



# MEMPHIS FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

**Local 1784, International Association of Fire Fighters, AFL-CIO, CLC**  
President Thomas Malone • Vice President Todd Conklin • Sec./Treasurer Matthew Tomek

**September 23, 2025**

To: Local 1784 Active and Retiree Members

Re: Open Enrollment – Union Dental/Vision & Life Insurance

Local 1784's Open Enrollment period will be October 1 – 31, 2025 for both active and retiree members.

If you're already enrolled in the union's dental/vision coverage or life insurance coverage, and don't wish to make any changes, there's nothing for you to do.

The union's dental/vision premium is seeing a little bit of an increase (amounts listed are per pay period):

	OLD	NEW	INCREASE
Single Coverage	\$16.90	\$17.69	\$0.79
Employee + One	\$33.32	\$34.87	\$1.55
Family Coverage	\$50.82	\$53.21	\$2.39

If you are not currently enrolled in the Union's Dental/Vision Insurance, or the Union's Voluntary Life Insurance, and wish to do so, fill out the enclosed documentation and return to the Union Office one of four ways:

1. Deliver in person to the Union Office
2. Scan and email to [office@iaff1784.org](mailto:office@iaff1784.org)
3. Fax to the Union Hall at (901) 386-3105
4. Mail to the Union Office

5150 Stage Rd, Suite #103  
Memphis, TN 38134

If you are enrolled in the union's dental/vision plan, or voluntary life insurance, and wish to cancel either, please visit [www.iaff1784.org/insurance](http://www.iaff1784.org/insurance) to download the necessary cancel form.

If you are enrolled in the city's dental/vision plan, and wish to de-enroll from it, you must de-enroll no later than October 31. No exceptions. (You are allowed to have both the city and union dental/vision if you choose.)

All changes including enrolling or de-enrolling in plans must be made no later than October 31, 2025.

Questions can be directed Matthew Tomek or Mary Lee Murley at the Union Hall at (901) 589-1784.



## 2026 IAFF Local 1784 Insurance Comparison

	Union Dental/Vision Cigna		City Dental/Vision Blue Cross/Blue Shield	
Dental Benefits	In-Network	Out of Network	In-Network	Out of Network
Deductible (On Basic & Major Services Only)	Individual: \$50 Family: \$150	Individual: \$50 Family: \$150	Individual: \$50 Family: \$150	Individual: \$50 Family: \$150
Annual Maximum Benefit	\$1,250.00		\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
<b>Preventive Services</b> Exams, Cleanings, X-Rays	100%	100%	100%	80% Employees & Spouses eligible for a \$25 gift card after showing proof of one cleaning per year
<b>Basic Services</b> Fillings, General Anesthesia, Surgery, Simple Extractions	90%	80%	80%	60%
<b>Major Services</b> Crowns, Bridges, Dentures, Inlays, Veneers	60%	50%	50%	40%
Orthodontia	50% to a Lifetime Max of \$1,000		50% to a Lifetime Max of \$1,000	
Waiting Periods	No Waiting Period		No Waiting Period	
Network Name	Classic PPO		BCBS Dental	
Vision Benefits	In-Network	Out of Network	In-Network	Out of Network
<b>Exams</b>	\$10 Copay One Every 12 Months	Covers Up to \$45	\$15 Copay One every 12 months	Covers Up to \$45
Deductible	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Lenses	Once Every 12 months / \$10 Copay		Once Within A 12 Month Period	
Single Vision	Covered in Full	Up to \$32	\$15 Copay	Up to \$40
Bifocal	Covered in Full	Up to \$55	\$15 Copay	Up to \$65
Trifocal	Covered in Full	Up to \$65	\$15 Copay	Up to \$75
Lenticular	Covered in Full	Up to \$80	\$15 Copay	Up to \$100
Contact Lenses	Once every rolling 12 months		Limited to one set of lenses every calendar year	
Conventional Contact Lenses	\$150 Allowance	Up to \$120	\$150 Allowance	Up to \$120
Disposable Contact Lenses	\$150 Allowance	Up to \$120	\$150 Allowance	Up to \$120
Medically Necessary Contacts	\$0 Copay	Up to \$210	Covered at 100%	Up to \$210
Frames	Up to \$150 Once Every Rolling 24 months	Up to \$83	\$0 copay up to \$150 Allowance	Up to \$82
Network Name	EyeMed		BCBS Vision	
<b>Dental/Vision Premium (Per Payday)</b>				
Single	\$17.69		\$13.47	
Member + One	\$34.87		\$27.43	
Family (Employee + Two Dependents)	\$53.21		\$41.28	

**Basic/Group Life - \$10,000 Life Insurance to all Local 1784 Members free of charge, regardless of active or retired or age**

Voluntary Life Insurance	\$20,000	\$3.42 per pay period
(Member Life Insurance)	\$50,000	\$8.55 per pay period

Voluntary Life Insurance	\$10,000	\$1.50 per pay period
(Spousal Life Insurance)	\$25,000	\$3.75 per pay period

(Must purchase member life in order to purchase spousal life)



## DENTAL/VISION INSURANCE ELECTION FORM

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to enroll in the dental/vision plan from IAFF Local 1784  
(Please sign this form and fill out the enclosed enrollment form and payroll deduction form)

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to cancel or de-enroll from the dental/vision plan from IAFF Local 1784  
(Please sign this form and fill out the enclosed CANCEL form)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Member's Signature**

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

# Cigna Dental and Vision Enrollment Form

Employer: Complete Section A

Employee: Complete Sections B, C & D

Insured and/or Administered by  
Cigna Health and Life Insurance Company



Please print and thank you for providing this information

<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN ENROLL <input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE <input type="checkbox"/> NEW ENROLL <input type="checkbox"/> REINSTATE		EFFECTIVE DATE OF ADD/CHANGE/ CANCELLATION (MM/DD/CCYY)	EMPLOYER NAME Memphis Fire Fighters Local 1784		EMPLOYER ADDRESS 5150 Stage Rd, Suite 103 Memphis, TN 38134		
CIGNA ACCOUNT NO.	DIVISION/BRANCH/LOCATION/CLASS	DATE OF HIRE (MM/DD/CCYY)	NETWORK ID	BRANCH CODE	CDH GROUP NO.	DENTAL BENEFIT OPTION	VISION BENEFIT OPTION
TYPE OF CHANGE: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Add Dependent(s) * Date: _____  <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel Employee Last Date of Coverage: _____  <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel Dependent(s) * Last Date of Coverage: _____            Reason for Cancellation:  <input type="checkbox"/> Leave employment  <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer out of Cigna Dental Care area  <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer to another plan         </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Address Change  <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer to COBRA  <input type="checkbox"/> 18 mos. <input type="checkbox"/> 29 mos. <input type="checkbox"/> 36 mos.  <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____         </div> </div> <p>* List Names in Section C</p>							

EMPLOYEE NAME (Last)		(First)		(M.I.)		SOCIAL SECURITY NO.
EMPLOYEE DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/CCYY)	HOME PHONE ( )	WORK PHONE ( )	HOME E-MAIL ADDRESS		EMPLOYEE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
ADDRESS (Street)		(City)		(State)	(Zip Code)	
WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY LANGUAGE? (optional)	DO YOU HAVE A DISABILITY AFFECTING YOUR ABILITY TO COMMUNICATE OR READ? (optional)		SELECT PLAN: <input type="checkbox"/> Cigna Dental Care® <input type="checkbox"/> Cigna Dental EPO <input type="checkbox"/> Cigna Vision <input type="checkbox"/> Cigna Dental PPO <input type="checkbox"/> Cigna Traditional			

I WOULD LIKE COVERAGE FOR ME AND MY DEPENDENTS. (Specify last name if different from yours)			DEPENDENT SOCIAL SECURITY NO.	DATE OF BIRTH	GENDER	FULL-TIME STUDENT?	DENTAL OFFICE SELECTION (for Cigna Dental Care only)	START DATE OF CONTINUOUS DENTAL COVERAGE (for Cigna Dental PPO only) (Month, Day, Year)	(check one)
Last Name	First Name	M.I.		MM DD CCYY		Yes No			
Employee					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		1st Choice - 2nd Choice -		<input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel
Spouse					<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		1st Choice - 2nd Choice -		<input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel
Dependent		Relationship			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1st Choice - 2nd Choice -		<input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel
Dependent		Relationship			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1st Choice - 2nd Choice -		<input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel
Dependent		Relationship			<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1st Choice - 2nd Choice -		<input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Cancel

Proof of student or handicapped status for coverage dependents may be required.  
The original effective date must be completed for each member in order for continuous coverage credit to be applied toward waiting period.

<b>D SIGNATURE</b> - The information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and I accept the provisions on the reverse side of this form which I have read and understand. EMPLOYEE'S SIGNATURE / DATE
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NOTE: Not all products are available for all clients or all states. Check your enrollment materials carefully to see what is offered for your group.



### For Active Members Only

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to purchase the voluntary life insurance on myself

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose the \$20,000 life insurance on myself (\$3.42 per pay period)

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose the \$50,000 life insurance on myself (\$8.55 per pay period)

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose to decline the voluntary life insurance on myself currently. I understand I can enroll later during open enrollment.

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\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to purchase life insurance on my spouse **(the voluntary life insurance on yourself must be selected to enroll in the spousal and/or child life insurance)**

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose the \$10,000 coverage on my spouse (\$1.50 per pay period)

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose the \$25,000 coverage on my spouse (\$3.75 per pay period)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose to decline the life insurance on my spouse currently. I understand I can enroll later during open enrollment.

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\_\_\_\_\_ I choose to purchase life insurance on my child(ren) **(the voluntary life insurance on yourself must be selected to enroll in the child and/or spousal life insurance)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_ I choose to decline the life insurance on my child(ren) currently. I understand I can enroll later during open enrollment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Member's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Authorization for Payroll Deduction**  
**Memphis Fire Fighters Association**  
**IAFF Local 1784**

I, the undersigned, hereby designate IAFF Local 1784 as my duly chosen and authorized representative on matters relating to my employment. I further request and authorize the deduction from my earnings each payroll period an amount sufficient to provide for the regular payment of the current rate of monthly union dues and benefits established by the union. This authorization may be terminated by me by giving the Union and City a thirty (30) day written notice in advance, by execution of a cancellation form or upon termination of my employment.

It is further understood and agreed that if I violate the covenant not to strike I shall hold the city of Memphis harmless from any and all liabilities or claims which it may incur or sustain as a result of my violation of the covenant not to strike.

**Please Print**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Initial

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
Number/Street City Zip Telephone

Dept. – Fire Division 13

**Employee ID #**   

**All Amounts Listed Are Per Pay Period**

(Check all that may apply)

**A. Union Dues**..... \$37.56 ☒

**B. Union Dental & Vision Insurance – Cigna Insurance (PPO)**

Employee Only..... \$17.69 ☐

Employee + 1..... \$34.87 ☐

Family..... \$53.21 ☐

**C. Optional Employee Hartford Life Insurance** (\$20,000) ...\$3.42 ☐ (\$50,000).... \$8.55 ☐

**D. Optional Spouse Hartford Life Insurance** (\$10,000)....\$1.50 ☐ (\$25,000).... \$3.75 ☐

**E. Optional Dependent Child(ren) Hartford Life Insurance**.....(\$10,000/child).....\$0.49 ☐

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Please Print

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Initial

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number/Street City Zip

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Dept. – Fire Division 13 (**Retired**)

Employee ID Number (or Last Four of Social Sec Number) \_\_\_\_\_

**All Amounts Listed Are Per Pay Period**

(Check all that may apply)

A. Union Dues.....\$ 15.00 ☐

B. Union Dental Insurance – Cigna Insurance Company **PPO**

Employee Only.....\$17.69 ☐

Employee + 1.....\$34.87 ☐

Family.....\$53.21 ☐

C. Optional Life Insurance (NCPERS) .....\$ 6.00 ☐

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**Memphis Fire Fighters Association  
IAFF Local 1784  
Life Insurance Beneficiary Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Employee ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Last 4 digits of SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ FD Work Assignment (or Retired): \_\_\_\_\_

The sum of all primary beneficiaries must total 100% and the sum of any/all contingent beneficiaries must total 100% (e.g. allocation of three primary beneficiaries could be 34%, 33%, 33% or 25%, 25%, 25%, 25%)

**PRIMARY BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION**

Name	Phone Number	Relationship	Date of Birth	Share (%)

**CONTINGENT BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION**

Name	Phone Number	Relationship	Date of Birth	Share (%)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE USE ONLY:** Received By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ In Person\_\_\_\_ Fax\_\_\_\_ Email\_\_\_\_ Mail\_\_\_\_  
09/2025