



Peace of Mind for Dental Professionals

Whatever your dental specialty, you help people look and feel better every day. Have you considered who would help you, if you were unable to work for a prolonged period of time?

Of course you plan on taking care of yourself and staying healthy. Unfortunately, the unexpected does happen. How would you manage financially if an unexpected event such as a car accident or illness keeps you from working for a few years? Who would take care of your mortgage or rent, your loans, groceries and all your living expenses?

Disability can affect your whole lifestyle because without dependable income, you face the possibility of losing everything you have worked hard to create.

What are the odds?

You may be surprised to learn that just over one in four of today's 20-year-olds will become disabled before reaching age 67.¹ And the length of disabilities has been increasing. Look for your age group below.



Average Duration* of Disability in Years

Age	1981	2012	Increase
Under 40	4	4.3	↑ 8%
40-44	4.3	7.5	↑ 74%
45-49	4.6	7.3	↑ 59%
50-54	4.5	6.3	↑ 40%
55-59	3.5	3.9	↑ 11%
60-64	1.8	1.9	↑ 6%

*Average duration of disability lasting more than 90 days (and ending before age 65) based on the individual's age when disability begins. 1985 Commissioner's Individual Table A. 2012 Disability Experience Committee of the Society of Actuaries.

Essential protection for dentists

Protector+SM disability income insurance from Standard Insurance Company pays monthly benefits that you can use to help pay your bills should you become disabled.

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¹ Social Security Basic Facts, April 2, 2014.

This flexible policy includes several optional riders, including an Own Occupation Rider designed for professionals just like you. With the Own Occupation Rider, you receive monthly benefits if, due to disability, you are unable to perform the substantial and material duties of your occupation, even if you earn money doing something else.

Protector+ includes strong base contract coverage:²

- Guaranteed renewable coverage
- Choice of maximum benefit periods
- Choice of waiting periods

And a full range of benefits

- Total Disability Benefit
- Presumptive Total Disability Benefit
- Survivors Benefit
- Waiver of Premium Benefit
- Rehabilitation Benefit
- Cosmetic and Transplant Surgery Benefit

Protector+ may be customized with optional riders:³

- Residual Disability
- Supplemental Social Insurance
- Own Occupation
- Indexed Cost of Living
- Future Purchase Option
- Noncancelable Policy
- Catastrophic Disability Benefit

Count on The Standard

Standard Insurance Company ranks among the leading individual disability insurance carriers in the nation. You can be confident that we're financially strong, our disability products are high in quality and we can pay what we promise – now and in the future. In the event you become disabled and need to make a disability claim, you'll discover our exceptional service. Our goal is to give you the kind of expert, friendly service we wish for ourselves and our families.

² Not all provisions or benefits are available in all states.

³ Not all riders are available in all states. The addition of policy riders may increase premiums.