Tangible®

Peace of mind... today and tomorrow

Dependable, life-long protection for you or those you love.

Hybrid coverage, protection that adapts to you ...





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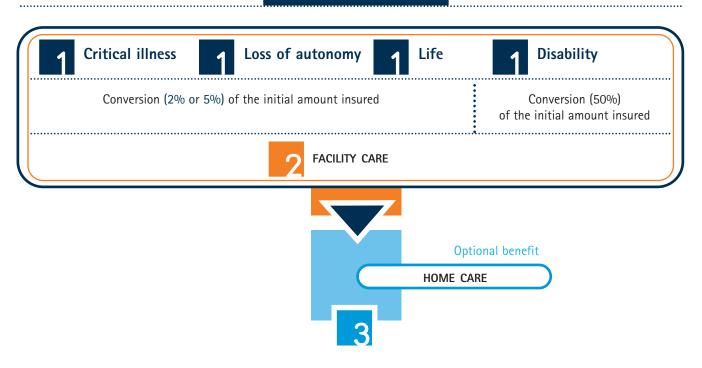
Hybrid coverage is designed to adapt to events that can occur over a lifetime.

You get two benefits in one:

- Critical illness Hybrid coverage
- Loss of autonomy Hybrid coverage
- Life Hybrid coverage
- Disability Hybrid coverage



YOUR CHOICE



HYBRID COVERAGE - GENERAL INFORMATION

	Critical illness	Loss of autonomy	Life	Disability
Eligibility	30 days to 60 years of age inclusive	16 to 60 years of age inclusive	14 days to 60 years of age inclusive	16 to 55 years of age inclusive
Amount insured	\$25 000 to \$2 000 000 (in \$1 000 increments)	\$25 000 to \$2 000 000 (in \$1 000 increments)	\$5 000 to \$ 1 000 000 (in \$1 000 increments)	\$500 to \$10 000 (in \$100 increments)
Premium waiver	No premiums are	payable if you are physically depen	dent and for as long as your physical	dependence lasts.
Assistance		Coverage	included	B
Waiver of premiums in case of disability	(Optional clause) Insured No premiums are payable for the CRITICAL ILLNESS - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability lasts, but not beyond age 65, should you become totally disabled between ages 16 and 59 inclusive. If the policyholder is not the insured, the waiver of premiums in case of disability of the insured comes into effect on the earlier of the following dates: The insured's 26th birthday The contract anniversary coinciding with or following the policyholder's 65th birthday Policyholder No premiums are payable for the CRITICAL ILLNESS - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability and for as long as the disability and for as long as the disability lasts should the policyholder become totally disabled before his/her 59th birthday. The waiver of premius in case of disability ends on the earlier of the following dates: The contract anniversary coinciding with or following the policyholder's 65th birthday The insured's 26th birthday; however, if the insured is disabled on this date, the waiver of premiums continues	(Optional clause) Insured Should you become totally disabled before your 60th birthday, no premiums are payable for the LOSS OF AUTONOMY - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability lasts, but not beyond age 65.	(Optional clause) Insured No premiums are payable for the LIFE - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability lasts, but not beyond age 65, should you become totally disabled between ages 16 and 59 inclusive. If the policyholder is not the insured, the waiver of premiums in case of disability of the insured comes into effect on the earlier of the following dates: The insured's 26th birthday The contract anniversary coinciding with or following the policyholder's 65th birthday Policyholder No premiums are payable for the LIFE - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disabi	(Included) Insured Should you become totally disabled before your 60th birthday, no premiums are payable for the DISABILITY - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability lasts, but not beyond age 65.

HYBRID COVERAGE - GENERAL INFORMATION

Premium refund Enrolment without proof		inciding with or following you de not to take advantage of th	r 65th birthday, Blue Cross will r	refund 25% of the premiums dingly cancel your benefit.
	you may enrol in the HOSPITALIZA Blue Cross the proof of insurab	ATION AND LOSS OF AUTONOMY bene		
Duration of premium payment	Whole life option (Available if you select 5% conversion) The premium is payable until your 100th birthday. 20-65 option The premium is payable until your 65th birthday, subject to a minimum of 20 years of insurance.	Whole life option The premium is payable until your 100th birthday 20-65 option The premium is payable until your 65th birthday, subject to a minimum of 20 years of insurance.	Whole life option (Available if you select 5% conversion) The premium is payable until your 100th birthday. 20-65 option The premium is payable until your 65th birthday, subject to a minimum of 20 years of insurance.	20-65 option The premium is payable until your 65th birthday, subject to a minimum of 20 years of insurance.
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	The premium is guaranteed fro	m your 65th birthday, provided	d the benefit has been in effect f	for at least 20 years.

HYBRID COVERAGE - MAIN FEATURES

1st benef	Critical illness	Loss of autonomy	Life	Disability
Coverage	Payment of the selected amount insured on diagnosis of a critical or non-critical illness See "Amounts payable" table on page 7 for percentage payable in the event of critical illness 24 critical illnesses 2 non-critical illnesses (See Illnesses/conditions covered table on page 6)	Payment of the selected amount insured on diagnosis of total and permanent loss of autonomy See "Amounts payable" table on page 8 for percentage payable	Payment of the selected amount insured on the death of the insured See "Amounts payable" table on page 9 for percentage payable	Payment of monthly indemnity selected if you become totally disabled due to accident or illness
Exclusions	Consult your insurance	Consult your insurance contract		Consult your insurance contract
End of coverage	On the contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday		Lifetime benefit (See "Amounts payable" table on page 9)	On the contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday or on the date you retire, provided you are at least 55 years of age

HYBRID COVERAGE - MAIN FEATURES

1st benefit	Critical illness Loss of autonomy Life	Disability
Percentage conversion	2% or 5% of the initial amount insured selected, in the form of a monthly indemnity for facility care	50% of the initial amount
	(See conversion table on page 15)	insured selected, to be used for facility care

	FACILITY CARE		
2nd bene	Critical illness Loss of autonomy Life Disability		
Coverage	Payment of a monthly indemnity for facility care You must be physically dependent: Unable to perform unassisted two or more of the activities of daily living, or Cognitively impaired		
Benefit commencement	On your 56th birthday On your 56th birthday This protection comes into effect on the earlier of the following dates: The contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday The date on which you retire, provided you are at least 55 years of age at the time and you send Blue Cross a written request to have the benefit come into effect		
Waiting period	O days		
Indemnity period	Lifetime		
Indexation of monthly indemnity	If the monthly indemnity is paid for more than 12 months, then maximum indexation is 3% per year.		
Cost-of-living increase (Optional clause)	After the first 12 months following the effective date of the benefit, the monthly indemnity shall be increased by 3% on January 1 of each year, subject to a maximum overall indemnity of \$10 000.		
Exclusions	Consult your insurance contract		
End of coverage	The CRITICAL ILLNESS – HYBRID COVERAGE benefit ends on the date of payment of the amount insured only if the payment is made for a diagnosis of loss of autonomy and you are 55 years of age or younger. The LOSS OF AUTONOMY – HYBRID COVERAGE benefit ends on the date of payment of the amount insured only if you are 55 years of age or younger.		

CRITICAL ILLNESS

1st benefit Critical illness

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
This coverage is explained on page 15

Don't get caught unaware ...

This essential benefit covers you against 24 critical illnesses and 2 non-critical illnesses.

If you are diagnosed with one of the illnesses or conditions covered under this benefit, Blue Cross will pay you a lump-sum amount (for a critical illness) or a percentage of the amount insured (for a non-critical illness). However, you must be alive at the end of a survival period of at least 30 days.



Table of Illnesses/conditions covered

CRITI	CAL ILLNESSES
1)	Stroke (Cerebrovascular Accident)
2)	Aplastic Anaemia
3)	Burns
4)	Cancer
5)	Blindness
6)	Coma
7)	Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery
8)	Aortic Surgery
9)	Heart Attack (Myocardial Infarction)
10)	Occupational HIV Infection
11)	Kidney Failure
12)	Alzheimer's Disease
13)	Parkinson's Disease
14)	Motor Neuron Disease
15)	Bacterial Meningitis
16)	Paralysis
17)	Loss of Speech
18)	Loss of Autonomy
19)	Loss of Limbs
20)	Heart Valve Replacement
21)	Multiple Sclerosis
22)	Deafness
23)	Major Organ Transplant or Major Organ Failure on Waiting list
24)	Benign Brain Tumour
NON-	-CRITICAL ILLNESSES
1)	Coronary Angioplasty
۵)	N LIG TI A L O

2) Non Life-Threatening Cancer

CRITICAL ILLNESS (CONTINUED)

1st benefitCritical illness

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE

This coverage is explained on page 15

1 Critical illness

Blue Cross will pay up to 100% of the amount insured selected. The percentage payable is shown in the opposite table. The amount insured may be paid only once.

Amounts payable

The amount payable depends on the initial amount insured selected and your age at the onset of your illness. The following table shows percentages payable.

Your age at onset of illness	% of initial amount insured
30 days to 55 years of age	100%
56 years of age	90%
57 years of age	80%
58 years of age	70%
59 years of age	60%
60 years of age	50%
61 years of age	40%
62 years of age	30%
63 years of age	20%
64 years of age	10%
65 years of age and over	0%

Non-critical illness

Blue Cross will pay 10% of the amount insured selected. However, this amount may be paid only once and may not exceed \$25,000.

Reimbursement of expenses in case of critical or non-critical illness

If you are diagnosed with a covered critical or non-critical illness, Blue Cross undertakes to reimburse the following:

Adaptation

Costs of services of an occupational therapist and of necessary adaptations to your car and principal residence should you suffer a permanent motor impairment, to a lifetime maximum benefit of \$5 000.

Travel expenses

Travel expenses incurred to receive care or medical follow-up, to a lifetime maximum of \$2 500.

Cost of household help and/or childcare

Costs of household help and/or childcare provided by a person who does not live with you, to a daily maximum of \$25 and a lifetime maximum of \$1 000.

Premium refund in the event of death during the survival period

Should the insured die during the survival period, this protection provides for refund of policy fees, premiums and extra premiums paid for this coverage, less any benefits paid.

LOSS OF AUTONOMY

1st benefitLoss of autonomy

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE

This coverage is explained on page 15

Loss of autonomy ... inevitable, sooner or later

If you are diagnosed with a total and permanent loss of autonomy, Blue Cross will pay you, after the waiting period, the amount of insurance you have selected. The amount payable is determined as shown in the table below.

Amounts payable

The amount payable is based on the initial amount insured you selected and your age at the onset of loss of autonomy. The following table shows percentages payable.

Your age at the onset of loss of autonomy	% of the initial amount insured
16 to 55 years of age	100%
56 years of age	90%
57 years of age	80%
58 years of age	70%
59 years of age	60%
60 years of age	50%
61 years of age	40%
62 years of age	30%
63 years of age	20%
64 years of age	10%
65 years of age and over	0%



Premium refund in the event of death during the waiting period

Should the insured die during the survival period, this protection provides for refund of policy fees, premiums and extra premiums paid for this coverage.

Activities of daily living	BathingContinence	DressingTransferring	■ Toileting ■ Feeding	
Organic cause	Caused by structural change	to tissue or an organ of the body.		
Cognitive impairment	and reasoning, which is meas	s of intellectual ability, evidenced by surable and results from a demonstra nitive impairment must be sufficientl	3 ,	
	Determination of a cognitive standardized measures of suc	impairment will be made on the basch impairments.	sis of clinical data and valid	
	Mental or nervous disorders	without demonstrable organic cause	are not covered.	
Physical dependence	Inability to perform unassisted two or more of the activities of daily living or cognitive impairment.			
Waiting period	Period beginning on the date of diagnosis of total and permanent loss of autonomy and ending 180 days after that date.			
Total and permanent loss of autonomy	at least 180 days: Total and permanent inabilit	cialist of at least one of the following		
	without a reasonable chance Cognitive impairment	or cure		

1st benefit Life 2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
This benefit is explained on page 15

Think of those you love...

Blue Cross will pay the amount insured you have selected to your designated beneficiary. The amount payable is determined as shown in the table below.

Amounts payable

The amount payable is based on the initial amount insured you selected and your age at the time of death. The following table shows percentages payable:

Your age at the time of death	% of the initial amount insured
14 days to 55 years of age	100%
56 years of age	90%
57 years of age	80%
58 years of age	70%
59 years of age	60%
60 years of age	50%
61 years of age	40%
62 years of age	30%
63 years of age and over	25%



2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
This benefit is explained on page 15

For peace of mind...

You can purchase disability coverage in case of accident or illness occurring anytime, 24/7.

COVERAGE SUMMARY

	GOVERNAGE GOVERNATION			
Occupational categories	 Category 4A Professionals whose jobs require little physical effort or movement. 			
	 Category 3A Professionals or technical staff not included in category 4A; administrators or managers with jobs that demand a high degree of stability and responsibility. 			
	 Category 2A People in certain technical fields who supervise workers in technical trades that are not dangerous or who perform specialized clerical duties. Category A Skilled workers in industries or trades that are not dangerous, including certain office employees and sales staff. Category B Manual labourers whose jobs, generally in construction or in a factory, are more physically demanding. 			
Waiting period (3 options)	 0 days (accident) 30* days (accident) 120 days (accident) 30* days (illness) 120 days (illness) 			
	*If you select a 30-day waiting period, but your disability requires that you be hospitalized for more than 18 hours, benefits are payable as of the first day following your hospitalization.			
	Consecutive periods of disability (minimum five days per period) for the same cause may be accumulated to satisfy waiting periods of 30 days or more.			
	Occupational categories 4A and 3A			
	Consecutive periods of disability may be accumulated over a period of 365 days.			
	Occupational categories 2A, A and B			
	Consecutive periods of disability may be accumulated over a period of 180 days.			
Benefit period	2 years or to age 65			
Return-to-work bonus	To help you adjust to an active return to your work environment prior to disability, a lump sum bonus benefit equal to a multiple of the monthly benefit payable in the month preceding your return to work shall be paid, as follows: Duration of disability (months) Bonus benefit			
	24 to 59 3 x monthly benefit			
	60 or more 6 x monthly benefit			
Organ donation	If you become totally disabled due to an organ transplant from your body to another person, you are eligible for organ-donation related disability insurance benefits provided your disability insurance was in effect for at least 12 months before the onset of disability.			
Indexation of benefits (Optional clause)	If a disability lasts more than 12 months, then benefits paid for continuing total disability are indexed annually on January 1 according to the <i>Consumer Price Index</i> published annually by <i>Statistics Canada</i> , subject to a maximum indexation of 3%.			

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE

This benefit is explained on page 15

COVERAGE SUMMARY (CONTINUED)

Integration

The DISABILITY INSURANCE, DISABILITY – HYBRID COVERAGE, MONTHLY INDEMNITY and MONTHLY INDEMNITY EXPRESS benefits are treated as a single benefit and only one integration calculation is performed with the total of the amounts insured if you are enrolled with Blue Cross in one or more of these benefits.

For the first 24 months of disability benefit payments, the first \$1 000 are guaranteed. Only the amount in excess of \$1 000 is reduced by the amount of any benefits payable under other plans.

After 24 months of disability benefit payments, the entire benefit is reduced by the total of any amounts payable under the following:

- Any federal or provincial plan
- Any other federal or provincial law

Partial disability

Occupational categories 4A and 3A

(with remunerative work at the onset of disability)

In the event of partial disability due to accident or illness, Blue Cross undertakes to make monthly benefit payments as follows:

- For the first 24 months of partial disability, 50% of the benefit provided for in your contract
- Thereafter, 25% of the benefit provided for in your contract if the partial disability lasts more than 24 months, but not beyond the benefit period specified in your contract

Occupational categories 4A and 3A

(without remunerative work at the onset of disability)

In the event of partial disability as a result of a total disability lasting the duration of the waiting period and not less than 30 days, Blue Cross undertakes to make monthly benefit payments as follows:

- For the first 24 months of partial disability, 50% of the benefit provided for in your contract
- Thereafter, 25% of the benefit provided for in your contract if the partial disability lasts more than 24 months, but not beyond the benefit period specified in your contract

Occupational categories 2A, A and B

In the event of partial disability as a result of a total disability lasting the duration of the waiting period and not less than 30 days, Blue Cross undertakes to make monthly benefit payments equal to 50% of the benefit provided for in your contract for a maximum benefit period of 12 months.

Increase in benefit

Should a total disability prevent you from performing at least two activities of daily living, your monthly benefit shall be increased by 25%.

Lump-sum payment upon permanent total disability

If you are still alive 12 months after an accident that causes permanent total disability, Blue Cross undertakes to pay, in addition to any other amounts provided for in the contract, a lump sum equal to 50 times the monthly benefit selected (to a maximum of \$100 000).

Permanent total disability, as defined in your contract, must be proven to Blue Cross' satisfaction within 12 months of the accident and before your 65th birthday.

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
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COVERAGE SUMMARY (CONTINUED)

If you are totally disabled for more than 12 months and the disability results in death, an amount equal to three monthly benefit payments will be paid to your estate.		
If you are a commissioned employee recognized as disabled for more than six months, you are entitled, on return to work, to a maximum of three additional months of disability benefits per disability, the amount of the additional benefit being equal to a percentage of the monthly benefit payable in the month preceding your return to work, as follows:		
First month of return to work	75%	
Second month of return to work	50%	
Third month of return to work	25%	
During a period of unemployment, you remain insured if the total disability is due to any of the following occurring during the first 12 months of unemployment:		
An accident		
 One of the following: Cerebrovascular accident (stroke) Cancer Heart attack (myocardial infarction) Terminal kidney failure Coronary artery bypass 		
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2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
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Activities of daily living	■ Bathing ■ Dressing ■ Toileting ■ Continence ■ Transferring ■ Feeding		
Partial disability	Partial disability means that you are not totally disabled but that both of the following apply due to accident or illness:		
	 Unable to perform one or more of the major duties of your occupation. 		
	 Unable to work more than half the normal required hours per week and you are under the continuous care and treatment of a physician. 		
Total disability	Occupational category 4A		
,	Total disability means that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to perform the major duties of the occupation in which you were engaged at the onset of disability.		
	Occupational category 3A		
	Total disability means, during the first 60 months of benefit payments, that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to perform the major duties of the occupation in which you were engaged at the onset of disability.		
	Thereafter, total disability means that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to engage in any occupation for which you are reasonably suited by education, training or experience.		
	Occupational categories 2A, A and B		
	Total disability means, during the first 24 months of benefit payments, that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to perform the major duties of the occupation in which you were engaged at the onset of disability.		
	Thereafter, total disability means that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to engage in any occupation for which you are reasonably suited by education, training or experience.		
	For all occupational categories, to be considered totally disabled , you must be under the continuous care of a physician providing medical care suitable for your disability at an appropriate frequency, and you must not be engaged in any remunerative work.		
Total disability in case of unemployment	You are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to seek gainful employment for which you are reasonably suited by education, training or experience.		
Permanent total disability	Permanent and irreversible inability to perform usual daily tasks or any remunerative work.		

REGULAR OCCUPATION

This benefit is an attractive complement to the DISABILITY - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit.

You can improve the definition of total disability in your DISABILITY – HYBRID COVERAGE benefit depending on your occupational category.

Occupational categories	Regular occupation benefit period
B, A and 2A	5 years
B, A, 2A and 3A	To age 65

1st benefitDisability

2nd benefit

FACILITY CARE
This benefit is explained on page 15

Regular occupation Optional benefit

SUMMARY

Eligibility	16 to 55 years of age inclusive		
Premium waiver	No premiums are payable for the REGULAR OCCUPATION benefit if you are physically dependent and for as long as your physical dependence lasts.		
Waiver of premiums in case of disability	No premiums are payable for the REGULAR OCCUPATION benefit as of the fourth month after the onset of total disability and for as long as the disability lasts should you become totally disabled before your 60th birthday but not beyond your 65th birthday.		
End of coverage	The earlier of the following dates: The contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday The date on which the DISABILITY – HYBRID COVERAGE benefit ends		
Duration of premium payment	The premium is payable until the contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday		
Premium determination	Level premium		

SPECIFIC DEFINITIONS

Total disability (with remunerative work at the onset of disability)	You are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to perform the major duties of the occupation in which you were engaged at the onset of disability.
	This definition applies for the waiting period and for the regular-occupation benefit period you have selected.
	Thereafter, total disability means that you are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause, to engage in any occupation for which you are reasonably suited by education, training or experience.
Total disability (without remunerative work at the onset of disability)	You are unable, due directly to accident or illness independently of any other cause to perform your usual daily tasks and any other tasks for which you are reasonably qualified by education or experience. This definition applies for the waiting period and for the regular occupation benefit period you have selected.

1st benefit

Critical illness, Loss of autonomy, Life or Disability (as selected) 2nd benefit FACILITY CARE

Coverage that lets you sleep easy ...

Blue Cross will pay you a monthly indemnity for facility care should you become physically dependent.

You must, however, be in a facility and under the continuous care of a physician providing medical care suitable for your physical dependence.

Conversion table

The following table shows the percentage of the amount insured you have selected that is payable in the form of a monthly indemnity for facility care. These percentages apply for all of the following hybrid coverages: Critical illness, Loss of autonomy and Life.

Age of the Insured	Percentage conversion select	
	2.0%	5.0%
Under 56 years of age	0%	0%
56 years of age	0.2%	0.5%
57 years of age	0.4%	1.0%
58 years of age	0.6%	1.5%
59 years of age	0.8%	2.0%
60 years of age	1.0%	2.5%
61 years of age	1.2%	3.0%
62 years of age	1.4%	3.5%
63 years of age	1.6%	4.0%
64 years of age	1.8%	4.5%
65 years of age and over	2.0%	5.0%

The percentage conversion payable stays the same as long as you remain physically dependent.

For DISABILITY – HYBRID COVERAGE, the facility care benefit comes into effect on the earlier of the following dates:

- The contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday
- The date on which you retire, provided you are at least 55 years of age at the time and you send Blue Cross a written request to have the benefit come into effect

The amount of the monthly indemnity is 50% of the initial amount insured selected.

Under no circumstances shall the monthly indemnity exceed \$10 000, this including any additions under the cost-of-living increase clause and the indexation of monthly indemnity clause.



FACILITY CARE

1st benefit

Critical illness, Loss of autonomy, Life or Disability (as selected) 2nd benefit FACILITY CARE

Activities of daily living	■ Bathing ■ Dressing ■ Toileting ■ Continence ■ Transferring ■ Feeding		
Organic cause	Caused by structural change to tissue or an organ of the body.		
Cognitive impairment	Mental deterioration and loss of intellectual ability, evidenced by deterioration in memory, orientation and reasoning, which is measurable and results from demonstrable organic cause as diagnosed by a specialist. The degree of cognitive impairment must be sufficiently severe as to require continuous daily supervision. Determination of a cognitive impairment will be made on the basis of clinical data and valid standardized measures of such impairments. Mental or nervous disorder without a demonstrable organic cause is not covered.		
Facility (Establishment)	Long-term care centre offering residential, assistance, support, supervisory and psychosocial services for persons suffering a loss of functional or psychosocial autonomy, notably elderly persons who cannot remain in their existing living environment. The facility must be your principal residence while you are physically dependent.		
Physical dependence	Inability to perform unassisted two or more of the activities of daily living or cognitive impairment.		
Facility care	Health and personal care services received in a facility.		



Care in the home of your choice ...

Blue Cross will pay you a monthly indemnity for home care should you become physically dependent.



- Critical illness Hybrid coverage
- Loss of autonomy Hybrid coverage
- Life Hybrid coverage
- Disability Hybrid coverage



HOME CARE - HYBRID COVERAGE

SUMMARY

Coverage	Payment of a monthly indemnity for home care	
	You must be physically dependent:	
	Unable to perform unassisted two or more of the activities of daily living, or	
	■ Cognitively impaired	
Basic benefit selected	CRITICAL ILLNESS - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	■ LOSS OF AUTONOMY - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	■ LIFE - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	■ DISABILITY - HYBRID COVERAGE	
Eligibility	Same as under the basic benefit selected	
HOME CARE benefit	At age 56 if you have selected one of the following basic benefits:	
commencement	CRITICAL ILLNESS - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	■ LOSS OF AUTONOMY - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	■ LIFE - HYBRID COVERAGE	
	The earlier of the following dates, if DISABILITY - HYBRID COVERAGE is the basic benefit you selected:	
	■ The contract anniversary coinciding with or following your 65th birthday	
	The date you retire, provided you are at least 55 years of age at the time and you send Blue Cross a written request to have the HOME CARE benefit come into effect	
Amount insured	\$500 to \$10 000 (in \$100 increments)	
Percentage conversion	Same as under the basic benefit selected	
Waiting period	60 days	
Indemnity period	2 years or lifetime	
Premium waiver	No premiums are payable if you are physically dependent and for as long as your physical dependence lasts.	

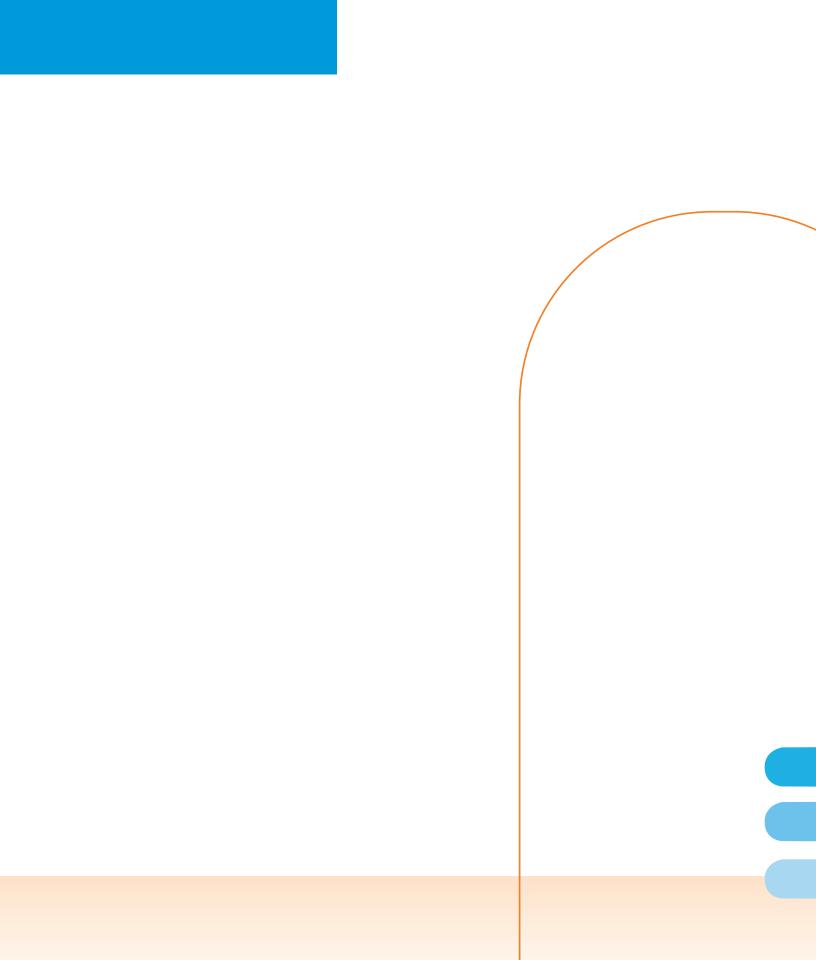
HOME CARE - HYBRID COVERAGE (CONTINUED)

HOME CARE - HYBRID COVERAGE

SUMMARY

This clause is optional if you selected one of the following basic benefits: CRITICAL ILLNESS - HYBRID COVERAGE LOSS OF AUTONOMY - HYBRID COVERAGE LIFE - HYBRID COVERAGE This clause is included if you selected the DISABILITY - HYBRID COVERAGE benefit. Refer to the basic benefit you have selected for the definition of waiver of premiums in case of disability.	
If the monthly indemnity is paid for more than 12 months, then maximum indexation is 3% per year.	
After the first 12 months following the effective date of this benefit, the monthly indemnity shall be increased by 3% on January 1 of every year, subject to a maximum indemnity of \$10 000.	
Consult your insurance contract	
Lifetime benefit	
The duration of premium payment is the same as under the basic benefit selected.	
Level premium	
The premium is guaranteed as of your 65th birthday, provided the benefit has been in effect for at least 20 years.	

Activities of daily living	BathingContinence	DressingTransferring	ToiletingFeeding
Organic cause	Caused by structural change to tissue or an organ of the body.		
Cognitive impairment	Mental deterioration and loss of intellectual ability, evidenced by deterioration in memory, orientation and reasoning, which is measurable and results from demonstrable organic cause as diagnosed by a specialist. The degree of cognitive impairment must be sufficiently severe as to require continuous daily supervision. Determination of a cognitive impairment will be made on the basis of clinical data and valid standardized measures of such impairments. Mental or nervous disorder without a demonstrable organic cause is not covered.		
Facility (Establishment)	Long-term care centre offering residential, assistance, support, supervisory and psychosocial services for persons suffering a loss of functional or psychosocial autonomy, notably elderly persons who cannot remain in their existing living environment. The facility must be your principal residence while your are physically dependent.		
Physical dependence	Inability to perform unassisted two or more of the activities of daily living or cognitive impairment.		
Facility care	Health and personal care services received in a facility.		
Home care	Health and personal care services received outside a facility.		



This brochure summarizes benefits under the Tangible contract. It is not an insurance contract. The terms and conditions of your insurance are described in the contract issued by Blue Cross. The contract includes certain exclusions, limitations and reductions. You have a 10-day "free look" period to review your insurance contract. We suggest that you read it carefully. Benefits mentioned in this brochure are insured by Canassurance Insurance Company, carrying on business as Blue Cross.