

**Application to Continue Benefits—Retiree Health**

South Dakota State Employee Benefit Program  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN or Insurance ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
           Last                      First                      MI

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
    Street                                      City                                      State                                      Zip Code

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**1) Health Election**

- I **DO** elect to continue health coverage for myself or my eligible dependent(s)
- I **DO NOT** elect to continue health coverage for myself or my eligible dependent(s).  
 (Please complete the information above, sign and return this form.)

**2) Please check the Health Plan desired. You must check ONE of the following:**

- Low Deductible Health Plan (\$1,000)
- High Deductible Health Plan (\$2,000/\$4,000)

**3) Coverage**

- Retiree Only
- Spouse Only (Retiree only rate)
- Retiree & Spouse
- Retiree & Child(ren)
- Family

**4) Participant and/or dependent information for each person who will be continuing coverage:**

Name	Birth Date	Social Security Number
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**5) Non-tobacco User or Tobacco User**

- I am **not** a tobacco user
- I am a tobacco user
- My covered spouse is **not** a tobacco user
- My covered spouse is a tobacco user

**6) Method of Payment**

If you choose the Direct Payment Plan, the premiums for ALL products can be deducted from your bank account. However, the South Dakota Retirement System can withhold only Health Plan premiums.

- South Dakota Retirement System (Health Only)
- Direct Payment Plan (Fully complete the enclosed form and attach a voided check.)
- Deduct from my spouse's monthly SDRS benefits

My spouse's SSN#: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

***I authorize the South Dakota Retirement System (SDRS) to release to the South Dakota Bureau of Human Resources my address, phone number, and/or email on file for the purpose of the Bureau of Human Resources contacting me regarding my health insurance.***

***I represent that the foregoing information is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate. I agree that to retain coverage, I (we) must abide by the Plan's provisions.***

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Applicant Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date Signed**

# **SOUTH DAKOTA STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH PLAN**

## **FY19 PLAN YEAR**

*July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019*

Starting July 1, 2018, the following monthly premium rates will apply for Pre-65 Retiree Health Plan members:		
	Low Deductible Plan (\$1,000)	High Deductible Plan (\$2,000/\$4,000)
Retiree only	\$2,013.91	\$966.20
Retiree + spouse	\$4,398.91	\$1,803.53
Retiree + child(ren)	\$2,533.80	\$1,166.10
Retiree + family	\$4,918.81	\$2,003.42

NOTE: Contributions for retiree and spouse coverage will increase \$60.00 per person per month if retiree and/or covered spouse use tobacco.