

# Synovus Rewards Visa® Credit Card Guide to Benefits

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**Your Guide to Benefit describes the benefits in effect as of 12/20/23.** Benefit information in this guide replaces any prior benefit information you may have received. Please read and retain for your records.

Your eligibility is determined by your financial institution

## **PURCHASE SECURITY/EXTENDED PROTECTION**

### **Purchase Security**

Life is full of surprises... some good surprises; and some, not so good. For instance, Your son's brand new iPad got soaked, in a sudden rainstorm at summer camp. But, You bought the item with Your card so, You may be covered.

Purchase Security protects new retail purchases made with Your eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account within the first ninety (90) days from the date of purchase. To be eligible for this coverage, You need to purchase either a portion or the entire cost of the item using Your Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account.

At the Benefit Administrator's discretion, this benefit replaces, repairs, or reimburses You, up to the total purchase price of Your item for a maximum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per claim and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), per cardholder, in the event of theft, damage due to fire, vandalism or accidentally discharged water or certain weather conditions.

You are eligible for this benefit if You are a cardholder of an eligible card issued in the United States. Gifts purchased for friends and family members may also be covered if they are purchased with Your covered Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account.

### **Purchase Security covers**

Eligible items of personal property purchased with Your card and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account are covered for the following:

Damage due to:

- Fire, smoke, lightning, explosion, riot, or vandalism
- Windstorm, hail, rain, sleet, or snow
- Aircraft, spacecraft, or other vehicles
- Accidental discharge of water or steam from household plumbing

- Sudden accidental damage from electric current
- Theft (except from cars or motorized vehicles)

Purchases made outside the United States are also covered as long as You purchased the item with Your covered Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account.

**Purchase Security does *not* cover**

- Animals and living plants
- Antiques or collectible items
- Boats, aircraft, automobiles, and any other motorized vehicles and their motors, equipment, or accessories, including trailers and other items towable or attachable to any motorized vehicle
- Broken items, unless the result of a covered occurrence
- Computer software
- Items damaged as a result of weather other than lightning, wind, hail, rain, sleet, or snow
- Items purchased for resale, either professional or commercial use
- Items stolen from cars or other vehicles or common carriers
- Items that are lost, or that “mysteriously disappear,” meaning they vanished in an unexplained manner, with no evidence of wrongdoing by one person or several
- Items under the control and care of a common carrier (including the U.S. Postal Service, airplanes, or a delivery service)
- Items in Your baggage (unless hand carried, or under Your supervision or that of a companion You know); includes jewelry and watches, among other things
- Theft or damage stemming from abuse, fraud, hostilities (war, invasion, rebellion, insurrection, terrorist activities, and more); confiscation by authorities (if contraband or illegal); normal wear and tear; flood, earthquake, radioactive contamination; damage from inherent product defects
- Theft or damage from misdelivery, or voluntarily parting with property
- Medical equipment
- Perishable or consumable items, including cosmetics, perfumes, rechargeable batteries, among others
- Real estate and items intended for real estate, including hard-wired and hardplumbed items, garage doors and openers, ceiling fans, among other items
- Rented and leased items
- Traveler’s checks, cash, tickets, credit or debit cards, among other negotiable purchased instruments
- Items used or pre-owned (Refurbished items will not be considered used or preowned as long accompanied by a warranty)
- Losses caused by or resulting from a Cyber Incident

**Filing a Purchase Security claim**

**Call the Benefit Administrator at 1-800-848-1943, or call collect outside the U.S. at 1-303-967-1096, within sixty (60) days of the damage or theft (if You wait longer, coverage may be denied).** The Benefit Administrator will ask for some preliminary claim information, answer Your questions and send You a claim form. When You submit Your claim, be sure to include all information regarding Your claim including the time, place, cause and the amount to either replace or repair the item.

If You have insurance (homeowner's, renter's, car, employer or any other), You are required to file a claim with Your insurance company and to submit a copy of any claim settlement from Your insurance company along with Your claim form.

Purchase Security provides coverage on an "excess" coverage basis, meaning it does not duplicate coverage, but pays for a loss only after valid and collectible insurance or indemnity (including, but not limited to, homeowner's, renter's, automobile, or employer's insurance policies) has been exhausted. At that point, Purchase Security will cover the loss up to the amount charged to Your eligible Account, subject to the terms, exclusions, and limits of liability of the benefit.

This benefit also pays for the outstanding deductible portion of Your insurance or indemnity for eligible claims. The maximum total limit of liability is up to five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per claim occurrence and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) per cardholder. You will receive no more than the purchase price as recorded on the eligible card receipt.

When a protected item is part of a pair or set, You will receive no more than the value (as described above) of the particular part or parts, stolen or damaged, regardless of any special value that item may have as part of such a pair or set, and no more than the proportionate part of an aggregate purchase price of such pair or set.

***For faster filing, or to learn more about Purchase Security, visit [www.cardbenefitservices.com](http://www.cardbenefitservices.com)***

Gift recipients may file their own claims, if they have the necessary substantiating documents.

**Please submit the following documents:**

- Your signed and completed claim form
- A copy of Your monthly billing statement (showing the last four [4] digits of the Account number) demonstrating that the purchase was made on Your eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account
- If more than one method of payment was used, please provide documentation as to additional currency, voucher, points or any other payment method utilized
- A copy of the itemized store receipt demonstrating that the purchase was made on Your eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account
- Copy of the documentation of any other settlement of the loss (if applicable)
- If the item is repairable, the estimate of repair OR a copy of the paid receipt/invoice for the repairs, indicating the type of damage to the claimed item (if applicable)
- Copy of the police report (**made within forty-eight (48) hours of the occurrence in the case of theft**), fire report or incident report to substantiate the loss. If the loss was not reported, please provide a replacement receipt or other sufficient proof of loss deemed eligible solely by Your Benefits Specialist (if applicable)
- Any other documents necessary to substantiate Your claim In some cases of damage, You will be asked to send, **at Your expense**, the damaged item along with Your claim in order to substantiate the claim, so make sure to keep the damaged item in Your possession.

PLEASE NOTE: Your maximum recovery under the Purchase Security Benefit is the purchase price of the item, not to exceed the coverage limit.

**Please return Your signed and completed form with all documentation within ninety (90) days of the date of theft or damage.**

### **How will I be reimbursed?**

Once You've met the conditions of this benefit, the Benefit Administrator will resolve Your claim in one of two ways:

- A damaged item may be repaired, rebuilt, or replaced, while a stolen item will be replaced. Typically, You will receive notice about this decision within fifteen (15) days upon receipt of Your claim documentation.
- You may receive payment to replace Your item, an amount not more than the original purchase price, less shipping and handling charges, up to five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per claim and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) per cardholder. You will only be reimbursed up to the dollar amount to replace or repair the item or the program limit, whichever is less. Under normal circumstances, reimbursement will take place within five (5) business days.

### **Extended Warranty Protection**

Product warranties can be inconvenient and cumbersome to use. Let's say You purchased a great gadget about a year ago, but it just stopped working, and You can't find Your sales receipt and warranty information. For all too common situations like these, Extended Warranty Protection can help.

Extended Warranty Protection provides You with valuable features that help You manage, use and extend the warranties for eligible items purchased on Your covered Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account. Services include Warranty Registration and Extended Protection. You are eligible for this benefit if You are a cardholder of an eligible card issued in the United States and You purchase either a portion or the entire cost of the item using Your Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account.

### **Here's how Warranty Registration works**

When You purchase an eligible item that carries a manufacturer's warranty, You can register Your purchase by calling **1-800-848-1943** or call collect outside the U.S. at **1-303-967-1096**. You can also register Your purchase online at **[www.cardbenefitservices.com](http://www.cardbenefitservices.com)**.

The Benefit Administrator will tell You where to send Your item's sales receipt and warranty information, so they can be kept on file should You need them. If You choose not to register Your item, be sure to keep Your monthly billing statement reflecting the purchase, the itemized sales receipt, the original manufacturer's written U.S. warranty and any additional warranty in a safe place. These documents will be required to verify Your claim.

### **Here's how Extended Protection works**

Your warranty coverage can be doubled up to one (1) additional year on eligible warranties of three (3) years or less. For example, a manufacturer's warranty of three (3) months would be provided with an additional three (3) months of coverage for a combined total of six (6) months of coverage, and a warranty for six (6) months would be provided with an additional six (6) months of coverage for a

combined total of twelve (12) months of coverage. However, if the manufacturer's warranty is for three (3) years, it would only be extended one (1) additional year.

This benefit is limited to no more than the original price of the purchased item (as shown on Your Credit card receipt), less shipping and handling fees, up to a maximum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) per claim, and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) per cardholder.

The benefit covers purchases made both inside and outside the U.S. The eligible item must have a valid original manufacturer's U.S. repair warranty of three (3) years or less, a U.S. store-purchased dealer warranty, or a U.S. assembler warranty.

#### **What Extended Protection does not cover**

- Boats, automobiles, aircraft, and any other motorized vehicles and their motors, equipment, or accessories, including trailers and other items that can be towed by or attached to any motorized vehicle
- Any costs other than those specifically covered under the terms of the original manufacturer's written U.S. repair warranty, as supplied by the original manufacturer, or other eligible warranty
- Items purchased for resale, professional, or commercial use
- Real estate and items which are intended to become part of real estate including, but not limited to, items that are hard-wired or hard-plumbed, garage doors, garage door openers, and ceiling fans
- Rented or leased items
- Computer software
- Medical equipment
- Used or pre-owned items (Refurbished items will be covered as long as it has a warranty with it and would not be considered used or pre-owned.)
- Losses caused by or resulting from a Cyber Incident

#### **Filing an Extended Protection claim**

To file a claim, call the Benefit Administrator at **1-800-848-1943 (or call collect outside the U.S., at 1-303-967-1096)**, immediately after the failure of Your covered item. **Please note if You do not notify the Benefit Administrator within sixty (60) days of product failure, Your claim may be denied.**

The Benefit Administrator will request preliminary claim information, direct You to the appropriate repair facility, and send You the claim form. Gift recipients of eligible items are also covered, but they must provide all the documents needed to substantiate their claim.

If You received or purchased a service contract or an extended warranty when You purchased Your item, this benefit will be supplemental to, and in excess of, that coverage.

### **What You must submit to file a claim**

Fill out and sign the claim form the Benefit Administrator sent You, then submit the form **within ninety (90) days** of the product failure, along with the following documents:

- A copy of Your monthly billing statement (showing the last [four] 4 digits of the Account number) demonstrating that the purchase was made on Your eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account
- If more than one method of payment was used, please provide documentation as to additional currency, voucher, points or any other payment method utilized
- A copy of the itemized sales receipt
- A copy of the original manufacturer's written U.S. warranty, and any other applicable warranty
- A description of the item and its serial number, and any other documentation deemed necessary to substantiate Your claim (this includes bills and, if necessary, a copy of the maintenance record and receipts)
- The original repair estimate or repair bill, indicating cause of failure
- Any other documentation deemed necessary by the Benefit Administrator to substantiate the claim

**All claims must be fully substantiated.**

***For faster filing, or to learn more about Extended Warranty Protection, visit [www.cardbenefitservices.com](http://www.cardbenefitservices.com)***

### **How will I be reimbursed?**

If You have substantiated Your claim and met the terms and conditions of the benefit, Your item will be replaced or repaired **at the Benefit Administrator's discretion**, but for no more than the original purchase price of the covered item, as recorded on Your credit card receipt, less shipping and handling fees, up to a maximum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) per claim, and a maximum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) per cardholder. **You will only be reimbursed up to the amount charged to Your Account or the program limit**, whichever is less.

Under normal circumstances, reimbursement will occur within five (5) business days of the receipt and approval of all required documents.

If Your item is to be repaired, or You may go to an authorized repair facility and file a claim for reimbursement. Only valid and reasonable repairs made at the manufacturer's authorized repair facility are covered.

In either case, the Benefit Administrator's payment, replacement, or repair made in good faith will fulfill the obligation under this benefit.

### **Definitions for Extended Protection and Purchase Security**

**Account** means Your credit or debit card Accounts.

**Computer Programs** means a set of related electronic instructions which direct the operations and functions of a computer or device connected to it, which enable the computer or device to receive, process, store, retrieve or send data.

**Cyber Incident** means any of the following acts: (a) unauthorized access to or use of Your Digital Data or a Covered Purchase; (b) alteration, corruption, damage, reduction in functionality, manipulation, misappropriation, theft, deletion, erasure, loss of use or destruction of Your Digital Data or a Covered Purchase; (c) transmission or introduction of a computer virus or harmful code, including ransomware, into or directed against Your Digital Data or a Covered Purchase; (d) restriction or inhibition of access to or directed against Your Digital Data or a Covered Purchase; (e) computer errors, including human operating error or omission; power failure, surge, or diminution of electronic systems; or mistakes in legitimate electronic code or damage from code installed on Covered Purchase during the manufacturing process, upgrade process, or normal maintenance.

**Digital Data** means information, concepts, knowledge, facts, images, sounds, instructions, or Computer Programs stored as or on, created or used on, or transmitted to or from computer software (including systems and applications software), on hard or floppy disks, CD-ROMs, tapes, drives, cells, data processing devices or any other repositories of computer software which are used with electronically controlled equipment. Digital Data shall include the capacity of a Covered Purchase to store information, process information, and transmit information over the Internet.

**Eligible Person** means a cardholder who pays for their purchase by using their eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with their covered Account.

**You or Your** means an Eligible Person who purchase their item to their eligible Account and/or rewards program associated with their covered Account.

#### **Additional provisions for Purchase Security and Extended Protection**

- Signed or pinned transactions are covered as long as You use Your eligible card to secure the transaction.
- You shall do all things reasonable to avoid or diminish any loss covered by this benefit. This provision will not be unreasonably applied to avoid claims.
- If You make any claim knowing it to be false or fraudulent in any respect, no coverage shall exist for such claim, and Your benefit may be cancelled. Each cardholder agrees that representations regarding claims will be accurate and complete. Any and all relevant provisions shall be void in any case of fraud, intentional concealment, or misrepresentation of material fact.
- No legal action for a claim may be brought against the Provider until sixty (60) days after the Provider receives Proof of Loss. No legal action against the Provider may be brought more than two (2) years after the time for giving Proof of Loss. Further, no legal action may be brought against the Provider unless all the terms of the Guide to Benefits have been complied with fully.
- This benefit is provided to eligible cardholders at no additional cost. The terms and conditions contained in this Guide to Benefits may be modified by subsequent endorsements. Modifications to the terms and conditions may be provided via additional Guide to Benefits mailings, statement inserts, statement messages or electronic notification. The benefits described in this Guide will not apply to cardholders whose Accounts have been suspended or cancelled.
- Termination dates may vary by financial institutions. Your financial institution can cancel or non-renew the benefits for cardholders, and if they do, they will notify You at least thirty (30) days in advance. Indemnity Insurance Company of North America (“Provider”) is the underwriter of

these benefits and is solely responsible for its administration and claims. The Benefit Administrator provides services on behalf of the Provider.

- After the Benefit Administrator has paid Your claim, all Your rights and remedies against any party in respect of this claim will be transferred to the Benefit Administrator to the extent of the payment made to You. You must give the Benefit Administrator all assistance as may reasonably be required to secure all rights and remedies.
- This benefit does not apply to the extent that trade or economic sanctions or other laws or regulations prohibit the provision of insurance, including, but not limited to, the payment of claims.

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**For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1-800-848-1943, or call collect outside the U.S. at 1-303-967-1096.**

### **TRAVEL & EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE SERVICES**

Emergencies can escalate quickly when You are traveling away from home. Something that is relatively straight forward when You are not traveling, like replacing prescription medication, can be a difficult task when You are dealing with local laws or language barriers.

Travel and Emergency Assistance Services are made available to help You in case of an emergency while You are traveling away from home. The Benefit Administrator can connect You with the appropriate local emergency and assistance resources available, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

**Please note that due to occasional issues such as distance, location, or time, neither the Benefit Administrator nor its service providers can be responsible for the availability, use, cost, or results of any medical, legal, transportation, or other services.**

#### **What are Travel and Emergency Assistance Services and how do I use these services when I need them?**

Travel and Emergency Assistance Services are made available to You, if You are a cardholder of an eligible card issued in the United States. Your spouse and children (dependents under 22 years old) are also eligible to use these services.

Travel and Emergency Assistance Services provide assistance and referral only. You are responsible for the cost of any actual medical, legal, transportation, cash advance, or other services or goods provided.

To use the services, simply call the toll-free, 24-hour Benefit Administrator line at **1-800-992-6029**. **If You are outside the United States, call collect at 1-804-673-1675.**

#### **What are the specific services and how can they help me?**

- Emergency Message Service – can record and relay emergency messages for travelers or their immediate family members. The Benefit Administrator will use reasonable efforts to relay emergency messages in accordance with benefit guidelines and limitations, but cannot take responsibility for the failure to transmit any message successfully.
- Medical Referral Assistance – provides medical referral, monitoring, and follow-up. The Benefit Administrator can give You names of local English speaking doctors, dentists, and hospitals;



assign a doctor to consult by phone with local medical personnel, if necessary, to monitor Your condition; keep in contact with Your family, and provide continuing liaison; and help You arrange medical payments from Your personal account. **All costs are Your responsibility.**

- Legal Referral Assistance – can arrange contact with English-speaking attorneys and U.S. embassies and consulates if You're detained by local authorities, have a car accident, or need legal assistance. In addition, the Benefit Administrator can coordinate bail payment from Your personal account. The Benefit Administrator can also follow up to make sure bail has been properly handled. **All costs are Your responsibility.**
- Emergency Transportation Assistance – can help You make all the necessary arrangements for emergency transportation home or to the nearest medical facility. This includes arranging to bring Your Young children home and helping You stay in contact with family members or employers during the emergency. In the case of a death, the Benefit Administrator can make arrangements to repatriate the remains. **All costs are Your responsibility.**
- Emergency Ticket Replacement – helps You through Your carrier's lost ticket reimbursement process and assists in the delivery of a replacement ticket to You, should You lose Your ticket. **All costs are Your responsibility.**
- Lost Luggage Locator Service – can help You through the Common Carrier's claim procedures or can arrange shipment of replacement items if an airline or Common Carrier loses Your checked luggage. **You are responsible for the cost of any replacement items shipped to You.**
- Emergency Translation Services – provides telephone assistance in all major languages and helps find local interpreters, if available, when You need more extensive assistance. **All costs are Your responsibility.**
- Prescription Assistance and Valuable Document Delivery Arrangements – can help You fill or replace prescriptions, subject to local laws, and can arrange pickup and delivery of Your prescriptions filled for You at local pharmacies. It can also help transport critical documents that You may have left at Your home or elsewhere. **All costs are Your responsibility.**
- Pre-Trip Assistance – can give You information on Your destination before You leave such as ATM locations, currency exchange rates, weather reports, health precautions, necessary immunizations, and required passport visas.

### **Definitions**

**Common Carrier** means any mode of transportation by land, water, or air operating for hire under a license to carry passengers for which a ticket must be purchased prior to travel. Does not include taxi, limousine service, commuter rail or commuter bus lines.

**You or Your** means an eligible person whose name is embossed on an eligible U.S. issued card, and You reside in the United States.

### **Additional Provisions for Travel and Emergency Assistance Services**

This benefit is provided to eligible cardholders at no additional cost. The terms and conditions contained in this Guide to Benefits may be modified by subsequent endorsements. Modifications to the terms and conditions may be provided via additional Guide to Benefits mailings, statement inserts, statement messages or electronic notification. The benefits described in this Guide to Benefits will not apply to cardholders whose accounts have been suspended or cancelled. Termination dates may vary by financial

institutions. Your financial institution can cancel or non-renew the benefits for cardholders, and if they do, they will notify You at least thirty (30) days in advance.

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**For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1-800-992-6029, or call collect outside the U.S. at 1-804-673-1675.**

## **HOTEL THEFT PROTECTION**

Having personal items stolen from Your Hotel room can ruin an experience and leave You with an additional financial burden.

Fortunately, with Hotel Theft Protection You can be covered if Your personal property is stolen from Your Hotel/Motel room when You pay for the cost of a room located in the United States or Canada with Your eligible Account and/or with rewards programs associated with Your covered Account. You can receive a one-time payment of up to \$1,500 for personal property stolen from Your room.

To be eligible for this coverage, You must be a cardholder of an eligible card issued in the United States and charge the room entirely with Your Account and/or rewards program associated with Your covered Account.

### **When does it apply?**

The Hotel Theft Protection benefit applies only if:

- There is evidence of Forceful Entry and;
- You make a sworn statement to police authorities having jurisdiction within **24 hours** of discovering the Hotel Theft and furnish a copy of that statement with Your claim, and;
- The Hotel/Motel verifies the loss.

The cost of replacing Your personal property (or its depreciated value if You choose not to replace it) is covered up to a maximum of \$1,500 less any amounts paid or payable by the Hotel/Motel or any other insurance, whether the insurance is primary, contributing, excess, or contingent; or any other reimbursement.

Coverage begins each time You Check-In to an eligible Hotel/Motel room, and coverage ends each time You Check-Out of an eligible Hotel/Motel room.

### **What is *not* covered?**

This benefit will not provide reimbursement for theft of the following:

- Animals
- Art objects
- Business Items and cellular phones
- Cash, checks, securities, credit cards, debit cards, and other negotiable instruments
- Tickets, documents, keys, coins, deeds, bullion, and stamps

- Perishables and consumables including, but not limited to perfume, cosmetics, and limited-life items such as rechargeable batteries

### **How to file a Hotel Theft Protection claim**

1. **Notify the Benefit Administrator immediately by calling 1-800-554-1275, or call collect outside the U.S. at 1-804-673-6497.** Notification must be made within twenty (20) days of the date of the incident. The Benefits Administrator will answer Your questions and send You a claim form.

2. Return the claim form and the requested documentation below within ninety (90) days of the date of the incident to the address below:

Card Benefit Services  
P.O. Box 72034  
Richmond, VA 23255

### **Please submit the following documents:**

- The completed signed claim form
- A copy of Your monthly billing statement, Your travel itinerary or the Hotel/Motel receipt confirming that the Hotel/Motel stay was charged to Your covered Account (must reflect the last four [4] digits of Your Account number)
- A copy of any settlement payment or reimbursement made to You from the Hotel/Motel or other collectible insurance/reimbursement showing any amounts they may have paid towards the costs claimed
- A copy of Your declarations page or Your employer's insurance carrier declarations page [not applicable for claims less than one thousand (\$1,000.00)]
- If You have no other applicable insurance or reimbursement, please provide a statement to that effect [not applicable for claims less than one thousand (\$1,000.00)]
- A copy of the police report
- Any other documentation deemed necessary by the Benefit Administrator to substantiate the claim

### **Definitions**

**Account** means Your credit or debit card Accounts.

**Business Items** means items that are used in the purchase, sale, production, promotion, or distribution of goods or services (including, but not limited to, manuals, computers and their accessories, software, data, facsimile, samples, collateral materials, etc.).

**Check-In** means the moment You register at the Hotel/Motel.

**Check-Out** means the moment You vacate the Hotel/Motel and pay the itemized total costs incurred for the stay.

**Eligible Person** means a cardholder who pays for the Hotel/Motel room by using their eligible Account and/or rewards programs associated with their covered Account.

**Forceful Entry** means that someone illegally accessed Your Hotel/Motel room by breaking in a door, window, or surrounding walls.

**Hotel/Motel** means an establishment located in the United States or Canada that provides lodging for the general public, and usually meals, entertainment, and various personal services.

**Hotel Theft** means Forceful Entry into Your premises and You suffer a loss of property.

**Immediate Family Member** means Your spouse or legally dependent children under age eighteen (18) [twenty-five (25) if enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited university].

**You or Your** means an Eligible Person or Your Immediate Family Members who charged their trip to Your eligible Account and/or rewards programs associated with Your covered Account.

#### **Additional provisions for Hotel Theft Protection**

- Signed or pinned transactions are covered as long as You use Your eligible Account to secure the transaction.
- You shall do all things reasonable to avoid or diminish any loss covered by this benefit. This provision will not be unreasonably applied to avoid claims.
- If You make any claim knowing it to be false or fraudulent in any respect, no coverage shall exist for such claim, and Your benefit may be cancelled. Each cardholder agrees that representations regarding claims will be accurate and complete. Any and all relevant provisions shall be void in any case of fraud, intentional concealment, or misrepresentation of material fact.
- No legal action for a claim may be brought against the Provider until sixty (60) days after the Provider receives Proof of Loss. No legal action against the Provider may be brought more than two (2) years after the time for giving Proof of Loss. Further, no legal action may be brought against the Provider unless all the terms of the Guide to Benefits have been complied with fully.
- This benefit is provided to eligible cardholders at no additional cost. The terms and conditions contained in this Guide to Benefits may be modified by subsequent endorsements. Modifications to the terms and conditions may be provided via additional Guide to Benefits mailings, statement inserts, statement messages or electronic notification. The benefits described in this Guide will not apply to cardholders whose Accounts have been suspended or cancelled.
- Termination dates may vary by financial institutions. Your financial institution can cancel or non-renew the benefits for cardholders, and if they do, they will notify You at least thirty (30) days in advance. Indemnity Insurance Company of North America (“Provider”) is the underwriter of these benefits and is solely responsible for its administration and claims. The Benefit Administrator provides services on behalf of the Provider.
- After the Benefit Administrator has paid Your claim, all Your rights and remedies against any party in respect of this claim will be transferred to the Benefit Administrator to the extent of the payment made to You. You must give the Benefit Administrator all assistance as may reasonably be required to secure all rights and remedies.
- This benefit does not apply to the extent that trade or economic sanctions or other laws or regulations prohibit the provision of insurance, including, but not limited to, the payment of claims.

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### **ID NAVIGATOR POWERED BY NORTONLIFELOCK**

Smart tools to help against the evolving threat of identity theft. Your Synovus Rewards Visa Credit Card includes **ID Navigator** Powered by NortonLifeLock.

No one can prevent all identity theft, so staying informed and knowing what to do when your identity is threatened can give you greater peace of mind.

#### **How ID Navigator Powered by NortonLifeLock can help:**

**Dark Web Monitoring** – continuously patrols the dark web and private forums looking for personal information that may belong to you. Should it be found, notifications are sent with suggested steps.

**Data Breach Notifications** – sends notifications on large-scale breaches so you can act quickly should a breach affect your personal information.

**Stolen Wallet Assist** – A stolen wallet can mean a lost identity. If your wallet is stolen you will receive guidance to help you cancel or replace key documents like your credit cards, driver's licenses, Social Security cards, insurance cards and more.

**One-Bureau Credit Monitoring Alerts<sup>1</sup>** – helps you stay on top of your credit to help detect fraud more quickly. Alerts are sent when key changes are made to your credit file with a major credit bureau.

**Credit, Bank & Utility Account Freezes** – provides instructions and links so you can quickly freeze credit, bank and utility files with each consumer reporting company to help protect you against criminals opening unauthorized accounts in your name.

**Restoration Assist** – U.S.-based Identity Restoration Specialists are available Monday to Friday 6 a.m. – 5 p.m. PST with guidance and with next steps to assist you should you become a victim of identity theft or other suspicious activity. Note: Visa Cardholders will have access to special discounts if they are interested in purchasing a more robust identity theft offering that includes additional Restoration features such as the LifeLock Million Dollar Protection™ Package.

**U.S.-based Member Services & Support** is available Monday to Friday 6 a.m. – 6 p.m. PST, and Saturday 7 a.m. – 1 p.m. PST.

No one can prevent all cybercrime or identity theft.

1 Two requirements must be met to receive the One-Bureau Credit Monitoring feature: ( i) your identity must be successfully verified with Equifax; and (ii) Equifax must be able to locate your credit file that contains sufficient credit history information. If these requirements are not met, you will not receive Credit Features from Equifax. You will receive Credit Features once the verification process is successfully completed. Any credit monitoring from Equifax will take several days to begin after your successful plan enrollment.

## VISA PROTECTION BENEFITS

### Zero Liability

Use your Visa card to make purchases anywhere and you're protected from unauthorized use of your card or account information. With the Visa Zero Liability policy<sup>1</sup>, your liability for unauthorized transactions<sup>2</sup> is \$0—you pay nothing.

<sup>1</sup>Visa's Zero Liability policy does not apply to certain commercial card and anonymous prepaid card transactions or transactions not processed by Visa. Cardholders must use care in protecting their card and notify their issuing financial institution immediately of any unauthorized use. Contact your issuer for more detail.

<sup>2</sup>Financial institutions may exclude from the Zero Liability policy a transaction made by a person authorized to transact business on the account and/or a transaction made by a cardholder that exceeds the authority given by the account owner.

### Cardholder Inquiry Service

This service provides customer phone support for general inquiries and provides product or service information to all Visa cardholders.

### Benefits at-a-glance

24-hour cardholder information and assistance by phone to all Visa cardholders calling from anywhere in the world, provided by Visa Global Customer Care Services at **1-800-847-2911** or refer to **Visa Global Assistance Services Toll-Free Numbers**.

([https://usa.visa.com/dam/VCOM/download/personal/security/gcas\\_general\\_numbers.pdf](https://usa.visa.com/dam/VCOM/download/personal/security/gcas_general_numbers.pdf)) that are supported 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

- Quick and accurate account and card benefit information.
- Product and service information at your fingertips.
- Customer service available in all major languages.

### How it works

Cardholder Inquiry Service provides customer phone support for general inquiries and provides product/service information for Visa cardholders. Visa Global Customer Care Services team provides information regarding general account or card benefit questions.

### Roadside Dispatch®

#### What is Roadside Dispatch?

Roadside Dispatch is a pay-per-use roadside assistance program. The program provides you with security and convenience wherever your travels take you.

*No membership or pre-enrollment is required. No annual dues. No limit on usage.*

#### **For a set price per service call, the program provides:**

- Standard Towing – Up to 5 miles included<sup>1</sup>
- Tire Changing – must have good, inflated spare
- Jump Starting
- Lockout Service (no key replacement)

- Fuel Delivery – up to 5 gallons (plus the cost of fuel)
- Standard Winching

Roadside Dispatch will ask you where you are, what the problem is, and while they remain on the phone with you, they will arrange a dispatch to a reliable tow operator or locksmith to provide help. (If you feel you are in an unsafe location – Roadside Dispatch will advise you to hang up and dial 911. If you are not able to dial 911, they will call the non-emergency police number in your area and will remain on the phone with you at your request until the police arrive.) You have the convenience of one toll-free phone number, and you may save money because their rates are pre-negotiated.

Dependable roadside assistance, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week in the United States. No membership or pre-enrollment is required. Just call Roadside Dispatch toll-free at **1-800-847-2869** when you need them.

**Note:** Customers must pay service provider for mileage over 5 miles. A secondary unit being towed behind is not included but can be accommodated for an additional fee. Standard Winching applies within 100 feet of paved or county-maintained road only. Current fee for a standard service call is \$79.95. Additional fees may apply for winching services under certain circumstances. Service call fees are subject to change at any time; however, callers will be notified of pricing prior to any service dispatch. This program may be discontinued at any time without prior notice.

Program void where prohibited.

<sup>1</sup>Any vehicle with wheels is covered under the program as long as it can be classified as 'Light Duty'. 'Light Duty' vehicles are vehicles that weigh 10,000 lbs. or less. Vehicles weighing more than 10,000 lbs. are considered 'Medium Duty' or 'Heavy Duty' and are NOT covered under this program.

**Additional Terms:** Service providers supplying emergency roadside assistance and towing are independent contractors and are solely liable for their services. Neither Visa nor your financial institution shall have any responsibility or liability in connection with the rendering of the service. Emergency roadside assistance and towing may not be available in areas not regularly traveled, nor in other "off road" areas not accessible by ordinary towing vehicles. Weather conditions, time of day, and availability of service may affect assistance responses. Expectations for dispatch are set with the customer on every call, and an expected estimated time of arrival is provided to the customer regardless of their location; however, neither Visa nor your financial institution provides any assurances as to the ability of the service provider to meet such estimates. You are responsible for any roadside assistance or towing charges incurred by facilities responding to your request even if you are not with your vehicle or your vehicle is gone upon their arrival. 24-hour roadside assistance services provided by: Cross Country Motor Club, Inc. d/b/a Agero, a Massachusetts corporation, and Cross Country Motor Club of California, Inc. a California corporation.

### **Lost or Stolen Card Reporting**

With the Visa Lost/Stolen Card Reporting service, reporting a lost or stolen card is simple. Just call your Visa card issuer or Visa Global Customer Care

Services at **1-800-847-2911**, or call one of our **Visa Global Toll-Free Numbers** ([https://usa.visa.com/dam/VCOM/download/personal/security/gcas\\_general\\_numbers.pdf](https://usa.visa.com/dam/VCOM/download/personal/security/gcas_general_numbers.pdf)) and a Visa representative will work with you to notify the appropriate parties and replace your card.

## **Emergency Card Replacement and Emergency Cash**

### **Disbursement**

If you have a lost or stolen card or need emergency cash, Visa can block your card (if the card number is known) and connect you with Synovus Bank. Following bank approval, cardholders can also get an emergency card replacement within one to three business days.\*

\*Some restrictions/limitations may apply.

Callers in certain countries dialing these numbers, including the collect number from mobile or hotel phones might be charged fees. Visa will not be responsible for any fees incurred. If the country you are in is not listed, or if you experience difficulties using any of the toll-free numbers, please call collect at **+1-303-967-1096**.

(Collect calls are placed using the local operator.) If you are hearing impaired and, in the US, call **1-800-TDD-1213 (for Canada: 1-305-278-4285 and other countries: 1-512-865-2002.)**