

**CHAPTER 7: HUMAN RESOURCES
BOARD POLICY NO.: 7380**

**BOARD POLICY
SISKIYOU JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

Subject: Retiree Health Benefits: Academic Employees

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Policy Reference: Education Code Sections 7000 et seq.

The District shall permit any former academic employee who has retired from the District to enroll in the health and welfare benefit plan and/or dental care benefit plan currently provided to its current academic employees. In addition, the District shall also permit the enrollment of the surviving spouse of a former academic employee who either retired from the District or was, at the time of his or her death, employed by the District as an academic employee and a member of the State Teachers Retirement System.

Enrollment pursuant to this policy shall be at the retiree or surviving spouse's own expense.

A retired academic employee or surviving spouse may enroll in the District's health and welfare benefit plans only once pursuant to this policy. A retired academic employee or surviving spouse who voluntarily terminates coverage under this policy may be excluded from obtaining coverage again.

The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures as may be deemed necessary to administer this policy in accordance with Education Code Sections 7000 *et seq.*

See Administrative Procedures 7380