

# Get the support you need to navigate life's critical moments

Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Waiver of Premium Rider An individual non-linked non-participating life insurance rider

Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Company Limited



## **INTRODUCING ABSLI Waiver of Premium Rider**

There are many compelling reasons to purchase life insurance, but what would happen to your coverage in the event of an accident or unexpected illness. **ABSLI Waiver of Premium Rider** ensures your insurance benefits continue if you are unable to pay the premiums in the event of any unforeseen calamities.

# ELIGIBILITY

Entry Age	18 – 65 years Maximum age at the end of rider term is 70 years
Rider Term	Same as that of the base policy or till the attained age 70 of the proposer, whichever is earlier
Premium Paying Term	Same as Rider Term
Pay Mode	Same as base policy

You may opt for this rider only at the time of policy issue.

## **BENEFITS**

If you are unable to pay your premium in the event of financial difficulties arising due to the following:

- Proposer becomes completely disabled due to an illness or accident
- Proposer is diagnosed with any of the specified critical illnesses
- Death of the proposer (if not the life insured) •

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- In case of non-linked base policy, the benefits under the base policy and all riders to which this rider is attached shall remain intact with no future premiums payable by you.
- In case of unit linked base policy, ABSLI shall pay all the future premiums of the base policy and all riders to which this rider is attached.

The benefit under this rider is payable only when the base policy is in force. The cover under this rider will cease after a claim under this rider is paid, however, the cover under the base policy /other rider/s will continue.

## **DEFINITIONS**

#### **Total and Permanent Disability**

The proposer shall be regarded as disabled and entitled to this benefit if due to illness, disease, injury or surgical operations s/he is totally and permanently unable, even with reasonable training, rehabilitation and/or job accommodation to engage in gainful employment in any occupation whatsoever. This disability should last for at least 180 days before being eligible for total and permanent disability benefits.

## **Critical Illnesses**

In the case of Critical Illness, the policy owner needs to survive for a period of 30 days from the date of diagnosis to be eligible for the rider benefit. We cover 4 major illnesses under this benefit

## 1. First Heart Attack of Specified Severity (Myocardial Infarction)

The first occurrence of heart attack or myocardial infarction, which means the death of a portion of the heart muscle as a result of inadequate blood supply to the relevant area. The diagnosis for Myorcardial Infarction should be evidenced by all of the following criteria:

- A history of typical clinical symptoms consistent with the diagnosis of Acute Myocardial Infarction (for example typical chest pain),
- New characteristic electrocardiogram changes,
- Elevation of infarction specific enzymes, Troponins or other specific biochemical markers. . Excluded are:

A rise in cardiac biomarkers or Troponin T or I in absence of overtischemic heart disease OR following an intra-arterial cardiac procedure.

- Other acute Coronary Syndromes;
- Any type of angina pectoris

## 2. Cancer of Specified Severity

A malignant tumor characterised by the uncontrolled growth and spread of malignant cells with invasion & destruction of normal tissues. The diagnosis must be supported by histological evidence of malignancy. The term cancer includes leukemia, lymphoma and sarcoma.

Excluded are:

- All tumors which are histologically described as carcinoma in situ, benign, pre-malignant, borderline malignant, low malignant potential, neoplasm of unknown behavior or non invasive, including but not limited to: Carcinoma in situ of breasts, Cervical dysplasia CIN-1, CIN-2 & CIN-3;
- Any non-melanoma skin carcinoma unless there is evidence of metastases to lymph nodes or beyond;
- Malignant melanoma that has not caused invasion beyond the epidermis;
- All tumours of the prostate unless histologically classified as having a Gleason score greater than 6 or having progressed to at least clinical TNM classification T2N0M0;
- All Thyroid cancers histologically classified as T1NOMO (TNM Classification) or below;
- Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia less than RAI stage 3;
- Non-invasive papillary cancer of the bladder histologically described as TaNOMO or of a lesser classification,
- All Gastro-Intestinal Stromal Tumors histologically classified as T1NOMO (TNM Classification) or below and with mitotic count of less than or equal to 5/50 HPFs
- All tumours in the presence of HIV infection.

## 3. Stroke Resulting In Permanent Symptoms

Any cerebrovascular incident producing permanent neurological sequelae. This includes infarction of brain tissue, thrombosis in an intracranial vessel, haemorrhage and embolisation from an extracranial source. Diagnosis has to be confirmed by a specialist medical practitioner and evidenced by typical clinical symptoms as well as typical findings in CT scan or MRI of the brain. Evidence of permanent neurological deficit for at least 3 months has to be produced.

Excluded are:

- Transient ischemic attacks (TIA);
- Traumatic injury of the brain;
- Vascular disease affecting only the eye or optic nerve or vestibular functions;

## 4. Major Organ / Bone Marrow Transplant

The actual undergoing of a transplant of:

- One of the following human organs: heart, lung, liver, kidney, pancreas that resulted from irreversible end-stage failure of the relevant organ, or
- Human bone marrow, using haematopoetic stem cells. The undergoing of a transplant has to be confirmed by a specialist medical practitioner.

Excluded are:

- Other stem-cell transplants.
- Where only islets or langerhans are transplanted.

#### **Supporting Definitions**

**Accident** is a sudden, unforeseen and involuntary event caused by external, visible and violent means.

**Injury** means accidental physical bodily harm excluding illness or disease solely and directly caused by external, violent and visible and evident means which is verified and certified by a medical practitioner.

**Illness** means a sickness or a disease or pathological condition leading to the impairment of normal physiological function and requires medical treatment.

**Medical Practitioner** is a person who holds a valid registration from the Medical Council of any state or Medical Council of India or Council for Indian Medicine or for Homeopathy set up by the Government of India or a State Government and is thereby entitled to practice medicine within its jurisdiction; and is acting within the scope and jurisdiction of his license.

Such Medical Practitioner is not the policyholder's spouse, father (including stepfather) or mother (including stepmother), son (including stepson), son's wife, daughter, daughter's husband, brother (including stepbrother) and sister (including stepsister) or Life Insured / policyholder under this policy and would be independent of the insurer.

# **EXCLUSIONS**

The life insured will not be entitled to any benefits if a covered critical illness or disability results either directly or indirectly due to, or caused, occasioned, accelerated or aggravated by any of the following:

- Diseases in the presence of an HIV infectionAny pre-existing disease."Pre-existing Disease" means any condition, ailment, injury or disease:
  - a. That is/are diagnosed by a physician within 36 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer or its latest revival date, whichever is later; OR
  - b. For which medical advice or treatment was recommended by, or received from, a physician within 36 months prior to the effective date of the policy or its latest revival date, whichever is later; OR;
  - c. A condition for which any symptoms and or signs if presented and have resulted within three months of the issuance of the policy or its latest revival date, whichever is later, in a diagnostic illness or medical condition.

This exclusion shall not be applicable to conditions, ailments or injuries or related condition(s) which are underwritten and accepted by insurer at inception.

- Any disease occurring during the waiting period
- Any congenital condition
- Intentional self-inflicted injury, attempted suicide, while sane or insane
- Alcohol or solvent abuse or intake of drugs, narcotics or psychotropic substances unless taken in accordance with the lawful directions and prescription of a registered medical practitioner
- War, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), armed or unarmed truce, civil war, mutiny, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, riot or civil commotion, strikes
- Taking part in any naval, military or air force operation during peace time
- Participation by the insured person in any flying activity, except as a bona fide, fare-paying passenger of a recognized airline on regular routes and on a scheduled timetable.
- Participation by the proposer in a criminal or unlawful act
- Engaging in or taking part in professional sport(s) or any hazardous pursuits, including but not limited to, diving or riding or any kind of race; underwater activities involving the use of breathing apparatus or not; martial arts; hunting; mountaineering; parachuting; bungee-jumping
- Nuclear contamination; the radioactive, explosive or hazardous nature of nuclear fuel materials or property contaminated by nuclear fuel materials or accident arising from such nature

# **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

## Suicide claim provisions

In the unfortunate event of death of the policy owner by suicide within 12 months after the rider issue date or revival date, whichever is later, then benefit on death under this rider will not be payable.

Also, the policy owner will not be entitled to any benefits under this rider if the total and permanent disability or the covered critical illness results either directly or indirectly from an attempted suicide, while medically sane or insane.

## **Grace Period and Revival**

Same as Base Policy. No rider benefits will be payable during the revival period.

## **Termination of rider**

You are not allowed to opt out of the rider once availed. However, the rider benefit will cease immediately if the base policy is terminated, discontinued or made paid-up. Current Tax Benefits

As per extant tax laws, this policy offers tax benefits under Section 80C and Section 10(10D) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

- Under Section 80C, premiums up to Rs. 100,000 are allowed as a deduction from your taxable income each year.
- Under Section 10(10D), the benefits you receive from this policy are exempt from tax, subject to mentioned exclusions.

## Goods and Service Tax (GST)

GST and other levies, as applicable, will be extra and levied as per the extant tax laws.

## Prohibition of Rebates - Section 41 of the Insurance Act, 1938

No person shall allow or offer to allow, either directly or indirectly, as an inducement to any person to take or renew or continue an insurance in respect of any kind of risk relating to lives or property in India, any rebate of the whole or part of the commission payable or any rebate of the premium shown on the policy, nor shall any person taking out or renewing or continuing a policy accept any rebate, except such rebate as may be allowed in accordance with the published prospectuses or tables of the insurer.

## Non-Disclosure – Section 45 of the Insurance Act, 1938

No policy of life insurance effected after the coming into force of this act shall, after the expiry of two years from the date on which it was effected be called in question by an insurer on the ground that statement made in the proposal or in any report of a medical officer, or referee, or friend of the life insured, or in any other document leading to the issue of the policy, was inaccurate or false, unless the insurer shows that such statement was on a material matter or suppressed facts which it was material to disclose and that it was fraudulently made by the policyholder and that the policyholder knew at the time of making it that the statement was false or that it suppressed facts which it was material to disclose.

Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent the insurer from calling for proof of age at any time if he is entitled to do so, and no policy shall be deemed to be called in question merely because the terms of the policy are adjusted on subsequent proof that the age of the life insured was incorrectly stated in the application.

# About Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Company Limited

Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Company Limited ("ABSLI") is a part of Aditya Birla Capital Ltd ("ABCL"). ABSLI was incorporated on August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2000, and commenced operations on January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2001. ABSLI is a 51:49 a joint venture between the Aditya Birla Group and Sun Life Financial Inc., an international financial services organization in Canada.

ABSLI offers a range of products across the customer's life cycle, including children future plans, wealth protection plans, retirement and pension solutions, health plans, traditional term plans and Unit Linked Insurance Plans ("ULIPs").

As of June 30, 2024, total AUM of ABSLI stood at Rs.90,682 Crore (22% Increase YOY). ABSLI recorded a gross premium income of Rs.3,986 Crore in Q1 FY25 and registering a y-o-y growth of 28% in Gross Premium with Individual Business FYP with Single Premium at 10% at Rs 644 Crore. ABSLI has a nationwide distribution presence through 380+ branches, 11 bancassurance partners, 6 distribution channels, over 56000+ direct selling agents, other Corporate Agents and Brokers through its website. The company has over 25,000 employees and 20.03 lakh active customers.

## About Aditya Birla Capital Limited

Aditya Birla Capital Limited ("ABCL") is the holding company for the financial services businesses of the Aditya Birla Group. Through its subsidiaries/JVs, ABCL provides a comprehensive suite of financial solutions across Loans, Investments, Insurance, and Payments to serve the diverse needs of customers across their lifecycle. Powered by over 50,000 employees, the businesses of ABCL have a nationwide reach with over 1,505 branches and more than 200,000 agents/channel partners along with several bank partners.

As of June 30, 2024, Aditya Birla Capital Limited manages aggregate assets under management of Rs. 4.63 Lakh Crore with a consolidated lending book of Rs 1.27 Lakh Crore through its subsidiaries/JVs.

Aditya Birla Capital Limited is a part of the US\$66 billion global conglomerate Aditya Birla Group, which is in the league of Fortune 500. Anchored by an extraordinary force of over 187,000 employees belonging to 100 nationalities, the Group is built on a strong foundation of stakeholder value creation. With over seven decades of responsible business practices, the Group's businesses have grown into global powerhouses in a wide range of sectors - from metals to cement, fashion to financial services and textiles to trading. Today, over 50% of the Group's revenues flow from overseas operations that span over 40 countries in North and South America, Africa, Asia, and Europe.

For more information, visit www.adityabirlacapital.com.

# DISCLAIMERS

This policy is underwritten by Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Company Limited (ABSLI). This brochure contains only the salient features of the rider. For further details please refer to the policy contract. Tax benefits are subject to changes in the tax laws. Insurance is the subject matter of the solicitation. For more details and clarification call your ABSLI Insurance Advisor or visit our website and see how we can help in making your dreams come true.

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Life Insurance coverage is available in this product.

Contact our advisor or visit our website https://lifeinsurance.adityabirlacapital.com to know more about the various solutions. We provide a wide range of Life Insurance solutions to cater to your specific protection needs.

As per section 10(10D) of the Income-tax Act, 1961, proceeds from life insurance policy issued on or after 1 April 2023 shall be taxable as income from other sources if the cumulative annual premium payable by taxpayer for life insurance policies exceeds ₹ 5 lacs.

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