



# I ♥ MY PANTHER BENEFITS

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## Benefits Updates – April 19, 2022

### 9-Month Faculty: 9 over 12 month Deferred Earning Program (DEP) Open Enrollment from April 01, 2022, to August 15, 2022

For current participants to remain in the program, no further action is required.

For new enrollees and to unenroll in the program, please review the [Enrollment and Cancellation Announcement here](#).

### Florida Prepaid Open Enrollment: February 1, 2022 – April 30, 2022

[Florida Prepaid](#) offers college savings with tax advantages. Since 1988, the Florida Prepaid College Board has been offering Florida families a secure and tax-free method to financially prepare for a child's higher education.

The Board, sponsored by the State of Florida, offers two 529 plans: the *Florida Prepaid College Plan*, a prepaid plan to cover the cost of tuition, required fees and dormitory housing at a Florida College or a state university; and the *Florida College Investment Plan*.

For more information on the plans and how to start saving for college, please click [here](#).

### State Group Insurance Webinar Series

The Division of State Group Insurance (DSGI) is hosting a monthly webinar series for **state and university employees and retirees**:

- The **Retiree Webinar** Series focuses on eligibility and enrollment issues affecting retirees and active employees nearing retirement. Find sign up dates and times [here](#).
- The **Shared Savings Program Webinar** Series provides information to State Group Insurance members about rewardable healthcare procedures. Find sign up dates and times [here](#).

We hope you will join us and take advantage of all the great benefits offered to state employees.

Questions? Contact Benefits Administration, call 305-348-2181 or email [benefits@fiu.edu](mailto:benefits@fiu.edu).