

**VISA** YOUR GUIDE TO CARD BENEFIT

**Your Guide to Benefit describes the benefit in effect as of 4/1/14.**  
Benefit information in this guide replaces any prior benefit information you may have received.  
Please read and retain for your records. Your eligibility is determined by your financial institution.

Effective 7/31/2014 / For questions about your balance, please call the customer service number on your Visa statement.

**Auto Rental Collision Damage Waiver**

For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1.800.348.8472, or call collect outside the U.S. at 804.673.1164.

**Benefit Information****What is the Auto Rental Collision Damage Waiver ("Auto Rental CDW") benefit?**

The auto Rental Collision Damage Waiver ("Auto Rental CDW") benefit offers insurance coverage for automobile rentals made with your Visa card. The benefit provides reimbursement (subject to the terms and conditions in this guide) for damage due to collision or theft up to the actual cash value of most rental vehicles.

**Who is eligible for this benefit?**

You are eligible only if you are a valid cardholder whose name is embossed on an eligible Visa card issued in the United States. Only you as the primary renter of the vehicle and any additional drivers permitted by the auto rental agreement are covered.

**What losses are covered?**

The benefit provides reimbursement up to the actual cash value of the vehicle as it was originally manufactured. Most private passenger automobiles, minivans, and sport utility vehicles are eligible, but some restrictions may apply. Please contact the Benefit Administrator to inquire about a specific vehicle.

**Covered losses include:**

- Physical damage and/or theft of the covered rental vehicle
- Valid loss-of-use charges imposed and substantiated by the auto rental company
- Reasonable and customary towing charges, due to covered theft or damage, to the nearest qualified repair facility.

**Please Note:** This benefit only covers vehicle rental periods that neither exceed nor are intended to exceed fifteen (15) consecutive days within your country of residence or thirty-one (31) consecutive days outside your country of residence.

**How does this coverage work with other insurance?**

Within your country of residence, this benefit supplements, and applies excess of, any valid and collectible insurance or reimbursement from any source. This means that, subject to the terms and conditions of this benefit, Auto Rental CDW applies eligible theft or damage or expenses that are not covered by insurance or reimbursement.

**If you do not have personal automobile insurance** or any other insurance covering this theft or damage, this benefit reimburses you for the covered theft or damage as well as valid administrative and loss-of-use charges imposed by the auto rental company and reasonable towing charges that occur while you are responsible for the rental vehicle.

**If you do have personal automobile insurance** or other insurance covering this theft or damage, the Auto Rental CDW benefit reimburses you for the deductible portion of your personal automobile insurance and any unreimbursed portion of valid administrative and loss-of-use charges imposed by the auto rental company, as well as reasonable towing charges resulting from covered theft or damage of the rental vehicle while it is your responsibility.

**What types of rental vehicles are not covered?**

The following vehicles are not covered by Auto Rental CDW: expensive, exotic, and antique automobiles; certain vans; vehicles that have an open cargo bed; trucks; motorcycles, mopeds, and motorbikes; limousines; and recreational vehicles.

- **Examples of excluded expensive or exotic automobiles include:** the Aston Martin, Bentley, Bricklin, Daimler, DeLorean, Excalibur, Ferrari, Jensen, Lamborghini, Lotus, Maserati, Porsche, and Rolls Royce. However selected models of BMW, Mercedes-Benz, Cadillac, and Lincoln are covered.
- **An antique automobile** is defined as any vehicle over twenty (20) years old or any vehicle that has not been manufactured for ten (10) years or more.
- **Vans are not covered**, with the exception of those manufactured and designed specifically as small group transportation vehicles (for a maximum of eight (8) people including the driver).

**For questions about a specific vehicle, call the Benefit Administrator at 1.800.348.8472. If you are outside the United States, call collect at 804.673.1164.**

#### **What else is not covered?**

- Any obligation you assume under any agreement (other than the deductible under your personal auto policy)
- Any violation of the auto rental agreement or this benefit
- Injury of anyone or damage to anything inside or outside the rental vehicle
- Loss or theft of personal belongings
- Personal liability
- Expenses assumed, waived, or paid by the auto rental company or its insurer
- Cost of any insurance or collision damage waiver offered by or purchased through the auto rental company
- Depreciation of the rental vehicle caused by the incident including, but not limited to “diminished value”
- Expenses reimbursable by your insurer employer, or employer’s insurance
- Theft or damage due to international acts, or due to the driver(s) being under the influence of alcohol, intoxicants, or drugs, or due to contraband or illegal activities
- Wear and tear, gradual deterioration, or mechanical breakdown
- Items not installed by the original manufacturer
- Damage due to off-road operation of the rental vehicle
- Theft or damage due to hostility of any kind (including, but not limited to, war, invasion, rebellion, insurrection, or terrorist activities)
- Confiscation by authorities
- Vehicles that do not meet the definition of covered vehicles
- Rental periods that either exceed or are intended to exceed fifteen (15) consecutive days within your country of residence or thirty-one (31) consecutive days outside your country of residence
- Leases and mini leases
- Theft or damage as a result of the authorized driver’s and/or cardholder’s lack of reasonable care in protecting the rental vehicle before and/or after theft or damage occurs (for example, leaving the vehicle running and unattended)
- Theft or damage reported more than forty-five (45) days\* from the date of the incident
- Theft or damage for which a claim form has not been received within ninety (90) days\* from the date of the incident
- Theft or damage for which all required documentation has not be received within three hundred and sixty-five (365) days from the date of the incident
- Theft or damage from rental transaction that originated in Israel, Jamaica, the Republic of Ireland or Northern Ireland

#### **Where am I covered?**

This benefit is available in the United States and most foreign countries. **However, no benefit is provided for motor vehicles rented in Israel, Jamaica, the Republic of Ireland or Northern Ireland.** Additionally, this benefit is not available where precluded by law or in violation of the territory terms of the auto rental agreement or prohibited by individual merchants. **Because regulations vary outside the United States, it is recommended you check with your auto rental company and the Benefit Administrator before you travel to make sure Auto Rental CDW will apply.**

This benefit is in effect while the rental vehicle remains in your control or in the control of an authorized driver permitted to operate the rental vehicle in accordance with the rental agreement between you and the auto rental company. This benefit terminates when the auto rental company re-assumes control of the rental vehicle.

### **How do I make sure my Auto Rental CDW benefit is in effect?**

To be sure you are covered, take the following steps when you rent a vehicle:

Initiate and complete the entire rental transaction with your eligible Visa card.

Decline the auto rental company's collision damage waiver (CDW/LDW) option or similar provision.

### **Helpful tips:**

- Be sure to check the rental vehicle for prior damage before leaving the rental lot.
- Review the auto rental agreement carefully to make sure you are declining CDW/LDW and are familiar with the terms and conditions of the auto rental agreement.

### **What if the auto rental company insists that I purchase the auto rental company's auto insurance or collision damage waiver?**

Call the Benefit Administrator for help at **1.800.348.8472**. If you are outside the United States, call collect at **804.673.1164**.

## **Filing an Auto Rental CDW Claim**

### **What do I do if I have an accident or the rental vehicle is stolen?**

Immediately call the Benefit Administrator at **1-800-348-8472** to report the theft or damage regardless of whether your liability has been established. **If you are outside the United States, call collect at 804-673-1164.** The Benefit Administrator will answer any questions you or the auto rental company may have and will send you a claim form.

### **When should I report an incident?**

**You should report theft or damage as soon as possible, but no later than forty-five (45) days\* from the date of the incident.** The Benefit Administrator reserves the right to deny any claim that contains charges that would not have been included had the Benefit Administrator been notified before those expenses were incurred so you are advised to notify the Benefit Administrator immediately after any incident.

**Please Note:** You must make every reasonable effort to protect the rental vehicle from theft or damage. As the cardholder you are responsible for reporting your claim to the Benefit Administrator immediately. Reporting an incident to someone other than the Benefit Administrator will not fulfill this obligation.

### **What do I need from the auto rental company in order to file a claim?**

At the time of the theft or damage, or when you return the rental vehicle, immediately ask the auto rental company for:

- A copy of the accident report form and claim document, which should indicate the costs you are responsible for and any amounts that have been paid toward the claim
- A copy of the initial and final auto rental agreement(s)
- A copy of the repair estimate and itemized repair bill
- Two (2) photographs of the damaged vehicle, if available
- A police report, if obtainable

**How do I file a claim?**

Submit the documents gathered from the auto rental company (listed above) along with the following additional documents to the Benefit Administrator:

- The completed and signed Auto Rental CDW claim form. *Please Note: Your completed claim form must be postmarked within ninety (90) days\* of the date of the theft or damage, even if all other required documentation is not yet available, or your claim may be denied*
- A copy of your receipt or monthly billing statement as proof that the entire vehicle rental was charged and paid for with your eligible Visa card
- A Statement from your insurance carrier (and/or your employer or employer's insurance carrier, if applicable) or other reimbursement showing the costs for which you are responsible and any amounts that have been paid toward the claim. Or, if you have not applicable insurance or reimbursement, a notarized statement of no insurance or reimbursement is required
- A copy of your primary insurance policy's Declarations Page to confirm your deductible. "Declaration Page" means the document(s) in your insurance policy that lists names, coverages, limits, effective dates and deductibles.
- Any other documentation deemed necessary by the Benefit Administrator to substantiate the claim

**Please note:** All remaining documents must be postmarked within three hundred and sixty-five (365) days of the date of theft or damage. If you have difficulty obtaining the required documents within ninety (90) days\* of the date of theft or damage, submit the claim form with available documentation.

For faster filing, or to learn more about Auto Rental CDW, visit [www.visa.com/eclaims](http://www.visa.com/eclaims).

**Do I have to do anything else?**

Usually there is nothing else you need to do. Typically, claims will be finalized within fifteen (15) days after the Auto Rental CDW Benefit Administrator has received all documentation necessary to fully substantiate your claim.

After the Benefit Administrator has paid your claim, all your rights and remedies against any party in respect of this theft or damage will be transferred to the Benefit Administrator to the extent of the cost of payment made to you. You must give the Benefit Administrator all assistance as may reasonably be required to secure all rights and remedies.

*\*Not applicable to residents of certain states.*

**ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR AUTO RENTAL CDW**

You must make every effort that would be by a reasonable and prudent person to protect the rental vehicle from theft or damage. This provision will not be unreasonably applied to avoid claims.

If you make any claim knowing it to be false or fraudulent in any respect including, but not limited to, the cost of repair services, no coverage shall exist for such claim and your benefits may be cancelled. Each cardholder agrees that representations regarding claims will be accurate and complete. Any and all relevant provisions shall be void in any case of fraud, intentional concealment, or misrepresentation of material fact.

Once you report an occurrence, a claim file will be opened and shall remain open for six (6) months from the date of the incident/occurrence. No payment will be made on a claim that is not completely substantiated in the manner required by the Benefit Administrator within twelve (12) months of the date of the incident/occurrence. No legal action for a claim may be brought against the Provider until sixty (60) days after the Provider receives Proof of Loss. After the expiration of three (3) years from the time written Proof of Loss was to be provided, no action shall be brought to recover on this benefit. Further, no legal action may be brought against the Provider unless all the terms of this Guide to Benefit have been complied with fully.

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Termination dates may vary by financial institution. Your financial institution can cancel or non-renew the benefit, and if they do, they will notify you at least thirty (30) days in advance. This information is a description of the benefit provided to you as a Visa cardholder. Indemnity Insurance Company of North America ("Provider") is the underwriter of this benefit and is solely responsible for its administration and claims. The Benefit Administrator provides services on behalf of the Provider.

**For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1.800.348.8472, or call collect outside the U.S. at 804.673.1164.**

## Travel and Emergency Assistance Services

**For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1.800.992.6029, or call collect outside the U.S. at 804.673.1675.**

### Benefit Information

#### What is a benefit?

This benefit offers services designed to help you in case of an emergency while traveling. The Benefit Administrator can connect you with the appropriate local emergency and assistance resources available when you are away from home, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. (Please keep in mind that, due to occasional issues such as distance, location, or time, neither the Benefit Administrator nor its service providers can be responsible for the availability, use, cost or results of any medical, legal, transportation, or other services.)

#### Who is eligible for this benefit?

You are eligible if you are a valid cardholder of an eligible Visa card issued in the United States. Your spouse and children [provided children are dependents under twenty-two (22) years old] may all benefit from these special services.

#### How do I use these services when I need them?

Simply call the toll-free, 24-hour Benefit Administrator line at **1.800.992.6029**. **If you are outside the United States, call collect at 804.673.1675.**

#### Is there a charge for these services?

No. Travel and Emergency Assistance Services are available to eligible Visa Cardholders at no additional charge.

**Please Note:** Travel and Emergency Assistance Services provide assistance and referral only. You are responsible for the cost of any actual medical, legal, transportation, cash advance, or other services or goods provided.

#### What are the specific services and how can they help me?

- **Emergency Message Service** can record and relay emergency messages for travelers, their immediate family members, or business associates. *Please Note: The Benefit Administrator will use reasonable efforts to relay emergency messages in accordance with benefit guidelines and limitations, but cannot take responsibility for the failure to transmit any message successfully.*
- **Medical Referral Assistance** provides medical referral, monitoring, and follow-up. The Benefit Administrator can give you names of local English-speaking doctors, dentists, and hospitals; assign a doctor to consult by phone with local medical personnel, if necessary, to monitor your condition; keep in contact with your family, and provide continuing liaison; and help you arrange medical payments from your Visa or personal account. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*
- **Legal Referral Assistance** can arrange contact with English-speaking attorneys and U.S. embassies and consulates if you're detained by local authorities, have a car accident, or need legal assistance. In addition, the Benefit Administrator can coordinate bail payment from your Visa or personal account. The Benefit Administrator can also follow up to make sure bail has been properly handled. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*
- **Emergency Transportation Assistance** can help you make the necessary arrangements for emergency transportation home or to the nearest medical facility. This includes arranging to bring your business associates home and helping you stay in contact with family members or employers during the emergency. In the case of a death, the Benefit Administrator can make arrangements to repatriate the remains. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*
- **Emergency Ticket Replacement** helps you through your carrier's lost ticket reimbursement process and assists in the delivery of a replacement ticket to you should you lose your ticket. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*

- **Lost Luggage Locator Service** can help you through the common carrier's claim procedures or can arrange shipment of replacement items if an airline or common carrier loses your checked luggage. The Benefit Administrator can also arrange a cash advance with your issuing bank. *Please Note: You are responsible for the cost of any replacement items shipped to you.*
- **Emergency Translation Service** provides telephone assistance in all major languages and helps find local interpreters, if available, when you need more extensive assistance. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*
- **Prescription Assistance and Valuable Document Delivery Arrangements** can help you fill or replace prescriptions, subject to local laws, and can arrange pickup and delivery of prescriptions filled for you at local pharmacies. It can also help transport critical documents that you may have left at your home or elsewhere. *Please Note: All costs are your responsibility.*
- **Pre-Trip Assistance** can give you information on your destination before you leave—such as ATM locations, currency exchange rates, weather reports, health precautions, necessary immunizations, and required passport visas.

#### **ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR TRAVEL AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE SERVICES**

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## **Warranty Manager Service**

For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at **1.800.551.8472**, or call collect outside the U.S. at **303.967.1096**.

### **Benefit Information**

#### **What is this benefit?**

Warranty Manager Service provides you with valuable features to help manage, use and even extend warranties of eligible items purchased with your Visa Card. You can access these features with a simple toll-free call. Services include **Warranty Registration** and **Extended Warranty Protection**.

#### **Who is eligible for this benefit?**

You are eligible if you are a valid cardholder of an eligible Visa card issued in the United States.

#### **Why should I use Warranty Registration to register my purchases?**

You'll have peace of mind knowing that your purchases' warranty information is registered and on file. Although Warranty Registration is not required for Extended Warranty Protection benefits, you are encouraged to take advantage of this valuable service. When arranging for a repair or replacement, instead of searching for critical documents, you can just pick up the phone and call the Benefit Administrator.

#### **How do I register my purchases?**

To register an eligible purchase call **1.800.551.8472**, or call collect outside the U.S. at **303.967.1096**. The Benefit Administrator will provide the address to which you can send in the item's sales receipt and warranty information so this key information can be kept on file for you.

#### **How does Extended Warranty Protection work?**

Extended Warranty Protection doubles the time period of the original manufacturer's written U.S. repair warranty up to one (1) additional year on eligible warranties of three (3) years or less for items purchased entirely with your eligible Visa card. This benefit is limited to no more than the original price of the purchased item (as shown on your Visa card receipt), less shipping and handling fees, up to a maximum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) per claim and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) per card holder.

#### **What about purchases made outside of the U.S.?**

Purchases made outside of the U.S. are covered as long as you purchased the item entirely with your eligible Visa card and the eligible item has a valid original manufacturer's written U.S. repair warranty of three (3) years or less, store-purchased dealer warranty, or assembler warranty.



### What types of purchase are not covered?

- Boats, automobiles, aircraft, and any other motorized vehicles and their motors, equipment, or accessories, including trailers and other items that can be towed by or attached to any motorized vehicle
- Any costs other than those specifically covered under the terms of the original manufacturer's written U.S. repair warranty, as supplied by the original manufacturer, or other eligible warranty
- Items purchased for resale, professional, or commercial use
- Real estate and items which are intended to become part of real estate including, but not limited to, items that are hard-wired or hard-plumbed, garage doors, garage door openers, and ceiling fans
- Rented or leased items or items purchased on an installment plan and for which the entire purchase price was not paid in full at the time of the occurrence
- Computer software
- Medical equipment
- Used or pre-owned items

### Should I keep copies of receipts or any other records?

Not if you've already registered your purchase. If you have not registered your purchase, however, you should keep copies of your Visa card receipt, your store receipt, the original manufacturer's written U.S. warranty, and any other applicable warranty in the event that you need to file a claim, as these documents will be required to verify your claim.

## Filing an Extended Warranty Protection Claim

### How do I file a claim?

Call the Benefit Administrator at **1.800.551.8472**, or call collect outside the U.S. at **303.967.1096** immediately after the failure of a covered item.

**Please Note:** If you do not notify the Benefit Administrator within sixty (60) days after the product failure, your claim may be denied.

The Benefit Administrator will ask you for some preliminary claim information, direct you to the appropriate repair facility, and send you the appropriate claim form. Gift receipts of eligible items are also covered by the claim process. However, a gift recipient must provide all the documents necessary to fully substantiate the claim.

For faster filing, or to learn more about the Warranty Manager Service benefit, visit [www.visa.com/eclaims](http://www.visa.com/eclaims).

### What documents do I need to submit with my claim?

Complete and sign the claim form sent to you by the Benefit Administrator and submit it **within ninety (90) days of the product failure** along with the following documents:

- Your Visa card receipt
- The itemized store receipt
- A copy of the original manufacturer's written U.S. warranty and any other applicable warranty
- A description and serial number of the item, and any other documents deemed necessary to substantiate your claim (this includes bills and, if necessary, a copy of the maintenance record and receipts)
- The original repair order

**Please Note:** All claims must be fully substantiated.

### How will I be reimbursed?

If you have substantiated your claim and met the terms and conditions of the benefit, the item will be replaced or repaired **at the Benefit Administrator's discretion**, but for no more than the original purchase price of the covered item as recorded on your Visa card receipt, less shipping and handling fees, up to a maximum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) per claim, and a maximum of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) per cardholder.

Under normal circumstances, reimbursement will take place within five (5) business days of receipt and approval of all required documents.

**What about repairs?**

Extended Warranty Protection will pay the repair facility directly, or you may go to an authorized repair facility and file a claim for reimbursement. **Only valid and reasonable repairs made at the manufacturer's authorized repair facility are covered.**

In either case, the Benefit Administrator's payment, replacement, or repair made in good faith will fulfill the obligation under the benefit.

**Do I have to file with my insurance company?**

No. However, if you have purchased or received a service contract or Extended Warranty, Extended Warranty Protection is supplemental to, and excess of, that coverage.

**ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR WARRANTY MANAGER SERVICE**

This benefit applies only to you the eligible Visa cardholder, and to whomever receives the eligible gifts you purchase entirely with your eligible Visa card. You shall use due diligence and do all things reasonable to avoid or diminish any loss or damage to property protected by this benefit. This provision will not be unreasonably applied to avoid claims.

If you make any claim knowing it to be false or fraudulent in any respect including, but not limited to, the cost of repair services, no benefit shall exist for such claim and your benefits may be canceled. Each claimant agrees that representations regarding claims will be accurate and complete. Any and all relevant provisions shall be void in any case of fraud, intentional concealment, or misrepresentation of material fact.

Once you report an occurrence, a claim file will be opened and shall remain open for six (6) months from the date of the damage or theft. No payment will be made on a claim that is not completely substantiated in the manner required by the Benefit Administrator within six (6) months of the date for product failure.

After the Benefit Administrator has paid your claim, all your rights and remedies against any party in respect of this claim will be transferred to the Benefit Administrator to the extent of payment made to you. You must give the Benefit Administrator all assistance as may reasonably be required to secure all rights and remedies.

No legal action for a claim may be brought against the Provider until sixty (60) days after the Provider receives Proof of Loss. No legal action against the Provider may be brought more than two (2) years after the time for giving Proof of Loss. Further, no legal action may be brought against the Provider unless all the terms of this Guide to Benefits have been complied with fully.

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*For questions about your account, balance or rewards points please call the customer service number on your Visa card statement.*

