



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PIPE TRADES  
PENSIONERS & SURVIVING SPOUSES HEALTH FUND

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# SURVIVOR PREMIUM PROGRAM ENROLLMENT FORM

**DEADLINE: 60 Days from Notice Date**

**Medical Benefits:** Survivors of deceased Participants in the Southern California Pipe Trades Health & Welfare Fund or in the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund receive a minimum of three months of medical coverage at no cost (referred to as the "Special Extension Period"). Survivors may choose to continue medical coverage under the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund by using this form to enroll in the Survivor Premium Program and by paying the required monthly medical premium.

**Dental Benefits:** Survivors who are eligible for and elect medical benefits under the terms of the Pensioner & Surviving Spouses Health Plan may also choose to purchase dental coverage in one of the two DeltaCare USA DHMO options as listed in Part 4 of this form at the time he or she first becomes eligible for Plan benefits, and thereafter during an annual open enrollment period.

**Vision Benefits:** Survivors who are eligible for and elect medical benefits under the terms of the Pensioner & Surviving Spouses Health Plan may also choose to purchase vision coverage from Vision Service Plan (VSP) as listed in Part 4 of this form at the time he or she first becomes eligible for Plan benefits, and thereafter during an annual open enrollment period. **Once enrolled, vision coverage may only be terminated during an annual open enrollment period.**

**You may terminate medical and/or dental coverage at any time by submitting a written request to the Fund Office.**

**Payment:** The current premiums for the Survivor Premium Program are listed below. If you elect dental and/or vision coverage, payments must be deducted from your Southern California Pipe Trades Retirement Fund pension benefit or, if none is available, through ACH deduction from your bank account. If you are electing medical coverage only, you may use any of the options mentioned or send a check. Your payment is due no later than 60 days from the loss of eligibility (including the Special Extension Period, if any).

## PART 1—DECEASED PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Deceased Participant Name

Social Security Number (only last four digits required)

## PART 2—SURVIVOR INFORMATION

Survivor Name

Social Security Number (only last four digits required)

Address (You must use a U.S. address to qualify for the DeltaCare USA dental programs)

Date of Birth (required)

Phone Number

Email Address

## PART 3—MEDICARE ELIGIBILITY

Are you eligible for Medicare? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, please attach a copy of your Medicare card to this form)

## PART 4—BENEFIT ELECTIONS

Check the boxes below to elect your medical, dental, and vision benefit(s). **NOTE: you must elect the Medical Benefit option in order to elect the vision and/or dental options.**

### A. MEDICAL BENEFIT ELECTION

Medical Benefits

Cost per month: \$129.00

☐ Yes ☐ No

### B. DENTAL BENEFIT ELECTION

MetLife PPO

Cost per Month: \$65.56

☐ Yes ☐ No

OR

DeltaCare USA DHMO High option

Cost per Month: \$22.51

☐ Yes ☐ No

OR

DeltaCare USA DHMO Medium option

Cost per Month: \$15.47

☐ Yes ☐ No

Six-digit DHMO Facility Code: \_\_\_\_\_ (If you do not select a DHMO Facility Code, one will be assigned to you)

### C. VISION BENEFIT ELECTION

VSP Choice

Cost per Month: \$4.93

☐ Yes ☐ No

## PART 5—ACH ELECTRONIC PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION

YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF YOU ARE CHOOSING TO PAY FOR YOUR COVERAGE VIA AN AUTOMATIC MONTHLY DEDUCTION FROM YOUR BANK ACCOUNT. IF YOU ARE ELECTING DENTAL AND/OR VISION COVERAGE AND ARE **NOT** RECEIVING A PENSION BENEFIT FROM THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PIPE TRADES RETIREMENT FUND OR YOUR PENSION BENEFIT IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO COVER YOUR PREMIUMS, YOU MUST PAY VIA AN ACH ELECTRONIC PAYMENT, AND YOU **MUST** COMPLETE THIS SECTION.

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| By signing in Part 6 below, I authorize the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund to electronically withdraw from or deposit into my checking or savings account indicated below amounts necessary to provide medical and, if elected, dental and vision benefits as determined by the Board of Trustees of the Fund. |                                                              |
| Depository Name (bank, savings & loan, or credit union)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                              |
| Transit/ABA/Routing Number                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Account Number                                               |
| Account Type<br><input type="checkbox"/> Checking <input type="checkbox"/> Savings                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Your Social Security Number (only last four digits required) |
| This authorization will remain in full force and effect until the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund has received, at least two weeks before the scheduled payment date, written notification from me that I want to revoke this authorization.                                                                    |                                                              |
| Account holder must verify bank account data. Please attach a voided check.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                              |

## PART 6—SURVIVOR AGREEMENT AND SIGNATURE

I have read and understand the material describing the medical, dental, and vision benefits provided to me and if I had any questions, I have asked them of the Southern California Pipe Trades Administrative Corporation, DeltaCare USA or VSP and have received acceptable answers.

- I understand that if I make no election, I will not have medical, dental, or vision coverage.
- I understand that I will not be permitted to enroll in or change my dental plan until the next open enrollment period.
- I understand that if I do not enter a DHMO Facility Code in Part 4, DeltaCare USA will initially assign me to a primary dentist based on my home ZIP code. I will be permitted to change my dentist by contacting DeltaCare USA after I have enrolled.
- I understand that I will not be permitted to enroll in or, once enrolled, terminate my vision plan until the next open enrollment period.

IF I AM NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLETE PART 5, I HEREBY AUTHORIZE THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PIPE TRADES RETIREMENT FUND TO DEDUCT FROM MY MONTHLY BENEFIT PAYMENTS SUCH SUMS AS ARE PERIODICALLY ESTABLISHED BY THE TRUSTEES OF THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PIPE TRADES PENSIONERS & SURVIVING SPOUSES HEALTH FUND TO PROVIDE MEDICAL AND, IF ELECTED, DENTAL AND VISION COVERAGE.

I understand that this amount will likely increase over time. I make this authorization voluntarily and understand that it may be revoked at any time. By this authorization, I am not assigning my monthly benefit payment, or any portion thereof, to the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund. I understand that the Southern California Pipe Trades Pensioners & Surviving Spouses Health Fund has no right, enforceable against the Southern California Pipe Trades Retirement Fund, to any part of the monthly pension benefit. I understand that if this authorization is revoked, I must provide an ACH Authorization Form so that my monthly medical and, if elected, dental and vision premiums can be deducted from my bank account. If I elect medical coverage only, I may send in a check. I also understand that failure to do so will result in the loss of medical and, if elected, dental and vision coverage under the Pensioner & Surviving Spouses Health Fund. I understand that no other forms of payment will be accepted.

IF I ELECTED DENTAL AND VISION COVERAGE AND AM NOT RECEIVING A PENSION BENEFIT FROM THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PIPE TRADES RETIREMENT FUND, I HAVE COMPLETED THE ACH AUTHORIZATION IN PART 5 ABOVE.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Survivor Signature

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Date