

BENEFITS SUMMARY FOR ADJUNCT FACULTY

BENEFIT*	DESCRIPTION
Medical Insurance	Faculty choose among two Preferred Provider Organization plans, two Exclusive Provider Organization plans, or an Integrated Health Management Plan. Provides coverage for a variety of medical services and supplies, including behavioral health and routine vision services.
Wellness Program	Included in all medical plans. Faculty who complete annual wellness activities enjoy wellness rewards and reduced medical premiums.
Prescription Drug	Coverage for a variety of prescription drugs. Plan includes generic drugs, step therapy, zero co-pay for some drugs and a voluntary mail-order program.
Dental Insurance	Faculty choose between a dental Preferred Provider Organization and a dental Health Maintenance Organization. Coverage includes preventive services, fillings, crowns, bridges, and orthodontia (subject to plan rules).
Term Life Insurance	Pays a benefit to your designated beneficiary in the event of your death. Faculty may purchase individual coverage and dependent coverage and have options under the state of Maryland plan and/or the University System of Maryland plan. Medical review may apply.
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	Pays a benefit to you or your designated beneficiary in the event of an accidental death or dismemberment. Faculty may purchase individual coverage and dependent coverage.
Supplemental Retirement Plans	Faculty can make voluntary pre-tax contributions to one or more of these plans to supplement retirement savings, subject to IRS regulations.
Employee Assistance Program (EAP)	The University System of Maryland offers a free EAP program to faculty and household members that includes confidential access to licensed professional counselors, legal services, financial services, discount programs, child & elder care locators, and more.
Parking & Transportation Services	Faculty may purchase TU parking permits. Alternative transportation and green initiatives are also available by visiting www.towson.edu/parking.
Credit Union	Faculty can join the State Employees Credit Union for an initial deposit of \$10; free checking and other financial services are available.
Pay & Direct Deposit	Pay checks are issued according to semester schedule. Faculty are encouraged to have their net pay directly deposited into their bank account.
Miscellaneous Benefits	Most athletic events are free to faculty. Library services, blood assurance program, recreational & wellness services, TU store discount, and numerous discount programs are offered by participating vendors.

^{*}Health benefit options are offered by the state of Maryland unless otherwise noted. Please visit www.dbm.maryland.gov/benefits for a complete description of the state of Maryland health benefit choices, coverage and plan rules, wellness program, and the cost of benefits.

This document is intended as a summary of benefits available to adjunct faculty. If there is a discrepancy between this summary and the plan document or policy, the plan document or policy will govern.