



A new linked-benefit solution designed for two

Nationwide CareMatters TogethersM is a linked-benefit long-term care (LTC) product that gives clients the ability to protect two people with one pool of benefits. See how the features of CareMatters Together compare with our single-life offering, Nationwide CareMatters[®] II.

Feature/benefit	Nationwide CareMatters Together ^{s™}	Nationwide CareMatters® II
Product type	Long-term care (LTC) coverage for two people on a fixed-premium, last survivor universal life chassis. Long-term care benefits are available for both people, and any remaining death benefit is paid at the death of the second insured.	Long-term care (LTC) coverage for one individual on a fixed-premium universal life chassis.
Benefit type	Cash indemnity LTC benefit. Nationwide pla are used.	ices no restrictions on how benefit payments
How benefits are paid	LTC benefit Long-term care benefits can be paid for each insured who is eligible for an LTC claim up to the available maximum monthly LTC benefit per insured, until the available total LTC benefit has been exhausted.	LTC benefit LTC benefits can be paid for the insured once they are eligible for an LTC claim, up to the available maximum monthly LTC benefit, until the total available LTC benefit has been exhausted.
	Note: It is possible for one insured to use the entire benefit.	Death benefit The death benefit is paid at the death of
	Death benefit The death benefit is paid at the death of the second insured (second to die).	the insured.
Issue ages	 Ages 30 - 70, age on last birthday (the maximum varies based on the payment schedule selected) No more than a 10-year age difference if either insured is Standard No more than 25-year age difference between insureds Age is based on the signed date on the application; no backdating 	 Ages 30 - 75 (the maximum varies based on the payment schedule and the refund of premium selected), age last birthday Age is based on the signed date on the application; no backdating

CareMatters Together-specific features are shown in blue type.

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Feature/benefit	Each individual insured can have a separate rate class from the options listed below: Nontobacco Preferred Nontobacco Standard Tobacco Standard Only one insured may be in the Standard risk class. A policy will not be issued where both insureds are Standard.		gether	Nationwide CareMatters II	
Underwriting classes			 Nontobacco Couple Tobacco Couple Nontobacco Single Tobacco Single 		
Minimum monthly LTC benefit at issue	\$1,500 South Dakota: \$3,100 Vermont: \$2,325 Wisconsin: \$1,860		\$1,500 South Dakota: \$3,100 Vermont: \$2,325 Wisconsin: \$1,860		
Maximum monthly LTC benefit at issue	\$20,833			\$20,833	
Minimum specified amount	South Dakota: Vermont: Wisconsin:	Both insureds Preferred \$54,000 \$111,600 \$83,700 \$66,960	Either insured Standard \$72,000 \$148,800 \$111,600 \$89,280	\$36,000 South Dakota: \$74,000 Vermont: \$55,800 Wisconsin: \$44,640	
Maximum specified amount	\$750,000			\$500,000	
Benefit durations	 Maximum full monthly LTC benefit payments 48 payments 72 payments 96 payments If both insureds are Preferred LTC Rider acceleration payments: 36, plus LTC Extension of Benefits Rider payments: 12, 36 or 60 If either insured is Standard LTC Rider acceleration payments: 48, plus, optionally LTC Extension of Benefits Rider payments: 24 or 48 			2 year (2-year LTC Rider) 3 year (2-year LTC Rider + 1-year LTCEB) 4 year (2-year LTC Rider + 2-year LTCEB) 5 year (2-year LTC Rider + 3-year LTCEB) 6 year (2-year LTC Rider + 4-year LTCEB) 7 year (2-year LTC Rider + 5-year LTC)	
LTC Rider	This rider is part of the policy and provides for acceleration of the base policy specified amount.				
LTC Extension of Benefits Rider	This rider provi	=	enefit to the poli	cyowner once the acceleration benefit has	

(LTCEB)

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Payment options	Pay one time (single-pay)	Pay one time (single-pay)	
	 Pay annually or monthly for 5 years (5-pay) Pay annually or monthly for 5 years (5-pay) 		
	 Pay annually or monthly for 10 years (10-pay) 	 Pay annually or monthly for 10 years (10-pay) 	
	 Pay annually or monthly for 20 years (20-pay) 	 Pay annually or monthly to insured's attained age 65 	
	 Pay annually or monthly to the older insured's attained age 100 	 Pay annually or monthly to insured's attained age 100 	
1035/lump-sum flexibility	The policyowner has the option to pay a lur the time the policy is issued.	mp-sum premium and/or 1035 exchange at	
LTC inflation	LTC benefits will grow based upon the inflation option selected.		
options	• None	• None	
	• 3% compound for life	• 3% simple	
	• 5% compound for life	• 3% compound	
	• 3% compound for 20 years	• 5% compound	
	The monthly benefit amount will increase whether or not claims are being paid.	The monthly benefit amount will increase whether or not claims are being paid.	
Refund of premium	None	Minimum ROP with Maximum LTC Benefit	
		 Vested 	
		One-Time Step-Up	
Underwriting	Simplified Underwriting		
requirements	Interview		
	Cognitive screen also required for applicants 60 and older or for cause		
	Attending physician statement for cause		
	Each person is underwritten individually.		
Elimination period	90 calendar days for each insured. Once the elimination period is met, it's met for life.		
periou	Upon completion, benefits for the first 90 days will be paid retroactively along with benefits for month 4.		
Guaranteed reduced paid-up benefit option	In the event that the policyowner no longer wishes to continue paying the scheduled premium, they can choose to accept a reduced paid-up policy. Benefits will be reduced based on the pro rata amount of premiums already paid.		
	The minimum monthly LTC benefit must continue to be at least \$250.		
Waiver of LTC premium	For all payment options, life and LTC premiums will be waived while the	Pay to 100 only — LTC premiums will be waived while LTC benefits are being paid.	
	benefits are being paid.	While LTC premiums are being waived, the life insurance premium must continue to be paid or the policy will be converted to reduced paid-up status.	

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Residual death benefit	If total LTC benefits are exhausted, the policy will not lapse, and a residual death benefit equaling 10% of the base specified amount will be paid upon the death of the second insured, reduced by any indebtedness and unpaid monthly deductions.	If total LTC benefits are exhausted, the policy will not lapse, and a residual death benefit equaling 20% of the base specified amount will be paid upon the death of the insured, reduced by any indebtedness and unpaid monthly deductions.	
Total received upon surrender	 The greater of: 1. The guaranteed cash value OR 2. The accumulated value minus surrender charges Minus any policy indebtedness, unpaid charges and LTC benefits paid. 	The greater of:1. The guaranteed value2. The accumulated value minus surrender charges OR3. ROP selected	
Potential tax advantage	Premium will be divided into two categories; the LTC premiums will be reported separately for each insured	Premium will be divided into four categories; the LTC premiums will be reported separately for each insured	
Separately identifiable premiums	 Life insurance premium LTC premium (includes LTC Rider, LTC Extension of Benefits and inflation option if selected) 	 Life insurance premium LTC Rider premium LTCEB premium LTC Inflation Rider premium 	
	Each LTC premium portion(s) may be eligib from an HSA (subject to applicable requirer insurance portion of the premium is not tax	ments and aged-based limitations). The life	
Qualification for benefits	To qualify for benefits, the insured(s) must be certified by a U.Slicensed health care practitioner to have a severe cognitive impairment or not be able to perform 2 of 6 activities of daily living for at least 90 days. The required plan of care prepared by a U.Slicensed health care practitioner will be created at the time of claim.		
	The activities of daily living (ADLs) are bathing, continence, dressing, eating, toileting and transferring.		
	The insured's 90-calendar-day elimination period must be met.		
	The LTC claim must be recertified at least every 12 months. This means a U.Slicensed health care practitioner must recertify the insured's qualifications for the claim. An updated plan of care must also be created.		
Unlicensed informal caregiver	Nationwide places no restrictions on how benefit payments are used — including paying family members or less expensive unlicensed caregivers. The plan of care prepared by a U.Slicensed health care practitioner must outline that informal care is appropriate if such care is desired.		

International benefits

For international claims, 100% of the maximum monthly LTC Rider benefit and 100% of any LTC Inflation Protection Rider benefit are available while benefits are paid under the LTC Rider. No LTC benefits are payable under the LTC Extension of Benefits Rider or

any LTC Inflation Protection Rider benefit associated with it.

LTC Extension of Benefits Rider payment availability will resume if the insured returns to the U.S. and the available total LTC amount has not been exhausted.

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Surrender	10-year surren	der charge period
charges	The surrender charge is a percentage of the total life insurance premium paid to date minus partial surrenders.	
	Year ¹	1 — 8.0%
		2 — 7.5%
		3 — 7.0%
		4 — 6.5% 5 — 6.0%
		6 — 5.5%
		7 — 5.0%
		8 — 4.0%
		9 — 3.0% 10 — 2.0%
		10 — 2.0% 11 — 0.0%
Partial surrenders	A partial surrender will result in a reduction of benefit amounts available for both LTC benefits and death benefits and will reduce the cash surrender value.	
Loans	Policy loans are available from issue, as lon The minimum amount of any policy loan is	
		ayments reduce the maximum monthly LTC .TC benefits, the death benefit and the cash
	Interest rates: Charged rate: 4%	
	Repayments Loan repayments may be made at any time	e; the minimum loan repayment is \$25.
	Maximum Ioan	
	The maximum total loan amount is equal to months of monthly deductions, the first of anniversary.	o the current net surrender value minus thre which will come due on the next monthly
Critical Illness	Not available	This rider permits a request for a selected
Benefit		portion of the base policy's specified amount when the insured is diagnosed with a critical illness as described in the rider, including any required period of survival or treatment.
		Not available in California.
Terminal Illness Benefit	Not available	This rider provides for an accelerated death benefit paid to the policyowner when the insured has a terminal illness with a life expectancy of 12 months or les (24 months in Illinois).
Refund of	None	Yes



To learn more about the benefits that **Nationwide CareMatters Together** offers your clients, please call us at:

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Nationwide CareMatters II and Nationwide CareMatters Together are cash indemnity products that pay LTC benefits when one or both of the insured persons are certified to have a qualifying condition and a need for LTC services. Bills and receipts showing actual expenses do not have to be submitted for payment of benefits once a claim has been approved. Each year, the policyowner can receive, tax free, the greater of the HIPAA per diem amount or actual LTC costs incurred. However, benefits may be taxable under certain circumstances. Taxpayers should consult with their tax and legal advisors about their specific situation.

Keep in mind that the payment of Long-Term Care Rider benefits, as an acceleration of the death benefit, will reduce both the death benefit and net surrender value of the policy. Additionally, loans and withdrawals will also reduce both the net surrender value and the death benefit. Care should be taken to make sure that life insurance needs continue to be met even if the rider pays out in full or after money is taken from the policy. There is no guarantee that the rider will cover the entire cost for all of the insureds' long-term care, as this may vary with the needs of each insured. One of the insureds may exhaust the entire long-term care benefit. Nationwide pays the long-term care benefit to the policyowner; there is no guarantee that the policyowner will use the benefit for long-term care expenses if the policy is owned by someone other than the insured.

The policy this rider is attached to is noncancelable. This means that the policyowner has the right, subject to the terms of their policy, to continue their policy, provided they pay the scheduled premium on time. Nationwide cannot change any of the terms of their policy on its own and cannot change the scheduled premium.

When choosing a product, make sure that life insurance and long-term care insurance needs are met. CareMatters II and CareMatters Together are not intended to be a primary source of life insurance protection, so make sure that life insurance needs have been covered by appropriate products. Because personal situations may change (e.g., marriage, birth of a child or job promotion), so can life insurance and long-term care insurance needs. Care should be taken to ensure that these strategies and products are suitable. Associated costs, as well as personal and financial objectives, time horizons and risk tolerance, should all be weighed before purchasing CareMatters II or CareMatters Together. Life insurance, and long-term care coverage linked to life insurance, may have fees and charges associated with it that include the costs of insurance, which vary based on characteristics of the insured such as sex, health, age and tobacco use. Riders that customize a policy to fit individual needs usually carry an additional charge.

Nationwide CareMatters II and Nationwide CareMatters Together have exclusions, limitations, reductions of benefits and terms under which the product may be continued in force or discontinued. For more details on cost and coverage options, contact Nationwide.

Approval for coverage under the policy and riders is subject to underwriting and may require a medical exam.

Nationwide CareMatters Together and Nationwide CareMatters II may not be available in some states. Please contact Nationwide to determine product availability in your state

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