

Eligibility

Effective January 1, 2023, you may be eligible to enroll in the benefits described below if:

1. Your application to purchase certain coverages is received by OCEA within 31 days of your retirement date; and,
2. You were an active member of OCEA for at least one year immediately preceding your retirement date; and,
3. You are a current member of the Retired Employees Association of Orange County (REAOC); and,
4. You will be receiving a retirement check from the Orange County Employees Retirement System (OCERS).

Dental

If you were covered by either the HMO or PPO dental plan as an active OCEA member, you are eligible to purchase DeltaCare USA CAM49 DHMO within 31 days of your retirement date and;

Coverage is required to continue after your Retirement Date by electing COBRA when offered, until your coverage becomes effective through OCERS payroll deductions.

You are eligible to purchase dental coverage through the DeltaCare USA CAM49 DHMO plan. This plan offers you a comprehensive program of dental care with no annual benefit limit. Most preventive services, such as cleanings and examinations, are covered in full. Other procedures require copayments at the time the dentist performs the service.

This plan is designated for coverage in California only. You are only covered for services received from your designated California DeltaCare USA provider.

Vision

If you were covered by the Vision Service Plan as an active OCEA member, you are eligible to purchase Vision Service Plan within 31 days of your retirement date and;

Coverage is required to continue after your Retirement Date by electing COBRA when offered, until your coverage becomes effective through OCERS payroll deductions.

You may be eligible to purchase vision coverage through Vision Service Plan. This plan offers you a comprehensive program of vision care.

Life Insurance

If you were covered by supplemental life insurance through OCEA as an active OCEA member, you are eligible to purchase certain other coverages within 31 days of your retirement date, depending on the age at which you retire. For example:

- \$10,000 if you are under the age of 65
- \$6,500 if you are at least 65, but under 70
- \$2,000 if you are 70 or over

If you are covered by retiree life insurance and you were previously covered by supplemental life insurance through OCEA as an active OCEA member before you retired, you may be eligible to receive a \$2,000 burial benefit from OCEA.

More Information

Contact OCEA at (714) 835-3355 for more information about retiree benefits.