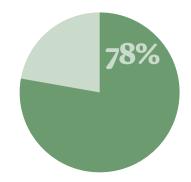
The disability insurance gap:

Do you really need group disability insurance?

1 in 4 workers will suffer a disability in their career.¹

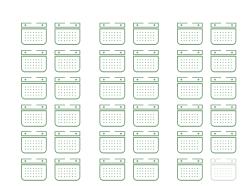




78% of Americans are living from paycheck to paycheck.²



of disabilities are caused by illnesses rather than accidents, which means they could happen to anyone, at any time.³



The average individual disability claim lasts

34.6 months.4

Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) might NOT replace income as you'd expected.

The average monthly benefit from SSDI is **\$1,234**⁵—well below the federal poverty guidelines for a family of ⁶

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\$1,437

\$1,810

\$2,184

Up to **70%**

of applications for Social Security disability benefits are initially denied, and the appeals process can take two years or more.⁷



You might NOT qualify for workers' compensation.

Only 1% of disabling accidents or illnesses are work related, so 99% are not covered by workers' compensation.¹



work related accidents or illnesses



accidents not covered

How much sick leave do you have?

According to the U.S. Department of Labor, employees with at least **one year** of service receive an average of **seven sick days** a year.⁸ Imagine what happens on day eight.

7 days

average sick days a year

34.6 months

average disability claims4

Do you have enough in emergency savings?

Many American adults don't have any emergency savings, while 48% said their savings would cover living expenses for only **90 days**.¹



maximum emergency savings

34.6 months

average disability claims⁴

Protect what you've worked so hard to build. Ask about group disability insurance today.

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