## **HAMILTON COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

## SHORT/LONG TERM DISABILITY

The County offers its employees two optional products to protect their income if they become disabled. The **short-term disability** policy begins paying after fourteen consecutive days (two weeks) of disability, and continues paying for up to six months, as long as the employee remains disabled for a covered disability. The **long-term disability** policy begins paying after 180 consecutive days (six months) of disability, and may continue paying up to age 65, as long as the employee meets the definition of disability.