

# SUMMARY OF PART-TIME SUPPORT STAFF BENEFITS

### **EMPLOYER-PROVIDED BENEFITS**

#### Ohio Public Employees <u>Retirement System</u>

University employment is not covered under Social Security Retirement. Contributions to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) are mandatory at the present time.

Current Retirement	Employee	SSU
Contributions	10.00%	14.00%

For information on retirement plans and options, contact Human Resources.

### **VOLUNTARY BENEFITS**

Supplemental <u>Retirement Annuities</u>	Employees can set aside additional retirement savings on a pre or post tax basis through a qualified Annuity (403(b) plan) or Deferred Compensation (457b) plan. Voluntary contributions are payroll deducted. Interested employees must sign a Salary Reduction Agreement and contact one of the following vendors:		
	403(b) Plan	AIG Retirement Services AXA-Equitable	VOYA TIAA
	457 Plan	AIG Retirement Services AXA-Equitable Ohio Deferred Compensation	VOYA ΤΙΑΑ
Flexible Spending Account	This voluntary benefit allows employees to set aside money on a tax-free basis to be used for out-of- pocket medical or dependent care expenses. Enrollment is offered upon hire or during an annual Open Enrollment period.		
Long-Term Disability	between four plans (v		e payroll deducted. Employees can choose imination periods). Premium is based upon is offered through Unum.
<u>Voluntary Life</u>	Additional life insurance coverage is available for full-time employees, spouses and eligible dependents. These voluntary life insurance policies are available via payroll deduction through Securian Life Insurance Company. They offer a guaranteed issue policy (up to \$150,000) for the employee if enrolled within the first 30 days of employment. These policies are renewable term life policies with an annual \$50,000 guaranteed increase benefit option. Premium is based upon amount of coverage and age. * Annual open enrollment periods are provided. However, it is important that you know if you decline coverage within your first 30 days of employment you will be required to provide evidence of insurability in order to apply for coverage during future annual open enrollment periods. Other restrictions will		
	apply as well.		
<u>Whole Life, Accident,</u> <u>Critical Illness/Cancer</u>		-	e is available for employees, spouses, and payroll deduction through ManhattanLife.

# LEAVE BENEFITS

<u>Sick leave</u>	A part-time employee shall be credited with a pro-rated amount of sick leave based on a ratio of actual hours worked to 2080 hours per year. Employees may transfer into his/her University sick leave account any accumulated, documented, and verified sick leave balance that has been accumulated in the public service in the State of Ohio, provided that his/her re-employment takes place within ten (10) years of the date on which the employee was last terminated from public service.
Vacation leave	Part-time employees (less than 40 hours per week) will accrue vacation on a pro rata basis of actual hours worked
Personal Day	Part-time bargaining unit employees who regularly work less than thirty-two (32) hours per week, and who have completed their new-hire probationary period, shall be granted one (1) pro-rated day of paid personal leave per contract year.
<u>Holidays</u>	The following are designated University holidays: Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, President's Day*, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day*, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day. The two holidays marked with an asterisk (*) on the list will be observed on the Friday after Thanksgiving and on the day before Christmas Day.
	The University is also closed for Winter break each year from December 26 through December 31.

### **ADDITIONAL BENEFITS**

Tuition waivers	Part-time support staff and eligible dependents may take up to 6 credit hours per term. Enrollment follows our regular registration process that is available to the general student body.
Athletic Center	Membership to the Sports Center is FREE for active part time employees and immediate family members. (Spouse and dependent children age 14 and older)
<u>Health Clinic</u>	Employees may utilize the University Health Clinic as needed for the payment of \$20 per visit. These payments will be processed through payroll deduction and employees will be required to complete a payroll deduction authorization form at the time the services are rendered.
<u>Library</u>	Our library is available to you and your family members during their normal operating hours.
<u>Parking</u>	Off-street parking and/or designated faculty & staff parking is free at the present time. Entrance to the faculty & staff parking lot is on Bond Street (next to Massie Hall & the Advanced Technology Center). A key to access the restricted faculty and staff parking lot can be obtained in the Human Resources Office.
Direct Deposit/PayCard	University employees are paid on a biweekly basis. For your convenience, you may have your paycheck direct deposited to any bank of your choice or you may have your pay deposited to the U.S. Bank Pay Card.
Safety & Security	For campus safety and security information please refer to <u>www.shawnee.edu</u> and under Departments select Public Safety (formerly Security). Under Important Links located on the left side of the page, click "Campus Security and Fire Safety Report (PDF).

# For Benefit Related Questions, please contact:

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