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ELIGIBILITY
- Includes Career Specialists, Instructional Technology Specialist
- Full Time – 1560-1950 hours
- Part Time – 1000 to 1559 hours (benefits with an * apply and/or are prorated)

GROUP MEDICAL INSURANCE
- Three medical plans to choose from: 80/20 Network, Consumer Driven Health Plan A (CDHP-A) $2600/$5200 deductible or Consumer Driven Health Plan B (CDHP-B) $4000/$8000 deductible.
- College and employee share the premium cost
- Employee premiums are taken on a pre-tax basis and are deducted the first two pay periods of a month
- Options of coverage are single, single plus one or family
- Opt out of $150/month is available for those who wish to waive coverage and can provide proof of other insurance
- Effective date of coverage is first of month following date of hire
- Can make changes to medical insurance plan and/or coverage only during fall open enrollment or a life event (marriage, divorce, birth, adoption, death, dependent age off, termination of employment, new employment, or if the employer ceases contributions. Note this does not include situations where there is a change in benefits, or when the employer decreases their contributions).

GROUP DENTAL INSURANCE
- One dental plan is offered with choice of single or family coverage
- $1,000 maximum benefit per calendar year per covered individual
- Separate $1,000 lifetime maximum for orthodontia for dependents 19 or under
- College pays premium
- Effective date of coverage is first of month following date of hire
- Can make changes to medical insurance plan and/or coverage only during fall open enrollment or a life event (marriage, divorce, birth, adoption, death, dependent age off, termination of employment, new employment, or if the employer ceases contributions. Note this does not include situations where there is a change in benefits, or when the employer decreases their contributions).

VISION INSURANCE
- Voluntary plan with premium paid by employee; deduction is pre-tax and is taken the first pay period of the month
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- Single, limited (employee + 1 other person in family or single parent with children) or family coverage is available ($6.95, $11.88 and $17.37 are the current monthly premiums)
- Offers coverage for eye exams, contacts or eyeglass lenses once every 12 months, and up to $60 towards frames once every 24 months
- Effective date of coverage is first of month following date of hire
- Can make changes to medical insurance plan and/or coverage only during fall open enrollment or a life event (marriage, divorce, birth, adoption, death, dependent age off, termination of employment, new employment, or if the employer ceases contributions. Note this does not include situations where there is a change in benefits, or when the employer decreases their contributions).

FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT/HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT

- Flexible spending account (FSA) for eligible medical and dependent care expenses as defined by IRS
- FSA for medical is available to those employees who have coverage in the 80/20 Network Medical Plan or have opted out
- FSA for dependent care is available to any benefit eligible employee
- Health Savings Account (HSA) is available for those enrolled in one of the two Consumer Driven Health Plans (CDHP)
- HSA can be utilized for eligible expenses as defined by IRS
- College contribution to a HSA if enrolled in a WITC CDHP medical plan is determined each calendar year prior to open enrollment

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

- College provides an Employee Assistance Program (EAP) to all full-time staff
- Plan provides resources for counseling, financial and legal services

LIFE INSURANCE

- College paid at a value of 1.5 times the base annual salary up to a maximum of $50,000 for a life insurance policy
- Dependent life insurance is also available and paid for by the College. ($5,000 for a spouse, $2,000 for each dependent child 6 months to age 19 or age 25 if full-time student) and $1,000 for each dependent child age 14 days to 6 months

LONG TERM DISABILITY

- College paid long term disability plan for the employee
- 60 calendar day waiting period
- 90% of average base monthly salary from previous 12 months to a maximum annual salary of $60,000 (maximum monthly benefit of $4,500)
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• Long term disability payments are considered taxable income

RETIREDMENT*
• College and employee each pay half of the contribution level established by the Employee Trust Fund for the Wisconsin Retirement System that is based on earnings
• Employee deductions are taken on a pre-tax basis

403(b) RETIREMENT SAVINGS
• Employee can establish a 403(b) account and make pre-tax contributions at any time during the year from hire date
• College match of 2% of base salary beginning the fiscal year when three years of full-time employment is met
• Ten investment providers for employees to choose from as part of plan
• Employee can change their contributions four times per fiscal year

HOLIDAYS
• Ten (10) holidays are recognized as part of the employee’s work schedule.

SICK LEAVE
• 90 hours per fiscal year for the employee’s illness and/or the illness of a family member
• Can be utilized in ½ hour increments
• Maximum number of hours that can be carried over from year to year is 900 total

PERSONAL LEAVE
• Seven and a half (7.5) hours per fiscal year are available for personal leave
• There is no carryover of personal leave hours not utilized in a fiscal year

PAID TIME OFF*
• One week per fiscal year for part-time staff
• Week is calculated by taking fiscal year hours divided by 52 weeks

OTHER LEAVES*
• Jury Duty
  o College employees will receive their regular pay when called to Jury Duty
  o Employee will need to sign over or reimburse College for any per diem pay from municipality
  o Employee must submit copy of summons to supervisor and Human Resources

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• Bereavement Leave
  o Up to 37.5 hours for the death of each family member
  o Up to 22.5 hours total per fiscal year for the death of non-family members
  o Both types of leave can be taken in ½ hour increments

POST RETIREMENT MEDICAL COVERAGE BENEFIT FROM WITC

Available to full-time Non-Instructional Faculty who retire from WITC and meet the eligibility criteria for a post retirement benefit of retiree medical insurance and hire date timeframes. The eligibility criteria are as follows:

  o Eligible to receive a WRS retirement benefit (currently is age 55 for non-protective groups)
  o Have completed 15 years of consecutive full-time service with WITC
  o Provide notice by January 15 if plan to retire at the end of June. Notice by July 15 for a December retirement

If Hired Prior to January 1, 2008

• Benefit of one month of single retiree medical insurance in exchange for one day (seven hours) of sick leave available beginning the first of the month following the date of retirement.
• This benefit is available until sick leave hours are exhausted or a maximum of 120 months of coverage are provided, whichever occurs first.

If Hired After January 1, 2008

• A cash pool will be available to purchase single or single plus one retiree medical insurance beginning the first of the month following the date of retirement.
• The cash pool will be calculated utilizing the hourly rate of the faculty member at the time they retire and multiplying it by the number of sick leave hours available, but not to exceed 840 hours.
• The coverage elected will continue until the cash pool is exhausted or 120 months of coverage are provided, whichever occurs first.

Questions regarding benefits should be directed to Human Resources.