

# **Group Insurance**

Please send the completed form and all attachments to:

# Group Life Insurance Claim Form

(Use for employee/member and dependent death claims)

#### The Prudential Insurance Company of America Group Life Claim Division P.O. Box 8517 Philadelphia, PA 19176 Tel: 800-524-0542 Fax: 888-227-6764

#### How to complete and submit a Group Life Insurance Claim Form

1. Complete Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the Group Contract Holder Statement portion of the Group Life Insurance Claim Form. Section 1 must be completed if the claim is for an employee/member, or for a dependent of an employee. Please be sure to complete the "Relationship to Employee" block.

For Dependent Term Life coverage on children, the employee is always the beneficiary. For Dependent Term Life coverage on a spouse, the employee is usually the beneficiary, except for certain Group Universal Life and Group Variable Universal Life coverage, in which the employee may be able to specify other beneficiaries.

2. Detach the Beneficiary Statement\* and give a copy to each beneficiary. Ask each beneficiary to complete it and return it to you.

If there are multiple beneficiaries, each beneficiary should complete a beneficiary statement. It is only necessary for you to submit one Group Contract Holder Statement, regardless of the number of Beneficiary Statements completed. If you have difficulty obtaining forms from all beneficiaries, please submit the information you have.

\*If the beneficiary is an estate, a minor, or not competent to handle financial affairs, the Beneficiary Statement should be completed by the appropriate legal representative (executor, administrator, or guardian). If no legal representative has been or will be court-appointed, this section should be completed by the person who assumed responsibility for the estate or beneficiary.

3. Return both the Group Insurance Contract Holder Statement and the Beneficiary Statement(s) with the required documents noted below to:

The Prudential Insurance Company of America Group Life Claim Division P.O. Box 8517 Philadelphia, PA 19176

If you have any questions, please call Group Life Claim Customer Service at 800-524-0542 and a customer service representative will assist you.

#### **Documents to submit to Prudential**

Submit the Group Contract Holder Statement, Beneficiary Statement(s), and the following attachments:

- 1. A certified copy of the death certificate.
- 2. A copy of the employee's enrollment card, if available.
- 3. A copy of the most recent beneficiary designation and any beneficiary changes, if applicable.
- 4. The certificate of insurance, if available.
- 5. Legal documentation of the beneficiary for the following situations:

#### If the beneficiary is

(a) an estate, minor, or not competent to handle financial affairs: attach a certified copy of the court order appointing the legal representative.

- (b) a trust: attach a letter verifying that the trust is still in effect. If the trust is a testamentary, attach a certified copy of the will and a certified copy of the testamentary.(c) no longer living: attach a copy of the death certificate.
- 6. If the insurance was assigned, attach a copy of the assignment and all related papers. If it is a collateral assignment, attach the assignee's statement of indebtedness.
- 7. If an accidental death claim is being filed, attach supporting information, such as a police report or newspaper clippings.
- 8. If a Business Travel Accident (BTA) claim is being filed, attach information requested in (7) together with documentation further substantiating the loss, such as a trip itinerary, travel tickets, etc.





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**Telephone Number** 

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To be completed b	y Employer/Plan Administrator. Please complete all five sections.	
1 Deceased's Information	First Name       MI       Last Name         Social Security Number       Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)         Social Security Number       Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)         Gender       Relationship to Employee         Male       Female         Employee       Date of Accident (MM DD YYYY)         Did decedent have accidental death coverage?       Date of Accident (MM DD YYYY)         Yes       No         AKA: First Name       Last Name	Date of Death (MM DD YYYY)  Date of Death (MM DD YYYY)  State of Residence  State of Accident
2 Employee/ Member Information	Date of Employment (MM DD YYYY)     Hourly     Union     Par	Pate Last Worked (MM DD YYYY)         Image: Did the Employee receive a certificate of coverage and/or originally enroll for coverage while residing or working in NY?         If ime       Did the Employee receive a certificate of coverage while residing or working in NY?         If ime       Did the Employee receive a certificate of coverage while residing or working in NY?         If ime       Did the Employee receive a certificate of coverage while residing or working in NY?         If yes, please provide beneficiary with the NY Beneficiary Statement.       Did the decased reside in NN at the time of death? If yes, please provide any beneficiary Statement.         Does any beneficiary reside in NY or MN? If yes, please provide any beneficiary Statement, and any beneficiary statement.         Does any beneficiary Statement, and any beneficiary statement.         Suite         Code
3 Employer/ Association Information	Employer's Name	Suite

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Insurance Coverages

Complete only the coverage(s) that apply to this claim.

Group Coverage	Control Number	Amount	Effective Date of Coverage (MM DD YYYY)	Branch		
Basic Term Life		\$				
Optional Term Life						
Dependent Term Life						
Dependent Optional Term Life						
Group Universal Life						
Group Variable Universal Life						
Dependent Group Universal Life						
Dependent Group Variable Universal Life						
Accidental Death						
Group Universal Accidental Death						
Dependent Accidental Death						
Optional Accidental Death						
Dependent Optional Accidental Death						
Dependent Group Universal Accidental Death						
Business Travel Accidental Death						
Dependent Business Travel Accidental Death						
	Salary Amount on Last Day		Was insurance If yes, please attach a co			
	\$		ever assigned? and all related papers. For Yes No assignment, please attac	ch assignee's		
	Hour Week	Month Year	statement of indebtednes	šS.		
	Has insurance percentage Yes No If yes, provide date (MM DD YYYY):					
	Was evidence of insurability required to secure current       Yes       No       Is there contributory insurance?       Date Last Premium Paid (MM DD YYYY)         Coverage?       Ves       No       Image: Coverage insurance i					
	Was insurance in force on date Yes of death?	No If no, Insurance T provide date (MM DD YYYY):	erminated Conversion Privilege	e Offered (if available)		
	Did the employee or the covered loss as defined by the BTA cont	d dependent suffer a Yes ract?	No If yes, an officer of the company must provide validating the circumstances of the accidenta	a written statement al death.		

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	listed on page 2 address(es) listed below	cover letter)						
	Please provide the following information about the beneficiary(ies). If the claim is for a dependent child, list the employee as beneficiary.							
	Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)						
	Social Security Number Relationship to Deceased	Telephone Number						
	Residence: Street	Apt.						
	City State ZIP Code							
	Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)						
	Social Security Number Relationship to Deceased	Telephone Number						
	Residence: Street	Apt.						
	City State ZIP Code							
	Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)						
	Social Security Number Relationship to Deceased	Telephone Number						
	Residence: Street	Apt.						
	City State ZIP Code							
	Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company or commission of a fraud, submits incomplete, false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading facts or infor a statement of claim for payment of a loss or benefit commits a fraudulent insurance act, is/may be punished under state law. Penalties may include fines, civil damages and criminal penalties, inclu insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided for the purpose of misleading information concerning any fact material thereto.	ormation when filing an insurance application of be guilty of a crime and may be prosecuted and Iding confinement in prison. In addition, an						
	for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto. I have read and understand the terms and requirements of the fraud warnings.							
	Completed by (name of representative of the employer or benefit administrator)							
	Please print							
	or type name	Date (MM DD YYYY)						
	Signature X							

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Payment Information (Continued)	Mail payment to: Employer at address Isted on page 2 Beneficiary(ies) at address(es) listed below	Other (please specify in cover letter)
	Please provide the following information about the beneficiary(ies). If the claim is for a dependent of	hild, list the employee as beneficiary.
	Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
	Social Security Number Relationship to Deceased	Telephone Number
	Residence: Street	Apt.
	City State ZIP Code	
	Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
	Social Security Number Relationship to Deceased	Telephone Number
	Residence: Street	Apt.
	City State ZIP Code	
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	Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company or facilitating commission of a fraud, submits incomplete, false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading insurance application or a statement of claim for payment of a loss or benefit commits a fraudulen crime and may be prosecuted and punished under state law. Penalties may include fines, civil dam confinement in prison. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information mat	facts or information when filing an t insurance act, is/may be guilty of a ages and criminal penalties, including erially related to a claim was provided
	by the applicant or if the applicant conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning I have read and understand the terms and requirements of the fraud warnings.	g any fact material thereto.
	Completed by (name of representative of the employer or benefit administrator)	
	Please print	
	or type nameSignatureX	Date (мм ор уууу)
	Signatura A	



## **Group Life Insurance Beneficiary Statement**

#### **NOTE TO EMPLOYERS**

- 1. If the Employee received a certificate of coverage and/or originally enrolled for coverage while residing or working in the state of New York, then please provide the beneficiary with the NY Beneficiary Statement.
- 2. If the deceased person resided in Minnesota at the time of his/her death, then please provide the beneficiary with the MN Beneficiary Statement.
- 3. Please provide any beneficiary residing in the state of New York with the New York Beneficiary Statement.
- 4. Please provide any beneficiary residing in the state of Minnesota with the Minnesota Beneficiary Statement.

#### Instructions for Beneficiaries to Complete Beneficiary Statement

To receive your settlement, please complete the 'Group Life Insurance Beneficiary Statement' using the instructions below.

- 1. Review and complete Sections 1, 2, and 3.
- 2. If filing for an Accidental Death or Business Travel Accident (BTA) claim, please review and complete Section 4.
- 3. Review Sections 5 and 6, including the fraud warnings found at the back of this statement.
- 4. Once you have reviewed Sections 5 and 6, sign the bottom of Section 5.

Once all sections of this form have been completed, please return this form and all necessary documents according to the instructions that were provided to you with this form. Note: Each beneficiary should complete and return a separate statement.





# **Beneficiary Statement**

Each beneficiary should complete Sections 1, 2, 3 and 5. If Accidental Death or Business Travel Accident benefits are being claimed, Section 4 should also be completed.

irst Name	MI Last Name  MI Last Name  MI Last Name  Apt.  State ZIP Code  Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)  Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
treet treet treet treet treet	Apt.       State     ZIP Code
Security Number or the Employer Identification Num are an individual, your Taxpayer Identification Num represent a trust or estate, the Taxpayer Identificat represent a minor, please provide the minor's Socia are applying for a Taxpayer Identification Number, <b>AXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER/FORM W9 CERT</b> Inder penalties of perjury, I certify that (cross out a . The number shown on the application is my correct P. I am not subject to backup withholding due to fail B. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (including I. I am not subject to FATCA reporting <b>f you crossed out item 3 above, please indicate co</b>	<pre>umber is the Social Security Number. tation Number is its Employer Identification Number. cial Security Number. r, please write "applied for" in the space provided. RTIFICATION: tt any item that is not true): rect Social Security/Tax ID number, failure to report interest or dividend income, ng a U.S. resident alien), and EXP, ECI, IMY). </pre>
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**Beneficiary Statement** If filing for an Accidental Death or Business Travel Accident claim, please complete Section 4 below.

4	Authorization	Name of Insured:	
	for Release of	First Name MI Last Name	
	Information to Prudential		
	Insurance Company	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)	
	This Authorization is intended to comply with	l authorize any health plan, physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, labora or other health care provider that has provided treatment, payment or services pertain	
	the HIPAA Privacy Rule	First Name     MI     Last Name       Image: Image of the second	
		Print Name of Deceased or Patient	
		or on my (his/her) behalf ("My Providers") to disclose my (his/her) entire medical reco and any other health information concerning me (him/her) to the Prudential Insurance and its agents, employees, and representatives. This includes information on the dia Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This also i diagnosis and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs, and tobacco, b	Company of America (Prudential) gnosis or treatment of Human ncludes information on the
		I authorize all non-health organizations, any insurance company, employer, or other per information, data or records relating to credit, financial, earnings, travel, activities or e	
		By my signature below, I acknowledge that any agreements I (he/she) have made to r health information do not apply to this authorization and I instruct My Providers to rele medical record without restriction.	
		This information is to be disclosed under this Authorization so that Prudential may: 1) fulfill responsibility for coverage and provision of benefits, 2) obtain reinsurance; 3) ac other legally permissible activities that relate to any coverage I (he/she) have (has) or has been been been been been been been bee	Iminister coverage; and 4) conduct
		This authorization shall remain in force for 24 months following the date of my signar in force, except to the extent that state law imposes a shorter duration. A copy of this original. I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization in writing, at a request for revocation to Prudential at: P.O. Box 8517, Philadelphia, PA 19176. I unde effective to the extent that any of my Providers has relied on this Authorization or to t legal right to contest a claim under an insurance policy or to contest the policy itself. that is disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be redisclosed and no longer cov privacy and confidentiality of health information.	authorization is as valid as the any time, by sending a written rstand that a revocation is not he extent that Prudential has a I understand that any information
		I understand that if I refuse to sign this authorization to release his/her complete mediable to process my claim for benefits and may not be able to make any benefit paymen to request and receive a copy of this authorization.	
	Date (MM DD YYYY)		
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		Signature of Insured/Patient or Personal Representative	Description of Personal Representative's Authority or Relationship to Patient





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# Life Insurance Payment Options

We understand that this may be an emotionally challenging time in life and making financial decisions can seem overwhelming. To help make one decision easier for you, Prudential will establish an interestbearing Alliance Account<sup>®</sup> in your name, where your money will be safe and secure until you're ready to make decisions about how to use the funds.

## **How It Works**

Prudential's Alliance Account is a supplemental contract offered to beneficiaries receiving group life insurance payments of \$5,000 or more.<sup>1</sup> Eligible life claim benefits will be settled as a lump sum into an Alliance Account unless you select an alternate settlement option. (For information about alternate settlement options, see section 6 of this form.)

### Prudential's Alliance Account

 Upon receipt of the beneficiary claim, the full amount of the proceeds payable to you are settled in a single distribution via an interest-bearing Alliance Account established in your name.

#### Your Money Continues to Grow

- The funds in your Alliance Account begin earning interest immediately and will continue to earn interest until they are withdrawn.
- See "Interest On Your Funds" under "Additional Important Information" for more details.

## Access the Funds As You Wish

- You can access the money immediately or whenever you are ready by using the draft<sup>2</sup> book you will receive.
- You can write drafts as often as you like.
- One draft can be written to withdraw the entire account balance at any time.

# What You Need to Know

The Alliance Account can give you peace of mind and provide you with the precious gift of time, so you can focus on what matters most now and make decisions regarding your settlement when you're ready.

Access	<ul> <li>Personalized drafts, which you use as you would use your bank checks, are provided with</li></ul>
your funds at	your account and can be used at any time to withdraw funds. (Certain businesses may
any time.	have their own policies and procedures for handling drafts.)
No account or	<ul> <li>The Alliance Account has no monthly service fees or per draft charges.</li> <li>Additional drafts can be ordered at no cost.</li> <li>Some special services, however, such as requests to stop a draft, will incur a charge.</li></ul>
usage fees.	(See section 6 of this form for the schedule of fees for special services.)
Your money is secure.	• The Alliance Account is a settlement option under the original life insurance policy and is backed by the financial strength of The Prudential Insurance Company of America (Prudential)—one of the largest insurance companies in the U.S. <i>See "Your Funds Are Secure" in "Additional Important Information" for more details.</i>







## What You Need to Know (Continued)

<ul> <li>Leave your money in the account for as long as you wish, access any or all of it, or transfer funds to an alternate settlement option at any time and at no cost. If the balance falls below \$250, you will receive a check for the remaining balance plus interest at the end of the monthly cycle in which the balance fell below \$250.</li> <li>Unlike other options, the account gives you immediate access to the funds while keeping <i>all</i> alternate options available for you to consider when you are ready.</li> <li>You should consult with a tax, investment or other financial advisor for tax information or other available investment options; we cannot provide tax advice.</li> <li>If you are the beneficiary on more than one life insurance policy or annuity contract, the proceeds will be paid into one Alliance Account.</li> <li>If you already have an Alliance Account, proceeds from this claim will be placed into that account and the transaction confirmation will appear on your next statement.</li> <li>The Alliance Account is a separate arrangement between you and Prudential.</li> <li>You can speak directly with a dedicated customer service representative between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.</li> <li>Or, call our automated voice-response system 24 hours a day to check your account balance, request additional drafts and more.</li> <li>Call toll free at 877-255-4262 or write to Prudential Alliance Account at P.O. Box 41582, Philadelphia, PA 19176.</li> </ul>		
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## **Additional Important Information**

**Interest on Your Funds:** The funds in an Alliance Account begin earning interest immediately and will continue to earn interest until all funds are withdrawn. Interest is accrued daily, compounded daily and credited every month. The interest earned on your account may be taxable. The interest rate credited to your Alliance Account is adjusted by Prudential at its discretion based on variable economic factors (including, but not limited to, prevailing market rates for short term demand deposit accounts, bank money market rates and Federal Reserve Interest rates) and may be more or less than the rate Prudential earns on the funds in the account.

The current interest rate for Prudential's Alliance Account is 0.50%, subject to a current minimum of 0.25%. The current interest rate may change and will vary over time and may be more, but not less than any applicable minimum rate. The minimum rate will not change more than once every 90 days. You will be mailed statements at least quarterly and as frequent as monthly depending on activity in the Account. You will be advised in advance of any change to the minimum interest rate via your quarterly Alliance Account statement or by calling Customer Support.

**Your Funds Are Secure:** All funds are held within Prudential's general account. It is not FDIC-insured because it is not a bank account or a bank product. Funds held in the Alliance Account are guaranteed by State Guaranty Associations. Please contact the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations (<u>www.nolhga.com</u>) to learn more about coverage or limitations on your account. State Guaranty Fund coverages are not determined by Prudential. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT YOUR STATE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.





**Beneficiary Designation:** If you've elected any settlement option other than a Lump Sum Check payment, please complete the Beneficiary Designation section below. If there is a balance remaining on your settlement at the time of your death, it will be paid, as you indicate below, to either your estate or the beneficiary(ies) you designate.

# Check one: Pay the beneficiary(ies) listed below. Pay my estate. If choosing to pay my estate, no other beneficiary can be selected.

If you do not designate any beneficiaries, or if all beneficiaries predecease you, any balance remaining will be paid to your estate. NOTE: If the Alliance Account is owned by a Trust or Estate, a beneficiary cannot be named for the account. Successor Trustees must be named in the Trust Agreement Estates must have proof of legal successorship.

To add additional beneficiaries, please add a separate sheet.

#### PRIMARY BENEFICIARY

Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)	Social Security Number
Residence: Street	Apt. Telephone Number	Percentage
City State	ZIP Code	

SECONDARY BENEFICIARY: Death benefits will be paid to the contingent beneficiary(ies) if the primary beneficiary(ies) is not alive. Use a separate sheet if you want to name additional contingent beneficiary(ies).

Name of Beneficiary	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY) Social Security Number
Residence: Street	Apt. Telephone Number Percentage
City State	ZIP Code

**FLORIDA RESIDENTS** — Any person knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

**NEW YORK RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

## I have read and understand the terms and requirements of the fraud warnings included as part of this form.

	Date (мм dd үүүү)
SIGN HERE Signature	





# 6 Understanding Your Options

State law requires that if there is no account activity and we have had no contact with you regarding your Alliance Account after a number of years (which time period varies by state), your Alliance Account may be considered dormant. If your Alliance Account becomes dormant, you will be mailed a check for the remaining balance plus interest, at your last address shown on our records. If you do not timely cash that check, your funds will be transferred to the state as unclaimed property. If your funds are transferred to the state, you may claim those funds from the state but you may be charged a fee by the state. Once your funds are transferred to the state, we no longer have any liability or responsibility with respect to your Alliance Account.

There are fees for special services, which are subject to change, and include:

- Stop Payment Fee \$12 each; \$25 maximum for 3 or more per day
- Statement Copy Fee \$2 per statement
- Draft Copy Fee \$2 per draft
- Insufficient Funds Draft Fee \$10 per draft
- Overnight Delivery Variable fee schedule

You may choose one of the following settlement or payment options as an alternative to the Alliance Account:

- *Payments for a Fixed Period:* The Death Benefit plus interest may be paid over a fixed number of years (1 to 25) either monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually.
- *Payments in Installments for Life:* The Death Benefit may provide monthly payments in installments for as long as you live.
- *Payment of a Fixed Amount:* You may choose a payment of a stated amount either monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually.

Under each of the previously mentioned alternative options, each payment must generally be at least \$20.

- Interest Income: All or part of the proceeds may be left with Prudential to earn interest, which can be paid annually, semi-annually, quarterly, or monthly. The minimum deposit is \$1,000. This option allows you to choose another settlement option at a later time. Withdrawals of \$100 or more (including the entire balance) can be made at any time.
- *Lump Sum:* Receive the full death benefit in a single lump sum check. Before electing this payment option, you may want to consider the Alliance Account option, which also provides you with a single lump sum settlement and allows you to:
  - Begin earning interest immediately. Choosing a lump sum check means you will not begin earning interest until the check has been received and deposited into an interest-bearing account.
  - Access the funds for urgent expenses while reviewing long-term options including writing a draft for the full balance or electing another settlement option.
  - Maintain some of the tax benefits of the original policy. Specifically, you can name your own beneficiary to receive any remaining balance at your death as insurance proceeds, which are generally income tax-free.





<sup>6</sup> The tax treatment of the Death Benefit may be different depending on the settlement option you choose. Please consult your tax advisor for advice. Should you have any questions about these settlement options, please contact Prudential at 800-524-0542.

The Bank of New York Mellon is the Administrator of the Prudential Alliance Account Settlement Option, a contractual obligation of The Prudential Insurance Company of America, located at 751 Broad Street, Newark, NJ 07102-3777. Draft clearing and processing support is provided by The Bank of New York Mellon. Alliance Account balances are not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). The Bank of New York Mellon is not a Prudential Financial company.

For residents of all states and jurisdictions except Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, the District of Columbia, Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, Utah, Vermont, Virginia and Washington; WARNING: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company or other person, or knowing that he is facilitating commission of a fraud, submits incomplete, false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading facts or information when filing an insurance application or a statement of claim for payment of a loss or benefit commits a fraudulent insurance act, is/may be guilty of a crime and may be prosecuted and punished under state law. Penalties may include fines, civil damages and criminal penalties, including confinement in prison. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant or if the applicant conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto.

**ALABAMA RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to restitution fines or confinement in prison, or any combination thereof.

**ARIZONA RESIDENTS** — For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

**ARKANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, LOUISIANA and RHODE ISLAND RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

**CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS** — For your protection, California law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

**KENTUCKY RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

MAINE and WASHINGTON RESIDENTS — Any person who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company commits a crime. Penalties include imprisonment, fines, and denial of insurance benefits.

**MARYLAND RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.





**NEW HAMPSHIRE RESIDENTS** — Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20.

**NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

**NORTH CAROLINA RESIDENTS** — Any person who, with the intent to injure, defraud, or deceive an insurer or insurance claimant, knowing that the statement contains false or misleading information concerning a fact or matter material to the claim may be guilty of a Class H felony.

**PENNSYLVANIA** and **UTAH RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any material fact thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

**PUERTO RICO RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances [be] present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

**VERMONT RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or knowingly makes a false statement in an application for insurance may be guilty of a criminal offense under state law.

**VIRGINIA RESIDENTS** — Any person who, with the intent to defraud or knowing that he/she is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement may have violated state law.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**COLORADO RESIDENTS** — Funds held by insurance companies are guaranteed by the Colorado Life and Health Insurance Protection Association, but are not guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). Please contact the Colorado Life and Health Insurance Protection Association, the National Organization of Life and Health Guaranty Associations, or the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations (<u>www.nolhga.com</u>) to learn more about the coverage limitations to your account.

**ILLINOIS RESIDENTS** — Payment on accidental death and dismemberment claims made after 31 days from the day we receive proof of accidental death or dismemberment of the insured, under the policies issued in Illinois, will include interest at the rate of 10% per year. The interest will be payable from the date of accidental death or dismemberment to the date of payment.

**LOUISIANA RESIDENTS** — The Louisiana Department of Insurance is located at 1702 N. 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802 and can be reached by calling 800-259-5300. Written inquiries can be sent to the Louisiana Department of Insurance, Post Office Box 94214, Baton Rouge, LA 70804.

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