

**UNITED FOOD & COMMERCIAL WORKERS' UNION  
LOCAL 919 AND CONTRIBUTING EMPLOYERS'  
FOOD HEALTH & WELFARE FUND**

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**Members who are in their benefit waiting period and  
have tested positive for COVID-19 are now eligible  
for Weekly Disability Income Benefits.**

The Board of Trustees of the UFCW Local Union 919 and Contributing Employers' Health and Welfare Fund ("Fund") have come together during the COVID-19 pandemic to offer Weekly Disability Income Benefits to members who are not yet eligible for benefits ("waiting period members"), which is generally those who have been employed with Stop and Shop for less than one year.

Effective April 15, 2020, waiting period members will be eligible for up to two weeks of Weekly Disability Income Benefits under the terms of the Plan if they have tested positive for COVID-19 during this pandemic. These payments will commence at the conclusion of the Employer provided coverage.

Members NOT in the waiting period are eligible for their respective benefits with no change.

Waiting period members who are eligible for this benefit should contact the Fund Office at (860) 677-8118, (800) 842-2214 (in-state) or (800) 243-2014 (out-of-state) and request a disability form.