on your *trip* or if it is lost, stolen, or damaged, we pay up to \$50 to replace the medication when it is medically necessary for you to continue taking it.

We do not cover:

- Vitamins or vitamin preparations
- Over the counter drugs available without a prescription
- Contraceptives or birth control

#### 16. Extra expenses for incidentals

We reimburse up to \$350 per day to a maximum of \$3,500 for the following extra expenses:

- Meals
- Hotels
- Essential phone calls
- Internet usage fees
- Taxi fares or car rental fees

These expenses are eligible when you, your *travel companion*, or an *immediate family member* who is travelling with you on your *trip*:

- Are unable to travel home as originally planned due to a medical emergency; or
- Require emergency medical treatment at a location different from your original destination; and
- You provide receipts or other proof of payment.

#### 17. Acts of terrorism

If an *act of terrorism* directly or indirectly causes loss that is eligible under the terms and conditions of this policy, we cover:

- Up to 2 acts of terrorism within a calendar year; and
- Up to a maximum aggregate payable limit of \$35 million across all eligible, in force emergency medical policies that are issued and administered by us.

The amount we pay for each eligible claim is in excess of all other payments you receive, including alternative or replacement travel options and other insurance coverage. The amount we pay for claims is reduced on a pro rata basis so as not to exceed the respective aggregate maximum we pay after the end of the calendar year and after we adjudicate all claims related to acts of terrorism.

### **QUARANTINE EXPENSES**

We do not pay any benefits for any government mandated quarantine or self-isolation in Canada.

If you or your *travel companion* must unexpectedly self-isolate or quarantine after your *departure date* outside of your province or territory of residence, as determined by a medical professional, we will:

- 1. Pay up to \$500 for your one-way economy class fare on the most cost-effective itinerary to return you *home* when you are delayed beyond the date you were originally scheduled to return *home*; and/or
- 2. Pay up to \$200 per day per insured person for additional and unplanned accommodations and meals to a maximum of \$2,800.

This benefit is payable to a maximum of 14 days when you are delayed beyond your originally scheduled return date and/or you must pay unexpected costs for new accommodations and/or meals where you must quarantine. It is your responsibility to find accommodation during your quarantine. If you must quarantine at a medical facility and *treatment* is not required, we pay up to the maximums noted in this section.

3. Extend your coverage for the duration of your self-isolation or quarantine and for up to 72 hours after the self-isolation or quarantine period ends if you must stay at your destination beyond your *expiry date*.

# EXCLUSIONS & LIMITATIONS FOR *EMERGENCY* MEDICAL INSURANCE

We do not pay for claims or benefits that relate directly or indirectly to any of the expenses or services in this section. Please review the <u>Definitions</u> of *pre-existing condition* and *stable* as you read this section.

- 1. Pre-existing conditions
  We do not pay any expenses related to a pre-existing condition that was not stable in the 3 months before your effective date.
- 2. Any *medical condition* when before your purchase date you do not meet all of the eligibility requirements.
- 3. Expenses that exceed a maximum of \$25,000 if you do not have valid coverage under a *GHIP* for the entire duration of your *trip*.
- 4. Covered expenses that are more than the *reasonable and customary* charges where the medical *emergency* happens.
- 5. 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*.
- 7. Any non-emergency, experimental or elective treatment such as cosmetic surgery, chronic care, rehabilitation including any expenses for directly or indirectly related complications.
- 8. 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. Any *medical condition* or symptoms when any of the following apply:
  - Before you leave *home* or before the *effective date* of coverage, you know, or it is reasonable to expect that *treatment* will be required during your *trip*.
  - Treatment or investigation is planned before you leave home.
  - You have symptoms that would cause an ordinarily prudent person to seek treatment for in the 3 months before your trip.

- The medical condition or symptoms cause your physician to advise you not to travel.
- You received a terminal prognosis before your *trip*.
- 10. Any *trip* made for the purpose of obtaining a diagnosis, *treatment*, surgery, investigation, palliative care, or any alternative therapy, whether or not it was authorized by a *physician*, as well as any directly or indirectly related complication.
- 11. For policy extensions and top-ups
  We do not pay claims for any *medical condition* that first appeared, was diagnosed, or required *treatment* after your *departure date* and before the *effective date* of the insurance extension or top-up.
- 12. An *emergency* resulting from an accident that happens when you participate in any of the following activities:
  - A sporting activity you are paid for, including snorkeling and scuba diving
  - Any form of BASE jumping, such as wingsuit flying
  - Hang gliding
  - Rock climbing
  - Mountain climbing, including ascending or descending a mountain using specialized equipment such as crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners, and lead or top-rope anchoring equipment
  - Motorcycling, unless you hold a valid Canadian motorcycle driver's license
  - Moped riding, unless you hold a valid Canadian driver's license
  - Spelunking
  - Hunting
  - · Bungee jumping
  - Piloting an aircraft
  - Competitions, speed events, or other high-risk activities using motor *vehicles* on land, water, or in the air and training activities for these events on approved tracks or elsewhere
- 13. 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.
- 15. Any *medical condition* that is the result of you not following *treatment* as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 16. 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
  - Arising during your *trip* from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other intoxicants
- 17. Any loss that results from your *minor mental or emotional disorder*.

#### 18. Your:

- 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
- 19. Your child born during your *trip*.
- 20. Any *medical condition* related to a birth defect if the insured *child* is under *age* 2.
- 21. Any further medical *treatment* if our medical advisors determine that you should transfer to another facility or return to your *home* province or territory of residence for *treatment*, and you choose not to.
- 22. Consequential loss of any kind, including loss of enjoyment and financial loss not otherwise specifically covered under this policy.
- 23. Participating in armed forces training, exercises, and/or maneuvers.
- 24. Pregnancy termination/abortion.
- 25. If a benefit requires pre-approval or pre-arrangement from the Assistance Centre, we do not pay claims when:
  - You do not contact the Assistance Centre
  - The Assistance Centre does not authorize or arrange the services for the benefit
- 26. Any act of war.
- 27. Any *act of terrorism* caused by biological, chemical, nuclear, or radioactive means.
- 28. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating to Avoid non-essential travel or to Avoid all travel regarding the country, region, or city of your destination, before your effective date. To read the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.
  - Note: This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.
- 29. For quarantine, the following also apply:
  - We do not pay any benefits for quarantine or selfisolation in Canada as mandated by any government.
  - We will not provide coverage for any pre-paid, unused *travel arrangements*.
  - We will not cover any expenses you incur when you or your travel companion are denied entry to a country or region included in your trip when, before your departure date, there was a foreign government and/or regional travel guideline restricting entry of Canadian residents or guidelines that require self-isolation or quarantine for a specific period of time during your trip.

# FLIGHT ACCIDENT INSURANCE AND WORLDWIDE ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Coverage for Flight Accident Insurance and Worldwide Accident Insurance starts on your *effective date*.

Coverage for Flight Accident Insurance and Worldwide Accident Insurance ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return to your departure point; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

This section outlines the benefits covered by Flight Accident Insurance and Worldwide Accident Insurance.

- 1. We pay \$100,000 under Flight Accident Insurance or \$50,000 under Worldwide Accident Insurance if an *injury* during your *trip* causes any of the following in the 12 months after the accident:
  - Two of your limbs are fully severed above the wrist or ankle joints
  - You become permanently blind in both eyes
  - Your death
- 2. We pay \$50,000 under Flight Accident Insurance or \$25,000 under Worldwide Accident Insurance if an *injury* during your *trip* causes any of the following in the 12 months after the accident:
  - One of your limbs is fully severed above the wrist or ankle joint
  - You become permanently blind in one eye
- If you have more than 1 accidental *injury* during your *trip*,
  we pay the applicable amount for 1 accident only. The
  payment will be for the accident that provides the largest
  benefit amount.
- 4. Disappearance

If your body is not found within 1 year after the date of disappearance caused by the sinking or destruction of the transportation you were riding the time of the covered accident, we presume you have died an accidental death and we will pay the applicable benefit.

To be considered under Flight Accident Insurance, the accident that causes the *injury* must happen during one of the following situations:

- You have a ticket in your name for the entire duration of your airline *trip* and are travelling on a commercial passenger plane. The tickets in your name must be purchased and/or issued before the application date.
- You are making a flight connection, you are riding over land or water on transportation provided at the expense of the airline, you are riding in transportation provided by the airport authority, or you are riding in a scheduled helicopter shuttle service between airports.
- You are riding as a passenger in an airport limousine, bus, or vehicle provided by the airline.
- You are at an airport for the departure or arrival of a flight covered by this insurance.

This benefit covers air travel only for a single *trip* when tickets were issued and/or purchased before the application date. For the purposes of this benefit, a single *trip* means air travel

arrangements that were booked and paid for on or before the date you applied for insurance and form part of your travel itinerary as of the application date.

#### LIMITATION OF LIABILITY AND AGGREGATE LIMIT

The maximum aggregate amount of travel accident insurance for which you can be covered under this policy and all other travel accident insurance policies issued by us is limited to \$1,000,000. Any amount purchased in excess of this amount will be void and the premiums paid for it will be refunded. Our maximum aggregate liability under this policy and all other travel accident insurance policies issued by us with respect to any one aircraft accident is limited to \$25,000,000, which will be shared proportionately among all claimants entitled to claim. In addition, our maximum aggregate liability under this policy and all other travel accident insurance policies issued by us under this benefit with respect to more than one aircraft accident occurring during a calendar year is limited to \$25,000,000.

# EXCLUSIONS & LIMITATIONS FOR FLIGHT ACCIDENT INSURANCE AND WORLDWIDE ACCIDENT INSURANCE

We do not provide any coverage for travel on a flight that is purchased after the date of application, unless a separate application is made, and the appropriate premium paid. We do not pay for claims for expenses or losses or benefits that relate to any of the activities in this section.

- 1. An *emergency* or accident that happens when you participate in any of the following activities:
  - A sporting activity you are paid for, including snorkeling and scuba diving
  - Any form of BASE jumping, such as wingsuit flying
  - Hang gliding
  - Rock climbing
  - Mountain climbing, including ascending or descending a mountain using specialized equipment such as crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners, and lead or top-rope anchoring equipment
  - Motorcycling, unless you hold a valid Canadian motorcycle driver's license
  - Moped riding, unless you hold a valid Canadian driver's license
  - Spelunking
  - Hunting
  - Bungee jumping
  - Piloting an aircraft
  - Skydiving or parachuting
  - Competitions, speed events, or other high-risk activities using motor *vehicles* on land, water, or in the air and training activities for these events on approved tracks or elsewhere
- 2. Piloting or learning to pilot an aircraft or acting as a member of an aircraft crew.
- 3. Your self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.

- Participating in armed forces training exercises or
   maneuvers
- 5. If this insurance is purchased to top-up another insurance coverage, any expenses related to a claim that occurred when the other insurance was in force.
- 6. Any claim that results from or is related to your or your beneficiary's commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- 7. Any *medical condition* that is the result of you not following *treatment* as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 8. 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
  - Arising during your *trip* from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other intoxicants
- 9. Any loss that results from your *minor mental or emotional disorder*.
- 10. Any losses directly or indirectly caused by an existing disease or bodily infirmity, even if an accidental *injury* triggers or re-triggers the existing condition.
- 11. Any act of war
- 12. Any *act of terrorism* caused by biological, chemical, nuclear, or radioactive means.
- 13. Any act of terrorism, loss, or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory issued by the Canadian government states to Avoid non-essential travel or to Avoid all travel regarding the country, region, or city of your destination, before your effective date. To read the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.

Note: This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.

# BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE, AND DELAY INSURANCE

Coverage for Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance starts on your *effective date*.

Coverage for Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return to your departure point; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

This insurance covers the loss of, damage to, and the delay of baggage and personal effects that belong to you and you use during your *trip*.

We pay up to \$500 for any 1 item or set of items and the maximum we pay under this policy is \$1,000 per *trip*. Note: Jewellery or cameras (including camera equipment) are respectively considered single items.

#### BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE, AND DELAY INSURANCE BENEFITS

This section outlines the benefits that are covered by this insurance.

- 1. We pay *reasonable and customary* costs to replace the following lost or stolen documents:
  - Passport
  - Travel visa

We also cover up to \$200 per *trip* for travel and accommodation expenses you incur while you wait for the replacement documents.

- 2. If your driver's license and/or birth certificate is lost or stolen, we pay up to \$50 to replace them.
- 3. If your checked luggage is delayed for at least 10 hours by the *common carrier* during your *trip*, we pay up to \$400 per *trip* for necessary toiletries or clothing.

Note: This benefit applies only when the delay happens before you return *home*.

4. If your checked sports equipment is delayed for at least 10 hours by a *common carrier* during your *trip*, we pay up to \$150 to rent sports equipment.

Note: This benefit applies only when the delay happens before you return to your *departure point*.

5. Delayed wheelchair

If your wheelchair is delayed by the *common carrier* for at least 10 hours during your *trip*, we pay up to \$100 to rent a similar device to use during your *trip*.

Note: This benefit applies only when the delay happens before you return to your *departure point*.

When you submit a claim for benefits, we need:

- Proof of the delay from the common carrier or airline
- Original receipts for the rental

# EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS FOR BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE, AND DELAY INSURANCE

We do not pay claims for expenses or losses outlined in this section.

- 1. Any of the following items:
  - Animals
  - Perishable items
  - Bikes that are not checked as baggage with the common carrier
  - Household items and furniture
  - Artificial teeth or limbs
  - Retainers, contact lenses, glasses of any type
  - Money, tickets, securities, documents
  - Any personal electronic devices such as cell phones, laptops, or tablets
  - Items related to your occupation
  - Antiques, fragile and collector's items
  - Illegally obtained items
  - Articles insured on a valued basis by another insurer
- Damage or loss resulting from wear and tear, deterioration, defect, mechanical breakdown, atmospheric moisture/dampness, extreme hot or cold temperatures, your imprudence, or omission.

- 3. Any items that are confiscated, detained, seized, or destroyed by Customs or any other authorities.
- 4. Any of the following items:
  - Unaccompanied baggage
  - · Personal property that is left unattended
  - Personal property that is left in an unattended vehicle or unlocked trunk of a vehicle
  - Jewellery or cameras placed in the custody of a common carrier
  - Baggage or personal effects shipped under a freight contract.
- 5. Your losses resulting from theft that are not reported to the authorities.
- 6. Any loss resulting from an *act of war* or an *act of terrorism* while at a destination when, an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating to Avoid non-essential travel or to Avoid all travel regarding the country, region, or city of your destination, before your *effective date*. To read the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.

# **HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM FOR BENEFITS**

Claim payment and administrative services are provided by the administrator, Active Claims Management Inc. Manulife has appointed Active Claims Management (2018) Inc., operating as "Active Care Management," "ACM," "Global Excel Management," and/or "Global Excel" as the provider of all assistance and claims services.

You must send written proof, a completed claim form, and any other information we ask for within 90 days of the event that results in the claim. In some cases, we accept claims up to 12 months after the event. We do not accept any claims after 12 months.

In this section, we list all the documents and information we need to process your claim. We may ask for different information depending on the type of claim you submit.

# **EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE CLAIMS**

We need the following information when you submit your claim:

- 1. Original, itemized bills and invoices
- 2. Proof of payment by you (receipts)
- 3. Proof of payment from any other insurance plan or any *GHIP*
- 4. Applicable medical records, including:
  - Complete diagnosis by the attending physician
  - Documentation from the *hospital* that the *treatment* was appropriate and consistent with your diagnosis
  - Documentation that states the treatment could not be delayed until you returned home without adversely affecting your condition and quality of medical care
- 5. Proof of the accident if you submit a claim for dental expenses that result from an accident
- 6. Proof of travel, including your *departure date* and return date
- 7. Your historical medical records if we ask for them

#### If you are submitting a claim for quarantine expenses

We also need the following information, where applicable:

- A medical certificate completed by the attending physician that states why travel was not possible as booked or a report from an authority that documents the reason for the selfisolation or quarantine
- Original passenger receipts for the new tickets you had to purchase
- Original receipts for the *travel arrangements* you had paid in advance
- Original receipts for the extra hotel and meal expenses

# *TRIP* CANCELLATION INSURANCE AND *TRIP* INTERRUPTION INSURANCE CLAIMS

We need the following information when you submit your claim. Note: These procedures are not applicable to travel credits or vouchers you receive when a *travel supplier* cancels a portion of your *trip*.

#### If the claim is for medical reasons:

- A medical certificate from the attending *physician* explaining why travel was not possible
- A death certificate if you cancel your *trip* due to a death
- The medical file of the person whose health or *medical* condition is the reason for your claim

# If the claim is not for medical reasons, applicable documents such as:

- A copy of a subpoena if you cancel your trip for jury duty or being called as a witness
- A police report if you are involved in an accident
- Documents from a responsible authority if you miss a common carrier because of a covered event
- Complete, unused transportation tickets and vouchers
- Original passenger receipts for the new tickets you purchased
- Original receipts for your pre-paid travel arrangements and the extra expenses you incurred for hotels, meals, telephone, internet, taxis, or car rentals

# Any additional invoices or receipts that support your claim. HOW TO MANAGE A TRAVEL CREDIT OR VOUCHER WHEN A TRAVEL SUPPLIER CANCELS YOUR TRIP

If a *travel supplier* cancels any portion of your *trip* that was booked with them and offers you or gives you a travel credit or voucher as reimbursement for the unused portion of your insured *travel arrangement*, we consider you as reimbursed for that *travel arrangement*.

We will not pay any claims for a *travel arrangement* when:

- You receive a travel credit or voucher for the full value of the insured *travel arrangement* with the *travel supplier*; or
- You were offered a travel credit or voucher, but you did not accept it.

Note: If your travel credit or voucher does not cover the full value of your insured *travel arrangement* with the *travel supplier*, you may submit a claim for the difference.

#### BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE, AND DELAY INSURANCE CLAIMS

- If you experience theft, burglary, robbery, malicious mischief, or disappearance or loss of an item, you must:
  - Report it to the police immediately, or to the hotel manager, tour guide or transportation authorities if the police are not available
  - Obtain a written report from the police, or from the hotel manager, tour guide or transportation authorities
  - Take all precautions to protect, save, or recover the property immediately
  - Advise us as soon as you return home
- 2. If the property you check with a *common carrier* is delayed, we continue to provide coverage until the property is delivered to you by the *common carrier*.
- 3. We cover the current cash value of your property when it is lost or damaged. We also reserve the option to repair or replace your property with something of the similar kind, quality, or value. We may ask you to send us the items so we can have them appraised for damage. If the lost or damaged item is part of a set, we cover a reasonable and fair proportion of the value of the set, but not the total value.
- 4. When you make a claim for lost, damaged, or delayed property, we need:
  - Copies of reports from the authorities as proof of the loss, damage, or delay
  - Proof that you owned the items and receipts for replacing them

# FLIGHT ACCIDENT INSURANCE AND WORLDWIDE ACCIDENT INSURANCE CLAIMS

We need the following information:

- Report from the police, coroner, or autopsy
- Medical records
- Death certificate, if applicable

Note: If your body is not found within 12 months of the flight or travel accident, we presume you died from your *injury*.

#### WHERE TO SUBMIT YOUR CLAIMS

#### Mobile app

Before you travel, download the Manulife TravelAid mobile app through the Google Play store or the Apple App Store. Use the app to begin the process to file a claim and track your claim status.

#### Online

Visit <u>manulife.acmtravel.ca</u> to submit your claim online. For faster and easier submissions, have all your documents available in electronic format, such as a PDF or a JPEG.

### By mail

Mail all claims correspondence to: Manulife Travel Insurance c/o Global Excel Management P.O. Box 1237, Stn. A Windsor, ON N9A 6P8

#### Telephone

For questions about your claim status, contact the Assistance Centre.

#### WHO WE PAY BENEFITS TO IF YOU HAVE A CLAIM

We pay *reasonable and customary* covered expenses to you or to the service provider, minus any applicable deductibles. We pay loss of life benefits to your estate.

If we determine that an expense is not eligible under your policy, you must repay any amount we paid or that you authorized us to pay on your behalf.

All amounts in this policy are shown in Canadian dollars. When we convert currency, we use our exchange rate on the date of service shown on your receipt. We do not pay any interest.

# OTHER INFORMATION YOU SHOULD KNOW IF YOU HAVE A CLAIM

You may disagree with our claim decision and contest our decision in court under the laws of the Canadian province or territory where you live at the time you applied 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.

# WHAT ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

This insurance is void if, at any time during the application process or during your coverage, you, anyone who acts on your behalf, or anyone insured under this policy:

- · Commits fraud or attempted fraud
- Attempts to deceive us in any way
- Conceals or misrepresents any material facts or circumstances
- Provides incomplete or inaccurate information

When we process your claims, we may review your medical history. If any information is incomplete or inaccurate, your coverage is void and we do not pay your claims.

This policy is non-participating and does not entitle you to share in our divisible surplus.

We restrict the right of anyone to designate persons to whom or for whose benefit insurance money is payable.

This policy is governed by and construed according to the laws of your province or territory of residence.

Despite any other provision contained in the contract, this contract is subject to applicable statutory conditions in the Insurance Act, applicable in your province or territory 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**

You must pay the premium when you purchase this insurance, according to the rates in effect at that time. Premiums and policy terms and conditions are subject to change without notice.

You enter into a binding contract with us when:

- · You meet all eligibility requirements; and
- · Pay the required premium; and
- Receive a *confirmation* with a contract policy number. If, at any time, we determine that you are not eligible for coverage, we will refund your premiums only. No other refunds are eligible. You are responsible for any expenses not paid by

If the premium you pay does not cover the cost for the period of coverage you choose:

- We charge you and collect any underpayment; or
- We shorten the policy period when a premium cannot be collected. We will advise you of the shortened period in writing.

Your coverage is null and void when any of the following happens:

- We don't receive premium payment
- · Your cheque is not honoured
- · Credit card charges are invalid
- There is no proof of your payment

# HOW THIS INSURANCE WORKS WITH OTHER COVERAGES YOU HAVE

This is a second payor policy. The total benefits you receive from all insurers may not exceed the actual expenses. We consider claims for amounts that are greater than what you are covered for under any other policies, including but not limited to the following:

- Third-party liability
- Group or individual, basic, or extended health insurance plans or contracts
- Private, provincial, or territorial auto insurance plans that cover *hospital*, medical, or therapeutic expenses
- Any other third-party liability insurance

We coordinate benefits payments with all insurers who provide you benefits similar to the ones provided in this policy, to a maximum of the highest amount specified by any insurer. Exception: If your current or former employer provides an extended health insurance plan with a lifetime maximum of \$50,000 or less, we do not coordinate payment. If you are insured under more than 1 policy or certificate underwritten by us, the maximum we pay is the highest amount for the benefit in any 1 policy or certificate.

#### **SUBROGATION**

We have full rights of subrogation. If we pay a claim under this policy, we have the right to proceed against any third parties who may be responsible for giving rise to a claim under this policy. We may proceed in your name at our expense. You agree to provide any documents we need and to fully cooperate with us to assert our rights. You agree that you will not do anything to prejudice our rights.

# **STATUTORY CONDITIONS**

#### **COPY OF APPLICATION**

Upon request, a copy of the application shall be given to you or to a claimant under the contract.

#### WAIVER

We reserve the right to decline any application or any request for extensions of coverage. No condition of this policy shall be deemed to have been waived, either in whole or in part, unless the waiver is clearly expressed in writing and signed by Manulife.

#### MATERIAL FACTS

No statement made by you at the time of application for this contract shall be used in defence of a claim under or to avoid this contract unless it is contained in the application, or any other written statements or answers furnished as evidence of insurability.

#### **TERMINATION BY INSURER**

We may terminate this contract in whole or in part at any time by giving written notice of termination to you and by refunding, concurrently with the giving of notice, the amount of premium paid in excess of the proportional premium for the expired time. The notice of termination may be delivered to you, or it may be sent by registered mail to your latest address on record. Where notice of termination is delivered to you, 5 days' notice of termination will be given; where it is mailed to you, 10 days' notice will be given, and the 10 days will begin on the day following the date of mailing of the notice.

### RIGHTS OF EXAMINATION

For the purposes of determining the validity of a claim under this policy, we may obtain and review the medical records of your attending *physician(s)*, including the records of your 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 terms in this section have the following specific meanings.

act of terrorism — 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 — 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 — your age at the time of the application for insurance.
change in medication — when the medication type, dosage, or frequency is reduced, increased, stopped, and/or new medications are prescribed.

#### **Exceptions:**

- Regular blood tests that result in routine adjustments of Coumadin, warfarin, or insulin as long as these medications are not newly prescribed or stopped; or,
- Changing from a brand name medication to the same dose of a generic medication.

*child, children* — your unmarried, dependent son or daughter or grand*child(ren)* who travels with you or joins you during your *trip* and is either:

- Under age 21
- Under age 26 and a full-time student
- Any age with a mental or physical disability

Note: To be eligible for *Emergency* Medical Insurance, the *child* must be at least 30 days of *age*.

**common carrier** — a licensed bus, taxi, train, boat, airplane, or other licensed commercial *vehicle* intended and used to transport paying passengers.

**confirmation** — this policy, the application for this policy, and any other documents that confirm your insurance coverage after you pay the required premium.

Where applicable, it also includes your *trip* arrangements including tickets or receipts issued by an airline, travel agent, tour operator, rental agency, cruise line, or any other accommodation or travel provider

**default** — a travel supplier is unable to provide the travel services you contracted with them because of their complete or substantially complete cessation of business, resulting directly or indirectly from bankruptcy or insolvency thereof.

departure date — the date you leave for your *trip*.
departure point — the place you leave from for your *trip* and will return to.

effective date — the date your coverage starts.

*Trip* Cancellation Insurance coverage starts on the date and time you pay the premium.

\**Trip* Interruption, *Emergency* Medical, Flight Accident and Worldwide Accident, and Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance coverages all start on your *departure date*.

\*Note: If you purchase this insurance as a top-up to another plan, coverage starts on the effective date indicated on the *confirmation* you receive for your top-up. The coverage with us must be purchased before your other plan expires.

**emergency** — 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*.

**essential medical personnel** — an individual health professional licensed to provide health care, diagnosis and/or treatment services, including but not limited to, medication and surgery.

expiry date — the date your coverage ends.

- *Trip* Cancellation Insurance coverage ends on the departure date shown on your *confirmation*.
- Trip Interruption, Flight Accident and Worldwide Accident, and Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance coverages all end on the earlier of:
  - o The date you return to your departure point; or
  - o The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- The date you return *home*; or
- The expiry date shown on your confirmation.

**government health insurance plan (GHIP)** — the health insurance coverage that a Canadian provincial or territorial government provides to its residents.

*home* — your Canadian province or territory of residence. If you request that your coverage starts when you leave Canada, *home* means Canada.

For *Trip* Cancellation and *Trip* Interruption Insurance, Flight Accident Insurance and Worldwide Accident Insurance, and Baggage Loss, Damage, and Delay Insurance, *home* means your *departure point*.

**hospital** — 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* — *spouse*, parent, legal guardian, stepparent, grandparent, step-grandparent, grandchild, in-law, child, stepchild, brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, aunt, uncle, niece, or nephew.

*injury* — sudden bodily harm caused by external and purely accidental means, independent of *sickness* or disease.

#### **key person** — is:

- Someone who is entrusted with your dependent's full-time care and who cannot be reasonably replaced; or
- A business partner; or
- An employee critical to the ongoing affairs of your business.

  medical condition any disease sickness or injury (including

*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 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* — 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*.

plane — a multi-engine aircraft operated by and licensed to a regularly scheduled airline on a regularly scheduled air service trip operated between licensed airports and holding a valid Canadian Air Carrier Licence and Charter Permit, issued by the Canadian Transportation Agency or its foreign equivalent, and operated by a certified pilot.

*pre-existing condition* — any *medical condition* that exists prior to your *effective date*.

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

# **schedule change** — means:

- An airline carrier's late departure, causing you to miss your next connecting flight with another airline carrier; or
- An airline carrier's early departure, leaving the ticket you had purchased for your prior connecting flight by another carrier unusable.

Schedule change does not mean a change caused by a strike, labour disruption, security alert, or bankruptcy.

*sickness* — illness, disease, disorder, or any symptom.

**spouse** — a person one is legally married to, or a person one lives with and publicly represents as a *spouse*.

**stable** — a medical condition when all the following statements are true:

1. There has not been any new *treatment* prescribed or recommended, or change 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 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
- 7. There is no planned or pending *treatment*.

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

*travel arrangement* — transportation or sleeping accommodations (including pre-paid expenses in all-inclusive packages). *Travel arrangements* do not include expenses such as flowers, catering, and other expenses related to ceremonies or celebrations.

*travel companion* — someone who shares *trip* arrangements with you on any one *trip*, to a maximum of 5 people including

*travel services* — transportation, sleeping accommodations, or other service provided to you by a *travel supplier*, not including taxes or insurance, for your use.

*travel supplier* — a tour operator, travel wholesaler, airline, cruise line, ground transportation provider, travel accommodation provider, or a provider of other services that is:

- Contracted to provide travel services to you; and
- Licensed, registered, or otherwise legally authorized in the particular location of the *travel supplier* to operate and provide *travel services*.

**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.

*trip* — the time between your effective date and the expiry date as shown on your *confirmation*.

**vehicle** — any private or rental passenger automobile, motorcycle, boat, mobile home, camper truck, or trailer home that you use during your *trip* exclusively to transport passengers, other than for hire.

#### MANULIFE FLIGHT ASSISTANCE

Payments and services are offered by our partner, Blink Parametric (Blink). This service and its availability are subject to change without notice.

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.

You must register your cell/mobile phone number with Blink so they can contact you if your flight is delayed or cancelled beyond the threshold that entitles you to payment. For example, you will receive a notification of your \$40 payment only if the flight is delayed 3 hours or more.

Payments are sent by Interac e-Transfer®.

**Note:** In some cases, for example when you travel on a chartered flight or airline, flights may not appear on Blink's system and can't be tracked. Blink makes every effort to monitor these flights and notify you about eligible delays or cancellations.

If you don't receive a notification from Blink as expected, contact Manulife Customer Service:

travel@manulife.ca

1-800-565-2338

#### WHEN YOUR COVERAGE STARTS

Your coverage ends as soon as each registered flight departs.

#### **BENEFITS**

Manulife Flight Assistance offers the following benefits to a maximum of \$140 per policy for each registered, insured person.

### Delay

- 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.

#### Cancellation

If the flight is totally cancelled, each registered person receives \$140.

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- Coverage is available only for flights within, to, or from Canada including connections to such flights when you registered with Manulife Flight Assistance.
- 2. The mobile/cell phone you register with Blink must have suitable battery life and cellular, data or Wi-Fi service.
- 3. The mobile/cell phone you register with Blink must stay with you during your journey. Blink uses the same mobile/cell phone information when benefits are paid during your journey.
- 4. Blink is not responsible for and will not make any payments related to data or roaming charges for your mobile/cell phone.
- 5. If Blink receives false information or fraudulent claims by you or anyone on your behalf, Blink treats this coverage as if it never existed.

- You must be on the airline's boarding list to be eligible for Manulife Flight Assistance.
- 7. All amounts are listed in Canadian dollars.
- 8. You must have a bank account with a financial institution legally operating in Canada to receive payments by Interac E-transfer.
- After the 3-hour delay threshold, Blink will make every effort
  to notify you of any flight delays or cancellations and fund
  transfers, but Blink is not accountable if, for any reason,
  you do not receive their message or e-Transfer on your
  mobile/cell phone.
- Manulife Flight Assistance benefits are paid to the policyholder who registers their flight(s) with <u>flightassistancemanulife.com</u>. This individual receives funds for all insured travellers who are registered on their flight(s).

# NOTICE ON PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy legislation is relatively recent, but for decades, Manulife has safeguarded the sensitive personal information of its customers. Protecting your personal information and respecting your privacy is important to us. As a provider of financial products and services, the collection and use of personal information is fundamental to our business. Equally important is your trust in our handling of your personal information.

# Personal Information Statement (PIS)

In this statement, "you" and "your" refer to the policyowner or holder of rights under the contract, the insured and the parent or guardian of any child named as insured who is under the legal age for providing consent. "We", "us", "our" and "the company" refer to The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company and our affiliated companies and subsidiaries.

Updates to this statement and further information about our privacy practices are posted to <u>manulife.ca</u>.

We collect, use, verify and disclose your personal information for identified purposes, and only with your consent, or as permitted or required by law. You have given us your consent during the application process for us to collect, use, and disclose your personal information, as set out in this PIS. Any alterations to the consent must be agreed to in writing by the company.

# What personal information do we collect?

Depending on the product you have applied for, we collect specific personal information about you such as:

- Identifying information such as your name, address, telephone number(s), email address, your date of birth, or driver's license
- Medical information that any organization or person has about you
- Any test that may be necessary for us to decide if and on what terms to insure you, such as a medical exam or blood test.
- A copy of all driving related information from provincial or territorial Motor Vehicle Divisions

- A personal investigation, financial information, credit bureau report and/or a consumer report from other organizations, person or source that has any information or records about you
- Information about how you use our products and services, and information about your preferences, demographics, and interests
- Other personal information we may require to administer our business relationship with you

We use fair and lawful means to collect your personal information.

# Where do we collect your personal information from?

- Your completed applications, recorded tele-interviews and forms
- Other interactions between you and the Company,
- Other sources, such as:
  - Your advisor or authorized representative(s)
  - Third parties with whom we deal in issuing and administering your policy now, and in the future
  - Public sources, such as government agencies, and internet sites

#### Who do we disclose your information to?

- Persons, financial institutions, and other parties with whom we deal in issuing and administering your policy now, and in the future
- Authorized employees, agents, and representatives
- Your advisor and any agency which has entered into an agreement with us and has supervisory authority, directly or indirectly, over your advisor, and their employees
- Any person or organization to whom you gave consent
- People who are legally authorized to view your personal information
- Service providers who require this information to perform their services for us (for example data processing, programming, data storage, market research, printing and distribution services, paramedical and investigative agencies)
- Your medical doctor
- Public health authorities as required, if laboratory tests performed on our behalf show that you have tested positive for infectious disease

The abovementioned people, organizations and service providers are both within Canada and jurisdictions outside Canada and would therefore be subject to the laws of those jurisdictions.

Where personal information is provided to our service providers, we require them to protect the information in a manner that is consistent with our privacy policies and practices.

The personal information you provided in this application:

- Will become a part of all the contracts that result from this application, even if you are not the owner or one of the people to be insured for that printed contract
- Will be shared with all the owners and any subsequent owners of those contracts and all people to be insured

# How long do we keep your information?

The longer of:

- The time period required by law and any guidelines set for the financial services industry
- The time period required to administer the products and services we provide.

# Withdrawing your consent

You may withdraw your consent for us to use your personal information to provide you with other service or product offerings, excluding those mailed with your statements.

You may not withdraw your consent for us to collect, use, retain or disclose personal information we need to issue or administer the policy unless federal or provincial laws give you this right. If you do so, a policy may not be issued, and benefits will not be payable under the contract, or we may treat your withdrawal of consent as a request to terminate the contract.

If you wish to withdraw your consent, phone our customer care centre at 1-888-MANULIFE (626-8543), or 1-888-MANUVIE (626-8843) in Quebec, or write to the Privacy Officer at the address in the next section.

#### Accuracy and access

You will notify us of any change to your contact information. You have the right to access and verify your personal information maintained in our files, and to request any factually inaccurate personal information be corrected, if appropriate. If you have a question, a concern, wish to receive more information about parties who have access to your information or about our privacy policies and procedures, and/or wish to review your personal information in our files or correct any inaccuracies, you may send a written request to:

**Privacy Officer** 

Manulife

500 King Street North

Waterloo, ON N2J 4C6

# privacy\_office\_canadian\_division@manulife.com

Please note the security of email communication cannot be guaranteed. Do not send us information of a private or confidential nature by email. By contacting us via email you are authorizing us to communicate with you by email.

#### **HELP IS JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY**

In an *emergency*, contact the Assistance Centre immediately. They are available to support you 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

From Canada or USA: 1-888-881-8010 Collect, where available: +1(519) 945-8346

#### Pre-trip assistance

- Passport and visa information
- · Health hazards advisories
- Weather information
- Currency exchange information
- Consulate and embassy locations

# During a medical emergency

- Confirming and explaining coverage
- Referral to a doctor, hospital, or other healthcare providers
- · Monitoring your situation and informing your family
- Transportation arrangements to return you home when medically necessary
- Direct billing of covered expenses, where possible

#### Other services

- · Help with lost, stolen, or delayed baggage
- · Help obtaining emergency cash
- Emergency message services
- Translation and interpreter services in a medical emergency
- · Help replacing lost or stolen airline tickets
- Help obtaining prescription drugs
- · Finding legal help or bail bond

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