



**Policy 40-00 Insurance for District Governing  
Board Members  
Sponsor: District Governing Board**

**Policy**

Following the guidelines established by ARS § 15-1450, Board members are eligible to participate in the College's medical, dental or vision insurance programs, if:

1. The Board member pays the full premium.
2. The participation of the Board member does not result in an expenditure of District monies.
3. The Board member and dependents enroll within 30 days of becoming a Board member. Otherwise, the Board member and their dependents will be required to submit evidence of insurability satisfactory to the insurance company prior to being accepted for coverage.

The Board member may elect coverage within the first 30 days of their election to the Board or during the annual enrollment period.

The Board may allow former Board members, along with their surviving spouses and dependents, to continue participating in the plan after they leave the Board for a period not to exceed 18 months if:

1. The Board member served at least six consecutive years on the Board;
2. The Board member, spouse and dependent(s), if applicable, were covered under the plan while serving on the Board;
3. The Board member pays the full premium;
4. The Board member's participation does not result in an expenditure of district monies.

The Board may allow the surviving spouse and dependents of a deceased Board member to continue to participate in the plan for a period not to exceed 36 months, if:

1. The surviving spouse or dependents were covered under the Board member's or former Board member's participation in the plan;
2. The surviving spouse or dependents pay the full premium; and,
3. The participation of the surviving spouse and dependents does not result in the expenditure of District monies.

**References**

A.R.S. § 15-1450

**Policy History**

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