

# **Administrative Rule 808 – Adding Dependents During Disability**

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## **BOARD OF PENSIONS ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

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### **Adding Dependents During Disability**

A Member may add new dependents for medical coverage while receiving disability benefits as long as the Member was covered by the Plan's Medical provisions prior to the initiation of disability benefits. The guidelines in Administrative Rule 203 must be followed.

A dependent spouse who is added after the disability begins cannot be added to any of the optional benefits the member was participating in at the time the disability occurs.

If a member adds a dependent child during disability and the member has continued their participation in the Supplemental Death benefits for dependents, the new dependent will be covered by that benefit.

If the member continued family or member and children dental coverage during disability, any new dependent children added to the member's record will be covered by the dental program.