DISABILITY CLAIM FOR ACCIDENT & SICKNESS (A&S)/ SHORT TERM DISABILITY (STD)/SALARY CONTINUANCE

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Lexington, KY 40511-4590
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Instructions for completing the claim form:
1. Complete all applicable areas of the claim form. Please print clearly.
2. Please sign – a) bottom of this page and b) Fraud Statement.
3. Faxing this claim form will expedite receipt and eliminate your need to mail it.

Section 1: To Be Completed by the Employer

Name of Employer	Group Report #	Sub-Code # (Sub-Division)	Sub-Point # (Branch)
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY	**121642**	**0201**	

Address	City	State	Zip Code	Subsidiary or Division Name

Contact Person's Name	Phone #

Contact Person's E-mail Address	FAX #

Employee Name (First, MI, Last)	Social Security No.	Employee ID #

Date of Hire	Job Title	Job Class
mm/dd/yy		☐ Sedentary ☐ Light ☐ Medium ☐ Heavy ☐ Very Heavy

Work Location Address	Work Phone #	Home Phone #

Supervisor Name	Supervisor's E-Mail Address	Phone #

Is condition work related? ☐ Yes ☐ No. If yes, provide: W/C Carrier Name_____

W/C Contact Person's Name_____ Phone#_____ Worker's Comp Claim #_____

Date Last Worked	First Date of Absence	Date Returned To Work	Eff. Date of Coverage	Basic Earnings (exclusive of overtime, bonus, etc.)
mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy ☐ Actual ☐ Estimated	mm/dd/yy	$_____ ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Bi-weekly ☐ Monthly ☐ Annual

Premium contributions ☐ Pre-Tax

Employer **0** % Employee **100** % ☑ Post-Tax

Are premiums paid up to date? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Benefit Amount

Employee's Status As Of First Day Absent: ☐ Active ☐ Vacation ☐ LOA ☐ Laid Off ☐ Terminated ☐ Retired

Hours Worked Per Week _____ ☐ Full Time ☐ Part Time

Scheduled Work Week ☐ M ☐ Tu ☐ W ☐ Th ☐ F ☐ Sa ☐ Su

Is work week regular_____ or variable_____

Was Annual Leave waived? ☐ Yes ☐ No If No, Date Sick & Annual/Sick Leave Pool Donations exhaust(ed) mm/dd/yy

LTD Coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Can employee's job be modified/accommodated? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please describe.

Has return to work been discussed with employee? ☐ Yes ☐ No

To the best of your knowledge, indicate if the employee has filed for or is receiving income from any of the following sources:

	Applied for	Receiving	$ Amount	Frequency	From/To Dates
Salary Continuance/Sick Leave	☐	☐			mm/dd/yy mm/dd/yy
Workers' Compensation	☐	☐			mm/dd/yy mm/dd/yy
State Disability	☐	☐			mm/dd/yy mm/dd/yy
Other (Please identify)_____	☐	☐			mm/dd/yy mm/dd/yy

Authorizing Signature	Date
	mm/dd/yy

***Contact MetLife at 888-444-1433 for any questions you have on completing this form.**

Section 2: To Be Completed by Employee

Name (First, MI, Last)	Social Security #	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY)	Gender
		mm/dd/yy	☐ M ☐ F

Address	City	State	Zip Code	E-mail Address

Home Phone #	Marital Status	Federal Tax Status	Tax Exemptions (Number)	Date Disability Began
	☐ Married ☐ Single ☐ Other	☐ Married ☐ Single		mm/dd/yy

Is your disability due to ☐ Illness? ☐ Injury/Accident? If due to injury/accident, provide Date mm/dd/yy, Time hh:mm AM ☐ PM ☐

Provide Details (Where and How)

Is this condition work related? ☐ Yes ☐ No | Automobile Related? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of physicians/providers who have treated you for this condition within the past 12 months

Name of Physician/Provider	Phone Number	Dates of Treatment	Physician Specialty
		From mm/dd/yy To mm/dd/yy	
		From mm/dd/yy To mm/dd/yy	

Please describe what prevents you from performing the duties of your job.

Section 3: To Be Completed by Attending Physician

This report is to assist us in making a disability determination that impacts income replacement for your patient. A MetLife claim representative may telephone your office if additional information is needed

Patient Name	Date Disability Began	Expected Return to Work Date
	mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy

Initial date of treatment for this disability	Most recent date of treatment	Is condition work-related?
mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy	☐ Yes ☐ No

Primary ICD-9 ____.____ Diagnosis____

Secondary ICD-9____.____ Diagnosis____

Objective Findings:

CPT4	Procedure	Date
		mm/dd/yy

If pregnancy, delivery date mm/dd/yy ☐ Expected mm/dd/yy ☐ Actual mm/dd/yy Type of delivery

If patient has been hospitalized ☐ Inpatient ☐ Outpatient Admitted mm/dd/yy Discharged mm/dd/yy

Treatment Plan: ☐ Additional Testing ☐ Medication ☐ Therapy ☐ Surgery ☐ Hospitalization ☐ Referral

Other (Describe)

Medications prescribed (names, dosages)

Is patient able to work with job modifications or restrictions? (please be specific):

Signature	Specialty	Tax ID #

Street Address / City/State/Zip	Date
	mm/dd/yy

E-mail Address	Telephone #	Fax #

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HIPAA: This Authorization has been carefully and specifically drafted to permit disclosure of health information consistent with the privacy rules adopted subsequently amended by the United States Department of Health and Human Services pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Instructions for completing the form:

1. Complete all applicable areas of the form.
2. If you are the Authorized Representative, include a copy of the legal document(s) authorizing you to act on the Employee/Claimant's behalf.
3. Sign this form.
4. Fax or return this form as soon as possible to expedite processing of your claim – retain original for your records.

Your refusal to complete and sign this form may affect your eligibility for benefits under your employer's disability plan.

Name of Employee (Please Print) _____ **Social Security Number** _____

Claim Number: _____

Authorization to Disclose Information About Me

For purposes of determining my eligibility for disability benefits, the administration of my employer's disability benefit plan (which may include assisting me in returning to work), and the administration of other benefit plans in which I participate that may be affected by my eligibility for disability benefits, I permit the following disclosures of information about me to be made in the format requested, including by telephone, fax or mail:

1. **I permit:** any physician or other medical/treating practitioner, hospital, clinic, other medical related facility or service, insurer, employer, government agency, group policyholder, contractholder or benefit plan administrator to disclose to Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife"), my employer in its capacity as of its disability benefit plan, and any consumer reporting agencies, investigative agencies, attorneys, and independent claim administrators acting on MetLife's behalf, any and all information about my health, medical care, employment, and disability claim.

2. **I permit:** MetLife to disclose to my employer in its capacity as administrator of its benefit plans any and all information about my health, medical care, employment, and disability claim.

This Authorization to Disclose Information About Me specifically includes my permission to disclose my entire medical record, including medical information, records, test results, and data on: medical care or surgery; psychiatric or psychological medical records, but not psychotherapy notes; and alcohol or drug abuse including any data protected by Federal Regulations 42 CFR Part 2 or other applicable laws. **Information concerning mental illness, HIV, AIDS, HIV related illnesses and sexually transmitted diseases or other serious communicable illnesses may be controlled by various laws and regulations. I consent to disclosure of such information, but only in accordance with laws and regulations as they apply to me. Information that may have been subject to privacy rules of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, once disclosed, may be subject to redisclosure by the recipient as permitted or required by law and may no longer be covered by those rules. Your health care provider may not condition your treatment on whether you sign this authorization.**

I understand that I may revoke this authorization at anytime by writing to MetLife Disability at P.O. Box 14590, Lexington, KY 40511-4590, except to the extent that action has been taken in reliance on it. If I do not, it will be valid for 24 months from the date I sign this form or the duration of my claim for benefits, whichever period is shorter. A photocopy of this authorization is as valid as the original form and I have a right to receive a copy upon request.

_____ mm/dd/yy _____

Signature of Employee **Date**

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Disability Claim Statement (Continued)

Fraud Warning:

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or a statement of claim with materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material there to may be guilty of committing a fraudulent insurance act. Please see below for special notice required by state law.

Alaska – A person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive an insurance company files a claim containing false, incomplete or misleading information may be prosecuted under state law.

Arizona – For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

Arkansas, Louisiana, West Virginia – Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

California – For your protection California law requires the following to appear of this form: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

Colorado – It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of life insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with respect to a settlement or award from insurance proceeds, shall be reported to the Colorado divisions of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies to the extent required by applicable law.

Delaware – Any person who knowingly and with the intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

District of Columbia – WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.

Florida – Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

Hawaii – For your protection, Hawaii law requires you to be informed that presenting a fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit is a crime punishable by fines or imprisonment, or both.

Idaho – Any person who knowingly and with the intent to defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

Indiana – A person who knowingly and with intent to defraud an insurer files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information commits a felony.

Kentucky – Any person who knowingly and with the 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 material there to commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

Maine – It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines or a denial of insurance benefits.

Minnesota – A person who files a claim with intent to defraud or helps commit a fraud against an insurer is guilty of a crime.

New Hampshire – A person who with a purpose to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing false, incomplete or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20.

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Fraud Warning *(continued)*:

New Jersey – Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

New Mexico – Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to civil fines and criminal penalties.

Ohio – A person who with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.

Oklahoma – WARNING: Any person who knowingly and with the intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

Oregon – A person who knowingly and with intent to defraud an insurance company, files a claim containing false, incomplete or misleading information material to such claim, may be guilty of insurance fraud.

Pennsylvania – Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or a statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning a fact material there to commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

Puerto Rico – Any person who knowingly and with the intention to defraud includes false information in an application for insurance or file, assist or abet in the filing of a fraudulent claim to obtain payment of a loss or other benefit, or files more than one claim for the same loss or damage, commits a felony and if found guilty shall be punished for each violation with a fine of no less than five thousands dollars ($5,000), not to exceed ten thousands dollars ($10,000); or imprisoned for a fixed term of three (3) years, or both. If aggravating circumstances exist, the fixed jail term may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years; and if mitigating circumstances are present, the jail term may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

Tennessee, Virginia, Washington – It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

Texas – Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

Name of Employee (Please Print):_____ **Social Security Number:**_____

Signature of Employee_____ **Date:** mm/dd/yy

Signature of Employer's Representative_____ **Date:** mm/dd/yy

Signature of Physician_____ **Date:** mm/dd/yy