



**ARTA RETIREE BENEFITS PLAN**  
 Send forms to ARTA HEAD OFFICE  
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**Application for  
 Health and Dental  
 Plans – Public/  
 Private Sector**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Complete this enrollment form and return it to ARTA's head office at the address above and keep a copy for your records.
2. This plan is not effective until required information is complete and accurate.
3. For questions regarding the ARTA Retiree Benefits Plan, please contact ARTA's plan administrator, ASEBP, at [arta@asebp.ca](mailto:arta@asebp.ca) or at 780-989-8709 (Edmonton) or 1-855-444-2782.

**1. PLAN MEMBER INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)**

<b>First Name</b>		<b>Middle Name</b>		<b>Last Name</b>	
<b>Mailing Address (including apartment/unit number)</b>				<b>Telephone Number</b>	
<b>City/Town</b>		<b>Province/Territory</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>		<b>Cell Number</b>
<b>Date of Birth</b> (Applicant must be age 55 or older on the effective date of coverage)		<b>Gender</b>		<b>Email Address</b>	
<b>Year</b>	<b>Month</b>	<b>Day</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		
					Your ARTA Retiree Benefits information and ID card will be sent to you by email. If you wish to receive them by mail instead, please check here. <input type="checkbox"/>

**To participate in this plan you must be enrolled in all provincial or territorial health care plans for which you are eligible (Example: Alberta Health Care, Alberta Coverage for Seniors if you or your spouse are age 65 or over, or the BC Fair Pharmacare plan).**

**Public/ private sector plan participation**

MEPP  
  SFPP  
  ATB  
  AIA  
  CFD  
  PSPP  
  LAPP  
  UNA  
  ATU  
  CUPE  
  ACPA  
 Judges & Masters in Chambers  
  MLA  
  CEMA  
  CHAPA  
  CPA  
  CUDGC

Date of membership in the above noted association / organization / group: YYY Y \_\_\_\_ MM \_\_\_\_ DD \_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT: When transferring from an employer sponsored group insurance plan or your spouse's employer sponsored group insurance plan, you must provide the following information, including termination dates. Coverage is effective the day after your or your spouse's plan terminates.**

Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Termination Date of Your or Your Spouse's Employer Sponsored GROUP EXTENDED HEALTH CARE PLAN:</b>	<b>Termination Date of Your or Your Spouse's Employer Sponsored GROUP DENTAL PLAN:</b>
Year                      Month                      Day	Year                      Month                      Day

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

<b>Code:</b>	<b>ARTA Membership #:</b>
<b>ARTA Date Stamp(s):</b>	<b>Comments:</b>

**2. PLAN SELECTION (PLEASE REFER TO THE PROVIDED PLAN SUMMARY FOR DESCRIPTIONS OF EACH PLAN)**

EXTENDED HEALTH CARE PLAN (TRAVEL NOT INCLUDED)		EXTENDED HEALTH CARE PLAN (TRAVEL INCLUDED)		DENTAL CARE PLAN (OPTIONAL)	
<b>I wish to enroll in this plan:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, Please Complete:	<b>I wish to enroll in this plan:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, Please Complete:	<b>I wish to enroll in this plan:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, Please Complete:
<b>Health Plan Option</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Health Wise <input type="checkbox"/> Health Wise Plus	<b>Health Plan Option</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Total Health <input type="checkbox"/> Ultimate Health	<b>Dental Option</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Option A (80% Basic and Minor, 50% Major) <input type="checkbox"/> Option B (80% Basic and Minor) <input type="checkbox"/> Option C (65% Basic and Minor)
<b>Prescription Drug Option</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,200 Annual Maximum <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000 Annual Maximum	<b>Prescription Drug Option</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,200 Annual Maximum <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000 Annual Maximum		
<b>Dependant Coverage</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Single (you alone) <input type="checkbox"/> Couple (you and one other person) <input type="checkbox"/> Family (you and two or more people)	<b>Dependant Coverage</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Single (you alone) <input type="checkbox"/> Couple (you and one other person) <input type="checkbox"/> Family (you and two or more people)	<b>Dependant Coverage</b> <i>Select One</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Single (you alone) <input type="checkbox"/> Couple (you and one other person) <input type="checkbox"/> Family (you and two or more people)

If you have selected **Couple** or **Family** coverage, please complete the following:

Relationship to Participant	First Name	Last Name	Gender	Date of Birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	Child(ren) over 21 must be a student or disabled, <b>proof of disability or student status is required.</b>
Spouse					
Dependent Child					<input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled
Dependent Child					<input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled
Dependent Child					<input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled

**3. PERSONAL PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT AGREEMENT**

I authorize the Alberta Retired Teachers' Association (ARTA) to begin monthly automated withdrawals for payment of my benefit premiums and ARTA membership fees from the bank account identified. I understand that the following conditions apply:

- ARTA may only assign this Personal Pre-authorized Debit Agreement ("PAD Agreement") to the Third Party Administrator contracted to administer the ARTA Retiree Benefits Plan;
- I will pay the monthly premium and ARTA membership fee amount noted in my approval letter and a monthly statement will not be issued;
- I will receive at least 10 days prior notification of changes in the monthly amount payable due to:
  - Premium rate adjustments, which typically occur in September, and
  - A change in benefit coverage (e.g., from "single" to "couple" or "family" coverage);
- My monthly premium payment and ARTA membership fees will automatically be withdrawn from my bank account on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month. If the 10<sup>th</sup> falls on a weekend or holiday, the withdrawal will occur on the next business day;
- Premiums and ARTA membership fees are billed in complete months and if my benefits terminate prior to the last day of the month, **I will remain responsible for the full month's premium;**
- If there is a change in coverage that takes effect part way through a month (e.g. a change from "family" to "single" status), coverage will begin as of the date of the change. On the first day of the following month, the new premium will be charged; and
- I will notify the Third Party Administrator of any changes to my banking information.

My authorization will remain in effect until there is 30 days written notification of termination from either myself or from ARTA. To obtain a sample cancellation form, or for more information on my right to cancel this PAD Agreement, I may contact my financial institution or visit [www.cdnpay.ca](http://www.cdnpay.ca).

If the Third Party Administrator makes a withdrawal in error or for the incorrect amount, I will notify the Third Party Administrator as soon as possible. If the Third Party Administrator is aware of an error, the error will be corrected and I will be notified as soon as possible.

I have certain recourse rights if any debit does not comply with this agreement. For example, I have the right to receive reimbursement for any debit that is not authorized or is not consistent with this PAD Agreement. To obtain more information on my recourse rights, I may contact my financial institution or visit [www.cdnpay.ca](http://www.cdnpay.ca).

**Non-Payment of Premiums**

If my benefits are terminated due to non-payment of premiums, coverage will end and I will not be able to re-enroll in benefits until I make restitution, which may include payment of premiums, interest, non-sufficient fund charges and claims paid after termination. **I understand that ARTA retains the right to deny re-enrollment should coverage be terminated due to non-payment of premiums.**

It is understood that I must be an ARTA member to access the ARTA Retiree Benefits Plan. **Non-payment of ARTA membership fees will result in my ARTA benefits coverage being terminated.**

If you have any questions about this PAD Agreement, please contact a Benefit Plan Coordinator at:

Phone: 780-989-8709 (in the Edmonton area)  
Toll-free: 1-855-444-ARTA (2782)  
Email: [arta@asebp.ca](mailto:arta@asebp.ca)

**4. AUTOMATIC DIRECT WITHDRAWAL**

**Banking Information**

Attach a void cheque marked “withdrawals” or proof of account ownership from your bank.

**Attach void cheque here:**

**To be completed if premium is paid by someone other than the ARTA Member:**

<hr/> <b>Account Holder Name</b>	<hr/> <b>Relationship to ARTA Member</b>
<hr/> <b>Signature</b> (confirms acceptance of the terms of the PAD agreement)	<hr/> <b>Date</b>

## 5. AUTOMATIC DIRECT DEPOSIT

Automatic direct deposit will be used for benefit claims payments and approved refund of premium payments. Direct deposit ensures that payment is made directly into your bank account and provides:

- faster and safer service than mailing a cheque to you
- protection from delays during postal service disruptions
- automatic deposits to your bank account if you are away from home

Most financial institutions participate in direct deposit. You should check with your financial institution to make sure it can receive payment into your desired account. The financial institution's personnel will help you complete this form if necessary.

Claim deposits will be made to the same bank account unless a void cheque from a separate bank account is attached.

## 6. CONSENT

I hereby apply for coverage under the ARTA Retiree Benefits Plan and for affiliate membership with the Alberta Retired Teachers' Association. **I understand that the monthly ARTA affiliate membership fee is included in the monthly benefit premiums withdrawal.**

The Alberta Retired Teachers' Association (ARTA) and the Alberta School Employee Benefit Plan (ASEBP) require the personal information contained herein in order to administer the benefits plan. It may be necessary for ARTA/ASEBP to disclose some or all of the personal information contained herein to third party service providers for these purposes. Where third party service providers are retained, appropriate contracts are in place to protect personal information.

I understand why the information is required and am aware of the risks and benefits of providing this information. I consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my personal information for the purposes identified above. I understand that I may revoke my consent at any time and acknowledge that doing so will affect my and my dependants' eligibility to receive benefits.

I understand that by virtue of the provisions of the *Personal Information Protection Act* of Alberta, my dependants are deemed to consent to the collection, use and disclosure of their personal information for the purpose of enrollment in and coverage under the group benefit plans, through me as the applicant.

## 7. SIGNATURE

*Signature of Applicant*

*Date*

**Please ensure all information is correct, failure to do so may delay processing your application. Please send your completed application form and any applicable attachments to ARTA's head office:**

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