

## **401(a) Non-Medicare eligible retirees** <sup>[1]</sup>

These benefits are for employees who participated in the University of Colorado 401(a) Retirement Plan, have officially retired from the university and are not eligible for Medicare. [Learn more](#) <sup>[2]</sup>.

### **What plans am I eligible for?**

**Status**

**Medical plans**

**Dental plans**

**Life insurance**

**Non-Medicare eligible retiree & dependent(s)**  
**Dependent**  
**An employee's spouse, common-law spouse, civil union partner, domestic partner, children under the age of 27, and qualifying disabled children over age 27 of the employee or of the spouse/partner who are biological, legally adopted or for whom there are parental responsibility documents issued by a court.** <sup>[3]</sup>

CU Health Plan - Exclusive

CU Health Plan - High Deductible

CU Health Plan - Pathway

CU Health Plan - Kaiser

Delta Essential

OR

Delta Choice

Basic Term Life

Optional Term Life

<b><u>Retiree or dependent is/or becomes Medicare eligible</u></b> <small>[4]</small>	CU Health Plan - Medicare		
	Alternate Medicare Payment (if retiree is Medicare eligible)	Delta Dental Premier	Basic Term Life  Optional Term Life
	OR		
	CU Health Plan - Medicare/High Deductible (Over/Under*)		

**\*What if my dependent/DependentAn employee’s spouse, common-law spouse, civil union partner, domestic partner, children under the age of 27, and qualifying disabled children over age 27 of the employee or of the spouse/partner who are biological, legally adopted or for whom there are parental responsibility documents issued by a court. [3] is eligible for Medicare?** When at least one member is eligible for Medicare and at least one other member is non-Medicare eligible, the Over/Under option becomes available. The Medicare eligible member will be covered under CU Health Plan - Medicare [5] and the non-Medicare eligible member will be covered under CU Health Plan - High Deductible [6].

**Click on a tile to learn more about your 2026–27 benefits**

**Medical plans**

**EXCLUSIVE**



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**HIGH DEDUCTIBLE**



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# PATHWAY



## How to choose a plan

The Benefits Toolkit can show you what factors to consider.

[Learn more](#) [10]

## Compare plans

Compare CU's medical plans side-by-side.

[Get started](#) [11]

[Quick plan comparison](#) [12]

## Plan premiums

See what you'll pay each month for CU's plans.

[Plan rates](#) [13]

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## Dental plans



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All plans include following coverage:

- 100% preventative care coverage and four yearly cleanings (regular and periodontal)
  - Two yearly fluoride treatments (all ages)
  - Right Start 4 Kids Program [16]
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## Life insurance

For details on your life insurance options, see the [Basic Term Life](#) [17] and [Optional Term Life](#) [18] pages.

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**Retiring soon? See your options** [19] for current plan year **Plan Year** The date span from July 1 to June 30. [20], **ending June 30.**

### Groups audience:

Employee Services

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ES: Benefits & Wellness - OE Resources

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[2] <https://www.cu.edu/docs/fact-sheet-retirees-401a-non-medicare> [3] <https://www.cu.edu/es-benefits-glossary/dependent>

[4] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/benefits-wellness/retiree/retiree-401a-medicare-eligible>

[5] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/benefits-wellness/retiree/retiree-401a-medicare-eligible/cu-health-plan-medicare>

[6] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/retirees/401a-non-medicare-eligible-retirees/high-deductible>

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[8] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/retirees/401a-non-medicare-eligible-retirees/kaiser>

[9] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/retirees/401a-non-medicare-eligible-retirees/pathway>

[10] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/benefits-toolkit>

[11] [https://www.cusys.edu/plans/compare/retiree\\_2026/](https://www.cusys.edu/plans/compare/retiree_2026/) [12] <https://www.cu.edu/doc/fy27-plan-design-comparison-final-facstaffpdf>

[13] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/monthly-rates>

[14] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/retirees/401a-non-medicare-eligible-retirees/essential>

[15] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/open-enrollment/retirees/401a-non-medicare-eligible-retirees/choice>

[16] <https://www.cu.edu/docs/right-start-4-kids-information>

[17] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/benefits-wellness/retiree/retiree-401a-non-medicare-eligible/basic-term-life>

[18] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/benefits-wellness/retiree/retiree-401a-non-medicare-eligible/optional-term-life>

[19] <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/benefits-wellness/retiree>

[20] <https://www.cu.edu/es-benefits-glossary/plan-year>