

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company One Nationwide Plaza Columbus, Ohio 43215

This Certificate of Insurance describes all of the travel insurance benefits, underwritten by Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company and herein referred to as the Company. The insurance benefits vary from program to program. Please refer to the accompanying Confirmation of Coverage. It provides You with specific information about the program You purchased. Please contact the Plan Administrator immediately if You believe that the Confirmation of Coverage is incorrect.

This Certificate of Insurance is issued in consideration of the enrollment form and payment of any premium due. All statements in the enrollment forms are representations and not warranties. Only statements contained in a written enrollment form will be used to void insurance, reduce benefits or defend a claim.

NO DIVIDENDS WILL BE PAYABLE UNDER THIS CERTIFICATE.

The President and Secretary of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company witness this Certificate.

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Secretary

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President

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NATIONWIDE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

TRAVEL PROTECTION INSURANCE CERTIFICATE

GENERAL DEFINITIONS

Throughout this document, when capitalized, certain words and phrases are defined as follows:

Accident means a sudden, unexpected, unintended, specific event that occurs at an identifiable time and place but shall also include exposure resulting from a mishap to a conveyance in which You are traveling.

Accidental Injury means Bodily Injury caused by an Accident (of external origin) being the direct and independent cause in the Loss and that 1) requires a physical examination and medical treatment by a Physician and 2) commences while Your coverage is in effect. The injury must be verified by a Physician.

Additional Expenses means any reasonable expenses for meals and lodging as well as local transportation and essential phone calls that were necessarily incurred as the result of a Hazard and that were not provided by the Common Carrier or other party free of charge.

Bodily Contact Sports means any sport where the objective is to physically render an opponent unable to continue with the competition such as boxing and full contact karate.

Bodily Injury means identifiable physical injury that is caused by an Accident and is independent of disease or bodily infirmity.

Common Carrier means any land, sea, and/or air conveyance operating under a valid license for the transportation of passengers for hire. Taxis and limousines are not Common Carriers as defined herein.

Company means Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company.

Confirmation of Coverage means the document that outlines Your benefits and Maximum Benefit amounts.

Covered Expenses means expenses incurred by You that are for Medically Necessary care or treatment; due to Sickness or Bodily Injury; prescribed, performed or ordered by a Physician; Reasonable and Customary Charges incurred while insured under this Certificate; and that do not exceed the Maximum Benefit limits shown in the Confirmation of Coverage, under each stated benefit.

Covered Vehicle means any vehicle/boat owned or leased by You and used while on Your Trip that is not used for racing, rentals, dealer services, dealer loaners, taxi, limousine, shuttle, delivery, hauling, towing, road repair service, construction service, snow removal, or as a public livery vehicle, or any other commercial use.

Dependent Child(ren) means Your child (or children), including an unmarried child, stepchild, legally adopted child or foster child who is: (1) less than age nineteen (19) and primarily dependent on the Insured for support and maintenance; or (2) who is at least age nineteen (19) but less than age twenty-six (26) and who regularly attends an accredited school or college; and who is primarily dependent on the Insured for support and maintenance.

Economy Fare means the lowest published rate for a round trip economy ticket.

Effective Date means 12:01 A.M. local time, at Your location, on the day after the required premium for such coverage is received by the Company or its authorized representative.

Extreme Sports means an athletic pursuit that involves a high degree of danger or risk.

Family Member means Your legal or common law spouse, parent, legal guardian, step-parent, grandparent, parents-inlaw, grandchild, natural or adopted child, step-child, children-in-law, brother, sister, step-brother, step-sister, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, aunt, uncle, niece or nephew,

Hazard means:

(a) Any delay of a Common Carrier (including Inclement Weather).

(b) Any delay by a traffic accident en route to a departure, in which You or a Traveling Companion is not directly involved.

(c) Any delay due to lost or stolen passports, travel documents or money, Quarantine, hijacking, unannounced Strike, natural disaster, civil commotion or riot.

Hospital means a facility that:

- (a) holds a valid license if it is required by the law;
- (b) operates primarily for the care and treatment of sick or injured persons as in-patients;
- (c) has a staff of one or more Physicians available at all times;

(d) provides twenty-four (24) hour nursing service and has at least one registered professional nurse on duty or call;

(e) has organized diagnostic and surgical facilities, either on the premises or in facilities available to the hospital on a prearranged basis; and

(f) is not, except incidentally, a clinic, nursing home, rest home, drug or physical rehabilitation facility or convalescent home for the aged, or similar institution.

Inclement Weather means any severe weather condition that delays the scheduled arrival or departure of a Common Carrier.

Insured means the person who enrolled for coverage and whose premium was paid under the Policy.

Loss means Bodily Injury, Sickness or damage sustained by You while coverage is in effect, in consequence of happening of one or more of the occurrences against which the Company has undertaken to indemnify You.

Maximum Benefit means the largest total amount that the Company will pay under any one benefit for You, as shown on the Confirmation of Coverage.

Medically Necessary means a service or supply that: (a) is recommended by the attending Physician; (b) is appropriate and consistent with the diagnosis in accord with accepted standards of community practice; (c) could not have been omitted without adversely affecting Your condition or quality of medical care; (d) is delivered at the most appropriate level of care and not primarily for the sake of convenience; and (e) is not considered experimental unless coverage for experimental services or supplies is required by law.

Mountaineering means the sport, hobby or profession of walking, hiking and climbing up mountains either: 1) utilizing harnesses, ropes, crampons, or ice axes; or 2) ascending 4,500 meters or above.

Other Insurance means any one of the following types of policies or plans that provides benefits for medical expenses for You at the time of Loss on Your Effective Date of coverage, and such policy or plan requires You to pay any applicable Deductible and/or portion of coinsurance: individual, group or blanket insurance plans; HMO's, PPO's, POS's, EPO's, employer organization plans, employee benefit organizational plans, or other arrangements of benefits for persons of a group. Insurance does not include Medicare or Medicaid.

Parachuting means an activity involving the breaking of a free fall from an airplane using a parachute.

Physician means a licensed practitioner of medical, surgical or dental services acting within the scope of his/her license. The treating Physician may not be You, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member.

Policy means the Group Master Policy including the application and any endorsements, riders or amendments that will attach during the period of coverage.

Pre-Existing Condition means an illness, disease, or other condition during the sixty (60) day period immediately prior to the Effective Date for which You, a Traveling Companion, a Family Member booked to travel with You: 1) exhibited symptoms which would have caused one to seek care or treatment; or 2) received a recommendation for a test, examination, or medical treatment or 3) took or received a prescription for drugs or medicine. Item (3) of this definition does not apply to a condition which is treated or controlled solely through the taking of prescription drugs or medicine and remains treated or controlled without any adjustment or change in the required prescription throughout the sixty (60) day period before the Effective Date.

Quarantine means Your strict isolation imposed by a Government authority or Physician to prevent the spread of disease. An embargo preventing You from entering a country is not a Quarantine.

Reasonable and Customary Charges means charges commonly used by Physicians in the locality in which care is furnished.

Scheduled Departure Date means the date on which You are originally scheduled to leave on the Trip.

Scheduled Return Date means the date on which You are originally scheduled to return to the point of origin or to a different final destination.

Sickness means an illness or disease of the body that: 1) requires a physical examination and medical treatment by a Physician and 2) commences while Your coverage is in effect. An illness or disease of the body that begins prior to the Effective Date of coverage is not a Sickness as defined herein and is not covered by this Certificate, unless it suddenly worsens or becomes acute after the Effective Date.

Sound Natural Teeth means teeth that are whole or properly restored and are without impairment, periodontal or other conditions and are not in need of the treatment provided for any reason other than an Accidental Injury. For purposes of this Certificate, teeth previously restored with a crown, inlay, onlay, or porcelain restoration or treated by endodontics, except amalgam or composite resin fillings, are not considered Sound Natural Teeth.

Strike means any unannounced labor disagreement that interferes with the normal departure and arrival of a Common Carrier.

Travel Arrangements means: (a) transportation; (b) accommodations; and (c) other specified services arranged by the Travel Supplier for the Trip.

Traveling Companion means a person who has coordinated Travel Arrangements or vacation plans with You, intends to travel with You during the Trip and is further described on the Confirmation of Coverage. Note, a group or tour leader is not considered a Traveling Companion unless You are sharing room accommodations with the group or tour leader.

Travel Supplier means tour operator, Participating Organization, Cruise line, airline, hotel, etc. who has made the land, air and/or sea arrangements.

Trip means a trip or class of trips as described on the Confirmation of Coverage.

Unforeseen means not anticipated or expected and occurring after the Effective Date of Your coverage.

You or Your refers to the Insured.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

The following provisions apply to all coverages:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

CONTROLLING LAW - Any part of this Certificate that conflicts with the state law where the Certificate is issued is changed to meet the minimum requirements of that law.

GOVERNING JURISDICTION – The insurance regulatory agency and courts of the jurisdiction in which You reside shall have jurisdiction over the individual or group insurance coverage as if such coverage or plan were issued directly to You.

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be void if, whether before or after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing.

You must fully cooperate in the event the Company determines that an investigation of any claim is warranted.

SUBROGATION - To the extent the Company pays for a Loss suffered by You, the Company will take over the rights and remedies You had relating to the Loss. This is known as subrogation. You must help the Company to preserve its rights against those responsible for the Loss. This may involve signing any papers and taking any other steps the Company may reasonably require. If the Company takes over Your rights, You must sign an appropriate subrogation form supplied by the Company.

ASSIGNMENT - This Certificate is not assignable, whether by operation of law or otherwise, but benefits may be

assigned.

WHEN YOUR COVERAGE BEGINS - Provided:

- (a) coverage has been elected; and
- (b) the required premium has been paid.

All coverage will begin at 12:01 A.M. local time at Your location on the Scheduled Departure Date.

WHEN YOUR COVERAGE ENDS - Your coverage will end at 11:59 P.M. local time on the date that is the earliest of the following:

- (a) the date the Policy is terminated.
- (b) the Scheduled Return Date as stated on the travel tickets;
- (c) the date You return to Your origination point if prior to the Scheduled Return Date;
- (d) the date You leave or change the Trip (unless due to Unforeseen and unavoidable circumstances covered by the Policy);
- (e) when You are less than one hundred fifty (150) miles from Your primary residence.

EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION - The insurance provided by this Certificate shall be in excess of all other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity. If at the time of the occurrence of any Loss there is other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity in place, the Company shall be liable only for the excess of the amount of Loss, over the amount of such Other Insurance or indemnity, and applicable Deductible.

The following provisions apply to all benefits:

PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - The Company, or its designated representative, will pay a claim after receipt of acceptable Proof of Loss.

The applicable benefit amount will be reduced by the amount of benefits, if any, previously paid by Other Insurance policies. In no event will the Company reimburse You for an amount greater than the amount paid by You.

NOTICE OF CLAIM - Written notice of claim must be given by the claimant (either You or someone acting for You) to the Company or its designated representative within twenty (20) days after a covered Loss first begins or as soon as reasonably possible. Notice should include Your name, the Travel Supplier's name and the Plan number. Notice should be sent to the Company's administrative office, or to the Company's designated representative.

PROOF OF LOSS - The claimant must send the Company, or its designated representative, Proof of Loss within ninety (90) days after a covered Loss occurs or as soon as reasonably possible. Failure to furnish such proof within the time required shall not invalidate nor reduce any claim if it was not reasonably possible to give proof within such time, provided such proof is furnished as soon as reasonably possible and in no event, except in the absence of legal capacity, later than one year from the time proof is otherwise required.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND AUTOPSY - The Company, or its designated representative, at its own expense, have the right to have You examined as often as reasonable necessary while a claim is pending. The Company, or its designated representative, also has the right to have an autopsy made unless prohibited by law.

TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - Benefits payable under this Certificate for any Loss other than Loss for which this Certificate provides any periodic payment will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written Proof of such Loss. Subject to due written Proof of Loss, all accrued indemnities for Loss for which this Certificate provides periodic payment will be paid monthly and any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability, will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

All claims shall be paid within thirty (30) days following receipt by the Company of due Proof of Loss. Failure to pay within such period shall entitle the claimant to interest at the rate of six (6) percent per annum from the thirtieth (30th) day after receipt of such Proof of Loss to the date of late payment, provided that interest amounting to less than one dollar need not be paid. You or Your assignee shall be notified by the Company or designated representative of any known failure to provide sufficient documentation for a due Proof of Loss within thirty (30) days after receipt of the claim. Any required interest payments shall be made within thirty (30) days after the payment.

EMERGENCY ACCIDENT MEDICAL EXPENSE

The Company will reimburse benefits up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage subject to any Deductible shown on the Confirmation of Coverage, if You incur Covered Medical Expenses for Emergency Treatment of

an Accidental Injury that occurs during the Trip.

Emergency Treatment means necessary medical treatment that must be performed during the Trip due to the serious and acute nature of the Accidental Injury.

Covered Medical Expenses are expenses incurred for necessary services and supplies: (a) listed below; and (b) ordered or prescribed by the attending Physician as Medically Necessary for treatment, that are limited to:

- (a) the services of a Physician;
- (b) charges for Hospital confinement and use of operating rooms; Hospital or ambulatory medical-surgical center services;
- (c)charges for anesthetics (including administration); x-ray examinations or treatments, and laboratory tests;
- (d) ambulance service; and
- (e) drugs, medicines and therapeutic services.

The Company will not pay benefits in excess of the Reasonable and Customary Charges. The Company will not cover any expenses provided by another party at no cost to You, or already included within the cost of the Trip.

The Company will pay benefits up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage for dental Emergency Treatment for Accidental Injury to Sound Natural Teeth. Both the Accidental Injury and the dental Emergency Treatment must occur during the Trip.

If You are Hospitalized due to an Accidental Injury that first occurred during the course of the Trip beyond the Scheduled Return Date, coverage under this benefit will be extended until You are released from the Hospital or until Maximum Benefits under this Certificate have been paid.

EMERGENCY SICKNESS MEDICAL EXPENSE

The Company will reimburse benefits up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage subject to any Deductible shown on the Confirmation of Coverage, if You incur Covered Medical Expenses as a result of Emergency Treatment of a Sickness that first manifests itself during the Trip.

Emergency Treatment means necessary medical treatment that must be performed during the Trip due to the serious and acute nature of the Sickness.

Covered Medical Expenses are expenses incurred for necessary services and supplies: (a) listed below; and (b) ordered or prescribed by the attending Physician as Medically Necessary for treatment, that are limited to:

- (a) the services of a Physician;
- (b) charges for Hospital confinement and use of operating rooms;
- (c)charge for anesthetics (including administration); x-ray examinations or treatments, and laboratory tests;
- (d) ambulance service; and
- (e) drugs, medicines and therapeutic services.

The Company will not pay benefits in excess of the Reasonable and Customary Charges. The Company will not cover any expenses provided by another party at no cost to You or already included within the cost of the Trip.

If You are Hospitalized due to a Sickness that first occurred during the course of the Trip beyond the Scheduled Return Date, coverage under this benefit will be extended until You are released from the Hospital or until Maximum Benefits under this Certificate have been paid.

EMERGENCY EVACUATION

The Company will pay benefits for Covered Expenses incurred, up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage, if an Accidental Injury or Sickness commencing during the course of the Trip results in Your necessary Emergency Evacuation. All Maximum Benefits referred to in this benefit are aggregate amounts for all Losses sustained by You. An Emergency Evacuation must be ordered by a Physician who certifies that the severity of Your Accidental Injury or Sickness warrants Your Emergency Evacuation.

Emergency Evacuation means:

(a) Your medical condition warrants immediate Transportation from the hospital where You are first taken when injured or sick to the Hospital of Your choice where appropriate medical treatment can be obtained; If elected, Transportation to Your hospital of choice will begin when You are determined to be stable enough for Transportation. Once You arrive at the hospital of choice, coverage for all benefits under this Certificate ends.

- (b) after being treated at a local Hospital, Your medical condition warrants Transportation to where You reside, to obtain further medical treatment or to recover; or
- (c) both (a) and (b).

Covered Expenses are reasonable and customary expenses for necessary Transportation, related medical services and medical supplies incurred in connection with Your Emergency Evacuation. All Transportation arrangements made for evacuating You must be by the most direct and economical route possible. Expenses for Transportation must be:

- (a) recommended by the attending Physician;
- (b) required by the standard regulations of the conveyance transporting You; and
- (c) authorized in advance by the Company or its authorized representative.

Transportation of Traveling Companion or Dependent Children: If You are in the Hospital for more than two (2) days following a covered Emergency Evacuation, the Company will return Your Traveling Companion and/or unattended Dependent Children accompanying You on the scheduled Trip, to their home.

Transportation to Join You: If You are in a Hospital alone for more than seven (7) consecutive days, or if the attending Physician certifies that due to Your Accidental Injury or Sickness, You will be required to stay in the Hospital for more than seven (7) consecutive days, upon request the Company will bring a person, chosen by You, for a single visit to and from Your bedside.

If You suffer an Accidental Injury or Sickness while on the Trip that results in Hospitalization and the attending Physician advises You against driving Your Covered Vehicle home, the Company will pay the charges imposed up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage to return the unattended vehicle to Your primary residence. This coverage is only afforded to non-commercial vehicles.

Transportation services are provided if authorized in advance by the assistance provider and are limited to necessary Economy Fares less the value of applied credit from unused travel tickets, if applicable.

Transportation means any Common Carrier, or other land, water or air conveyance, required for an Emergency Evacuation and includes air ambulances, land ambulances and private motor vehicles.

The Company will not cover any expenses provided by another party at no cost to You or already included within the cost of the Trip.

REPATRIATION OF REMAINS

The Company will pay the reasonable Covered Expenses incurred to return Your body to Your primary residence if You die during the Trip. This will not exceed the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage. This benefit is provided if authorized in advance by the assistance provider.

Covered Expenses include, but are not limited to, expenses for embalming, cremation, casket for transport and transportation.

TRIP DELAY

The Company will reimburse You for Covered Expenses, up to the Maximum Benefit shown on the Confirmation of Coverage, if You are delayed, while coverage is in effect, en route to or from the Trip for twelve (12) or more hours due to a defined Hazard.

Covered Expenses:

- (a) Any prepaid, unused, non-refundable land and water accommodations;
- (b) Any Additional Expenses incurred;
- (c) An Economy Fare from the point where You ended Your Trip to a destination where You can catch up to the Trip; or
- (d) A one-way Economy Fare to return You to Your originally scheduled return destination.

LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

The following exclusions apply to Emergency Accident Medical Expense, Emergency Sickness Medical Expense, Emergency Evacuation, Repatriation of Remains and Trip Delay:

Loss caused by or resulting from:

1. Pre-Existing Conditions, as defined in the Definitions section (except Emergency Evacuation and Repatriation of

Remains);

- 2. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury while sane or insane;
- 3. intentionally self-inflicted injuries;
- 4. war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities between nations (whether declared or not), civil war;
- 5. participation in any military maneuver or training exercise;
- 6. piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft;
- 7. mental or emotional disorders, unless Hospitalized;
- 8. participation as a professional in athletics;
- 9. being under the influence of drugs or intoxicants, unless prescribed and used in accordance with the instructions provided by a Physician;
- 10. commission or the attempt to commit a dishonest, fraudulent or criminal act;
- 11. participating in Bodily Contact Sports; football, wrestling, ice hockey, rugby, lacrosse, boxing, full contact karate, hurling and rodeo: skydiving; hang-gliding; Parachuting; Mountaineering: any race; bungee cord jumping: speed contest (speed contest shall not include any of the regatta races): scuba diving unless accompanied by a dive master or if the depth exceeds fifty (50) feet: or a deep sea diving: spelunking or caving: heliskiing: extreme skiing: Extreme Sports;
- 12. dental treatment except as a result of an injury to Sound Natural Teeth within twelve (12) months of the injury;
- 13. any non-emergency treatment or surgery, routine physical examinations, hearing aids, eye glasses or contact lenses;
- 14. pregnancy and childbirth (except for complications of pregnancy) except if Hospitalized;
- 15. traveling for the purpose of securing medical treatment;
- 16. services not shown as covered;
- 17. directly or indirectly, the actual, alleged or threatened discharge, dispersal, seepage, migration, escape, release or exposure to any hazardous biological, chemical, nuclear radioactive material, gas, matter or contamination;
- 18. care or treatment that is not Medically Necessary;
- 19. canyoning or canyoneering (traveling in canyons using a variety of techniques that may include walking, scrambling, climbing, jumping, abseiling and/or swimming;
- 20. care or treatment that is payable under any Other Insurance policy;
- 21. Accidental Injury or Sickness when traveling against the advice of a Physician;

COORDINATION OF BENEFITS

Applicability

The Coordination of Benefits ("COB") provision applies to This Plan when You have health care coverage under more than one Plan. "Plan" and "This Plan" are defined below.

If this COB provision applies, the order of benefit determination rules should be looked at first. Those rules determine whether the benefits of This Plan are determined before or after those of another Plan.

The benefits of This Plan:

(a) will not be reduced when, under the order of benefit determination rules, This Plan determines its benefits before another Plan; but

(b) may be reduced when, under the order of benefit determination rules, another Plan determines its benefits first. This reduction is described further in the section entitled Effect on the Benefits of This Plan.

Definitions

Plan is written on a form that is on an expense incurred basis that provides benefits or services for, or because of, medical or dental care or treatment. "Plan" includes:

(a) group insurance and group remittance subscriber contracts;

(b) uninsured arrangements of group coverage;

(c) group coverage through HMO's and other prepayment, group practice and individual practice Plans; and

(d) blanket contracts, except blanket school accident coverages or a similar group when the Policyholder pays the premium.

"Plan" does not include individual or family:

- (a) insurance contracts;
- (b) direct payment subscriber contracts;
- (c) coverage through HMO's; or
- (d) coverage under other prepayment, group practice and individual practice Plans.

This Plan is the parts of this blanket contract that provide benefits for health care expenses on an expense incurred basis.

Primary Plan is one whose benefits for a person's health care coverage must be determined without taking the existence of any other Plan into consideration. A Plan is a Primary Plan if either:

(a) the Plan either has no order of benefit determination rules, or it has rules that differ from those in the contract; or

(b) all Plans that cover the person use the same order of benefits determination rules as in this contract, and under those rules the Plan determines its benefits first.

Secondary Plan is one that is not a Primary Plan. If a person is covered by more than one Secondary Plan, the order of benefit determination rules of this contract decide the order in which their benefits are determined in relation to each other. The benefits of each Secondary Plan may take into consideration the benefits of the Primary Plan or Plans and the benefits of any other Plan that, under the rules of this contract, has its benefits determined before those of that Secondary Plan.

Allowable Expense is the necessary, reasonable, and customary item of expense for health care; when the item of expense is covered at least in part under any of the Plans involved.

The difference between the cost of a private Hospital room and a semi-private Hospital room is not considered an Allowable Expense under the above definition unless the patient's stay in a private Hospital room is medically necessary in terms of generally accepted medical practice.

When a Plan provides benefits in the form of services, the reasonable cash value of each service will be considered both an Allowable Expense and a benefit paid.

Claim is a request that benefits of a Plan be provided or paid. The benefits claimed may be in the form of:

- (a) services (including supplies);
- (b) payment for all or a portion of the expenses incurred; or
- (c) a combination of (a) and (b).

Claim Determination Period is the period of time that must not be less than twelve (12) consecutive months, over which Allowable Expenses are compared with total benefits payable in the absence of COB, to determine:

(a) whether other insurance exists; and

(b) how much each Plan will pay or provide.

For the purposes of this contract, Claim Determination Period is the period of time beginning with the Effective Date of coverage and ending twelve (12) consecutive months following the date of Loss or longer as may be determined by the Proof of Loss provision.

Order of Benefit Determination Rules

When This Plan is a Primary Plan, its benefits are determined before those of any other Plan and without considering another Plan's benefits.

When This Plan is a Secondary Plan, its benefits are determined after those of any other Plan only when, under these rules, it is secondary to that other Plan.

When there is a basis for a Claim under This Plan and another Plan, This Plan is a Secondary Plan that has its benefits determined after those of the other Plan, unless:

(a) the other Plan has rules coordinating its benefits with those of This Plan; and

(b) both those rules and This Plan's rules, as described below, require that This Plan's benefits be determined before those of the other Plan.

Rules

This Plan determines its order of benefits using the first of the following rules which applies:

(a) Nondependent/Dependent Rule. The benefits of the Plan that covers the person as an employee, member or subscriber (that is, other than as a dependent) are determined before those of the Plan that covers the person as a dependent.

(b) Longer/Shorter Length of Coverage Rule. The benefits of the Plan that covered an employee, member or subscriber longer are determined before those of the Plan that covered that person for the shorter time.

To determine the length of time a person has been covered under a Plan, two Plans shall be treated as one if the claimant was eligible under the second within twenty-four (24) hours after the first ended. Thus, the start of a new Plan does not include: (a) a change in the amount or scope of a Plan's benefits; (b) a change in the entity that pays, provides or administers the Plan's benefits; or (c) a change from one type of Plan to another. The claimant's length of time covered under a Plan is measured from the claimant's first date of coverage under that Plan. If that date is not readily available, the date the claimant first became a member of the group shall be used as the date from which to determine the length of time the claimant's coverage under the present Plan has been in force.

Effect on the Benefits of This Plan When it is Secondary

The benefits of This Plan will be reduced when it is a Secondary Plan so that the total benefits paid or provided by all Plans during a Claim Determination Period are not more than the total Allowable Expenses, not otherwise paid that were incurred during the Claim Determination Period by the person for whom the Claim is made. As each Claim is submitted, This Plan determines its obligation to pay for Allowable Expenses based on all Claims that were submitted up to that point in time during the Claim Determination Period.

Right to Receive and Release Needed Information

Certain facts are needed to apply these COB rules. The Company has the right to decide which facts are needed. The Company may get needed facts from or give them to any other organization or person. The Company need not tell, or get the consent of, any person to do this. Each person claiming benefits under This Plan must give the Company any facts we need to pay the Claim.

Facility of Payment

A payment made under another Plan may include an amount that should have been paid under This Plan. If it does, the Company may pay that amount to the organization that made that payment. That amount will then be treated as though it were a benefit paid under This Plan. The Company will not have to pay that amount again. The term "payment made" includes providing benefits in the form of services, in which case "payment made" means reasonable monetary value of the benefits provided in the form of services.

Right of Recovery

If the amount of the payments made by the Company is more than the Company should have paid under this COB provision, the Company may recover the excess from one or more of: (a) the persons we have paid or for whom we have paid; (b) insurance companies; or (c) other organizations.

Non-complying Plans

This Plan may coordinate its benefits with a Plan that is excess or always secondary or that uses order of benefit determination rules that are inconsistent with those of This Plan (non-complying Plan) on the following basis:

(a) If This Plan is the Primary Plan, This Plan will pay its benefits on a primary basis;

(b) if This Plan is the Secondary Plan, This Plan will pay its benefits first, but the amount of the benefits payable will be determined as if This Plan were the Secondary Plan. In this situation, our payment will be the limit of This Plan's liability; and

(c) if the non-complying Plan does not provide the information needed by This Plan to determine its benefits within thirty (30) days after it is requested to do so, the Company will assume that the benefits of the non-complying Plan are identical to This Plan and will pay benefits accordingly. However, the Company will adjust any payments made based on this assumption whenever information becomes available as to the actual benefits of the non-complying Plan.

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STATE MANDATED LANGUAGE

GROUP CERTIFICATE NSHTC 2500

Alaska

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No such action shall be brought after expiration of three years from the date a claim is denied in whole or in part.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be void if You have concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance on the application in obtaining the Certificate. All statements and descriptions in an application shall be considered to be representations and not warranties. The misrepresentations, omissions, concealment of facts and incorrect statements may not prevent a recovery under the Certificate unless they are fraudulent, material to the acceptance of the risk or the hazard assumed, or the Company in good faith would not have issued the Certificate or would have issued it differently if the true facts had been known.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following provisions are added:

FIRST PARTY CLAIM PAYMENT – Undisputed portions of first party claims will be paid within thirty (30) working days of Company receipt of Proof of Loss.

EXAMINATION UNDER OATH – You are allowed to have legal representation present when examined under oath.

INSURANCE WITH OTHER INSURERS - If:

1) You have other Travel Insurance in effect at the same time as this Certificate covering the **Trip** as described on Your Confirmation of Coverage, and 2) This Certificate is not in excess of all other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity;

We will pay only the proportion of the loss that the limit of liability that applies under this policy bears to the total amount of insurance covering the loss.

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following

17. directly caused by, the actual, alleged or threatened discharge, dispersal, seepage, migration, escape, release or exposure to any hazardous biological, chemical, nuclear radioactive material, gas, matter or contamination;

NSHTC 2200 AK

Arkansas

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action may be brought to recover on the plan within sixty (60) days after written Proof of Loss has been given. No such action shall be brought to recover on the Certificate prior to the expiration of the time allowed by law after Proof of Loss has been furnished in accordance with requirements of this Certificate.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following provision is added:

Inquiries or complaints regarding this Certificate may be submitted to the Arkansas Insurance Department in writing or by phone. Contact information is: Arkansas Insurance Department Consumer Services Division 1200 W. 3rd Street Little Rock, Arkansas 72201-1904 Telephone: 800-8525494 or 501-371-2640

NSHTC 2200 AR

Connecticut

A copy of the Master Policy, form number NSHTC 2000 is available to you upon request.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be void if, whether before or after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing. However, after two (2) years from the date of enrollment, no misstatements made during enrollment may be used to void the coverage of deny any claim for loss incurred after the two (2) year period.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **SUBROGATION** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

SUBROGATION - To the extent allowed by law, We, upon making any payment or assuming liability of recovery for You against any person or corporation, may bring an action in Your name to enforce such rights. This provision does not apply to judicial awards of damages.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION** is deleted in its entirety. The reference to "Excess Insurance" on page 1 is deleted.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - Benefits payable under this Certificate for any Loss other than Loss for which this Certificate provides any periodic payment will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written Proof of such Loss. Subject to due written Proof of Loss, all accrued indemnities for Loss for which this Certificate provides periodic payment will be paid monthly and any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability, will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

All claims shall be paid within thirty (30) days following receipt by the Company of due Proof of Loss. Failure to pay within such period shall entitle the claimant to interest at the rate of fifteen (15) percent per annum from the thirtieth (30th) day after receipt of such Proof of Loss to the date of late payment, provided that interest amounting to less than one dollar need not be paid. You or Your assignee shall be notified by the Company or designated representative of any known failure to provide sufficient documentation for a due Proof of Loss within thirty (30) days after receipt of the claim. Any required interest payments shall be made within thirty (30) days after the payment.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **DISPUTE RESOLUTION** provision is added:

DISPUTE RESOLUTION - If we are unable to resolve any disputes with You regarding this Certificate, you may file a written complaint with the State of Connecticut Insurance Department, PO Box 816, Hartford, CT 06142-0816 Attn: Consumer Affairs. The written complaint must contain a description of the dispute, the purchase price of the covered product subject to the Plan, the cost of the product and a copy of the Certificate.

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, exclusions 7, 9, and 10 are deleted in their entirety and replaced by the following:

7. Mental, nervous, emotional, or personality disorders in any form whatsoever unless You are hospitalized for three (3) consecutive days or more after the Certificate Effective Date;

9. Voluntary use of any controlled substance as defined in Title II of the Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act of 1970 as now or hereafter amended, unless prescribed by a Physician for You. (Accidental ingestion of a poisonous food substance or consumption of a controlled drug is not excluded.)

10. Commission or the attempt to commit a felony.

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 CT

District of Columbia

The fact page of the Certificate is revised by the addition of the following:

THIS IS A LIMITED BENEFIT POLICY, PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the following is added to the definition of **Medically Necessary**:

The fact that a **Physician** may prescribe, authorize, or direct a service does not of itself make it **Medically Necessary** by the Individual or group Policy.

The following is added: Wherever the term "spouse" appears in the Certificate it is amended to also include "legal partner".

NSHTC 2200 DC

Georgia

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD - Your coverage may be denied and Your Certificate may be cancelled if, whether before or after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing.

NSHTC 2200 GA

Hawaii

The Certificate to which this rider is attached is amended as follows:

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS:

Exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 HI

Idaho

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the definition of **Hospital** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Hospital means a provider that is a short-term, acute, or general hospital that:

- 1. is a duly licensed institution;
- 2. in return for compensation from its patients, is primarily engaged in providing Inpatient diagnostic and therapeutic services for the diagnosis, treatment, and care of injured and sick person by or under supervision of Physicians;
- 3. has organized departments of medicine and major surgery;
- 4. provides 24-hour nursing service by or under the supervision of registered graduate nurses; and
- 5. is not other than incidentally: a) a skilled nursing facility, nursing home, custodial care home, health resort, spa or sanatorium, place for rest, or place for the aged; b) a place for the treatment of mental Illness; c) a place for the treatment of alcoholism or drug abuse, place for the provision of hospice care; or d) a place for the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **APPEALS** provision is added:

You may appeal any decision made by the Company to the Idaho Department of Insurance by contacting: Idaho Department of Insurance Consumer Affairs 700 W. State Street, 3rd Floor, P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0043 1-800-721-3272 www.DOI.Idaho.gov

NSHTC 2200 ID

Illinois

The Certificate to which this rider is attached is amended as follows:

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the following definition is added:

Under the Influence of Intoxicants is defined and determined by the laws of the state or jurisdiction where the loss or cause of loss was incurred.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD - Your coverage may be denied and Your Certificate may be cancelled if, whether before or after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **SUBROGATION** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

SUBROGATION - The Company is assigned the right to recover from the negligent third party, or his or her insurer, to the extent of the benefits the Company paid for that sickness or injury. You are required to furnish any information or assistance, or provide any documents that the Company may reasonably require in order to exercise the Company's rights under this provision. This provision applies whether or not the third party admits liability.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

OTHER INSURANCE - Except as provided in the Coordination of Benefits Section of this form, if there is other valid and collectible insurance in effect covering a loss insured under this policy, this policy will share proportionately with such other insurance.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **COMPLAINT** provision is added:

Should you have general complaints regarding this insurance, you may submit your complaint in writing to the following address:

Illinois Division of Insurance Consumer Division Springfield, Illinois 62767

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, exclusion 10 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

10. Commission of or attempt to commit a felony or to which a contributing cause was being engaged in an illegal occupation by You.

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

17. The actual, alleged or threatened discharge, dispersal, seepage, migration, escape, release or exposure to any hazardous biological, chemical, nuclear radioactive material, gas, matter or contamination. For the purpose of this exclusion, hazardous material, gas, matter or contamination does not include, heat, smoke or fumes from a hostile fire, mold or electromagnetic fields.

NSHTC 2200 IL

Maine

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the definitions of **Accidental Injury** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Accidental Injury means Bodily Injury caused by an Accident being the direct and independent cause in the Loss and that 1) requires a physical examination and medical treatment by a Physician and 2) commences while Your coverage is in

effect. The injury must be verified by a Physician.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be cancelled or denied if, whether before or after a Loss, **You** concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or **Your** interest therein, or if **You** commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing. **You** must fully cooperate in the event the **Company** determines that an investigation of any claim is warranted.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **WHEN YOUR COVERAGE ENDS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

WHEN YOUR COVERAGE ENDS - Your coverage will end at 12:01 A.M. local time on the date that is the earliest of the following:

(a) the day after the date the Policy is terminated;

(b) the day after the Scheduled Return Date as stated on the travel tickets;

(c) the day after the date You return to Your origination point if prior to the Scheduled Return Date;

(d) the day after the date You leave or change the Trip (unless due to Unforeseen and unavoidable circumstances covered by the Policy);

(e) when You are less than one hundred fifty (150) miles from Your primary residence.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - Benefits payable under this Certificate for any Loss other than Loss for which this Certificate provides any periodic payment will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written Proof of such Loss. Subject to due written Proof of Loss, all accrued indemnities for Loss for which this Certificate provides periodic payment will be paid monthly and any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability, will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

All claims shall be paid within thirty (30) days following receipt by the **Company** of due Proof of Loss. Failure to pay within such period shall entitle the claimant to interest at the rate of 1.5% per month from the thirtieth (30th) day after receipt of such Proof of Loss to the date of late payment, provided that interest amounting to less than one dollar need not be paid. **You** or **Your** assignee shall be notified by the **Company** or designated representative of any known failure to provide sufficient documentation for a due Proof of Loss within thirty (30) days after receipt of the claim. Any required interest payments shall be made within thirty (30) days after the payment.

The following is added to **EMERGENCY ACCIDENT MEDICAL EXPENSE** and **EMERGENCY SICKNESS MEDICAL EXPENSE**:

Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary, the daily benefit for **Hospital** confinement payable under this Certificate shall not be less than \$50 per day and not less than 31 days during any one period of confinement for each person insured under this Certificate and will be paid regardless of other coverage.

NSHTC 2200 ME

Maryland

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years from the date it accrues.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be cancelled and any claims denied if, whether before or after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein.

NSHTC 2200 MD

Mississippi

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following is added to the **PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision:

Upon receipt of a written notice of claim, **We** will furnish any forms required to file a Proof of Loss. If **We** fail to furnish such forms within 15 days after receipt of notice of claim, the claimant shall be deemed to have complied with Proof of Loss requirements upon submitting written proof of loss covering the occurrence within the timeframe for Proof of Loss outlined in the Certificate.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - Indemnities payable under the Certificate for any loss will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof of such loss. All claims shall be paid within 25 days following receipt by **Us** of due Proof of Loss when acceptable Proof of Loss is filed electronically and 35 days for Proofs of Loss filed in a format other than electronic. If payment is not made within these timeframes, **We** will provide **You** with the reason(s) the claim is not payable or advise **You** of the additional information necessary to process the claim. Once such additional information is provided, the balance of the claim that is payable will be paid with 20 days of receipt of such additional information. Failure to pay within such time periods shall entitle **You** to interest at the rate of 1.5% per month from the date payment was due until final claims settlement or adjudication.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **ENTIRE CONTRACT** provision is added:

ENTIRE CONTRACT – The Certificate, including any endorsements and any attached papers constitute the entire contract of insurance. No change to this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of the **Company** and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or to waive any of its provisions.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY** provision is added:

The right to change the beneficiary is reserved to **You**. The consent of the beneficiary shall not be a prerequisite to the surrender of this Certificate or to any change of beneficiary, or any other changes to this Certificate.

NSHTC 2200 MS

Montana

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **CONTROLLING LAW** provision in its entirety and replaced with the following:

CONTROLLING LAW – The provisions of this Certificate conform to the minimum requirements of Montana law and control over any conflicting statutes of any state in which You reside in on or after the effective date of this Certificate.

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, exclusion 2 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

2. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury while sane, unless results in the death of a non-traveling Family Member;

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, exclusion 14 is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 MT

Nebraska

The following amendments are made to **GENERAL PROVISIONS**:

The provision MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD in the General Provisions is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the

following:

Your coverage shall be void if You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate, or subject thereof, in obtaining this insurance and such action or inaction deceived the Company to its injury. Also, Your coverage shall be void if You breach a warranty or condition in this Certificate at the time of a Loss and such breach contributes to the Loss.

You must fully cooperate in the event the Company determines that an investigation of any claim is warranted.

NSHTC 2200 NE

Nevada

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the definition of **Pre-existing Condition** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Pre-Existing Condition means a condition, regardless of the cause of the condition, applicable to You, a Traveling Companion, a Family Member booked to travel with You, for which medical advice, diagnosis, care or treatment was recommended or received during the 6 months immediately preceding the Effective Date of the new coverage. The term does not include genetic information in the absence of a diagnosis of the condition related to such information.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

TIME OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - Benefits payable under this Certificate for any Loss other than Loss for which this Certificate provides any periodic payment will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written Proof of such Loss. Subject to due written Proof of Loss, all accrued indemnities for Loss for which this Certificate provides periodic payment will be paid monthly and any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability, will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

All claims shall be paid within thirty (30) days following receipt by the Company of due Proof of Loss. Failure to pay within such period shall entitle the claimant to interest at the rate equal to the prime rate at the largest bank in Nevada, as ascertained by the Commissioner of Financial Institutions, on January 1 or July 1, as the case may be, immediately preceding the date of the transaction, plus 2 percent per annum from the thirtieth (30th) day after receipt of such Proof of Loss to the date of late payment, provided that interest amounting to less than one dollar need not be paid. You or Your assignee shall be notified by the Company or designated representative of any known failure to provide sufficient documentation for a due Proof of Loss within thirty (30) days after receipt of the claim. Any required interest payments shall be made within thirty (30) days after the payment.

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, Exclusion 9 is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 NV

North Carolina

Page 1 of the Certificate is amended to include the following:

This program contains a Pre-existing Conditions limitation. Please read the Definitions and Exclusions carefully.

EXCESS INSURANCE

This Certificate is not intended to be issued where other medical insurance exists. If other medical insurance does exist at the time of the claim then the amounts of benefit payable by such other medical insurance will become the deductible amount of this Certificate if such benefits exceed the deductible amount shown in the Confirmation of Coverage.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL DEFINITIONS**, the definition of **Hospital** is revised by the addition of the following:

Hospital also means:

- 1. A place that is accredited as a **Hospital** by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of **Hospitals**, American Osteopathic Association, or the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations (JCAHO).
- 2. A duly licensed State tax-supported institution, including those providing services for medical care of cerebral palsy, other orthopedic and crippling disabilities, mental and nervous diseases or disorders, mental retardation, alcoholism and drug or chemical dependency, and respiratory illness, on a basis no less favorable than the basis which would apply had the medical care been rendered in or by any other public or private institution or provider. The term "State tax-supported

institutions" shall include community mental health centers and other health clinics which are certified as Medicaid providers.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION - The insurance provided by this Certificate shall be in excess of all other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity other than private passenger auto no-fault benefits or third party liability insurance. If at the time of the occurrence of any Loss there is other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity in place, the Company shall be liable only for the excess of the amount of Loss, over the amount of such Other Insurance or indemnity, and applicable Deductible.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following apply to the Emergency Accident Medical Expense and Emergency Sickness Medical Expense benefits.

The **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS – No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

The SUBROGATION provision does not apply to the above mentioned benefits.

The **PROOF OF LOSS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

PROOF OF LOSS - The claimant must send the Company, or its designated representative, Proof of Loss within onehundred and eighty (180) days after a covered Loss occurs or as soon as reasonably possible. Failure to furnish such proof within the time required shall not invalidate nor reduce any claim if it was not reasonably possible to give proof within such time, provided such proof is furnished as soon as reasonably possible and in no event, except in the absence of legal capacity, later than one year from the time proof is otherwise required.

Under the section entitled **LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS**, the following exclusion is deleted in its entirety:

17. directly or indirectly, the actual, alleged or threatened discharge, dispersal, seepage, migration, escape, release or exposure to any hazardous biological, chemical, nuclear radioactive material, gas, matter or contamination.

Under the section entitled **COORDINATION OF BENEFITS** the following changes apply:

Any reference to blanket insurance is deleted from the coordination of benefits provisions.

The **Right of Recovery** provision is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 NC

North Dakota

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

NSHTC 2200 ND

Ohio

The following FRAUD STATEMENT and COORDINATION OF BENEFITS notices are added:

FRAUD STATEMENT

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact materiel thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act which is a crime.

COORDINATION OF BENEFITS

If you or your family members are covered by more than one health care plan, you may not be able to collect benefits from both plans. Each plan may require you to follow its rules or use specific doctors and hospitals, and it may be impossible to comply with both plans at the same time. Read all of the rules very carefully, including the coordination of benefits section, and compare them with the rules of any other plan that covers you or your family.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives proof of loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (s) years after the time required for giving proof of loss.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION** provision is deleted in its entirety. The reference to "Excess Insurance" on page 1 is deleted.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **COMPLAINT** provision is added:

If you have a complaint related to a claim, You should contact the Company or its Agent. If you disagree with the company's decision, you have the right to file a complaint with the Ohio Department of Insurance, Consumer Services Division, 2100 Stella Court, Columbus, Ohio 43215-1067, (614)-644-2673, toll free in Ohio 1-800-686-1526.

In the section entitled COORDINATION OF BENEFITS, the following changes are made:

The definition of **Plan** is amended to read:

Plan means a form of coverage with which coordination is allowed. The following will be considered in applying this COB provision.

Plan includes group insurance and group subscriber contract, an uninsured arrangement of group or group-type coverage, group or group-type coverage through a health insuring corporation or other prepayment, group practice or individual practice plan, group-type contracts, the amount by which group-type hospital indemnity benefits exceed one hundred dollars per day, medical benefits coverage under a group or group-type automobile "no fault" and traditional "fault" type contract, and Medicare or other governmental benefits, Medicaid or other plan when, by law, its benefits are in excess of those of any private insurance plan or other non-governmental plan.

The term Plan shall not include an individual insurance contract, whether single or family coverage, an individual subscriber contract, whether single or family coverage, an individual contract with a health insuring corporation, whether single or family coverage, an individual contract under any other prepayment, group practice or individual practice plan, whether single or family coverage, group or group-type hospital indemnity benefits of one hundred dollars per day or less, a supplemental sickness and accident policy excluded from coordination of benefits because of the limited nature of the program pursuant to law, school accident-type coverage, a state plan under Medicaid, or other plan when, by law, its benefits are in excess of those of any private insurance plan or other non-governmental plan.

The definition of **Allowable Expense** is amended to read:

Allowable Expense is the necessary, reasonable, and customary item of expense for health care; when the item of expense is covered at least in part under any of the Plans involved.

The difference between the cost of a private hospital room and a semi-private hospital room is not considered an Allowable Expense under the above definition unless the patient's stay in a private hospital room is medically necessary in terms of generally accepted medical practice.

When a Plan provides benefits in the form of services, the reasonable cash value of each service will be considered both an Allowable Expense and a benefit paid.

When plans have differing Allowable Expenses, the larger Allowable Expense shall be used for purposes of coordination. When benefits paid by a Primary Plan are less than the Allowable Expenses, the Secondary Plan shall pay or provide its benefits toward any remaining balance otherwise payable by You. A Secondary Plan will not be required to make a payment of an amount that exceed the amount it would have paid if it were the Primary Plan, but in no event, when combined with the amount paid by the primary plan, shall payments by the Secondary Plan exceed 100% of the larger of the expenses allowable under the provisions of the applicable policies.

Under the section entitled "Rules", items (c) and (d) are added:

(c) Children (Parents Divorced or Separated). If the court decree makes one parent responsible for health care expenses, that parent's plan is primary. If the court decree gives joint custody and does not mention health care, we follow the birthday

rule.

(d) Children and the Birthday Rule. When your children's health care expenses are involved, we follow the "birthday rule." The plan of the parent with the first birthday in a calendar year is always primary for the children.

The following COORDINATION OF DISPUTES provision is added:

COORDINATION OF DISPUTES: If you believe that we have not paid a claim properly, you should first attempt to resolve the problem by contacting us. (For health maintenance organizations, reference Certificate's description of appeal procedures). If you are still not satisfied, you may call the Ohio Department of Insurance for instructions on filing a consumer complaint. Call (614) 644-2673 or 1-800-686-1526.

NSHTC 2200 OH

South Carolina

Under the section entitled **General Definitions**, the definition of **Pre-Existing Condition** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Pre-Existing Condition means any injury, sickness or condition of You, Your Traveling Companion, Your Family Member booked to travel with You, for which within the sixty (60) day period prior to the effective date under the Certificate such person received medical advice or treatment or medical advice or treatment was recommended. This definition does not apply to a condition that is treated or controlled solely through the taking of prescription drugs or medicine and remains treated or controlled without any adjustment or change in the required prescription throughout the sixty (60) day period before the Effective Date.

Such an Injury or Sickness will continue to be a Pre- Existing Condition and excluded until the first to occur of the expiration of twelve (12) consecutive months for which You have not received any medical care, consultation, diagnosis, or treatment or the expiration of twelve (12) months from the effective date of coverage.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than six (6) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **EXCESS INSURANCE LIMITATION** provision is deleted in its entirety. The reference to "Excess Insurance" on page 1 is deleted.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND AUTOPSY** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND AUTOPSY - The Company, or its designated representative, at its own expense, have the right to have You examined as often as reasonably necessary while a claim is pending. The Company, or its designated representative, also has the right to have an autopsy made unless prohibited by law. The autopsy will be performed in South Carolina.

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety.

NSHTC 2200 SC

Utah

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **PROOF OF LOSS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

PROOF OF LOSS - You must furnish the Company, or its designated representative, with Proof of Loss. This must be a detailed sworn statement. It must be filed with the Company, or its designated representative, within ninety (90) days from the date of Loss. Failure to comply with these conditions shall not invalidate any claims under this Certificate if You can show it was not reasonably possible to file Proof of Loss within ninety (90) days.

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, the following is added to exclusion 17.

This exclusion (17.) does not apply to the extent that the loss is caused by terrorism.

NSHTC 2200 UT

Vermont

The following is added to the Certificate:

THIS TRAVEL PROGRAM IS A LIMITED BENEFIT PROGRAM. PLEASE READ YOUR CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

MISREPRESENTATION AND FRAUD – Your coverage shall be void if, before a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing.

Your coverage shall be cancelled and any claims denied if, after a Loss, You concealed or misrepresented any material fact or circumstance concerning this Certificate or the subject thereof, or Your interest therein, or if You commit fraud or false swearing in connection with any of the foregoing.

You must fully cooperate in the event the Company determines that an investigation of any claim is warranted.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following is added to the **PAYMENT OF CLAIMS** provision:

After claim settlement has been agreed upon by You and the Company, the Company will mail payment in the agreed amount to You and/or the Loss payee within ten (10) working days. Failure to pay within such period shall entitle You to interest at the rate of nine percent (9%) per annum at the expiration of each four (4) weeks during the continuance of the period for which the Company is liable, provided that interest amounting to less than one dollar need not be paid. Any balance remaining unpaid upon the termination of liability will be paid immediately upon receipt of due written proof.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the following **CIVIL UNIONS** provision is added:

CIVIL UNIONS - This Certificate provides benefits for parties to a civil union. Vermont law requires that insurance policies offered to married persons and their families be made available to parties to a civil union and their families. In order to receive benefits in accordance with this Certificate, the civil union must be established in the state of Vermont according to Vermont law. It is understood that Certificate definitions and provisions designating:

- an Insured
- named Insured
- who is Insured
- who is a named Insured
- covered person(s)
- You and/or Your
- spouse
- Family Member

and any other Certificate definitions and provisions designating an Insured under this Certificate, are amended, wherever appearing, where terms denoting a marital relationship or family relationship arising out of a marriage are used, to indicate parties to a civil union and their families under Vermont law.

NSHTC 2200 VT

Wisconsin

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than three (3) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **SUBROGATION** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

SUBROGATION - To the extent the Company pays for a Loss suffered by You, the Company will take over the rights and remedies You had relating to the Loss. This is known as subrogation. You must help the Company to preserve its rights against those responsible for the Loss. This may involve signing any papers and taking any other steps the Company may reasonably require. If the Company takes over Your rights, You must sign an appropriate subrogation form supplied by the

Company. The Company's ability to recover is limited to the amount remaining after You have been made whole.

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, both of the **PROOF OF LOSS** provisions are deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

PROOF OF LOSS – Your or Your representative must send the Company, or its designated representative, Proof of Loss within ninety (90) days after a covered Loss occurs or as soon as reasonably possible. This must be a detailed sworn statement. Failure to furnish such proof within the time required shall not invalidate nor reduce any claim if it was not reasonably possible to give proof within such time, provided such proof is furnished as soon as reasonably possible and in no event, except in the absence of legal capacity, later than one year from the time proof is otherwise required. Failure to comply with these conditions shall invalidate any claims under this Certificate.

Under the section entitled LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS, exclusion 17 is deleted in its entirety.

KEEP THIS NOTICE WITH YOUR INSURANCE PAPERS:

PROBLEMS WITH YOUR INSURANCE? — If you are having problems with your insurance company or agent, do not hesitate to contact the insurance company or agent to resolve your problem.

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company One Nationwide Plaza Columbus, OH 43215 1-877-669-6877

You can also contact the OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE, a state agency which enforces Wisconsin's insurance laws, and file a complaint. You can file a complaint electronically with the OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE at its website at <u>http://oci.wi.gov/</u>, or by contacting:

Office of the Commissioner of Insurance Complaints Department P.O. Box 7873 Madison, WI 53707-7873 1-800-236-8517 608-266-0103

NSHTC 2200 WI

Wyoming

Under the section entitled **GENERAL PROVISIONS**, the **LEGAL ACTIONS** provision is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

LEGAL ACTIONS - No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company until sixty (60) days after the Company receives Proof of Loss. No legal action for a claim can be brought against the Company more than four (4) years after the time required for giving Proof of Loss.

NSHTC 2200 WY

NATIONWIDE PRIVACY STATEMENT

FACTS	WHAT DOES NATIONWIDE DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?		
Why?	Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal and state law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal and state law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Please read this		
M/b c t O	notice carefully to understand what we do.		
What?	The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This information can include:		
	Social Security number, government issued identification, and contact information		
	 Policy, account, and contract information 		
	 Credit reports and other consumer reports 		
How?	All financial companies need to share customers' personal information to run their everyday business. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies can share their customers' personal information; the reasons Nationwide chooses to share; and whether you can limit this sharing.		

Reasons we can share your personal information	Does Nationwide share?	Can you limit this sharing?
For our everyday business purposes— such as to process your transactions, maintain your account(s), respond to court orders and legal investigations, or report to credit bureaus	Yes	No
For our marketing purposes— to offer our products and services to you	Yes	No
For joint marketing with other financial companies	Yes	No
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes— information about your transactions and experiences	Yes	No
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes— information about your creditworthiness	Yes	Yes
For our affiliates to market to you	Yes	Yes
For non affiliates to market to you	Yes	Yes

To limit our sharing	Call us toll free at 1-866-280-1809 and our menu will prompt you through your choices. If you have previously opted out, your preference remains on file and you do not need to opt out again. Please have your account or policy number handy when you call.
	Please note : If you are a <i>new</i> customer, we can begin sharing your information 30 days from the date we sent this notice. When you are <i>no longer</i> our customer, we continue to share your information as described in this notice. However, you can contact us at any time to limit our sharing.
Questions?	1-800-753-1000

Who we are				
Who is providing this notice?	Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company			
What we do				
How does Nationwide protect my personal information?	To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, we use security measures that comply with federal and state law. These measures include computer safeguards and secured files and buildings. We limit access to your information to those who need it to do their job.			
How does Nationwide collect my personal information?	We collect your personal information, for example, when you: Apply for insurance Make a payment or file a claim Conduct business with us We also collect your personal information from others, such as credit bureaus, affiliates, or other companies.			

Why can't I limit all sharing?	 Federal and state law gives you the right to limit only: Sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes—information about your creditworthiness; Affiliates from using your information to market to you; and Sharing for non affiliates to market to you. State laws and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing. See below for more information.
Definitions	
Affiliates	Companies related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies. These companies include Nationwide Life Insurance Company, Nationwide Bank, and Nationwide Property and Casualty Insurance Company. Visit nationwide.com for a list of affiliated companies.
Non affiliates	Companies not related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.
Joint marketing	A formal agreement between nonaffiliated financial companies that together market financial products or services to you.

Other important information

California Residents: We currently do not share information we collect about you with affiliated or nonaffiliated companies for their marketing purposes. Therefore, you do not need to opt out.

Nevada Residents: You may request to be placed on our internal Do Not Call list. Send an email with your phone number to privacy@nationwide.com. You may request a copy of our telemarketing practices. For more on this Nevada law, contact Bureau of Consumer Protection, Office of the Nevada Attorney General, 555 E. Washington St., Suite 3900, Las Vegas, NV 89101; Phone number: 1-702-486-3132; email: <u>BCPINFO@ag.state.nv.us</u>.

Vermont Residents: For Vermont customers only. We will not share your personal information for marketing purposes with the Nationwide family of companies or third parties without your authorization, except as permitted by law.

AZ, CA, CT, GA, IL, ME, MA, MT, NV, NJ, NM, NC, ND, OH, OR, and VA Residents: When we refer to "Information" we mean information we collect during an insurance transaction (not including medical record information). We will not use your medical information for marketing purposes without your consent. We share personal information with non-affiliates without your prior authorization as permitted or required by law. They may use it to investigate fraud, respond to court orders, and conduct actuarial studies. We share it with insurance regulatory authorities and law enforcement. We share it with consumer reporting agencies. They may retain it or disclose it to other companies with which you do business. These other companies use and disclose it to others as permitted by law. We obtain reports prepared by an insurance-support organization keeps copies and discloses them to others. You have a right to access and correct your Information as described below.

Accessing your information

You can ask us for a copy of your personal information. Please send your request to the address below and have your signature notarized. This is for your protection so we may prove your identity. Please include your name, address, and policy number. You can change your personal information at Nationwide.com or by calling your agent. We can't change information that other companies, like credit agencies, provide to us. You'll need to ask them to change it.

Co-ordinated Benefit Plans

Attn: Privacy Officer P.O. Box 26222 Tampa, FL 33623 Travel Assistance Services are provided by an independent organization and not by the Company. There may be times when circumstances beyond Travel MedEvac's Assistance Provider's control hinder their endeavors to provide travel assistance services. They will, however, make all reasonable efforts to provide travel assistance services and help you resolve your emergency situation.



Assistance Services

This document provides details on Assistance Services provided and does not amend, alter or extend the coverage afforded by the certificate of insurance. Electronic summary and digital documents and/or custom links have been provided to the Plan Holder. Although not required to carry for services, we do recommend you carry your confirmation summary and other forms of identification at all times for convenience should you need to contact us if you are admitted to a hospital with a serious or critical injury or illness which may necessitate an evacuation.

Customer Service

If you have questions about the services provided, you can view many of the frequently asked questions by visiting our website <u>www.travelmedevac.com</u> or by reviewing an overview of coverages and services offered by Travel MedEvac. Your specific travel protection plan you elected to purchase, including insurance benefits and services, will be listed in your Confirmation of Coverage. If you have additional questions on your plan, please contact the agent or representative who sold you the plan, or contact Travel MedEvac Customer Service at the following:

Customer Service Contact

Email: info@travelmedevac.com Phone: 1-888-963-4933 Outside the USA or Canada Dial: 1-602-344-9225

24/7 Emergency Medical Assistance Services

If you are hospitalized with a serious or critical injury or illness, please call us at the following: 1-888-963-4933 Outside the USA or Canada Dial: 1-602-344-9225

Press "2" at the Prompt

Whether you are the insured or calling on behalf of the insured, please have the following information available.

- Full Name of Insured Patient
- Current Condition of Insured Patient
- Name of the Hospital and Location
- Hospital Phone Number(s)
- Name of Physician(s)/Hospital Administrator
- Policy Number

If You Are Filing A Reimbursement Claim For Emergency Medical Coverage

If you are provided emergency medical services at a hospital and seeking reimbursement for out of pocket costs, please utilize the claims form available at <u>https://www.travelmedevac.com/claims-services/</u> where additional instructions are available.

You may mail your form and information to: Co-ordinated Benefit Plans, LLC On Behalf of Travel MedEvac P.O. Box 26222 Tampa, FL 33623 Or E-mail your information to: <u>NWTravClaims@cbpinsure.com</u> Phone: 866-223-4772 (Direct Dial 727-450-8796)

IMPORTANT: To facilitate prompt claims settlement, You will be asked to provide proof of Your loss. Therefore, be sure to obtain the following: Detailed medical statements from treating physicians where and when the accident or Sickness occurred as well as receipts for medical services and supplies. You will also be asked to provide proof of payment.

Assistance Services Are Provided Through Travel MedEvac and Its Assistance Provider

ASSISTANCE SERVICES WHEN HOSPITALIZED

The following details on steps you should take if you are hospitalized with a serious or critical condition more than 150 miles away from your home.

If you, a family member or companion has an emergency, please have medical treatment sought at the local hospital immediately. If not admitted to the hospital and seeking reimbursement for qualified emergency medical expenses, please follow the instructions on the claim page of our website <u>www.travelmedevac.com/claims-services/</u> to submit a claim to be reimbursed for eligible expenses. If admitted to the hospital for a serious or critical injury or illness, please call us and you will be connected with our Assistance Provider, available 365 days a year, 24 hours a day. Our Assistance Provider will work with you, your family or companion along with the attending Physician(s) and medical facility personnel to review your coverage and arrange payment of qualified medical services direct to the hospital if necessary. If it is determined a medical evacuation may be needed, whether the evacuation is to be carried out via a commercial aircraft or a private, medically equipped aircraft, a Medical Assessment, including Medical Records and other information regarding your health condition, will be needed prior to a medical evacuation being approved and arranged.

MEDICAL EVACUATION ARRANGEMENTS

Your enrollment in the Plan provides you access to medically warranted hospital-to-hospital evacuation transportation arranged by Travel MedEvac's Assistance Provider and their Medical Evacuation Providers according to the terms, conditions, and limitations set forth in the certificate of insurance.

All arrangements for transportation or assistance services under your plan must be made through Travel MedEvac's Assistance Provider and their Medical Evacuation providers, which when available, use highly accredited EURAMI or CAMTS certified air ambulance companies through our extensive network of providers. Any arrangements made by Plan Holder for medical evacuation services with an alternate air ambulance company or Assistance Provider will not be reimbursed for any charges or expenses incurred without our prior authorized written and notarized approval.

You agree to promptly notify, or have your representative promptly notify us for request of medical evacuation transportation if you believe it may be needed, specifying the nature of the injury or illness. Due to the nature of the services, a reasonable period of time is required to properly initiate a medical evacuation transportation, and you agree that diligence is necessary to properly accommodate a medical

emergency. You also agree to provide notice of request at the earliest possible time, so we can secure a comprehensive medical assessment and to allow proper time to determine eligibility and prepare the medical evacuation transportation. Failure to contact us for the medical evacuation transportation in a timely manner may result in a denial or delay of services.

To facilitate providing the services, you hereby authorize us, Assistance Provider and any Medical Evacuation Provider utilized to disclose or discuss your medical information with any physician, hospital, medical attendant, or others regarding your physical condition including but not limited to medical records and diagnostic images and test results. This authorization shall remain valid until such time as you or your authorized representative revokes it in writing.

You also authorize us, the Assistance Provider and their network of air ambulance providers and any medical personnel or medical facility involved in the medical transport process to review your medical records, diagnostic images, and test results. The sending physician, receiving physician, and the Assistance Provider's, Medical Personnel must agree that the Plan Holder requires continued inpatient hospitalization, meets the criteria for an air medical transport and the Plan holder is medically stable for an approved transport to a qualifying medical facility. The medical evacuation transportation will not be provided until such time as we have obtained a completed medical assessment, the transport meets other applicable terms and there is confirmed admission to the receiving medical facility. Admission to the receiving hospital typically requires medical and financial acceptance. Repatriation from outside one's home country requires proper documentation, such as a passport, visa, etc. to clear customs and is the responsibility of the Plan Holder. A Plan Holder and/or companion may be denied medical evacuation transportation if they are unable to provide such documentation or are denied admission to their home hospital of choice.

You further authorize the Assistance Provider's Medical Evacuation Provider's medical personnel to perform procedures and provide treatment as they deem necessary, both prior to and during the course of your medical evacuation transportation. We do not provide or control the provision of medical services to Plan Holders. Our performance of our obligations under the Travel MedEvac's plan assistance services is ministerial in nature and shall not constitute any undertaking to render medical services, to assume or guarantee the result of medical services provided to Plan Holders, or to guarantee that the medical services performed by others will be rendered in accordance with generally accepted standards or procedures. The parties understand and agree that the rendering of medical services to a Plan Holder and the results thereof are solely within the control of the Medical Evacuation Provider's medical personnel. Travel MedEvac is not liable for any malpractice by the Medical Evacuation Provider, their contracted network of air ambulance companies, or other healthcare providers, and the Plan Holder agrees to hold Travel MedEvac and its assigns harmless for said services.

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS ON ASSISTANCE SERVICES

Medical evacuation transportation is subject to limitations on the operation of aircraft imposed by mechanical issues, weather, regulations and restrictions imposed by the United States Federal Aviation Administration or comparable aviation administration authority of any other jurisdiction in which a medical facility or Plan Holder may be located, and other conditions beyond the control of Travel MedEvac or the Assistance Provider and their Medical Evacuation Providers.

A Plan Holder weighing in excess of three hundred (300) pounds or having other physical characteristics may limit the ability to place a Plan Holder into an aircraft due to size limitations of a fixed wing air ambulance aircraft and may be prohibited from transport.

The Assistance Provider and its Medical Evacuation Provider will manage the logistics of all air medical transports, including the possibility of using an alternate medical evacuation transportation provider that is part of their extensive worldwide network of accredited air ambulance companies should the need arise. Medical evacuation transportation from airports in some countries is restricted or closed to private aircraft, including air ambulance aircraft, from dusk until dawn which may delay an aircraft from reaching a Plan Holder.

Your plan provides medical evacuation transportation only through the use of ground ambulances and aircraft assigned by Travel MedEvac's Assistance Providers and their Medical Evacuation Providers. Your plan does not reimburse or otherwise allow for transportation arranged by the Plan Holder or

provided through any other means (e.g., helicopter). Since your plan requires you to arrange any medical transports or services through our Assistance Provider, Plan Holders will not be reimbursed for expenses they incur on their own.

Both the sending and receiving medical facility must be reasonably accessible by ground ambulance to transport the Plan Holder to and from an airfield capable of accommodating medical aircraft transportation assigned by us. Air medical transport from remote areas or islands to a location with an airfield accessible to our primary provider's medical aircraft is not provided. Costs of evacuation from these remote areas to a location where we can provide service are the responsibility of the Plan Holder.

Due to limited medical and laboratory facilities on cruise ships, if a Plan Holder becomes ill or injured on a cruise ship, in all cases we will require a Plan Holder to be admitted to a hospital on-shore for a thorough medical assessment before a possible Medical evacuation transportation to another medical facility can be considered.

Aircraft and personnel cannot be sent into countries where the U.S. State Department or other governmental regulatory agency has issued travel restrictions, or to areas where civil aviation has been suspended or restricted, due to a natural disaster, civil unrest, an outbreak of illness/disease or any other cause. Various countries throughout the world may pose travel and/or medical restrictions, at any time, that prevent a transport. Your plan is subject to exclusion in these areas, as well as for any medical evacuation transportation that would be in violation of any Federal Aviation Administration rules or regulations, or comparable aviation administration authority, or Presidential orders restricting air travel for any jurisdiction you may be traveling. A Plan Holder diagnosed with or suspected of having tuberculosis or other chronic pathogens or infectious disease as defined and classified by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention, the National Institutes of Health, or comparable administration authority, may be prohibited from transport due to travel and other governmental restrictions.

The patient, and an accompanying passenger(s) if the medical condition and space allows, are limited to one small carry-on bag each due to limited space available on the medical aircraft.

ADDITIONAL DISCLAIMER AND LIMITATIONS ON LIABILITY

The Plan Holder acknowledges that medical evacuation transportation is arranged through our Primary Medical Evacuation Provider and their extensive network of air ambulance companies, although the ground ambulance and aircraft is equipped with personnel and equipment to sustain and preserve the life of a patient while in transit, a Plan Holder's condition may deteriorate during the transport to the point of death or irreparable harm. The Plan Holder understands and assumes this risk, and therefore agrees that Travel MedEvac, plan underwriter Nationwide®, our Assistance Provider and their Medical Evacuation Providers or other outside contractors, including their shareholders, officers, managers, employees, agents, affiliates, distributors, predecessors, successors, and assigns, shall not be responsible to any person, including but not limited to the Plan Holder or the Plan Holder's estate, survivors, agents, assigns, or representatives, for the Plan Holder's death or deterioration of the Plan Holder's condition.

Travel MedEvac and its underwriters, managers, employees, agents, affiliates, successors, and assigns shall not be liable for any harm or damages relating to or resulting from services provided by our Assistance Provider, their Medical Evacuation Providers or other outside contractors. Neither Travel MedEvac nor its underwriters, managers, employees, agents, affiliates, distributors, successors, or assigns shall be liable to any person for the death, disability, or injury of the Plan Holder or any other person accompanying the Plan Holder unless the injury is determined by a court to be solely caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of Travel MedEvac. We shall not be liable for delay or failure to perform under the plan if such delay or failure is caused by the unavailability of a ground ambulance or aircraft, government restrictions, mechanical failure, acts of god, fire, flood, strike, labor dispute, riot, insurrection, war, or any other cause beyond the control of Travel MedEvac, our Assistance Provider and their extensive network of highly accredited worldwide Medical Evacuation Providers, or other outside contractors.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Except as otherwise set forth in this certificate of insurance, the assistance provided is provided on an "as is" and "as available" basis. Travel MedEvac and its managers, employees, agents, affiliates, distributors, successors, and assigns expressly disclaim all warranties of any kind, whether express or implied. The Plan Holder, individually and on behalf of the Plan Holder's estate, and the Plan Holder's survivors, agents, assigns, and representatives, expressly understand and agree that Travel MedEvac and its Assistance Provider, Medical Evacuation Provider, managers, employees, agents, affiliates, distributors, successors, and assigns shall not be liable to the Plan Holder or the Plan Holder's estate, survivors, agents, representatives, or assigns, or the general public, for any direct, indirect, incidental, special, consequential, punitive, or exemplary damages relating to or arising out of the plan or the services to be provided hereunder. The total liability of Travel MedEvac and its Assistance Provider, Medical Evacuation Provider, managers, employees, agents, affiliates, distributors, successors, and assigns relating to or arising out of the plan or the services provided hereunder shall not exceed the amount equal to the plan and policy fees paid to date during the current term of your plan. Medical evacuation transportation made pursuant to the plan is subject to rules and limitations of certain international treaties governing international air travel, including but not limited to the Warsaw convention and/or the Montreal convention, which limit the liability of air carriers with respect to death or injury of passengers, for loss or destruction of baggage, or for delay.

The travel protection plan assistance services as defined constitute a summary of the agreement between Travel MedEvac and the Plan Holder. All legal actions arising under or relating to the assistance services provided or arranged by Travel MedEvac through the Assistance Provider and its Medical Evacuation Providers for you under your plan, shall be barred unless written notice thereof is received by us within six (6) months from the date of the services provided.

You further agree to waive the right to trial by jury in any action arising out of or relating to any assistance services provided or arranged by Travel MedEvac and its Assistance Provider or their Medical Evacuation Providers for you under your plan. Your plan cannot be transferred or assigned by you, and any attempted transfer or assignment shall be null and void.

Travel MedEvac, the Assistance Provider and its Medical Evacuation Providers, in its sole discretion, may monitor or electronically record communications between its employees or designated representatives and you in connection with your plan. By enrolling as a Plan Holder, you specifically authorize communications involving you and to which you are a party to be recorded and utilized by us for quality control or other purposes.

GENERAL DEFINITONS

"Assistance Provider" means the company contracted with Travel MedEvac to provide assistance and claims services to our Plan Holders.

"Medical Evacuation Provider" means our Assistance Provider's global network of highly accredited air ambulance and medical evacuation assistance companies.

"Medical Personnel" means a licensed physician employed by or contracted with the Assistance Provider or Medical Evacuation Provider to serve in a medical and administrative capacity as the head of the medical personnel employed by or contracted with the Assistance Provider.

"Medical Assessment" means an assessment of a patient's medical condition secured by our Assistance Company working in conjunction with the Medical Evacuation Provider's medical director and in collaboration with the attending physician. The Assistance Company in collaboration with the Medical Evacuation Provider, will utilize the assessment to determine at its sole discretion whether a Plan Holder is fit to fly; the most appropriate means to provide medical evacuation; the medical personnel who will be accompanying the patient on the transport; and to confirm the medical facility closest to one's home can meet their medical needs. If the patient's medical facility of choice is unable to provide the high level of medical care required by the patient, arrangements will be made to transport the patient to the appropriate medical facility closest to their home, or closest to patient's preferred medical facility in the US when possible.

"Mexico Only" means a plan designed for those who only seek coverage when traveling in Mexico during the term of their plan per the eligibility requirements.

"Plan Holder" or "Plan Holders" means the individuals listed on the Travel MedEvac enrollment application, whose Travel MedEvac enrollment application has been accepted and approved by us and who have fully paid the applicable plan fees. The Plan Holder is alternatively referred to as "you," "your," or the "patient."

"**Physician**" means a doctor of Medicine (M.D.) or doctor of Osteopathy (D.O.), who is licensed in the jurisdiction where either the sending or receiving medical facility is located, and who is not the Plan Holder's spouse/domestic partner or the child, brother, sister, parent, or grandparent of the Plan Holder or the Plan Holder.

"Medical Evacuation Provider" means a licensed direct air carrier and/or ground ambulance company selected by the Assistance Provider to provide and arrange your medical evacuation transportation.

"**Suitable Airport**" means such location, construction, and facilities to safely accommodate the landing, ground services, maintenance requirements, and take-off of the fixed-wing aircraft assigned by Travel MedEvac.

"**Travel MedEvac**" means Travel MedEvac and its affiliates, successors, and assign Travel Med Evac, LLC is alternatively referred to herein as "we," "us," or "our"

"Travel MedEvac Plan Terms and Conditions" includes this agreement, your approved Travel MedEvac enrollment application, and the terms published on the most current Travel MedEvac plan documents, plan cost and term sheets on the date of your enrollment.

ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE

You represent and warrant that you have the legal right, power, and authority to agree to the terms of the plan terms and conditions on behalf of yourself, your dependent(s), and any other individual or entity on whose behalf you are acting. You further agree that your action of clicking the "I Agree" checkbox constitutes an electronic signature as defined by the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act ("E-Sign") and the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act ("UETA"); that you have executed, entered into, accepted the terms of, and otherwise authenticated the plan terms and conditions; and that you acknowledge and agree that the plan terms and conditions are an electronic record for purposes of E-Sign, UETA, and the Uniform Computer Information Transactions Act ("UCITA") and, as such, are completely valid, have legal effect, are enforceable, and are binding on, and non-refutable by, you, your dependent(s), and any other individual or entity on whose behalf you are acting.

PLAN COSTS, PLAN FEES AND TERM OF PLAN

The plan fees and plan costs are as published on the most current Travel MedEvac plan documents and fees term sheet on the date of your enrollment. Your plan is not transferable should a Plan Holder on your plan become deceased. Plan fees and plan costs are non-refundable, except for refunds due to termination of your plan by Travel MedEvac or if a request is made within fifteen (15) days of enrollment confirmation and prior to leaving on your trip and prior to the Plan start date. If eligible, your plan payment (less any plan fees charged) will be fully refunded provided you have not incurred a covered expense or filed a claim. When payment is returned, all the Plan documents are void from the beginning.

CONTACT – GENERAL INFORMATION

Email: <u>info@travelmedevac.com</u> Main Phone: 1-888-963-4933 Outside the USA or Canada Dial: 1-602-344-9225

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