<u>Short-Term Disability (STD) Insurance:</u> The Department will provide a fully paid STD plan for extended illness or disability. The plan will provide 66.67% of salary benefit beginning on the 15th calendar day and ending on the 90th day of covered illness. Employees may supplement the remaining 33.33% of regular pay with accrued leave balances in the following order: sick leave, vacation leave, holiday leave, comp time, and administrative leave. The STD plan covers the confidential employee's own covered illness/injury only.