

UNIFOR LOCAL 2002

GIDIP DISA-BULLETIN

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING YOUR PLAN ADMINISTRATION

The Unifor Local 2002 Health and Welfare Trust Board of Trustees is pleased to announce an upcoming enhancement to the administration of your Group Insurance Disability Plan (GIDIP).

Earlier this year, the Trustees completed a comprehensive market survey of Union Plan Administrators and Claims Payors. A market survey is a periodic review process where we evaluate other leading plan administration companies, request competitive proposals, and meet with top candidate providers to ensure our Members receive the highest standard of service and value.

Following this review, the Board of Trustees has selected **Ellement Consulting Group** as our new Plan Administrator and Claims Payor, effective **November 1, 2026**. Your current contribution of 3.542% of salary will not increase as a result of this change.

What This Means for You	Up to and including October 31 / 26	As of November 1 / 26
Disability Claims:	Send all communications to Canadian Benefits All claims data will be transferred to Ellement Consulting on November 2	Send all communications to Ellement Consulting
HSA Claims:	All claims payable will be paid by Canadian Benefits All claims data will be transferred to Ellement Consulting on November 2	Ellement Consulting will reach out to you on any claims that are denied and / or have outstanding information All submitted claims will be honoured based on their original submission date
For all inquiries, contact:	Canadian Benefits Consulting Group Telephone: 416-488-7755 Toll Free: 1-800-268-0285 Facsimile: 416-488-7774 Email: GIDIP@canben.com	Ellement Consulting Group Toll Free: 1- 877 -47GIDIP (1- 877 -474-4347) Facsimile: 1- 855 -47GIDIP (1- 855 -474-4347) Email: GIDIP@ellement.ca

Website Information & Updates: Current GIDIP information on the Unifor 2002 website will remain available until **October 30, 2026**. New information and updated bulletins will be posted to the website during the week of **November 2, 2026**.

YOUR GIDIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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NEW CONTACT INFORMATION - EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1, 2026

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