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Division of Personnel's Group Health Insurance and Wellness Unit Temporarily Unavailable During Open Enrollment Benefit Forums

U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS — The Division of Personnel advises the public that its Group Health Insurance and Wellness Unit will be **closed to the public from Monday, August 10, 2026, through Thursday, August 13, 2026**, as staff members facilitate the Open Enrollment Benefit Forums for Government of the Virgin Islands active employees and retirees. The annual Open Enrollment period begins Monday, August 10, 2026, and continues through Friday, September 11, 2026.

During this period, Group Health Insurance and Wellness staff in both the St. Croix and St. Thomas/St. John districts will provide in-person assistance to retirees at the Open Enrollment Benefit Forums. **St. Croix:** Monday, August 10, 2026 — D.C. Canegata Ballpark. **St. Thomas/St. John:** Wednesday, August 12, 2026 — DPNR Conference Room, VIYA Building, Tutu Park Mall; Thursday, August 13, 2026 — St. John Legislative Annex.

Throughout the Open Enrollment period the Group Health Insurance and Wellness Unit will continue to provide both in-person and virtual assistance to active employees, retirees, and Human Resources Managers.

As a result, routine walk-in and telephone services will be unavailable from August 10, 2026, through August 13, 2026. Individuals who require assistance are encouraged to attend one of the scheduled Benefit Forums, where staff will be available to answer questions, provide benefits information, and assist with the Open Enrollment process.

The Division of Personnel appreciates the public's patience and understanding as we work to ensure Government employees and retirees receive the support they need during this important enrollment period. Regular services will resume on Friday, August 14, 2026.

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