

Local 153 Membership Benefits

▶ DEATH BENEFIT

\$5,000 Death Benefit + Additional \$2,000 OPEIU Total \$7,000.

\$5,000 AD&D Benefit + Additional \$2,000 OPEIU Total \$7,000. (Death by accident total \$14,000).

Eligibility – Membership in good standing with payment of dues for 12 months during the last 14-month period prior to death, exclusive of the month of death.

For more information, please call 212-741-8251

▶ WORKERS COMPENSATION/SUPPLEMENTARY DISABILITY

Supplementary Disability – Flat once-a-year Benefit will be paid to a member in good standing with 12 months membership as follows:

- 6-12 Weeks – Maximum of \$300
- 13-18 Weeks – Maximum of \$600
- 19-24 Weeks – Maximum of \$900
- 25 Weeks or more – Maximum of \$1,200

For more information, please call 212-741-8251

▶ TOWING BENEFIT

Two towing/service calls per year for members and family living in the same household, valued at up to \$100 each. You will need a “producer code” for “plan letter C”.

For information, call 212-741-8270

For towing and service call information, call 800-617-2677

▶ IDENTITY THEFT PROTECTION

A fully-managed identity theft restoration and monitoring program provided to members of Local 153 in good standing.

To register, call 855-990-0994 or visit local153opeiu.com

▶ METRODENT

35% Discount on participating dentists. Benefit to all current members in good standing.

Visit asonet.com. Select member’s plan Local 153 Discount Dental Plan to view participating dentists and rates.

Call 212-741-8250/8251

▶ GENERAL VISION SERVICES “Vision Pass”

Eyeglasses discount packages for you and your family.

Call the union for a “vision pass” 212-741-8250/8251

▶ ENTERTAINMENT

Discount movie tickets (now \$8.50/Regal – \$9/AMC) and theme park discount tickets such as Great Adventure.

Call 212-741-8261

▶ DRIVER SAFETY CLASS

Accident prevention/defensive driving workshop at discount rate for drivers with NY & NJ state licenses.

Call Victoria at 212-675-3210

Members in good standing can take an online course at a low cost of \$10 with up to 30 days to complete the course. To register, visit Local 153 website www.opeiu153.org.

▶ AFL-CIO UNION PLUS BENEFITS

Discounts for services such as dental, vision, health clubs, legal services, pet and car insurance, car rentals, mortgages, etc.

Visit unionplus.org

▶ WORKING ADVANTAGE

Discounts for theater and events, entertainment, sporting events, shopping, travel, etc.

Visit workingadvantage.com

Create an account using ID#: 924400144

▶ SCHOLARSHIPS

Howard Coughlin, John Kelly Labor Studies, Union Privilege and Lavina Michl Wright with grants of up to \$6,500.

Visit opeiu153.org

▶ DEFENSE FUND

Where an authorized strike is called, members will receive \$290 per week.

▶ UNION SUPPORT SERVICES

For members and their families who suffer with substance abuse, depression or stress.

Call 212-741-8251

▶ PUBLICATIONS

Steward Update, Local 153 News and OPEIU’s White Collar.

▶ RETIREE ASSOCIATION

National Council of Senior Citizens Active on Social & Political Issues.

Call 212-741-8262

▶ EDUCATION FOR UPGRADING SKILLS

Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint Access, Web Design, Business Writing, Job Readiness and Financial Planning. Additional programs are being formed.

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