



COVID-19 Annuity Hardship Withdrawals

NBF Annuity Hardship Withdrawals have been extended to include a new category to assist those who have been affected by COVID-19: For people who have lost work, been laid off, or had other losses or expenses due to the virus, participants are eligible for immediate withdrawal in the amount of their loss.

In order to obtain a hardship application, please email Annuity@iatsenbf.org. Once the application has been completed, you must email the application back to Annuity@iatsenbf.org.

Please note that if you mail your application, there will be a delay in processing.

FYI: The IATSE NBF closed their NY offices and the staff is working remotely. They are committed to process these claims as quickly as they can.

COVID-19 Testing Fees Waived

This waiver applies to all participants enrolled in Plan A and all Plan C options as well as those enrolled in Triple S.

Telehealth

During this difficult time, with many of us having to be home, medical care and behavioral health care is available by using Empire Blue Cross Blue Shield's LiveHealth Online.

Click [here](#) to read an important message regarding the Funds' efforts to enhance Telehealth Benefits to you and your family.

Please click [here](#) to read more about the LiveHealth Online service. Download the app and get many of your concerns dealt with from home.