

## SUMMARY OF EMPLOYEE BENEFITS – Part-time Regular Faculty

HACC recognizes that excellence in the performance of the college requires excellence in the performance of its people. HACC offers competitive pay and benefits programs designed to attract and retain people who share this commitment to excellence.

For its part-time regular faculty, those who are appointed for the fall and spring semesters and who teach more than 19 pay hours but less than 30 pay hours in an academic year. Counselors and Information Science faculty that are appointed to work 1,000 or more hours during a calendar year also fall into this category. HACC makes every effort to provide benefit choices at an affordable cost for both the employee and the college. HACC pays the entire cost for some benefits, others require employee contributions and some are paid entirely by the employee.

**MEDICAL & RX** - HACC provides a choice between two HealthAmerica medical plans: a Premium PPO plan and a Core PPO Plan. PPO plans allow you to treat with any medical provider of your choice. The main differences between the two plans are the deductible amounts and the annual out-of-pocket maximums. Medical coverage can be elected for the employee, any eligible dependents up to age 26 and domestic partners.

The prescription plan is administered by Medco/Express Scripts and provides both retail and mail-order benefits.

Part-time regular faculty pay 100% of the monthly premium for the health plan they select. Coverage is only available while the faculty member remains in the part-time regular status.

**DENTAL & VISION** - HACC provides both a dental PPO and a vision PPO plan to employees. Coverage can be elected for the employee, any eligible dependents up to age 26 and domestic partners.

Part-time regular faculty pay 100% of the monthly premium for the dental and vision coverage.

**PAID TIME OFF** - HACC provides paid personal leave to part-time regular faculty. Two days each fall, spring and summer semester are provided.

**RETIREMENT** - HACC enables eligible employees to select from three different basic retirement plan options. Newly hired employees must select one of these plans upon hire. This choice is irrevocable for the duration of HACC employment. HACC will contribute to the chosen option based on the current guidelines for that program.

The three available plan options are: the Public School Employees Retirement System (PSERS), the State Employees Retirement System (SERS) or a 403b by either TIAA-CREF or Fidelity. Those previously enrolled in SERS or PSERS must remain in that program.



**RETIREMENT (cont'd)** - There are two supplemental retirement account options, into which an eligible employee can defer additional income. The first is a 403b plan through either TIAA-CREF or Fidelity Investments. Once the 403b account has been maximized, a supplemental 457b can also be contributed to, up to the annual IRS allowed maximum deferral.

Please note: the college does not provide matching contributions to the supplemental retirement accounts.

**CREDIT UNION MEMBERSHIP** - employment at HACC enables membership in either the PSECU or Member's 1<sup>st</sup> Federal Credit Unions.

**EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM** - HACC provides an Employee Assistance Program (EAP) for its employees and family members.

The EAP provides confidential, psychological counseling, work-life balance, and educational wellness programs. Full and part-time employees and their household members are eligible to use the EAP.

**EMPLOYEE DISCOUNT PROGRAM** - HACC makes available to its employees the Youdecide.com employee discount and payroll deduction purchase program. Youdecide.com provides a "one-stop shopping" location for HACC employees to access discounts on a wide variety of products and services.

**EDUCATIONAL AID** - HACC provides assistance to part-time regular faculty and eligible dependents through the Tuition Aid program. This provides tuition assistance for courses taken at HACC.

- After 2 semesters of service, eligible for 1 HACC credit course or 1 job-related non-credit course for each semester taught during the academic year.
- After 10 semesters of service, employee, spouse and dependents eligible for 1 HACC credit course per semester for each eligible applicant.

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