



PSI licensure:certification

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your examination registration,
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STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT CANDIDATE INFORMATION BULLETIN

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EXAMINATIONS BY PSI LICENSURE: CERTIFICATION

This Candidate Information Bulletin provides you with information about the examination and licensing process for individuals who wish to operate as insurance agents, brokers and consultants, independent adjusters and public adjusters, and others, as defined in New York Insurance Laws.

The New York State Insurance Department has contracted with PSI licensure:certification (PSI) to conduct the examination program. PSI provides examinations through a network of computer examination centers in New York. PSI works closely with the State to be certain that examinations meet local as well as national requirements in basic principles and examination development standards.

LICENSING PROCESS

All questions about licensure should be directed to:
New York State Insurance Department
 One Commerce Plaza, Suite 2003
 Albany, NY 12257
 Phone: 518.474.6630
www.ins.state.ny.us
licensing@ins.state.ny.us

The Department is authorized to license individuals who wish to operate as insurance agents, brokers and consultants, independent adjusters and public adjusters, and others, as defined in New York Insurance Laws.

The steps to become licensed are:

1. Complete any prelicensing education requirements.
2. Pass a licensing examination to confirm that you have attained at least a minimum level of knowledge regarding the principles, practices, statutes, and regulations relating to the insurance profession and the services you will sell or represent to the public.
3. Submit a completed license application to the Department **within two years** of passing your exam.

The Department reviews your application packet, verifies that you have nothing in your background that should prohibit you from being licensed, and then issues the appropriate license.

PRELICENSING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Prelicensing education requirements have been established to ensure that license candidates have a minimum level of knowledge about the insurance marketplace and related New York State laws and regulations.

Prelicensing requirements are as follows:

License	Minimum Hours Required
Life, Accident and Health Agent	40 hours
Life Agent only	20 hours
Accident and Health Agent only	20 hours
Personal Lines Agent	40 hours
Property/Casualty Agent	90 hours
Property/Casualty Broker	90 hours or *
Personal Lines Broker	40 hours or *

Life, Accident and Health Broker	40 hours or *
Life Broker only	20 hours or *
Accident and Health Broker only	20 hours or *
Public Adjusters	40 hours or *

***Statement of Employer in lieu of Prelicensing Education.** If applying for a broker license, you may submit a Statement of Employer form to the Department in lieu of completing a Prelicensing course. The Statement of Employer must document that you have been regularly employed by a New York licensed insurance company, broker or agent for no less than one year during the three years preceding the date of application, and have been employed (a) in the case of a property casualty broker, in reasonable insurance duties relating to the underwriting or adjusting of losses in any one of the following lines of insurance: fire, marine, liability, Workers' Compensation, or fidelity and surety; or (b) in the case of a life broker, in responsible insurance duties relating to the use of life insurance, accident and health insurance and annuity contracts, or in the design and administration of plans for estate conservation and distribution, employee benefits and business continuation.

If applying for a public adjuster license you may submit a Statement of Employer form to the Department in lieu of completing a Prelicensing course. The Statement of Employer must document that you have been regularly employed in the insurance business for no less than one year in duties involving sales, underwriting or claims, or other experience considered sufficient by the Superintendent.

Prelicensing education providers. Prelicensing providers are approved by the Department to teach appropriate and meaningful courses that will enable potential licensees to become familiar with the requirements prescribed by insurance law. A list of approved providers and courses is available on the Department's Web site at www.ins.state.ny.us or by calling the Department at 518.474.6630.

Prelicensing Education School Certificate. Once you complete a prelicensing course, the course provider will issue you a School Certificate to certify your satisfactory completion of the prelicensing education requirement. This certificate is good for a lifetime and is your evidence that you successfully completed the course. You must retain this certificate in your records.

Evidence that you possess a school certificate must be presented when you submit a license application.

Exemptions from prelicensing education. Individuals with a CLU or CPCU designation are exempt from the prelicensing education requirements for agents and brokers. In addition, these individuals only need to take the Laws and Regulations examination (**10-73** Life and Health Laws and Regulations or **10-74** Property and Casualty Laws and Regulations) in order to be licensed.

AGENT LICENSES

The following table shows the agent licenses that require applicants to pass an examination before licensing, and the series number of the required examination.



License	Examination Series
Life Agent	10-51
Accident and Health Agent	10-52
Property Casualty Agent	10-53
Personal Lines Agent	10-54
Bail Bond Agent	10-59
Mortgage Guaranty Agent	10-60

Note: PSI offers a combined Life, Accident, and Health examination (**10-55**) for those wishing to apply for **both** the Life, and Accident and Health licenses at the same time.

Exempt from agent licensing examinations. You may be exempt from examination requirements if:

- You previously passed an agent or broker examination and were licensed as an agent within the two years immediately preceding your application or you are currently licensed as a broker in the same lines of insurance for which you are applying.
- You are a travel accident or baggage agent only who is a ticket-selling agent or representative of a railroad, steamship or other public carrier and will act as an insurance agent only in the issuance of accident insurance tickets or baggage insurance tickets primarily for the purpose of covering the risk of travel.

Exempt from agent licensing. You may be exempt from agent licensing if you meet the following criteria as specified in NYS Insurance Law:

- You are a regular salaried officer or employee of an insurance company.
- You are representing only a fraternal benefit society authorized by Sections 4501(h-p) & 4505 and you do not qualify as an "insurance agent" as defined by Section 2101 (a)(3) of the Insurance Law of this state.

BROKER LICENSES

The following table shows the broker licenses that require applicants to pass an examination before licensing, along with the series number of the required examination.

License	Examination Series
Property Casualty Broker	10-56
Personal Lines Broker	10-54
Life Broker	10-51

Exempt from broker licensing examinations. You may be exempt from examination requirements if you have previously passed an agent or broker examination and were licensed as a broker within the two years immediately preceding the application or you are currently licensed as an agent in the same lines of insurance for which you are applying.

Note: If you are seeking an Excess Lines Broker license, Section 2105 of the Insurance Law requires that an Excess Line Broker first be licensed as a Property Casualty broker under Section 2104. You can access the Excess Line Broker licensing application and information online at www.ins.state.ny.us or email licensing@ins.state.ny.us with further questions on licensing requirements.

ADJUSTER LICENSES

Public Adjusters investigate and adjust, on behalf of the insured, claims connected with losses from the following risks enumerated in the Insurance Law Sections 1113(a): 4 (fire); 5 (miscellaneous property); 6 (water); 7 (burglary and theft); 8 (glass); 9 (boiler and machinery); 10 (elevator); and 20 (B)(C) (marine and inland marine). **If you wish to apply for a Public Insurance Adjuster license, you need to pass examination 10-62.**

Independent Adjusters act on behalf of the insurer in the work of investigating and adjusting claims. Independent adjusters can be licensed in the following lines of insurance.

The following table shows the independent adjuster licenses that require applicants to pass an examination before licensing, and the corresponding series number of the required examination.

Independent Adjuster License	Examination Series
Accident and Health	10-63
Automobile	10-66
Aviation	10-67
Casualty	10-65
Fidelity and Surety	10-68
Fire	10-64
Inland Marine	10-69
General	10-70
Auto Damage or Theft Appraisal	10-71
Motor Vehicle No Fault and Workers' Compensation Health Services Charges	10-72

Exempt from adjuster licensing examinations. You may be exempt from examination requirements if you have previously passed an adjuster examination and were licensed as an adjuster within the two years immediately preceding the application.

Exempt from adjuster licensing. You may be exempt from adjuster licensing if you are an insurance company employee, lawyer, broker, etc. and are adjusting for your company only (Insurance Law Section 2101(g)(1) and (2)).

If you intend to adjust on behalf of multiple insurance companies, you must obtain an adjuster license.

CONSULTANT LICENSES

A Life Insurance Consultant or Property & Casualty Insurance Consultant provides expert and professional advice on insurance to clients. Licensed Consultants cannot sell, solicit or negotiate an insurance policy as to do so would require licensing as an Agent or Broker.

Life Insurance (Life) Consultants must pass **Exam 10-57**. Licensed Life Consultants are authorized to act by providing clients expert advice on the following lines of insurance:

- Life Insurance
- Annuities
- Accident & Health

Property & Casualty Insurance (General) Consultants must pass **Exam 10-58**. Licensed General Consultants are authorized to act by providing clients expert advice on the following lines of insurance:



1. Animal insurance
2. Boiler & Machinery insurance
3. Burglary and Theft insurance
4. Collision insurance
5. Credit insurance
6. Elevator insurance
7. Fidelity and Surety insurance
8. Fire insurance
9. Glass insurance
10. Marine and Inland Marine insurance
11. Marine Protection and Indemnity insurance
12. Miscellaneous Property insurance
13. Mortgage Guaranty insurance
14. Motor Vehicle and Aircraft Physical Damage insurance
15. Personal injury liability insurance
16. Property Damage Liability insurance
17. Residual Value insurance
18. Title insurance
19. Water Damage insurance
20. Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability insurance

Exempt from consultant licensing examinations. You may be exempt from consultant examination requirements if:

- You are applying for a General Consultant license and are currently licensed as a Property/Casualty agent or broker, or you are applying for a Life Consultant license and are currently licensed as a Life, Accident & Health agent or broker.
- You are applying for a General Consultant license and hold a CPCU, FCAS or ACAS designation or you are applying for a Life Consultant license and hold a CLU, FAS or ASA designation.
- You previously passed the examination and were licensed within the two years immediately preceding the application date.

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS BASED ON RESIDENCY

Requirements for licensing vary depending on whether you are a resident or nonresident.

A **resident licensee** is one who has declared New York as the Home State.

A **nonresident licensee** is one who has declared a state **other** than New York as the Home State **and** is licensed in good standing for the lines of authority for which one is applying for in New York.

Home State is defined as the District of Columbia or any state or territory of the United States in which the applicant maintains a principal place of residence or principal place of business.

Resident licensing requirements

Generally, to qualify to receive a New York resident insurance license, you must:

- Be at least 18 years old.
- Complete any necessary prelicensing education requirements (see Page 2).
- Pass the appropriate license examination(s), if required (see Page 3).
- Apply to the Department for a license **within two years** of passing your examination.
- Pay the appropriate licensing fee.

Nonresident licensing requirements

If you wish to obtain a New York state nonresident license, you must submit a New York license application and the appropriate fees. You must currently be licensed and in compliance in your declared home state.

Note: Your license information **must** be included in the National Producer Database; if not, Certification from your Home State must be submitted with the application.

There is no reciprocity in regard to licensing adjusters. All adjuster applicants must pass the New York examination.

Producer applicants relocating to New York State. If you are currently licensed or have been licensed in another state and are relocating to New York, the education and examination requirements may be waived by submitting the New York resident license application with a currently dated (within 30 days) Letter of Certification or Letter of Clearance from the former home state. The Letter of Certification or Letter of Clearance must indicate that the applicant has been licensed in the areas of insurance that is being applied for in New York and that the license has been in good standing within the last 90 days.

National Insurance Producer Registry (NIPR). New York is a participating state in the NIPR, an affiliate of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC). This database of producer information links the licensing systems of participating states, facilitating the exchange of electronic information. If you wish to file a nonresident individual agent or broker license in multiple states, you may do so quickly and easily, in one transaction, through NIPR. For more information, log on to the NIPR Web site at www.licenseregistry.com or call 816.783.8468.

EXAMINATION REGISTRATION AND SCHEDULING PROCEDURES

All questions and requests for information about examinations should be directed to PSI.

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The Examination Registration Form is found at the end of this Candidate Information Bulletin. You must pay at the time you register. Be sure the registration form is complete, accurate, signed, and that you include the correct fee.

- The registration form is valid for 1 examination.
- There is no limit to the number of times you may take an examination.

English as a Second Language (ESL) candidates must call PSI at (800) 733-9267 to schedule for their examination, if they wish to receive additional time. Please do not schedule online, as you will not receive the additional time.



EXAMINATION FEES

Examination fee	\$49
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NOTE: EXAMINATIONS FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE OR TRANSFERABLE. Your examination fee will be forfeited if you do not test within 1 year of the date your examination fee is received by PSI.

INTERNET REGISTRATION

For the fastest and most convenient test scheduling process, PSI recommends that candidates register for their examinations using the Internet. In order to register over the Internet, candidates will need to have a valid MasterCard or Visa. Candidates register online by accessing PSI's registration website at www.psiexams.com. Internet registration is available 24 hours a day. In order to register by Internet, complete the steps below. For internet registration, you will need a valid VISA or MasterCard.

1. Log onto PSI's website and complete the associated registration form online and submit your information to PSI via the Internet.
2. Upon completion of the online registration form, you will be given the available examination dates and locations for scheduling your examination. Select your desired testing date

TELEPHONE REGISTRATION

The second fastest method of scheduling is via the telephone with PSI's Interactive Voice Response system (IVR) during non-business hours, or through live registrars during business hours. For telephone registration, you will need a valid VISA or MasterCard.

1. Complete the Examination Registration Form, including your credit card number and expiration date, so that you will be prepared with all of the information needed to register by telephone.

Call (800) 733-9267, 24 hours a day and register using the Automated Registration System. Otherwise, PSI registrars are available Monday through Friday, between 7:30 am and 8:00 pm and Saturday, between 11:00 am and 5:00 pm, Eastern Time, to receive the information listed on your Examination Registration Form and schedule your appointment for the examination.

FAX REGISTRATION

For Fax registration, you will need a valid VISA or MasterCard.

Complete the Examination Registration Form, including your credit card number and expiration date.

1. Fax the completed form to PSI (702) 932-2666. Fax registrations are accepted 24 hours a day.
2. If your information is incomplete or incorrect, it will be returned for correction.

Please allow 4 business days to process your Registration. After 4 business days, you may call PSI to schedule the examination, (800) 733-9267.

STANDARD MAIL REGISTRATION

For those desiring to make payment for their examination using **cashiers checks or money orders**, or for those that simply do not wish to provide credit card information over the phone or Internet, you must use the Standard Mail Registration. In order to register, please follow the steps below.

1. Complete the PSI registration Form, and appropriate examination fee to PSI. Payment of fees can be made by money order or cashier's check. Money orders or cashier's checks should be made payable to PSI. Print your name on your cashier's check or money order to ensure that your fees are properly assigned. **CASH, COMPANY CHECKS, PERSONAL CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED.**

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BE SURE TO READ ALL DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THE EXAMINATION REGISTRATION FORMS. IMPROPERLY COMPLETED FORMS WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU UNPROCESSED.

2. Please allow 2 weeks to process your Registration. After 2 weeks, you may call PSI to schedule the examination, (800) 733-9267.

CANCELING AN EXAMINATION APPOINTMENT

You may cancel and reschedule an examination appointment without forfeiting your fee if your *cancellation notice is received 2 days before the scheduled examination date*. For example, for a Monday appointment, the cancellation notice would need to be received on the previous Saturday. You may call PSI at (800) 733-9267. Please note that you may also use the automated system, using a touch-tone phone, 24 hours a day in order to cancel and reschedule your appointment.

Note: A voice mail message is not an acceptable form of cancellation. Please use the Internet, automated telephone system (IVR), or call PSI and speak to a Customer Service Representative.

SCHEDULING A RE-EXAMINATION

In order to retest, you must re-register following the steps for registration and scheduling as outlined earlier. You may re-register over the Internet, telephone or by mail. Once registered, you can reschedule for your re-examination.

MISSED APPOINTMENT OR LATE CANCELLATION

Your registration will be invalid, you will not be able to take the examination as scheduled, and you will forfeit your examination fee, if you:



- Do not cancel your appointment 2 days before the scheduled examination date;
- Do not appear for your examination appointment;
- Arrive after examination start time;
- Do not present proper identification when you arrive for the examination.

SPECIAL EXAMINATION ARRANGEMENTS

All examination centers are equipped to provide access in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, and every reasonable accommodation will be made in meeting a candidate's needs. Applicants with disabilities or those who would otherwise have difficulty taking the examination must fill out the form at the end of this Candidate Information Bulletin and fax to PSI (702) 932-2666. This form also includes out-of-state testing requests.

EXAMINATION SITE CLOSING FOR AN EMERGENCY

In the event that severe weather or another emergency forces the closure of an examination site on a scheduled examination date, your examination will be rescheduled. PSI personnel will attempt to contact you in this situation. However, you may check the status of your examination schedule by calling (800) 733-9267. Every effort will be made to reschedule your examination at a convenient time as soon as possible. You may also check our website at www.psiexams.com.

EXAMINATION SITE LOCATIONS

The Insurance examinations are administered at the examination centers listed below:

ALBANY

1 COLUMBIA CIRCLE, SUITE 205
ALBANY, NY 12203

FROM NORTH: I-87 S TO EXIT 2E. TURN RIGHT ON RT 5 CENTRAL AVENUE. TURN RIGHT ON FULLER ROAD. TURN RIGHT ONTO WASHINGTON AVENUE EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO COLUMBIA CIRCLE W DR. TAKE THE 2ND RIGHT. TURN LEFT AT THE STOP SIGN.
FROM SOUTH AND WEST: THRUWAY EXIT 24, TAKE I-87 NORTH TO EXIT 2E. GO RIGHT ON RT 5 CENTRAL AVE. TURN RIGHT ON FULLER ROAD. TURN RIGHT ONTO WASHINGTON AVENUE EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO COLUMBIA CIRCLE W DR. TAKE THE 2ND RIGHT. TURN LEFT AT THE STOP SIGN.
FROM EAST: I-90 EXIT 2 FULLER ROAD, TURN LEFT. TAKE THE 1ST RIGHT ONTO WASHINGTON AVE EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO COLUMBIA CIRCLE W DR. TAKE THE 2ND RIGHT. TURN LEFT AT THE STOP SIGN. PSI IS THE 1ST BUILDING ON RIGHT.

BINGHAMTON

520 COLUMBIA DR., SUITE 104
JOHNSON CITY, NY 13790

FROM 678N, TAKE THE NEW ENGLAND/GEO WASHINGTON BR/TRIBORO BR/CROSS BRONX EXP/BRUCKNER EXP EXIT ONTO I-95 S TOWARD GEO WASHINGTON BR/TRIBORO BR/CROSS BRONX EXP/BRUCKNER EXP. TAKE EXIT #69/GARDEN STATE PARKWAY/HACKENSACK/PATERSON ONTO I-80W. TAKE THE I-80 WEST EXPRESS LEFT EXIT ONTO I-80 EXPRESS LN W. CONTINUE ON I-80 W (PORTIONS TOLL). TAKE EXIT #293/SCRANTON ONTO I-380N. TAKE THE BINGHAMTON EXIT ONTO I-81N, BEAR LEFT ON RT-17W. TAKE EXIT #7 ON/SHOPPING MALL ONTO RT-201N. CONTINUE ON REYNOLDS RD, TURN RIGHT ON FAIRVIEW ST. TURN LEFT ON COLUMBIA DR.

BUFFALO

AIRPORT COMMERCE PARK

305 CAYUGA ROAD, SUITE 210
CHEEKTOWAGA, NY 14225

FR US-219 N, TAKE RAMP LEFT ONTO I-90E TOWARD THRUWAY/BUFFALO. TAKE EXIT #51E/AIRPORT ONTO RT-33E. TURN LEFT ON UNION RD (RT-277). TURN RIGHT ON MARYVALE DR. TURN LEFT ON CAYUGA RD (CR-245).

FROM WEST

TURN LEFT ON WASHINGTON ST (RT-96) AND CONTINUE TO FOLLOW RT-96. TAKE RAMP ONTO STATE ROUTE 14 (RT-14) TOWARD RT-14N (PORTIONS TOLL). TURN LEFT TO TAKE RAMP ONTO I-90W TOWARD I-90/BUFFALO (TOLL APPLIES). TAKE EXIT #49/DEPEW/LOCKPORT (PORTION TOLL). TURN RIGHT ON TRANSIT RD (RT-78). TURN RIGHT ON GENESEE ST (RT-33). TURN RIGHT ON CAYUGA RD (CR-245).

FISHKILL

ALL SPORT OFFICE BUILDING
21 OLD MAIN ST., SUITE 205

FISHKILL, NY 12524

FROM NORTHWEST

TURN RIGHT ON BOSTON STATE RD (RT-391). TURN RIGHT TO TAKE RAMP ONTO US-219N. TAKE LEFT RAMP ONTO I-90E TOWARD THRUWAY/BUFFALO (PORTIONS TOLL). BEAR RIGHT ON I-87 S (TOLL APPLIES). TAKE EXIT #17/NEWBURGH (I-84)/STEWART AIRPORT ONTO UNION AVE (RT-300) TOWARD I-84 (PORTIONS TOLL). TAKE RAMP ONTO I-84E TOWARD BEACON (PORTIONS TOLL). TAKE EXIT #12/FISHKILL. TURN LEFT ON RT-52 AND BEAR RIGHT ON MAIN ST.

GLENDALE (QUEENS)

THE SHOPS AT ATLAS PARK
71-19 80TH ST, SUITE 8307
GLENDALE, NY 11385

FROM I-678 S, TAKE THE J ROBINSON PKWY EXIT- EXIT 7. TAKE THE FOREST PARK DR EXIT- EXIT 4- TOWARD MYRTLE AVE / WOODHAVEN BLVD. TAKE THE RAMP TOWARD MYRTLE AVE / WOODHAVEN BLVD. TURN SLIGHT RIGHT ONTO FOREST PKWY / PARK DR. TURN RIGHT ONTO MYRTLE AVE. TURN LEFT ONTO 80TH ST. GO TO 2ND LIGHT PAST MYRTLE AVE OVER SMALL OVERPASS MAKE A RIGHT INTO ATLAS PARK. MAKE A RIGHT AT STOP SIGN TO GET INTO PARKING LOT. ONCE PARKED, GO TO TOP FLOOR OF PARKING LOT, TURN RIGHT AND WALK UNTIL YOU SEE "AMISH MARKET" GO TO NEXT BUILDING TO BUSINESS OFFICES, TAKE ELEVATOR TO THE 3RD FLOOR.

HAUPPAUGE/LONG ISLAND

140 ADAMS AVE., SUITE B-13
HAUPPAUGE, NY 11788

FROM WEST

TAKE RAMP LEFT ONTO I-495E TOWARD L I EXPWY/EASTERN L I. TAKE EXIT #53/SAGTIKOS STATE PKY/BAY SHORE/SUNKEN MEADOW PK ONTO EXPRESS DR S. TAKE RAMP TOWARD WICKS RD. TURN LEFT ON WICKS RD (CR-7). TURN RIGHT ON MOTOR PKY (CR-67E). TURN LEFT ON ADAMS AVE.

FROM NORTH

TURN LEFT ON GENESEE ST (RT-63). CONTINUE ON MT MORRIS RD (US-20A) AND BEAR LEFT ON RT-63. CONTINUE ON MT MORRIS GENESEO RD (RT-408). TURN LEFT TO TAKE RAMP ONTO I-390 S. CONTINUE ON I-86E. CONTINUE ON RT-17 E. CONTINUE ON I-81 S. TAKE EXIT #187/CARBONDALE (US-6E) MT POCONO (I-380S) ONTO I-380S TOWARD I-380 S/I-84 E/US-6E. TAKE LEFT EXIT #1B/STROUDSBURG ONTO I-80E AND BEAR RIGHT ON I-295 S (PORTIONS TOLL). TAKE THE EASTERN L I/CROSS IS PKWY EXIT ONTO CROSS ISLAND PKY S. TAKE EXIT #53/SAGTIKOS STATE PKY/BAY SHORE/SUNKEN MEADOW PK ONTO EXPRESS DR S. TAKE RAMP TOWARD WICKS RD. TURN LEFT ON WICKS RD (CR-7). TURN RIGHT ON MOTOR PKY (CR-67E). TURN LEFT ON ADAMS AVE.

JAMESTOWN

19 EAST THIRD STREET
JAMESTOWN, NY 14701

FROM EAST

TURN RIGHT ON STATE HIGHWAY 8 (RT-8), CONTINUE TO FOLLOW RT-8, TAKE RAMP ONTO I-88W TOWARD BINGHAMTON, CONTINUE ON I-81S, TAKE THE OWEGO/ELMIRA EXIT ONTO RT-17W, CONTINUE ON I-86W, TAKE EXIT #12/JAMESTOWN, TURN LEFT ON RT-60, CONTINUE ON



N MAIN ST, TURN LEFT ON RT-60, CONTINUE ON N MAIN ST, TURN LEFT ON E 3RD ST, ARRIVE ON THE LEFT.

MANHATTAN

192 LEXINGTON, STE 1204
MANHATTAN, NY 10016

FROM EAST

TAKE #6 TRAIN TO 33RD STREET STATION. GET OFF AND WALK ONE BLOCK EAST TO LEXINGTON AVE, THEN OVER TO 32 & 31ST STREET.

NEW ROCHELLE

145 HUGUENOT ST, STE 220
NEW ROCHELLE, NY 10801

FROM I-95 N / NEW ENGLAND TRWY, TAKE EXIT 16 TOWARD CEDAR ST. TURN LEFT ONTO GARDEN ST. TURN RIGHT ONTO CROSS WESTCHESTER AVE. CROSS WESTCHESTER AVE BECOMES CEDAR ST. TURN SLIGHT RIGHT ONTO HUGUENOT ST

PLATTSBURGH

14 HEALEY AVE, STE G
PLATTSBURGH, NY 12901

FROM WEST

TURN RIGHT ON W MAIN ST (RT-22B). CONTINUE TO FOLLOW RT-22B. CONTINUE ON RT-3. TURN RIGHT ON HEALEY AVE.

FROM SOUTH

TURN LEFT ON MAPLE ST (US-9). CONTINUE TO FOLLOW US-9 AND TURN RIGHT ON STOWERSVILLE RD (CR-12). TURN LEFT TO TAKE RAMP ONTO I-87N, TAKE EXIT #37/PLATTSBURGH/SARANAC AKE. TURN RIGHT ON BLAKE RD (RT-3). CONTINUE TO FOLLOW RT-3. TURN RIGHT ON HEALEY AVE.

ROCHESTER

1465 JEFFERSON RD.
ROCHESTER, NY 14623

FROM 104W TAKE 390S. FOLLOW 390S TO THE JEFFERSON RD EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO JEFFERSON RD. TURN RIGHT ONTO THE 2ND SAGINAW DR ENTRANCE.

FROM 104E TAKE 590S TO 390S (THE RAMP UP AND TO THE RIGHT). GET OFF AT THE JEFFERSON RD EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO JEFFERSON RD. TURN RIGHT ONTO THE SECOND SAGINAW DR ENTRANCE.

FROM 490W TAKE 390S. FOLLOW 390S TO JEFFERSON RD EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO JEFFERSON RD. TURN RIGHT ONTO THE SECOND SAGINAW DR ENTRANCE.

FROM 490E TAKE 590S. FOLLOW 590S TO 390S (THE RAMP UP AND TO THE RIGHT). THEN GET OFF AT THE JEFFERSON RD EXIT. TURN LEFT ONTO JEFFERSON RD. TURN RIGHT ONTO THE SECOND SAGINAW DR ENTRANCE.

FROM THRUWAY 90, GET OFF AT E 46. GET ON 390N. GET OFF AT THE JEFFERSON RD EXIT. TURN RIGHT ONTO JEFFERSON RD. TURN RIGHT ONTO THE SECOND SAGINAW DR ENTRANCE.

TURN LEFT INTO THE 2ND DRIVEWAY (YOU WILL SEE A SIGN ON THE DOOR FOR PSI TESTING). PARK IN THE LOT ON THE RIGHT HAND SIDE.

ROME

301 N. WASHINGTON ST., SUITE 3000
ROME, NY 13440

FROM NY STATE THRUWAY, TAKE EXIT 32. RIGHT TURN ON 233 N. TAKE ROUTE 233 TO 26 NORTH. TAKE 26 NORTH TO ROUTE 46 NORTH.

SYRACUSE

FIRST REPUBLIC OFFICE PARK
445 ELECTRONICS PARKWAY BLDG. 2, STE 208
LIVERPOOL, NY 13088
FROM SOUTH

TURN LEFT ON STATE HIGHWAY 320 (RT-320). TURN RIGHT ON RT-12. TURN LEFT ON CR-44. TURN RIGHT ON RT-23 AND BEAR RIGHT ON CR-16. TURN RIGHT ON RT-26. TURN LEFT ON RT-80. TURN RIGHT ON RIPPLETON RD (RT-13). TURN LEFT ON US-20 AND BEAR RIGHT ON RT-92. CONTINUE ON E GENESEE ST (RT-5) AND TAKE RAMP ONTO I-481N. TAKE EXIT #6/THRUWAY ONTO I-90W TOWARD BUFFALO (TOLL APPLIES). TAKE EXIT #37/ELECTRONICS PKY (CR-148 S). ONCE YOU GET OFF I-90, YOU WILL SEE A HOLIDAY INN ACROSS THE STREET. THE HOLIDAY INN ADDRESS IS 441. GO INTO THE HOLIDAY INN PARKING LOT HEAD TOWARDS THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE BUILDING. THERE WILL BE TWO OTHER OFFICE BUILDINGS TO YOUR RIGHT. THE BUILDING THAT SAYS ADP ON THE FRONT IS 445, BUILDING #2 AND PSI IS LOCATED ON THE 2ND FLOOR, SUITE 208.

FROM I-81 NORTH, TAKE EXIT #25/ 7TH NORTH ST. VEER RIGHT ONTO 7TH NORTH ST. CONTINUE STRAIGHT UNTIL YOU RUN INTO ELECTRONICS PKWY. THERE WILL BE A HOLIDAY INN DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF YOU. THE HOLIDAY INN ADDRESS IS 441. GO INTO THE HOLIDAY INN PARKING LOT HEAD TOWARDS THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE BUILDING. THERE WILL BE TWO OTHER OFFICE BUILDINGS TO YOUR RIGHT. THE BUILDING THAT SAYS ADP ON THE FRONT IS 445, BUILDING #2 AND PSI IS LOCATED ON THE 2ND FLOOR, SUITE 208.

WATERTOWN

120 WASHINGTON ST., STE 301
WATERTOWN, NY 13601

FROM I-81 NORTH, TAKE EXIT 45 AND TURN RIGHT ONTO ROUTE 3/ ARSENAL STREET TO DOWNTOWN. TURN RIGHT ONTO ROUTE 11S/ WASHINGTON STREET. AT END OF FIRST BLOCK, TURN RIGHT ONTO STERLING STREET. PARK IN THE HSBC PARKING GARAGE ON THE RIGHT. TAKE THE ELEVATOR TO THE THIRD FLOOR, AND TAKE A LEFT OFF THE ELEVATOR, THEN ANOTHER LEFT TO ROOM 301 WHICH IS THE SECOND DOOR ON THE RIGHT.

FROM I- 81 SOUTH, USE THE SAME DIRECTIONS AS ABOVE, EXCEPT TURN LEFT ONTO ROUTE 3/ ARSENAL STREET.

FROM LOWVILLE, TAKE ROUTE 12 TO STATE STREET, TURN LEFT TO DOWNTOWN. FOLLOW THE TRAFFIC CIRCLE, EXITING AT WASHINGTON STREET TO THE HSBC BUILDING ON THE RIGHT.

WHITE PLAINS

297 KNOLLWOOD RD, SUITE 333
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10607

FROM NORTH

TAKE THE WHITE PLAINS LEFT EXIT ONTO I-287E. TAKE EXIT #4/HARTSDALE AND TURN RIGHT ON KNOLLWOOD RD (RT-100A).

FROM EAST

TURN RIGHT ON CR-135. TURN LEFT TO TAKE RAMP ONTO I-684S AND TAKE THE WHITE PLAINS EXIT ONTO I-287W TOWARD WHITE PLAINS. TAKE EXIT #4/HARTSDALE AND TURN LEFT ON KNOLLWOOD RD (RT-100A).

Additionally, PSI has examination centers in many other regions across the United States. You may take this examination at any of these locations by calling (800) 733-9267. You will need to speak with a Customer Service Rep to schedule outside of New York.

REPORTING TO THE EXAMINATION SITE

On the day of the examination, you should arrive at least 30 minutes before your appointment. This extra time is for sign-in, identification, and familiarizing you with the examination process. *If you arrive late, you may not be admitted to the examination site and you will forfeit your examination registration fee.*

REQUIRED IDENTIFICATION AT EXAMINATION SITE

You must provide 2 forms of identification. One must be a VALID form of government issued identification (driver's



license, state ID, passport), which bears your signature and has your photograph. The second ID must have your signature and preprinted legal name. All identification provided must match the name on the Examination Registration Form and your Registration Confirmation Notice.

If you cannot provide the required identification, you must call (800) 733-9267 at least 3 weeks prior to your scheduled appointment to arrange a way to meet this security requirement. *Failure to provide all of the required identification at the time of the examination without notifying PSI is considered a missed appointment, and you will not be able to take the examination.*

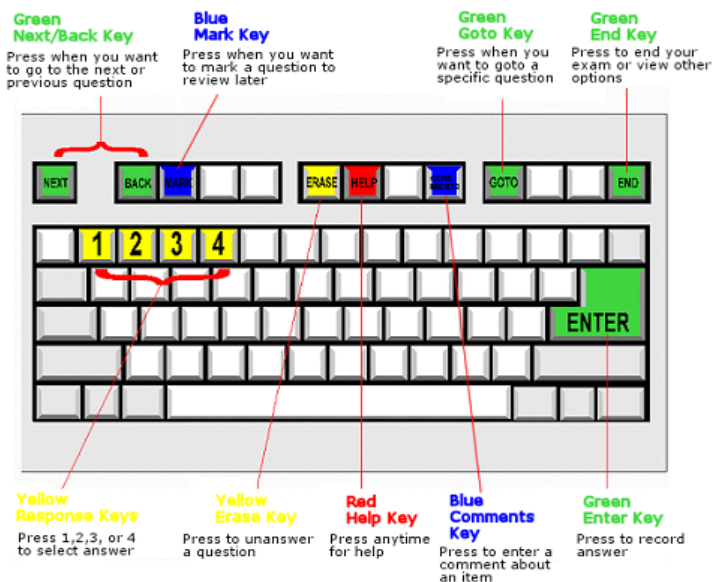
SECURITY PROCEDURES

The following security procedures will apply during the examination:

- Cell phones, pagers, purses, briefcases, personal belongings and children are not allowed in the examination site.
- Only non-programmable calculators that are silent, battery-operated, do not have paper tape printing capabilities, and do not have a keyboard containing the alphabet will be allowed in the examination site.
- No smoking, eating, or drinking will be allowed in the examination site.
- Copying or communicating examination content is a violation of PSI security policy and New York State Law. Either one may result in the disqualification of examination results and may lead to legal action.

TAKING THE EXAMINATION BY COMPUTER

Taking the PSI examination by computer is simple. You do not need any computer experience or typing skills. You will use fewer keys than you use on a touch-tone telephone. All response keys are colored and have prominent characters. An illustration of the special keyboard is shown here. You may also use the mouse.



IDENTIFICATION SCREEN

You will be directed to a semiprivate testing station to take the examination. When you are seated at the testing station, you will be prompted to confirm your name, identification number, and the examination for which you are registered.

TUTORIAL

Before you start your examination, an introductory tutorial to the computer and keyboard is provided on the computer screen. The time you spend on this tutorial, up to 15 minutes, DOES NOT count as part of your examination time. Sample questions are included following the tutorial so that you may practice using the keys, answering questions, and reviewing your answers.

One question appears on the screen at a time. During the examination, minutes remaining will be displayed at the top of the screen and updated as you record your answers.

EXAMINATION QUESTION EXAMPLE

During the examination, you should press 1, 2, 3, or 4 to select your answer or press "MARK" to mark it for later review. You should then press "ENTER" to record your answer and move on to the next question. A sample question display follows:

The screenshot shows a web-based examination interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with icons for 'Mark', 'Comments', 'Goto', 'Help', and 'End'. Below this, a status bar displays: 'Question: 3 of 40', 'Answered: 2', 'Unanswered: 1', 'Marked: 0', 'View: All', and 'Time Left(Min): 359'. The main content area shows question 3: 'What do the stars on the United States of America's flag represent?'. Below the question, it says '(Choose from the following options)'. There are four radio button options: '1. Presidents', '2. Colonies', '3. States', and '4. Wars'. At the bottom of the question area, there are '<<Back' and 'Next>>' buttons.

IMPORTANT: After you have entered your responses, you will later be able to return to any question(s) and change your response, provided the examination time has not run out.

EXAMINATION REVIEW

PSI, in cooperation with the New York State Insurance Department, will be consistently evaluating the examinations being administered to ensure that the examinations accurately measure competency in the required knowledge areas. While taking the examination, examinees will have the opportunity to provide comments on any questions, by using the comments key on the keyboard. These comments will be analyzed by PSI examination development staff. PSI does not respond to individuals regarding these comments, all substantive comments are reviewed. **This is the only review of examination materials available to candidates.**

SCORE REPORTING

Your score will be given to you immediately following completion of the examination. In order to pass the examination, you must achieve a minimum score of 70%. The following summary describes the score reporting process:

- **On screen** – your score will appear immediately on the computer screen. This will happen automatically at the end of the time allowed for the examination; if you are using review features, you will be able to obtain your score immediately when you indicate that you have finished and would like to see your results.
 - If you **pass**, you will immediately receive a successful notification and performance summary on the screen.
 - If you **do not pass**, you will immediately receive an unsuccessful notification on the screen along with a diagnostic report indicating your strengths and weaknesses by examination portion. Registration forms for submittal to PSI to retake the examination will be available at the examination site.
- **On paper** – an official score report will be printed at the examination site

DUPLICATE SCORE REPORTS

You can write to PSI to request a duplicate of your score report.

Note: You may contact PSI regarding your testing experience. Send an email to: comments@psiexams.com.

TIPS FOR PREPARING FOR YOUR LICENSE EXAMINATION

If Prelicensing education is required, you must complete a course that has been approved by the Department. Because of the number and the diversity of approach, **neither the Department nor PSI recommends specific prelicensing course providers**. A list of all approved prelicensing providers can be obtained from the Department's Web site at www.ins.state.ny.us or by calling 518.474.6630.

The following suggestions will help you prepare for your examination.

- Planned preparation increases your likelihood of passing.
- Start with a current copy of this Candidate Information Bulletin and use the examination content outline as the basis of your study.
- Read study materials that cover all the topics in the content outline.
- Take notes on what you study. Putting information in writing helps you commit it to memory and it is also an excellent business practice. Underline or highlight key ideas that will help with a later review.
- Discuss new terms or concepts as frequently as you can with colleagues. This will test your understanding and reinforce ideas.
- Your studies will be most effective if you study frequently, for periods of about 45 to 60 minutes. Concentration tends to wander when you study for longer periods of time.

DESCRIPTION OF EXAMINATIONS

EXAMINATION STUDY MATERIALS

The examination content outlines in this bulletin are the basis for the examinations and are updated periodically. Each approved prelicensing provider is given a copy of the exam content outlines listed in this bulletin for use in developing a course of study and any materials used in the course. It is the provider's responsibility to ensure that all study materials are updated to comply with the current exam content outlines.

Licensing candidates should be aware that they will be tested on the subject matter shown in these outlines and should therefore hold the course provider accountable for covering all the topics noted herein.

Because of the number and the diversity of approach, neither the Department nor PSI can recommend specific study material or a specific prelicensing course provider.

CONTENT OUTLINES

The license examination for each type of license consists of questions that test knowledge of topical areas listed in the content outline for that examination. The content outlines were developed in cooperation with the Department and individuals from the New York State insurance industry in an Examination Review Workshop (ERW). The purpose was to identify and classify the level of knowledge that insurance licensees need to properly serve their clients. Item-development staff at PSI and insurance professionals research the content and write questions. The questions are then submitted to industry professionals in New York State for review and approval. These industry professionals first identify the important areas of knowledge and then confirm that the examination questions assess them. This process ensures that the examinations reflect content that you, as an entry-level agent, will need to know to properly perform your duties for the insurance-buying public.

The examinations are closed book. No reference materials, papers or study materials are allowed at the examination site.

PRETEST ITEMS

In addition to the number of questions per examination, a small number of five to ten "pretest" questions may be administered to candidates during the examinations. These questions will not be scored and the time taken to answer them will not count against examination time. The administration of such non-scored experimental questions is an essential step in developing future licensing examinations.

OBTAINING YOUR LICENSE

APPLYING FOR A LICENSE

After passing the license examination (if an examination is required), you will need to submit your license application to the Department, along with any other required paperwork for the type of license you are seeking.



Online licensing is available to first time RESIDENT applicants applying for an INDIVIDUAL/TBA license who have taken the exam within the past two (2) years. RESIDENT applicants are to apply online by visiting the Department's website at: www.ins.state.ny.us. Complete online licensing instructions are available on the website.

Non-resident online licensing is also available to first time non-resident applicants applying for an INDIVIDUAL license through the website of – National Insurance Producer Registry (NIPR) - <http://www.licenseregistry.com>. Or you may download a New York State non-resident license application from the Department's Web site by going to Producer License Applications at www.ins.state.ny.us.

You may also download a license application from the Department's Web site by going to Producer License Applications at www.ins.state.ny.us.

Important: Applications must be received **within two years** from the date of passing the examination. Incomplete applications or applications without the required fee will not be accepted or placed on file.

If the type of license you are seeking is not listed below, you should contact the Department at 518.474.6630 or at licensing@ins.state.ny.us for more information.

Retesting requirements. If you were licensed previously but have not been licensed within the two years immediately preceding the application date, you must:

- Pass the appropriate licensing exam administered by PSI; and
- Submit required documentation noted in the appropriate application sections.

Agent applicants

New York residents desiring an insurance agent license **must submit:**

- A license application obtained from the Department's Web site at www.ins.state.ny.us
- A Prelicensing Education School Certificate or evidence of a professional designation (CLU designation for Life, Accident and Health agents; CPCU designation for Property/Casualty agents). (Only applicable to paper applications.)
- The original passing examination score report (dated within two years prior to applying). (Only applicable to paper applications.)
- If submitting the license application electronically, you must attest to completing the prelicensing requirements and provide the school code number.
- A Company Appointment submitted electronically to the Department. An application may be submitted without an appointment, however, an appointment must be made 15 days from either the date an agency contract is executed with the insurance company or the first insurance application is submitted to the company.
- NASD or SECO certificate of proof of qualification (Variable Annuity applicant only).
- The appropriate licensing fee.

Broker applicants

New York residents desiring an insurance broker license **must submit:**

- A license application obtained from the Department's Web site at www.ins.state.ny.us
- Prelicensing Education School Certificate or evidence of a professional designation (CLU designation for Life Broker; CPCU designation for Property/Casualty Broker), or if seeking to waive the prelicensing education requirement based on experience, a Statement of Employer form obtained from the Department.). (Only applicable to paper applications.)
- The original passing examination score report (dated within two years prior to applying). **NOTE:** If you are seeking to qualify based on experience and submitting a Statement of Employer, you must successfully complete the broker exam, not the agent exam.) (Only applicable to paper applications.)
- If submitting the license application electronically, you must attest to completing the prelicensing requirements and provide the school code number.
- The appropriate licensing fee.

Note: If you are submitting a Statement of Employer form in lieu of the required prelicensing education, you may apply electronically. However, the application will remain pending until Department review and approval of the Statement of Employer.

Adjuster applicants

New York residents desiring any type of insurance adjuster license **must submit:**

- A license application obtained from the Department.
- The original passing score report (dated within two years prior to applying).
- A fingerprint record card with the required fee.
- A \$1,000 bond.
- Five Certificates of Character.
- The appropriate licensing fee.

LICENSE FEES AND RENEWAL DATES

An insurance producer is defined as an agent, broker, reinsurance intermediary, excess line broker or any other person required to be licensed to sell, solicit or negotiate insurance.

All INDIVIDUAL/TBA producer* licenses will be issued with an expiration date determined by date of birth:

- If you were born in an even numbered year, your license will expire on your birthday in an even numbered year.
- If you were born in an odd numbered year, your license will expire on your birthday in an odd numbered year.

The licensing fee for an individual agent or broker is \$40 for each year or fraction of a year.

The licensing fee for a consultant is \$50 for each year or fraction of a year.

Adjuster and Bail Bond Agent licenses will not have a birth date renewal. These licenses will expire on 12/31 of even-numbered years

The licensing fee for an adjuster is \$50 for each year or fraction of a year.

The licensing fee for a bail bond agent is \$25 for each year or fraction of a year.



Note: For entity (corporation, partnership, etc.) or other license fees, please contact the Department at 518.474.6630 or at licensing@ins.state.ny.us

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Resident Licensees

All licensed agents, brokers, consultants and public adjusters must complete Continuing Education (CE) requirements as a condition of renewing these licenses. Licensees must complete 15 credits of CE during each biennial licensing period.

After your license has been renewed the first time, continuing education (CE) will always be required upon subsequent renewal or relicensing applications. Credits must be accumulated during the renewal period, which begins with the effective date of the license and ends with the expiration date. CE must be completed before processing the renewal or relicensing application.

When attending Continuing Education courses, please ensure that the course has been approved for the class of license you hold. Course approval documents containing this information are displayed at the site of instruction for your review.

Approved continuing education courses, once completed for CE credit, may never be completed for CE credit again. Licensees must maintain records of completed continuing education courses and will be held responsible if a course is repeated.

Nonresident Licensees - CE Reciprocity

A nonresident* licensee renewing his/her New York license must be currently licensed and in compliance in his/her declared home state. Your license information **MUST** be included in the National Producer Database; if not, a Letter of Certification from your home state must be submitted.

***Non-Resident** – licensee who has declared a state OTHER than New York as his/her home state. Home State is where you maintain a principal place of residence or business AND are licensed in good standing for the lines of authority being renewed.

There is no reciprocity for public adjusters. All licensed public adjusters must complete New York State-approved CE Courses.

Note: If New York is your declared home state for the period shown on your license prior to a renewal, you must complete New York State-approved Continuing Education courses.

Exempt from continuing education

You may be exempt from completing continuing education requirements if:

- You are a travel accident or baggage agent only, as described on Pages 3-4 of this bulletin.
- You are representing only a fraternal benefit society authorized by Sections 4501(h-p) & 4505 and you do not qualify as an “insurance agent” as defined by Section 2101 (a)(3) of the Insurance Law of this state.
- You are an agent, broker, consultant, or public adjuster who holds an originally issued license that has not yet been in effect for a full two year licensing period.

Those licensees not subject to the continuing education requirements of Sections 2132 and 2108 of the New York State Insurance Law are:

- Independent Adjusters

- Reinsurance Intermediaries
- Viatical Brokers
- Limited Rental Licensees
- Service Representatives
- Bail Bond Agents
- Mortgage Guaranty Agents



EXAMINATION CONTENT OUTLINES

The following outlines describe the content of each of the New York Insurance Examinations. These outlines are the basis of the examination. Each examination will contain questions about the subjects in its outline.

The percentages indicate the relative weight assigned to each part of the examination. For example, if a section has 10 percent assigned, 6 questions will be drawn from it on a 60-question examination, 10 on a 100-question examination, and 15 on a 150-question examination.

SECTION 1.0: INSURANCE REGULATION AND SECTION 2.0: GENERAL INSURANCE

One or both of the following sections are common to outlines for Series 10-51 through 10-58, Series 10-73 and Series 10-74.

Individual section percentages are located with the particular Series outline. (Be sure to study material that covers Sections 1.0 and 2.0 in addition to the particular line(s) you are studying.)

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION

1.1 Licensing

Process (2103(d-i))

Definitions

Producer definition

(2101(k))

Who should be licensed

(2101(k)(1))

Home state (2101(l))

Negotiate, Sell, Solicit (2101(m)

(n) (o))

Types of licensees

Agents (2101(a, k); 2103; Reg 6,
Part 22.2, Reg 7, Part 23.2)

Brokers (2101(c, h, k);

2104)

Consultants (2107)

Adjusters (2101(g), 2108)

Nonresident (2101(d, e);

2103(g)(5, 11); 2136)

Business entities (2101(p),

2103(j) (2))

Temporary (2109;

Regs 9, 18, 29, Part 20.1)

Maintenance and duration

Renewal (2103(j); Reg 5,

Reg 21.2)

Continuing education

(2132)

Assumed names (2102(f))

Change of address (all addresses,
including email) (2134; Reg 5,
Part 21.4; Reg 6, Part 22.3; Reg
7, Part 23.4))

Reporting of disciplinary actions

(2110(i))

Disciplinary actions

Cease and desist order

(2406)

Hearings – Notice and Process (304,
2405)

Suspension, revocation, and
nonrenewal (2110)

Penalties (2127)

1.2 State regulation

Superintendent's general duties

and powers (201, 301-305, 2404)

Company regulation

Certificate of authority

(1102 (a-b))

Solvency (307)

Unfair claim settlement

practices (2601;

Reg 64, Parts 216.3 to .6)

Appointment of agent

(2112(a-c))

Termination of agent

appointment (2112(d);

Regs 9, 18, 29, Part 20.2)

Unfair and prohibited practices

Misrepresentation (2123;

Reg 64, Part 216.3)

False advertising (2603)

Defamation of insurer

(2604)

Unfair discrimination

(2606-2608, 2612)

Rebating (2324)

Licensee regulation

Controlled business

(2103(i))

Sharing commissions

(2121, 2128)

Fiduciary responsibility

(2120; Regs 9, 18, 29 Parts 20.3,
20.4)

License display (Reg 125, Part
34.5)

Commissions and

compensation (2102(e),

2114-2116, 2119;

Regs 9, 18, 29 Part 20.6)

Termination responsibilities

of producer (2112)

Examination of books and

records (2404; Reg 152, Parts

243.0 to .3)

Insurance Frauds Prevention Act (401-
406)

Consumer privacy regulation

(Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to .24)

1.3 Federal regulation

Fair Credit Reporting Act

(15 USC 1681-1681d)

Fraud and false statements

including 1033 waiver

(18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE

2.1 Concepts

Risk management key terms

Risk

Exposure

Sections 1.0 and 2.0 (Insurance Regulation and General Insurance) are common to many of the examinations. Details of these sections appear only once, immediately below.

Note, however, that the section weights differ by examination. Similarly, combination examinations contain all of the content of the single-line examinations they combine and you are referred to the single-line outlines for details. Refer to the outline of the examination you plan to take for the individual section weights.

Hazard

Peril

Loss

Methods of handling risk

Avoidance

Retention

Sharing

Reduction

Transfer

Elements of insurable risks

Adverse selection

Law of large numbers

Reinsurance

2.2 Insurers

Types of insurers

Stock companies

Mutual companies

Fraternal benefit societies

Private versus government

Insurer

Admitted versus nonadmitted
insurers

Domestic, foreign and alien
insurers

Financial status (independent
rating services)

Marketing (distribution) systems

2.3 Agents and general rules of agency

Insurer as principal

Agent/insurer relationship

Authority and powers of agents

Express

Implied

Apparent

Responsibilities to the
applicant/insured

2.4 Contracts

Elements of a legal contract

Offer and acceptance

Consideration

Competent parties

Legal purpose

Characteristics of insurance
contracts

Contract of adhesion

Aleatory contract

Personal contract

Unilateral contract

Conditional contract

Legal concepts and
interpretations affecting
contracts

Reasonable expectations

Indemnity

Utmost good faith

Representations/

Misrepresentations (3105)

Warranties (3106)

Rescission
Concealment
Fraud
Waiver and estoppel

**LIFE INSURANCE AGENT/BROKER
EXAM SERIES 10-51**

100 questions - Two-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

(See Page 12)

2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE 10%

(See Page 12)

3.0 LIFE INSURANCE BASICS 22%

**3.1 Insurable interest
(3205)**

**3.2 Personal uses of life
insurance**

Survivor protection
Estate creation
Cash accumulation
Liquidity
Estate conservation

3.3 Viatical Settlements

(Reg 148, Part 380.2, 380.3, 380.6,
380.8; 2406; 7801-3)

Definitions
License requirements (Sec. 7802 (a))
License revocation
Viatical versus Life Settlements

**3.4 Determining amount of
personal life insurance**

Human life value approach
Needs approach
Types of information
gathered
Determining lump-sum
needs
Planning for income needs

**3.5 Business uses of life
insurance**

Buy-sell funding
Key person
Executive bonuses
Business continuation

**3.6 Differences in life insurance
policies**

Group versus individual
Permanent versus term
Participating versus
nonparticipating
Fixed versus variable life
Regulation of variable
products (SEC, NASD and
New York) (4240;
Reg 50.3, 54.3)

3.7 Factors in premium determination

Mortality, Investment Return, and
Expense
Mode of premium

3.8 Licensee responsibilities

Solicitation and sales
presentations
Advertising (2122)
Life Insurance Company
Guaranty Corporation
(7718)
Policy summary (3209;
Reg 74, Part 53-2.2)
Buyer's guide (3209;

Reg 74, Part 53-2.6)
Suitability
Illustrations
(Reg 74, Parts 53-3.1 to .6)
Life insurance policy cost
comparison methods
Replacement (2123(a)
(2, 3); Reg 60, Parts 51.1 to .8)
Use and disclosure of
insurance information
Field underwriting
Application procedures
including backdating of
policies (3208)
Delivery
Policy review
Effective date of coverage
Premium collection
Statement of good health
Amendments

**3.9 Individual underwriting by
the insurer**

Information sources and
regulation
Application
Agent report
Attending physician
statement
Investigative consumer
(inspection) report
Medical Information Bureau
(MIB)
Medical examinations and lab
tests including HIV (2611)
Selection criteria and unfair
discrimination
Classification of risks
Preferred
Standard
Substandard
Declined

4.0 Life Insurance Policies 16%

4.1 Term life insurance

Level term
Renewable term
Convertible term
Level premium term
Increasing and decreasing term

4.2 Whole life insurance

Continuous premium
(straight life)
Limited payment
Single premium
Modified premium whole life

4.3 Flexible premium policies

Adjustable life
Universal life

4.4 Specialized policies

Joint life (first-to-die)
Survivorship life (second-to-die)
Life insurance on minors (3207 (b))

4.5 Group life insurance

Characteristics of group plans
Types of plan sponsors
Group underwriting
requirements
Conversion to individual policy
(3220)

**4.6 Credit life insurance
(individual versus group)**

**5.0 LIFE INSURANCE POLICY
PROVISIONS, OPTIONS AND
RIDERS 19%**

5.1 Required provisions (3203)

Ownership
Assignment
Entire contract
(3203(a)(4), 3204)
Right to examine (free look)
(3203(a)(11))
Payment of premiums
Grace period (3203(a)(1))
Reinstatement (3203(a)(10))
Incontestability (3203(a)(3))
Misstatement of age
(3203(a)(5))
Exclusions (3203(b, c))
Statements of the applicant
(3204)
Proof of Death

5.2 Beneficiaries

Designation options
Individuals
Classes
(per stirpes/per capita)
Estates
Minors
Trusts
Succession
Revocable versus irrevocable
Common disaster clause

5.3 Settlement options

Cash payment
Interest only
Fixed-period installments
Fixed-amount installments
Life income
Single life
Joint and survivor
Spendthrift clause

5.4 Nonforfeiture options

Cash surrender value
Extended term
Reduced paid-up insurance

**5.5 Policy loan and withdrawal
options**

Policy loans
Automatic premium loans
Withdrawals or partial
surrenders

5.6 Dividend options

Cash payment
Reduction of premium payments
Accumulation at interest
One-year term option
Paid-up additions

5.7 Disability riders

Waiver of premium
Waiver of cost of insurance
Disability income benefit
Payor benefit life/disability
(juvenile insurance)

**5.8 Accelerated (living) benefit
provisions/riders (3230)**

Conditions for payment
Effect on death benefit

**5.9 Riders covering additional
insureds**

Spouse/other-insured term rider
Children's term rider
Family term rider

**5.10 Riders affecting the death
benefit amount**

Accidental death
Guaranteed insurability



Cost of living
Return of premium
Term rider

6.0 ANNUITIES 10%

6.1 Annuity principles and concepts

Accumulation period versus annuity period
Owner, annuitant and beneficiary
Insurance aspects of annuities

6.2 Required provisions (3219, 4220, 4223)

6.3 Immediate versus deferred annuities

Single premium immediate annuities (SPIAs)
Deferred annuities
Premium payment options
Nonforfeiture
Surrender and withdrawal charges
Death benefits

6.4 Annuity (benefit) payment options

Life contingency options
Pure life versus life with guaranteed minimum
Single life versus multiple life
Annuities certain (types)

6.5 Annuity products

Fixed annuities
General account assets
Interest rate guarantees (minimum versus current)
Level benefit payment amount
Equity indexed annuities

6.6 Uses of annuities

Group versus individual annuities
Qualified versus Nonqualified Plans
Personal uses
Tax-deferred growth
Retirement income
Education funds

7.0 FEDERAL TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES 9%

7.1 Taxation of personal life insurance

Amounts available to policyowner
Cash value increases
Dividends
Policy loans
Surrenders
Amounts received by beneficiary
General rule and exceptions
Settlement options
Values included in insured's estate

7.2 Modified endowment contracts (MECs)

Definition of modified endowment
Seven-pay test
Distributions

7.3 Taxation of non-qualified annuities

Individually-owned

Accumulation phase (taxation issues related to withdrawals)
Annuity phase and the exclusion ratio
Values included in the annuitant's estate
Distributions at death
Non-living (trusts, corporations) entity owned

7.4 Taxation of individual retirement accounts (IRAs)

Traditional IRAs
Contributions and deductible amounts
Premature distributions including taxation issues
Annuity phase benefit payments
Amounts received by beneficiary

Roth IRAs
Contributions and limits
Distributions

7.5 Rollovers and transfers (IRAs and qualified plans)

7.6 Section 1035 exchanges

8.0 QUALIFIED PLANS 4%

8.1 General requirements

Defined contribution versus defined benefit plan

8.2 Federal tax considerations

Tax advantages for employers and employees
Taxation of distributions (age-related)

8.3 Plan types, characteristics and purchasers

Self-employed plans (Keogh plans)

8.4 Section 529 plan characteristics (college savings programs)

ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE AGENT/BROKER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-52

100 questions - Two-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 8%

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2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE 7%

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3.0 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE BASICS 15%

3.1 Definitions of perils

Accidental injury
Sickness

3.2 Principal types of losses and benefits

Loss of income from disability
Hospital and medical expense
Long-term care expense

3.3 Classes of accident and health insurance coverage

Individual, sole proprietor, franchise and group
Private versus government
Limited versus comprehensive

3.4 Types of Limited policies

Limited benefits and amounts
Required notice to insured
Types of limited policies
Accident-only
Specified (dread) disease
Hospital indemnity (income)
Dental insurance
Diagnostic and preventive care
Scheduled benefits
Credit disability
Prescription drugs
Vision care

3.5 Common exclusions from coverage

Act of war
Participation in a felony
Preexisting condition
Self-inflicted injuries
Workers' Compensation
Marketing requirements
Advertising (Reg 34, Parts 215.1 to .18)

3.6 Licensee responsibilities in individual accident and health insurance

Sales presentations
Outline of coverage
Application procedures
Requirements at delivery of policy
Common situations for errors/omissions

3.7 Considerations in replacing accident and health insurance

Benefits, limitations and exclusions
Licensee liability for errors and omissions

3.8 Community rating of policies (4317; Reg 145, Part 360)

4.0 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY GENERAL PROVISIONS 10%

4.1 Required provisions

Entire contract; changes (3216(d)(1)(A))
Time limit on certain defenses (3216(d)(1)(B))
Grace period (3216(d)(1)(C))
Reinstatement (3216(d)(1)(D))
Claim procedures (3216(d)(1)(E-I))
Legal actions (3216(d)(1)(K))
Change of beneficiary (3216(d)(1)(L))

4.2 Other provisions

Misstatement of age (3216(d)(2)(B))
Other insurance in this insurer (3216(d)(2)(C))
Insurance with other insurers
Expense-incurred basis (3216(d)(2)(D))
Other benefits (3216(d)(2)(E))
Unpaid premium (3216(d)(2)(G))
Cancellation (3216(d)(2)(H))
Conformity with state statutes (3216(d)(2)(I))
Illegal occupation (3216(d)(2)(J))
Intoxicants and narcotics (3216(d)(2)(K))



4.3 Other general provisions

- Right to examine (free look)
- Insuring clause
- Consideration clause
- Renewability clause (3216(g))
 - Noncancelable
 - Guaranteed renewable

5.0 DISABILITY INCOME AND RELATED INSURANCE 10%

5.1 Qualifying for disability benefits

- Inability to perform duties
 - Own occupation
 - Any occupation
 - Presumptive disability
 - Proof of Loss

5.2 Individual disability income insurance

- Basic total disability plan
 - Income benefits
 - Elimination and benefit periods
 - Waiver of premium feature
- Coordination with social insurance and workers' compensation benefits
- Individual tax premium consideration
 - Additional monthly benefit (AMB)
 - Social insurance supplement (SIS)
 - Occupational versus nonoccupational coverage
- Other provisions affecting income benefits
 - Cost of living adjustment (COLA) rider
 - Future increase option (FIO) rider
 - Relation of earnings to insurance (3216(d)(2)(F))
- Benefits
 - Accidental death and dismemberment
 - Rehabilitation benefit
 - Medical reimbursement benefit (nondisabling injury)
 - Partial disability benefit
 - Residual disability benefit
 - Total disability benefit
 - 24-hour coverage versus limited/at-work coverage
 - Exclusions

5.3 Unique aspects of individual disability underwriting

- Occupational/avocational considerations
- Benefit limits
- Policy issuance alternatives

5.4 Group disability income insurance

- Group versus individual plans
- Short-term disability (STD)
- Long-term disability (LTD)

5.5 Business disability insurance

- Key person disability income
- Disability buy-sell policy
- Business overhead expense policy

6.0 MEDICAL PLANS 13%

6.1 Medical plan concepts

- Fee-for-service basis versus prepaid basis
- Specified coverages versus comprehensive care
- Benefit schedule versus usual/reasonable/customary charges
- Any provider versus limited choice of providers
- Insureds versus subscribers/participants

6.2 Types of plans

- Basic hospital, basic medical, basic surgical (Reg 62, Parts 52.5 to 52.7)
 - Characteristics
 - Common limitations
 - Exclusions from coverage
 - Provisions affecting cost to insureds
- Major medical insurance (indemnity plans)
 - Characteristics
 - Common limitations
 - Exclusions from coverage
 - Provisions affecting cost to insured
- Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)
 - General characteristics
 - Preventive care services
 - Primary care physician (PCP)
 - Referral (specialty) physician
 - Emergency care
 - Hospital services
 - Other basic services
 - Preferred provider organizations (PPOs) and point-of-service (POS) plans
 - General characteristics
 - In-network and out-of-network provider access
 - Primary Care Physician (PCP) referral
 - Indemnity plan features

6.3 Cost containment in health care delivery

- Cost-saving services
 - Preventive care
 - Hospital outpatient benefits
 - Alternatives to hospital services
- Utilization review
 - Prospective review
 - Concurrent review
 - Retrospective review

6.4 New York mandated benefits and offers (individual and/or group)

- Dependent child age limit (3216(a)(4))
- Full-time students (3216(a)(4)(B))
- Policy extension for handicapped children (3216(c)(4)(A))
- Newborn child coverage (3216(c)(4)(C))
- Timothy's Law
- Infertility

6.5 HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) requirements

- Eligibility
- Guaranteed issue

- Pre-existing conditions (3232)
- Creditable coverage (3232-a)
- Renewability
- Privacy protections

7.0 LONG-TERM CARE (LTC) INSURANCE 10%

7.1 Benefits

- LTC, Medicare and Medicaid compared
- Eligibility for benefits
- Levels of care
 - Skilled care
 - Intermediate care
 - Custodial care
- Types of care
 - Home health care
 - Adult day care
 - Respite care
 - Assisted living
 - Benefit periods
 - Benefit amounts
- Optional benefits
 - Reimbursement versus indemnity/cash
 - Inflation protection (COLA) (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(3))
 - Nonforfeiture benefits (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(7))
 - Guarantee of insurability
 - Return of premium
 - Shared care
 - Individual, group and association plans
 - Qualified versus non-qualified LTC plans
 - Exclusions (Reg 62, Part 52.25(b)(2))
 - Underwriting considerations
 - Suitability

7.2 New York regulations and required provisions

- Renewability (Reg 62, Part 52.25(b)(1))
- Required disclosure provisions (Reg 62, Part 52.65)
- Prohibited practices
- Replacement (Reg 62, Part 52.29)
- Permitted compensation arrangements (Reg 62, Part 52.25(e))
- New York State Partnership for Long Term Care (Reg 144, Part 39)
- Dollar for dollar or time element
- Medicaid Estate Recovery Act (OBRA '93)
- New York Tax Credit

8.0 GROUP HEALTH AND BLANKET INSURANCE 12%

8.1 Characteristics of group insurance

- Group contract
- Certificate of coverage
- Experience rating versus community rating
- Definition of eligible group (4235(b)(c))

8.2 Types of eligible groups (4235)

- Employment-related groups
 - Individual employer groups
 - Multiple Employer Trusts (METs) or Welfare Arrangements (MEWAs)
 - Taft-Hartley Trusts
 - Associations (alumni,



- professional and other)
- Customer groups (depositors, creditor-debtor and others)
- Blanket customer groups (teams, passengers, and others)

8.3 Regulation of employer group insurance plans

- Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA)
 - Applicability
 - Fiduciary responsibilities
 - Reporting and disclosure
 - Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- Age Discrimination in Employment Act (ADEA)
 - Applicability to employers and workers
 - Permitted reductions in insured benefits
 - Permitted increases in employee contributions
 - Requirements for medical expense coverage
- Civil Rights Act/Pregnancy Discrimination Act
 - Applicability
 - Guidelines
- Relationship with Medicare
 - Medicare secondary rules
 - Medicare carve-outs and supplements
 - Nondiscrimination rules (highly-compensated)

8.4 Types of funding and administration

- Conventional fully-insured plans
- Partially self-insured plans
 - Stop-loss coverage
 - Administrative-services only (ASO) arrangements
 - 501(c) (9) trust
- Fully self-insured (self-administered) plans
 - Characteristics
 - Conditions suitable for self-funding
 - Benefits suitable for self-funding

8.5 Marketing considerations

- Advertising
- Regulatory jurisdiction/place of delivery

8.6 Employer group health insurance

- Insurer underwriting criteria
 - Characteristics of group
 - Plan design factors
 - Persistency factors
 - Administrative capability
- Eligibility for coverage
 - Annual open enrollment
 - Employee eligibility
 - Dependent eligibility
 - Coordination of benefits provision (Reg 62, Part 52.23)
- Change of insurance companies or loss of coverage
 - Coinsurance and deductible carryover
 - No-loss no-gain
 - Events that terminate coverage
 - Extension of benefits
 - Continuation of coverage

- under COBRA and New York continuations
- Conversion privilege (3221(e))

8.7 Small employer medical plans

- Definition of small employer (Reg 145, Part 360.2(f))
- Benefit plans offered
- Availability of coverage (Reg 145, Parts 360.2(e), .3)
- Renewability (Reg 145, Part 360.2(e))

9.0 GOVERNMENT HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS 10%

9.1 Worker's compensation

- Eligibility
- Benefits

9.2 Social Security Disability

- Qualifications for disability benefits
- Definition of disability
- Waiting period
- Disability income benefits

9.3 New York State Disability Benefits Law

- Purpose
- Definitions
- Employment covered
- Benefits

9.4 Medicaid

- Eligibility and Benefits
- Child Health Plus
 - Eligibility and Benefits
- Family Health Plus
 - Eligibility and Benefits

9.5 Medicare

- Nature, financing, and administration
- Part A — Hospital Insurance
 - Individual eligibility requirements
 - Enrollment
 - Coverages and cost-sharing amounts
- Part B — Medical Insurance
 - Individual eligibility requirements
 - Enrollment
 - Coverages and cost-sharing amounts
 - Exclusions
 - Claims terminology and other key terms
- Medicare Select (Reg 62, Part 52.14)
- Part C — Medicare Advantage
- Part D — Prescription Drug Insurance

9.6 Healthy New York (4326)

9.7 Medical Savings Accounts (MSA's)

9.8 Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) and Health Savings Accounts (HSAs)

- Definition
- Eligibility
- Contribution

10.0 PRIVATE INSURANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND SPECIAL NEEDS INDIVIDUALS 5%

10.1 Medicare supplements

- Purpose
- Open enrollment (Reg 62, Part 52.22(k))
- Standardized Medicare supplement plans

- Core benefits
- Additional benefits
- New York regulations and required provisions
- Standards for marketing (Reg 62, Part 52.22(i))
- Permitted compensation arrangements (Reg 62, Part 52.22(h))
- Appropriateness of recommended purchase or replacement (Reg 62, Part 52.22(f)(4))
- Replacement (Reg 62, Part 52.22(f, g))
- Disclosure statement (Reg 62, Part 52.63)
- Renewability (Reg 62, Part 52.22(b)(1)(i))

10.2 Other Medicare options for individuals

- Disabled individuals
- Individuals with kidney failure
- Employer group health plans
- Employees age 65 or older

PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE AGENT EXAMINATION SERIES 10-53

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1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

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2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE 10%

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3.0 PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE BASICS 16%

3.1 Principles and concepts

- Insurable interest
- Underwriting
 - Function
 - Loss ratio
 - Prohibition of geographical redlining (3429, 3429-a, 3430, 3433; Reg 90, Parts 218.1 to .9)
- Rates
 - Types
 - Loss costs
 - Components
- Hazards
 - Physical
 - Moral
 - Morale
- Negligence
 - Elements of a negligent act
 - Defenses against negligence
- Damages
 - Compensatory — special versus general
 - Punitive
 - Absolute liability
 - Strict liability
 - Vicarious liability
 - Causes of loss (perils)
 - Named perils versus special (open) perils
 - Direct loss
 - Consequential or indirect loss
 - Blanket versus specific insurance
 - Basic types of construction

- Loss valuation
 - Actual cash value
 - Replacement cost
 - Functional replacement cost
 - Market value
 - Agreed value
 - Stated amount
- Earned premium calculation
 - Pro rata versus short rate

3.2 Policy structure

- Declarations
- Definitions
- Insuring agreement or clause
- Additional/supplementary coverage
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Endorsements

3.3 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
- Policy period
- Policy territory
- Cancellation and nonrenewal (3425, 3426)
- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata share
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Aggregate — general versus products/completed operations
 - Split
 - Combined single
- Coinurance
- Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Named insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
- Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options
 - Duty to defend
- Third-party provisions
 - Standard mortgage clause
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to the bailee

3.4 Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 and Extension Act of 2007 (15 USC 6701; S467)

4.0 DWELLING (2002) POLICY 6%

4.1 Purpose and eligibility

4.2 Coverage forms — Perils insured against

- Basic
- Broad
- Special

4.3 Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling
- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Fair rental value
- Coverage E — Additional living expense
- Other coverages

4.4 General exclusions

4.5 Conditions

4.6 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (DP 01 31)
- Automatic increase in insurance (DP 04 11)
- Broad theft coverage (DP 04 72)
- Dwelling under construction (DP 11 43)

4.7 Personal liability supplement

5.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 15%

5.1 Purpose and eligibility

5.2 Coverage forms

- HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8

5.3 Definitions

5.4 Section I — Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling
- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Loss of use
- Additional coverages

5.5 Section II — Liability coverages

- Coverage E — Personal liability
- Coverage F — Medical payments to others
- Additional coverages

5.6 Perils insured against

5.7 Exclusions

5.8 Conditions

5.9 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (HO 01 31)
- Earthquake (HO 04 54)
- Identity fraud expense (HO 04 55)
- Scheduled personal property (HO 61 10)
- Personal property replacement cost (HO 04 90)
- Home business (HO 07 01)
- Personal injury — New York (HO 24 86)
- Workers' compensation — certain residence employees — New York (HO 24 93)
- Builders risk changes — standard property policy (CP 11 00 06 95)
- Water Back Up and Sump Discharge or Overflow (HO 23 85)

6.0 AUTO INSURANCE 10%

6.1 Laws

- New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
 - Required limits of liability (Veh & Traf 333)
 - Required proof of insurance (Veh & Traf 311(3))
 - Insurance Information and Enforcement System (IIES) notification to DMV (Veh & Traf 313(2))
- New York Automobile Insurance Plan (5301-5304)
 - Purpose
 - Eligibility
 - Coverage
 - Binding authority
- Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Reparatons Act (PIP) (5101-5108)
 - Notice of claim
 - Medical
 - Rehabilitation

- Loss of earnings
- Funeral
- Substitution services
- Tort limitation/verbal threshold

Optional coverages

- OBEL
- Additional PIP
- Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnification Corporation Act (5201-5225)
- Uninsured motorist (3420(f))
 - Definitions
 - Bodily injury only
 - Required limits
 - Mandatory coverage

Supplementary

- uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-A, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)
- Definitions
- Optional
- Nonstacking
- Coverage limits

Mandatory inspection

- requirements for private passenger automobiles (Reg 79, Parts 67.0 to .11)

- Cancellation/nonrenewal (3425)
 - Grounds
 - Notice

- Choice of repair shop (2610)
- Supplemental spousal liability(3420(g))

6.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

Purpose and eligibility

Definitions

Liability coverage

- Bodily injury and property damage
- Supplementary payments
- Who is insured
- Exclusions

Medical payments coverage

- Coverage for damage to your auto
 - Collision
 - Other than collision
 - Deductibles
 - Transportation expenses
 - Exclusions

Duties after an accident or loss

General provisions

Selected endorsements

- Amendment of policy provisions — New York (PP 01 79)

- Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)

- Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)

- Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)

- Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)

- Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

6.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

Commercial auto coverage forms

- Business auto
- Garage
- Truckers
- Motor carrier

Coverage form sections

- Covered autos
- Liability coverage



- Garagekeepers coverage
- Physical damage coverage
- Exclusions
- Conditions
- Definitions
- Selected endorsements
 - Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
 - Mobile equipment (CA 20 15)
 - Auto medical payments coverage (CA 99 03)
 - Drive other car coverage (CA 99 10)
- Individual named insured (CA 99 17)
- Employees as insureds (CA 99 33)
- Commercial carrier regulations
 - The Motor Carrier Act of 1980
- Endorsement for motor carrier policies of insurance for public liability (MCS-90)

7.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 10%

7.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

7.2 Commercial general liability (2007)

- Commercial general liability coverage forms
 - Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Medical payments coverage
 - Exclusions
 - Supplementary payments
 - Who is an insured
 - Limits of insurance
 - Conditions
 - Definitions
 - Occurrence versus claims-made
- Claims made features (Reg 121, Part 73)
 - Trigger
 - Retroactive date
 - Extended reporting periods — basic versus supplemental
 - Claim information
 - Premises and operations
 - Products and completed operations
 - Insured contract
 - Owners and contractors protective liability

7.3 Commercial property (2000)

- Commercial property conditions (CP 00 90)
- Coverage forms
 - Building and personal property
 - Condominium association
 - Condominium commercial unit-owners
 - Builders risk (CP 11 21)
 - Business income
 - Legal liability
 - Extra expense
- Definitions

- Causes of loss forms
 - Basic
 - Broad
 - Special
- Selected endorsements
 - Ordinance or law (CP 04 05)
 - Spoilage (CP 04 40)
 - Earthquake and volcanic eruption (CP 10 40)
 - Flood coverage (CP 10 65)
 - Peak season limit of insurance (CP 12 30)
 - Value reporting (CP 13 10)

7.4 Commercial crime (2006)

- General definitions
 - Burglary
 - Theft
 - Robbery
 - Coverage trigger — discovery and loss sustained
- Crime coverage forms
 - Commercial crime coverage forms
 - Government crime coverage forms

Coverages

- Employee theft
- Forgery or alteration
- Inside the premises — theft of money and securities
- Inside the premises — robbery or safe burglary of other property
- Outside the premises
- Computer fraud
- Funds transfer fraud
- Money orders and counterfeit money

7.5 Commercial inland marine

- Nationwide marine definition
- Commercial inland marine conditions forms
- Commercial Inland marine coverage forms
 - Accounts receivable
 - Commercial articles
 - Contractors equipment floater
 - Electronic data processing
 - Equipment dealers
 - Installation floater
 - Jewelers block
 - Signs
 - Valuable papers and records

Transportation coverages

- Common carrier legal liability
- Motor truck cargo
- Transit coverage

7.6 Boiler and machinery (2001)

- Equipment breakdown protection coverage form (BM 00 20)
- Selected endorsements
 - Business income — Report of values (BM 15 31)
 - Actual cash value (BM 99 59)

7.7 Farm coverage (1998)

- Farm property coverage forms
 - Coverage A — Dwellings
 - Coverage B — Other private structures

- Coverage C — Household personal property
- Coverage D — Loss of use
- Coverage E — Scheduled farm personal property
- Coverage F — Unscheduled farm personal property
- Coverage G — Other farm structures
- Farm liability coverage forms
 - Coverage H — Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Coverage I — Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Coverage J — Medical payments
- Mobile agricultural machinery and equipment coverage form
- Livestock coverage form
- Definitions
- Cause of loss (basic, broad and special)
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Limits
- Additional coverages

8.0 Businessowners (2006) Policy 8%

8.1 Purpose and eligibility

8.2 Businessowners property coverage forms (standard and special)

- Coverage
- Causes of loss
- Exclusions
- Limits of insurance
- Deductibles
- Loss conditions
- General conditions
- Optional coverages
- Additional coverages
- Definitions

8.3 Businessowners liability coverage form

- Coverages
- Exclusions
- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- General conditions
- Definitions

8.4 Businessowners common policy conditions form

8.5 Selected endorsements

- Protective safeguards (BP 04 30)
- Hired auto and non-owned auto liability — New York (BP 04 36)
- Utility services — direct damage (BP 04 56)
- Utility services — time element (BP 04 57)

9.0 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE 5%

9.1 Workers' Compensation laws

- Types of laws
 - Monopolistic versus competitive
 - Compulsory versus elective
- New York Workers' Compensation Law
 - Exclusive remedy (WC 11)

- Employment covered (required, voluntary) (WC 2(3, 4, 5), 10)
- Covered injuries (WC 2(7), 10, 13, 18)
- Grave injuries (WC 11)
- Occupational disease (WC 3(2), 37-48)
- Benefits provided (WC 12-16)
- Special disability fund (WC 15(8)(h))
- Claims reporting requirements (Workers' Compensation Board Regulation Part 314.7))
- Federal Workers' Compensation laws
- Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA)(45 USC 51-60)
- U.S. Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC 904)
- The Jones Act (46 USC 688)
- 9.2 Workers' Compensation and employers liability insurance policy**
- General section
- Part One — Workers compensation insurance
- Part Two — Employers liability insurance
- Part Three — Other states insurance
- Part Four — Your duties if injury occurs
- Part Five — Premium
- Part Six — Conditions
- Selected endorsements
 - Voluntary compensation
 - Foreign coverage endorsement
- 9.3 Premium computation**
- Job classification — payroll and rates
- Experience modification factor
- Premium discounts
- Participation (dividend) plans
- 9.4 Other sources of coverage**
- New York State Insurance Fund (WC 76-100)
- Self-insured employers and employer groups (WC 50, 60-75-a; Workers' Compensation Board Regulation Parts 317.1 to .22)
- 9.5 New York State Disability Benefits Law**
- Purpose
- Definitions
- Employment covered
- Benefits

10.0 OTHER COVERAGES AND OPTIONS 10%

10.1 Umbrella/excess liability policies

- Personal (DL 98 01)
- Commercial (CU 00 01)

10.2 Specialty liability insurance

- Errors and omissions
- Professional liability
- Directors and officers liability
- Fiduciary liability
- Liquor liability
- Employment practices liability

- Environmental liability
- 10.3 Excess lines (Reg 41 Part 27)**
- Definition of Excess Lines
- Licensing requirements (2105)
- Total cost form
- Affidavit
- Export list
- Disclosure (no guaranty fund)
- 10.4 Surety bonds**
- Principal, obligee, surety
- License and permit bonds
- Bid bond
- Performance bond
- Labor and materials bond
- 10.5 Aviation insurance**
- Aircraft hull
- Aircraft liability
- 10.6 Ocean marine insurance**
- Major coverages
 - Hull insurance
 - Cargo insurance
 - Freight insurance
 - Protection and indemnity
- Implied warranties
- Perils
- General and particular average
- 10.7 National Flood Insurance Program**
- "Write your own" versus direct
- Eligibility
- Coverage
 - Flood definition
 - Limits
 - Deductibles
 - Increased cost of compliance
- Forms
 - Dwelling
 - General
 - Residential Condominium Building Association Policy

10.8 Other policies

- Watercraft
- Difference in conditions
- Identity theft
- Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

10.9 New York Property Insurance Underwriting Association (FAIR PLAN) (5401-5412)

- Purpose
- Coverage
- Coastal Market Assistance Program (C-MAP)

PERSONAL LINES INSURANCE AGENT/BROKER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-54

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 - Market value
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- Policy territory
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- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata share
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Split
 - Combined single
- Coinsurance
- Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Named insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment



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4.1 Purpose and eligibility

4.2 Coverage forms — Perils insured against

Basic
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4.3 Property coverages

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4.4 General exclusions

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4.6 Selected endorsements

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 Dwelling under construction (DP 11 43)

4.7 Personal liability supplement

5.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 23%

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5.2 Coverage forms

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5.3 Definitions

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5.9 Selected endorsements

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(CP 11 00 06 95)
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6.0 AUTO INSURANCE 21%

6.1 Laws

New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
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 Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnification Corporation Act (5201-5225)

Uninsured motorist (3420(f))

Definitions
 Bodily injury only
 Required limits
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Supplementary uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-A, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)

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 Mandatory inspection requirements for private passenger automobiles (Reg 79, Parts 67.0 to .11)

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6.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

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 Bodily injury and property damage
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Collision
 Other than collision
 Deductibles
 Transportation expenses
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Duties after an accident or loss

General provisions

Selected endorsements
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Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)

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Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)

Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)

Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

7.0 OTHER COVERAGES AND OPTIONS 8%

7.1 Umbrella/excess liability policies

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7.2 National Flood Insurance Program

"Write your own" versus direct

Eligibility

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Flood definition

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Increased cost of compliance

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7.3 Other policies

Watercraft

Identity theft

Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

7.4 New York Property Insurance Underwriting Association (FAIR PLAN) (5401-5412)

Purpose

Coverage

Coastal market assistance program

7.5 Excess Lines (Reg 41, Part 27)

Definition of Excess Lines

Licensing requirements (2105)

Total cost form

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3.2 Personal uses of life insurance

- Survivor protection
- Estate creation
- Cash accumulation
- Liquidity
- Estate conservation

3.3 Viatical Settlements

(Reg 148, Part 380.2, 380.3, 380.6, 380.8; 2406; 7801-3)

- Definitions
- License requirements (Sec.7802(a))
- License revocation
- Viatical versus Life Settlements

3.4 Determining amount of personal life insurance

- Human life value approach
- Needs approach
 - Types of information gathered
- Determining lump-sum needs
- Planning for income needs

3.5 Business uses of life insurance

- Buy-sell funding
- Key person
- Executive bonuses
- Business continuation

3.6 Differences in life insurance policies

- Group versus individual
- Permanent versus term
- Participating versus nonparticipating
- Fixed versus variable life
- Regulation of variable products (SEC, NASD and New York) (4240; Reg 47, Part 50.3; Reg 77, Part 54.3)

3.7 Factors in premium determination

- Mortality, Investment Return, and Expense
- Mode of premium

3.8 Licensee responsibilities

- Solicitation and sales presentations
 - Advertising (2122)
 - Life Insurance Company Guaranty Corporation (7718)
 - Policy summary (3209; Reg 74, Part 53-2.2)
 - Buyer's guide (3209; Reg 74, Part 53-2.6)
 - Suitability
 - Illustrations (Reg 74, Parts 53-3.1 to .6)
 - Life insurance policy cost comparison methods
 - Replacement (2123(a) (2, 3); Reg 60, Parts 51.1 to .8)
 - Use and disclosure of insurance information
- Field underwriting
 - Application procedures including backdating of policies (3208)
- Delivery

- Policy review
- Effective date of coverage
- Premium collection
- Statement of good health
- Amendments

3.9 Individual underwriting by the insurer

- Information sources and regulation
 - Application
 - Agent report
 - Attending physician statement
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 - Medical examinations and lab tests including HIV (2611)
 - Selection criteria and unfair discrimination
- Classification of risks
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4.0 LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES 8%

4.1 Term life insurance

- Level term
- Renewable term
- Convertible term
- Level premium term
- Increasing and decreasing term

4.2 Whole life insurance

- Continuous premium (straight life)
- Limited payment
- Single premium
- Modified premium whole life

4.3 Flexible premium policies

- Adjustable life
- Universal life

4.4 Specialized policies

- Joint life (first-to-die)
- Survivorship life (second-to-die)
- Life insurance on minors (3207 (b))

4.5 Group life insurance

- Characteristics of group plans
- Types of plan sponsors
- Group underwriting requirements
- Conversion to individual policy (3220)

4.6 Credit life insurance (individual versus group)

5.0 LIFE INSURANCE POLICY PROVISIONS, OPTIONS AND RIDERS 11%

5.1 Required provisions (3203)

- Ownership
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- Entire contract (3203(a)(4), 3204)
- Right to examine (free look) (3203(a)(11))
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- Grace period (3203(a)(1))
- Reinstatement (3203(a)(10))
- Incontestability (3203(a)(3))
- Misstatement of age (3203(a)(5))
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5.2 Beneficiaries

- Designation options
 - Individuals
 - Classes (per stirpes/per capita)
 - Estates
 - Minors
 - Trusts
 - Succession
 - Revocable versus irrevocable
 - Common disaster clause

5.3 Settlement options

- Cash payment
- Interest only
- Fixed-period installments
- Fixed-amount installments
- Life income
 - Single life
 - Joint and survivor
 - Spendthrift clause

5.4 Nonforfeiture options

- Cash surrender value
- Extended term
- Reduced paid-up insurance

5.5 Policy loan and withdrawal options

- Policy loans
- Automatic premium loans
- Withdrawals or partial surrenders

5.6 Dividend options

- Cash payment
- Reduction of premium payments
- Accumulation at interest
- One-year term option
- Paid-up additions

5.7 Disability riders

- Waiver of premium
- Waiver of cost of insurance
- Disability income benefit
- Payor benefit life/disability (juvenile insurance)

5.8 Accelerated (living) benefit provisions/riders (3230)

- Conditions for payment
- Effect on death benefit

5.9 Riders covering additional insureds

- Spouse/other-insured term rider
- Children's term rider
- Family term rider

5.10 Riders affecting the death benefit amount

- Accidental death
- Guaranteed insurability
- Cost of living
- Return of premium
- Term rider

6.0 ANNUITIES 6%

6.1 Annuity principles and concepts

- Accumulation period versus annuity period
- Owner, annuitant and beneficiary
- Insurance aspects of annuities

6.2 Required provisions (3219, 4220, 4223)

6.3 Immediate versus deferred annuities

- Single premium immediate annuities (SPIAs)



- Deferred annuities
 - Premium payment options
 - Nonforfeiture
 - Surrender and withdrawal charges
 - Death benefits

6.4 Annuity (benefit) payment options

- Life contingency options
- Pure life versus life with guaranteed minimum
- Single life versus multiple life
- Annuities certain (types)

6.5 Annuity products

- Fixed annuities
 - General account assets
 - Interest rate guarantees (minimum versus current)
 - Level benefit payment amount
 - Equity indexed annuities

6.6 Uses of annuities

- Group versus individual annuities
- Qualified versus Nonqualified Plans
- Personal uses
 - Tax-deferred growth
 - Retirement income
 - Education funds

7.0 FEDERAL TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES 3%

7.1 Taxation of personal life insurance

- Amounts available to policyowner
 - Cash value increases
 - Dividends
 - Policy loans
 - Surrenders
- Amounts received by beneficiary
 - General rule and exceptions
 - Settlement options
 - Values included in insured's estate

7.2 Modified endowment contracts (MECs)

- Definition of modified endowment
- Seven-pay test
- Distributions

7.3 Taxation of non-qualified annuities

- Individually-owned
 - Accumulation phase (taxation issues related to withdrawals)
 - Annuity phase and the exclusion ratio
 - Values included in the annuitant's estate
 - Distributions at death
 - Non-living (trusts, corporations) entity owned

7.4 Taxation of individual retirement accounts (IRAs)

- Traditional IRAs
 - Contributions and deductible amounts
 - Premature distributions including taxation issues
 - Annuity phase benefit

- payments
 - Amounts received by beneficiary
- Roth IRAs
 - Contributions and limits
 - Distributions

7.5 Rollovers and transfers (IRAs and qualified plans)

7.6 Section 1035 exchanges

8.0 QUALIFIED PLANS 2%

8.1 General requirements

- Defined contribution versus defined benefit plan

8.2 Federal tax considerations

- Tax advantages for employers and employees
- Taxation of distributions (age-related)

8.3 Plan types, characteristics and purchasers

- Self-employed plans (Keogh plans)

8.4 Section 529 plan characteristics (college savings programs)

9.0 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE BASICS 5%

9.1 Definitions of perils

- Accidental injury
- Sickness

9.2 Principal types of losses and benefits

- Loss of income from disability
- Hospital and medical expense
- Long-term care expense

9.3 Classes of accident and health insurance coverage

- Individual, sole proprietor, franchise and group
- Private versus government
- Limited versus comprehensive

9.4 Types of Limited policies

- Limited benefits and amounts
- Required notice to insured
- Types of limited policies
 - Accident-only
 - Specified (dread) disease
 - Hospital indemnity (income)
 - Dental insurance
 - Diagnostic and preventative care
 - Scheduled benefits
 - Credit disability
 - Prescription drugs
 - Vision care

9.5 Common exclusions from coverage

- Act of war
- Participation in a felony
- Preexisting conditions
- Self-inflicted injuries
- Workers' Compensation

9.6 Licensee responsibilities in individual accident and health insurance

- Marketing requirements
 - Advertising (Reg 34, Part 215.1 to .18)
 - Sales presentations
 - Outline of coverage
 - Application procedures
 - Requirements at delivery of policy
 - Common situations for

- errors/omissions

9.7 Considerations in replacing accident and health insurance

- Benefits, limitations and exclusions
- Licensee liability for errors and omissions

9.8 Community rating of policies (4317; Reg 145, Part 360)

10.0 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY GENERAL PROVISIONS 4%

10.1 Required provisions

- Entire contract; changes (3216(d)(1)(A))
- Time limit on certain defenses (3216(d)(1)(B))
- Grace period (3216(d)(1)(C))
- Reinstatement (3216(d)(1)(D))
- Claim procedures (3216(d)(1)(E-I))
- Legal actions (3216(d)(1)(K))
- Change of beneficiary (3216(d)(1)(L))

10.2 Other provisions

- Misstatement of age (3216(d)(2)(B))
- Other insurance in this insurer (3216(d)(2)(C))
- Insurance with other insurers
 - Expense-incurred basis (3216(d)(2)(D))
 - Other benefits (3216(d)(2)(E))
 - Unpaid premium (3216(d)(2)(G))
 - Cancellation (3216(d)(2)(H))
 - Conformity with state statutes (3216(d)(2)(I))
 - Illegal occupation (3216(d)(2)(J))
 - Intoxicants and narcotics (3216(d)(2)(K))

10.3 Other general provisions

- Right to examine (free look)
- Insuring clause
- Consideration clause
- Renewability clause (3216(g))
 - Noncancelable
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11.0 DISABILITY INCOME AND RELATED INSURANCE 5%

11.1 Qualifying for disability benefits

- Inability to perform duties
 - Own occupation
 - Any occupation
 - Presumptive disability
 - Proof of Loss

11.2 Individual disability income insurance

- Basic total disability plan
- Income benefits
- Elimination and benefit periods
 - Waiver of premium feature
- Coordination with social insurance and workers compensation benefits
- Individual tax premium consideration
 - Additional Monthly Benefit (AMB)
 - Social Insurance Supplement

- (SIS)
- Occupational versus nonoccupational coverage
- Other provisions affecting income benefits
- Cost of living adjustment (COLA) rider
- Future increase option (FIO) rider
- Relation of earnings to insurance (3216(d)(2)(F))

Benefits

- Accidental death and dismemberment
- Rehabilitation benefit
- Medical reimbursement benefit (nondisabling injury)
- Partial disability benefit
- Residual disability benefit
- Total disability benefit
- 24-hour coverage versus limited/at-work coverage
- Exclusions

11.3 Unique aspects of individual disability underwriting

- Occupational/avocational considerations

- Benefit limits

- Policy issuance alternatives

11.4 Group disability income insurance

- Group versus individual plans
- Short-term disability (STD)
- Long-term disability (LTD)

11.5 Business disability insurance

- Key person disability income
- Disability buy-sell policy
- Business overhead expense policy

12.0 MEDICAL PLANS 7%

12.1 Medical plan concepts

- Fee-for-service basis versus prepaid basis
- Specified coverages versus comprehensive care
- Benefit schedule versus usual/reasonable/customary charges
- Any provider versus limited choice of providers
- Insureds versus subscribers/participants

12.2 Types of plans

- Basic hospital, basic medical, basic surgical (Reg 62, Parts 52.5 to 52.7)
 - Characteristics
 - Common limitations
 - Exclusions from coverage
 - Provisions affecting cost to insureds
- Major medical insurance (indemnity plans)
 - Characteristics
 - Common limitations
 - Exclusions from coverage
 - Provisions affecting cost to insured
- Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)
 - General characteristics

- Preventive care services
- Primary Care Physician (PCP)
- Referral (specialty) physician
- Emergency care
- Hospital services
- Other basic services
- Preferred Provider Organizations (PPOs) and Point-of-Service (POS) plans
- General characteristics
- In-network and out-of-network provider access
- Primary Care Physician (PCP) referral
- Indemnity plan features

12.3 Cost containment in health care delivery

- Cost-saving services
 - Preventive care
 - Hospital outpatient benefits
 - Alternatives to hospital services
- Utilization review
 - Prospective review
 - Concurrent review
 - Retrospective review

12.4 New York mandated benefits and offers (individual and/or group)

- Dependent child age limit (3216(a)(4))
- Full-time students (3216(a)(4)(B))
- Policy extension for handicapped children (3216(c)(4)(A))
- Newborn child coverage (3216(c)(4)(C))
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12.5 HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) requirements

- Eligibility
- Guaranteed issue
- Pre-existing conditions (3232)
- Creditable coverage (3232-a)
- Renewability
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13.0 LONG-TERM CARE (LTC) INSURANCE 10%

13.1 Benefits

- LTC, Medicare and Medicaid compared
- Eligibility for benefits
- Levels of care
 - Skilled care
 - Intermediate care
 - Custodial care
- Types of care
 - Home health care
 - Adult day care
 - Respite care
 - Assisted living
 - Benefit periods
 - Benefit amounts
- Optional benefits
 - Reimbursement versus indemnity/cash
 - Inflation protection (COLA) (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(3))
 - Nonforfeiture benefits (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(7))
 - Guarantee of insurability

- Return of premium
- Shared care
- Individual, group and association plans
- Qualified versus non-qualified LTC plans
- Exclusions (Reg 62, Part 52.25(b)(2))
- Underwriting considerations
- Suitability

13.2 New York regulations and required provisions

- Renewability (Reg 62, Part 52.25(b)(1))
- Required disclosure provisions (Reg 62, Part 52.65)
- Prohibited practices
- Replacement (Reg 62, Part 52.29)
- Permitted compensation arrangements (Reg 62, Part 52.25(e))
- New York State Partnership for Long Term Care (Reg 144, Part 39)
- Dollar for dollar or time element
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- New York Tax credit

14.0 GROUP HEALTH AND BLANKET INSURANCE 6%

14.1 Characteristics of group insurance

- Group contract
- Certificate of coverage
- Experience rating versus community rating
- Definition of eligible group (4235(b)(c))

14.2 Types of eligible groups (4235)

- Employment-related groups
 - Individual employer groups
 - Multiple Employer Trusts (METs) or Welfare Arrangements (MEWAs)
 - Taft-Hartley Trusts
 - Associations (alumni, professional and other)
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14.3 Regulation of employer group insurance plans

- Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA)
 - Applicability
 - Fiduciary responsibilities
 - Reporting and disclosure
 - Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- Age Discrimination in Employment Act (ADEA)
 - Applicability to employers and workers
 - Permitted reductions in insured benefits
 - Permitted increases in employee contributions
 - Requirements for medical expense coverage
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 - Applicability
 - Guidelines
- Relationship with Medicare
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Medicare carve-outs and supplements
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14.4 Types of funding and administration

Conventional fully-insured plans
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14.5 Marketing considerations

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14.6 Employer group health insurance

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14.7 Small employer medical plans

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15.2 Social Security Disability

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15.3 New York State Disability Benefits Law

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15.5 Medicare

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16.0 PRIVATE INSURANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND SPECIAL NEEDS INDIVIDUALS 6%

16.1 Medicare supplements

Purpose
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Permitted compensation arrangements (Reg 62, Part 52.22(h))
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16.2 Other Medicare options for individuals

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3.2 Policy structure

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3.3 Common policy provisions

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- (3425, 3426)
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- Definitions

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 - Bodily injury and property damage
 - Supplementary payments
 - Who is insured
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- Coverage for damage to your auto
 - Collision
 - Other than collision
 - Deductibles
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 - Duties after an accident or loss

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- Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)
- Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)
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6.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

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- Business auto

- Garage
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- Covered autos
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- Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
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7.1 Components of a commercial policy

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7.2 Commercial general liability (2007)

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damage liability
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made

Claims made features (Reg 121, Part 73)

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Extended reporting periods
- basic versus
supplemental
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operations
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7.3 Commercial property (2000)

Commercial property
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7.4 Commercial crime (2006)

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7.5 Commercial inland marine

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7.6 Boiler and machinery (2001)

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7.7 Farm coverage (1998)

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8.3 Businessowners liability coverage form

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8.4 Businessowners common policy conditions form

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Monopolistic versus
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Exclusive remedy
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(WC 12-16)
Special disability fund
(WC 15(8)(h))
Claims reporting

requirements (Workers' Compensation Board Regulation Part 314.7)
Federal Workers' Compensation laws

Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA)
(45 USC 51-60)
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(46 USC 688)

9.2 Workers' compensation and employers liability insurance policy

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9.3 Premium computation

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9.4 Other sources of coverage

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10.3 Excess lines (Reg 41, Part 27)

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10.4 Surety bonds

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10.6 Ocean marine insurance

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11.2 Disability income and related insurance

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11.3 Individual disability income insurance

Basic total disability plan
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11.4 Medical plans

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- 5.3 Settlement options**
 - Cash payment
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6.0 ANNUITIES 6%

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 - Owner, annuitant and beneficiary
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 - Death benefits
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 - Life contingency options
 - Pure life versus life with guaranteed minimum
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 - General account assets
 - Interest rate guarantees (minimum versus current)
 - Level benefit payment amount
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6.6 Uses of annuities

- Group versus individual annuities
- Qualified versus Nonqualified Plans
- Personal uses
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7.0 FEDERAL TAX CONSIDERATIONS FOR LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES 3%

7.1 Taxation of personal life insurance

- Amounts available to policyowner
 - Cash value increases
 - Dividends
 - Policy loans
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- Amounts received by beneficiary
 - General rule and exceptions
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 - Values included in insured's estate

7.2 Modified endowment contracts (MECs)

- Definition of modified endowment
- Seven-pay test
- Distributions

7.3 Taxation of non-qualified annuities

- Individually-owned
 - Accumulation phase (taxation issues related to withdrawals)
 - Annuity phase and the exclusion ratio
 - Values included in the annuitant's estate
 - Distributions at death
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7.4 Taxation of individual retirement accounts (IRAs)

- Traditional IRAs
 - Contributions and deductible amounts
 - Premature distributions including taxation issues
 - Annuity phase benefit payments
 - Amounts received by beneficiary
- Roth IRAs
 - Contributions and limits
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7.5 Rollovers and transfers (IRAs and qualified plans)

7.6 Section 1035 exchanges

8.0 QUALIFIED PLANS 2%

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- Defined contribution versus defined benefit plan

8.2 Federal tax considerations

- Tax advantages for employers and employees
- Taxation of distributions (age-related)

8.3 Plan types, characteristics and purchasers

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8.4 Section 529 plan characteristics (college savings programs)

9.0 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE BASICS 5%

9.1 Definitions of perils

- Accidental injury
- Sickness

9.2 Principal types of losses and benefits

- Loss of income from disability
- Hospital and medical expense
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9.3 Classes of accident and health insurance coverage

- Individual, sole proprietor, franchise and group
- Private versus government
- Limited versus comprehensive

9.4 Types of Limited policies

- Limited benefits and amounts
- Required notice to insured
- Types of limited policies
 - Accident-only
 - Specified (dread) disease
 - Hospital indemnity (income)
 - Dental insurance
 - Diagnostic and preventative care
 - Scheduled benefits
 - Credit disability
 - Prescription drugs
 - Vision care

9.5 Common exclusions from coverage

- Act of war
- Participation in a felony
- Preexisting conditions
- Self-inflicted injuries
- Workers' Compensation

9.6 Licensee responsibilities in individual accident and health insurance

- Marketing requirements
 - Advertising (Reg 34, Part 215.1 to .18)
 - Sales presentations
 - Outline of coverage
 - Application procedures
 - Requirements at delivery of policy
 - Common situations for errors/omissions

9.7 Considerations in replacing accident and health insurance

- Benefits, limitations and exclusions
- Licensee liability for errors and omissions

9.8 Community rating of policies (4317; Reg 145, Part 360)

10.0 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY GENERAL PROVISIONS 4%

10.1 Required provisions

- Entire contract; changes (3216(d)(1)(A))
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- Grace period (3216(d)(1)(C))
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10.2 Other provisions

- Misstatement of age (3216(d)(2)(B))
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 - Expense-incurred basis (3216(d)(2)(D))
 - Other benefits (3216(d)(2)(E))
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 - Conformity with state statutes (3216(d)(2)(I))
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10.3 Other general provisions

- Right to examine (free look)
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 - Guaranteed renewable

11.0 DISABILITY INCOME AND RELATED INSURANCE 5%

11.1 Qualifying for disability benefits

- Inability to perform duties
 - Own occupation
 - Any occupation
 - Presumptive disability
 - Proof of Loss

11.2 Individual disability income insurance

- Basic total disability plan
- Income benefits
- Elimination and benefit periods
- Waiver of premium feature
- Coordination with social insurance and workers compensation benefits
- Individual tax premium consideration
- Additional Monthly Benefit (AMB)
- Social Insurance Supplement (SIS)
- Occupational versus nonoccupational coverage
- Other provisions affecting income benefits
 - Cost of living adjustment (COLA) rider
 - Future increase option (FIO) rider
 - Relation of earnings to insurance (3216(d)(2)(F))

Benefits

- Accidental death and dismemberment
- Rehabilitation benefit
- Medical reimbursement benefit (nondisabling injury)
- Partial disability benefit
- Residual disability benefit
- Total disability benefit



24-hour coverage versus limited/at-work coverage

Exclusions

11.3 Unique aspects of individual disability underwriting

Occupational/avocational considerations

Benefit limits

Policy issuance alternatives

11.4 Group disability income insurance

Group versus individual plans

Short-term disability (STD)

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11.5 Business disability insurance

Key person disability income

Disability buy-sell policy

Business overhead expense policy

12.0 MEDICAL PLANS 7%

12.1 Medical plan concepts

Fee-for-service basis versus prepaid basis

Specified coverages versus comprehensive care

Benefit schedule versus usual/reasonable/customary charges

Any provider versus limited choice of providers

Insureds versus subscribers/participants

12.2 Types of plans

Basic hospital, basic medical, basic surgical
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Characteristics

Common limitations

Exclusions from coverage

Provisions affecting cost to insureds

Major medical insurance (indemnity plans)

Characteristics

Common limitations

Exclusions from coverage

Provisions affecting cost to insured

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Organizations (HMOs)

General characteristics

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Primary Care Physician (PCP)

Referral (specialty)

physician

Emergency care

Hospital services

Other basic services

Preferred provider organizations

(PPOs) and point-of-service

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Primary Care Physician

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12.3 Cost containment in health care delivery

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12.4 New York mandated benefits and offers (individual and/or group)

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12.5 HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) requirements

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Assisted living

Benefit periods

Benefit amounts

Optional benefits

Reimbursement versus

indemnity/cash

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Individual, group and association plans

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Applicability to employers

and workers

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insured benefits

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Requirements for medical

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14.4 Types of funding and administration

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Stop-loss coverage

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14.5 Marketing considerations

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14.6 Employer group health insurance

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 - Characteristics of group
 - Plan design factors
 - Persistency factors
 - Administrative capability
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 - Dependent eligibility
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14.7 Small employer medical plans

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- Definitions
- Employment covered
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15.4 Medicaid

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15.5 Medicare

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 - Individual eligibility requirements
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15.8 Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) and Health Savings Accounts (HSAs)

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16.0 PRIVATE INSURANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND SPECIAL NEEDS INDIVIDUALS 6%

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16.2 Other Medicare options for individuals

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2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE 5%

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3.0 PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE BASICS 10%

3.1 Principles and concepts

- Insurable interest
- Underwriting
 - Function
 - Loss ratio
- Prohibition of geographical redlining (3429, 3429-a, 3430, 3433; Reg 90, Parts 218.1 to .7)

- Rates
 - Types
 - Loss costs
 - Components
- Hazards
 - Physical
 - Moral
 - Morale
- Negligence
 - Elements of a negligent act
 - Defenses against negligence
- Damages
 - Compensatory — special versus general
 - Punitive
 - Absolute liability
 - Strict liability
 - Vicarious liability
 - Causes of loss (perils)
 - Named perils versus special (open) perils
 - Direct loss
 - Consequential or indirect loss
 - Blanket versus specific insurance
 - Basic types of construction
- Loss valuation
 - Actual cash value
 - Replacement cost
 - Functional replacement cost
 - Market value
 - Agreed value
 - Stated amount
 - Earned premium calculation
 - Pro rata versus short rate

3.2 Policy structure

- Declarations
- Definitions
- Insuring agreement or clause
- Additional/supplementary coverage
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Endorsements

3.3 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
- Policy period
- Policy territory
- Cancellation and nonrenewal (3425, 3426)
- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata share
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Aggregate — general versus products/completed operations
 - Split
 - Combined single
 - Coinsurance
 - Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Named insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
- Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options

- Duty to defend
- Third-party provisions
- Standard mortgage clause
- Loss payable clause
- No benefit to the bailee

3.4 Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 and Extension Act of 2007 (15 USC 6701; §467)

4.0 DWELLING (2002) POLICY 4%

4.1 Purpose and eligibility

4.2 Coverage forms — Perils insured against

- Basic
- Broad
- Special

4.3 Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling
- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Fair rental value
- Coverage E — Additional living expense
- Other coverages

4.4 General exclusions

4.5 Conditions

4.6 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (DP 01 31)
- Automatic increase in insurance (DP 04 11)
- Broad theft coverage (DP 04 72)
- Dwelling under construction (DP 11 43)

4.7 Personal liability supplement

5.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 10%

5.1 Purpose and eligibility

5.2 Coverage forms

- HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8

5.3 Definitions

5.4 Section I — Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling
- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Loss of use
- Additional coverages

5.5 Section II — Liability coverages

- Coverage E — Personal liability
- Coverage F — Medical payments to others
- Additional coverages

5.6 Perils insured against

5.7 Exclusions

5.8 Conditions

5.9 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (HO 01 31)
- Earthquake (HO 04 54)
- Identity fraud expense (HO 04 55)
- Scheduled personal property (HO 61 10)
- Personal property replacement cost (HO 04 90)
- Home business (HO 07 01)
- Personal injury New York (HO 24 86)
- Workers' compensation — certain residence employees — New York (HO 24 93)
- Builders risk changes — standard property policy

- (CP 11 99 06 95)
- Water Back Up and Sump Discharge or Overflow (HO 23 85)

6.0 AUTO INSURANCE 8%

6.1 Laws

- New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
- Required limits of liability (Veh & Traf 333)
- Required proof of insurance (Veh & Traf 311(3))
- Insurance Information and Enforcement System (IIES) notification to DMV (Veh & Traf 313(2))

- New York Automobile Insurance Plan (5301-5304)

- Purpose
- Eligibility
- Coverage

- Binding authority

- Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Reparations Act (PIP) (5101-5108)

- Notice of claim
- Medical
- Rehabilitation
- Loss of earnings
- Funeral
- Substitution services
- Tort limitation/verbal threshold

- Optional coverages

- OBEL
- Additional PIP

- Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnification Corporation Act (5201-5225)

- Uninsured motorist (3420(f))

- Definitions
- Bodily injury only
- Required limits
- Mandatory coverage

- Supplementary uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-A, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)

- Definitions
- Optional
- Nonstacking
- Coverage limits

- Mandatory inspection requirements for private passenger automobiles (Reg 79, Parts 67.0 to .11)
- Cancellation/nonrenewal (3425)

- Grounds
- Notice

- Choice of repair shop (2610)
- Supplemental spousal liability (3420(g))

6.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

- Purpose and eligibility
- Definitions

- Liability coverage
- Bodily injury and property damage
- Supplementary payments
- Who is insured
- Exclusions
- Medical payments coverage
- Coverage for damage to your auto

- Collision
- Other than collision
- Deductibles
- Transportation expenses
- Exclusions
- Duties after an accident or loss

- General provisions

- Selected endorsements

- Amendment of policy provisions — New York (PP 01 79)
- Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)
- Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)
- Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)
- Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)
- Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

6.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

- Commercial auto coverage forms

- Business auto
- Garage
- Truckers
- Motor carrier

- Coverage form sections

- Covered autos
- Liability coverage
- Garagekeepers coverage
- Physical damage coverage
- Exclusions
- Conditions
- Definitions

- Selected endorsements

- Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
- Mobile equipment (CA 20 15)
- Auto medical payments coverage (CA 99 03)
- Drive other car coverage (CA 99 10)
- Individual named insured (CA 99 17)
- Employees as insureds (CA 99 33)

- Commercial carrier regulations

- The Motor Carrier Act of 1980

- Endorsement for motor carrier policies of insurance for public liability (MCS-90)

7.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 20%

7.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

7.2 Commercial general liability (2007)

- Commercial general liability coverage forms
- Bodily injury and property damage liability
- Personal and advertising injury liability
- Medical payments
- Exclusions
- Supplementary payments

- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- Conditions
- Definitions
- Occurrence versus claims-made
- Claims made features (Reg 121, Part 73)
- Trigger
- Retroactive date
- Extended reporting periods
 - basic versus supplemental
- Claim information
- Premises and operations
- Products and completed operations
- Insured contract
- Owners and contractors protective liability

7.3 Commercial property (2000)

- Commercial property conditions (CP 00 90)
- Coverage forms
 - Building and personal property
 - Condominium association
 - Condominium commercial unit-owners
 - Builders risk (CP 11 21)
 - Business income
 - Legal liability
 - Extra expense

- Definitions

- Causes of loss forms

- Basic
- Broad
- Special

- Selected endorsements

- Ordinance or law (CP 04 05)
- Spoilage (CP 04 40)
- Earthquake and volcanic eruption (CP 10 40)
- Flood coverage (CP 10 65)
- Peak season limit of insurance (CP 12 30)
- Value reporting (CP 13 10)

7.4 Commercial crime (2006)

- General definitions
 - Burglary
 - Theft
 - Robbery
 - Coverage trigger — discovery and loss sustained
- Crime coverage forms
 - Commercial crime coverage forms
 - Government crime coverage forms

- Coverages

- Employee theft
- Forgery or alteration
- Inside the premises — theft of money and securities
- Inside the premises — robbery or safe burglary of other property
- Outside the premises
- Computer fraud
- Funds transfer fraud
- Money orders and counterfeit money

7.5 Commercial inland marine

- Nationwide marine definition

- Commercial inland marine conditions forms
- Commercial Inland marine coverage forms

- Accounts receivable
- Commercial articles
- Contractors equipment floater
- Electronic data processing
- Equipment dealers
- Installation floater
- Jewelers block
- Signs
- Valuable papers and records
- Transportation coverages
- Common carrier legal liability
- Motor truck cargo
- Transit coverage

7.6 Boiler and machinery (2001)

- Equipment breakdown protection coverage form (BM 00 20)
- Selected endorsements
 - Business income — Report of values (BM 15 31)
 - Actual cash value (BM 99 59)

7.7 Farm coverage (1998)

- Farm property coverage forms
 - Coverage A — Dwellings
 - Coverage B — Other private structures
 - Coverage C — Household personal property
 - Coverage D — Loss of use
 - Coverage E — Scheduled farm personal property
 - Coverage F — Unscheduled farm personal property
 - Coverage G — Other farm structures
- Farm liability coverage forms
 - Coverage H — Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Coverage I — Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Coverage J — Medical payments
- Mobile agricultural machinery and equipment coverage form
- Livestock coverage form
- Definitions
- Cause of loss (basic, broad and special)
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Limits
- Additional coverages

8.0 BUSINESSOWNERS (2006) POLICY 9%

8.1 Purpose and eligibility

8.2 Businessowners property coverage forms (standard and special)

- Coverage
- Causes of loss
- Exclusions
- Limits of insurance
- Deductibles
- Loss conditions
- General conditions
- Optional coverages

- Additional coverages
- Definitions

8.3 Businessowners liability coverage form

- Coverages
- Exclusions
- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- General conditions
- Definitions

8.4 Businessowners common policy conditions form

8.5 Selected endorsements

- Protective safeguards (BP 04 30)
- Hired auto and non-owned auto liability — New York (BP 04 36)
- Utility services — direct damage (BP 04 56)
- Utility services — time element (BP 04 57)

9.0 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE 12%

9.1 Workers' Compensation laws

- Types of laws
 - Monopolistic versus competitive
 - Compulsory versus elective
- New York Workers' Compensation Law
 - Exclusive remedy (WC 11)
 - Employment covered (required, voluntary) (WC 2(3, 4, 5), 10)
 - Covered injuries (WC 2(7), 10, 13, 18)
 - Grave injuries (WC 11)
 - Occupational disease (WC 3(2), 37-48)
 - Benefits provided (WC 12-16)
 - Special disability fund (WC 15(8)(h))
 - Claims reporting requirements (Workers' Compensation Board Regulation Part 314.7)
- Federal Workers' Compensation laws
 - Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA) (45 USC 51-60)
 - U.S. Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC 904)
 - The Jones Act (46 USC 688)

9.2 Workers' Compensation and employers liability insurance policy

- General section
 - Part One — Workers' Compensation insurance
 - Part Two — Employers liability insurance
 - Part Three — Other states insurance
 - Part Four — Your duties if injury occurs
 - Part Five — Premium
 - Part Six — Conditions
- Selected endorsements
 - Voluntary compensation
 - Foreign coverage endorsement

9.3 Premium computation

- Job classification — payroll and rates
- Experience modification factor
- Premium discounts
- Participation (dividend) plans

9.4 Other sources of coverage

- New York State Insurance Fund (WC 76-100)
- Self-insured employers and employer groups (WC 50, 60-75-a; Workers' Compensation Board Regulation Parts 317.1 to .22)

9.5 New York State Disability Benefits Law

- Purpose
- Definitions
- Employment covered
- Benefits

10.0 OTHER COVERAGES AND OPTIONS 17%

10.1 Umbrella/excess liability policies

- Personal (DL 98 01)
- Commercial (CU 00 01)

10.2 Specialty liability insurance

- Errors and omissions
- Professional liability
- Directors and officers liability
- Fiduciary liability
- Liquor liability
- Employment practices liability
- Environmental liability

10.3 Excess lines (Reg 41, Part 27)

- Definition of Excess Lines
- Licensing requirements (2105)
- Total cost form
- Affidavit
- Export list
- Disclosure (no guaranty fund)

10.4 Surety bonds

- Principal, obligee, surety
- License and permit bonds
- Bid bond
- Performance bond
- Labor and materials bond

10.5 Aviation insurance

- Aircraft hull
- Aircraft liability
- Airport liability
- Hangar keepers legal liability

10.6 Ocean marine insurance

- Major coverages
 - Hull insurance
 - Cargo insurance
 - Freight insurance
 - Protection and indemnity
 - Implied warranties
 - Perils
- General and particular average

10.7 National Flood Insurance Program

- "Write your own" versus direct
- Eligibility

Coverage

- Flood definition
- Limits
- Deductibles
- Increased cost of compliance

Forms

- Dwelling
- General
- Residential Condominium
- Building Association
- Policy

10.8 Other policies

- Watercraft
- Difference in conditions
- Identity theft
- Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

10.9 New York Property Insurance Underwriting Association (FAIR PLAN) (5401-5412)

- Purpose
- Coverage
- Coastal Market Assistance Program (C-MAP)

BAIL BOND AGENT EXAMINATION SERIES 10-59

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 15%

1.1 Licensing

- Superintendent's general duties and powers (201, 2404, 6802(c))
- Process (6802(e-h))
- Persons to be licensed (6801, 6802(a))
- Requirements
 - Bond (6802(j))
 - Fingerprints (6802(g))
- Maintenance and duration
- Renewal (6802(f, m))
- Change of address (2134; Reg 5, Part 21.4)

- Disciplinary actions
 - Cease and desist order (2405)
 - Penalties (6802(l))
 - Denial of license (6802(e))
 - Suspension and revocation (6802(k))

1.2 Agent regulation

- Employees (6802(b))
- Record maintenance (Reg 42, Part 28.2)
- Prohibited conduct
 - Misrepresentation (6802(k)(2))
 - Excessive fees (6802(k)(4))
 - Fraudulent or dishonest acts (6802(k)(3))
 - Referral of attorney (6802(k)(5))
 - Pre-arrest agreements (Reg 42, Part 28.1)
 - Unfair discrimination (2609)
 - Rebating (2324)
- Charges (6804)
- Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0-.4)

1.3 Federal regulation

- Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK 24%

2.1 Authority

- Express
- Implied
- Apparent

2.2 Contracts

- Elements of a legal contract

- Offer and acceptance
- Consideration
- Competent parties
- Legal purpose

- Concealment
- Fraud

2.3 Jurisdiction

- Original jurisdiction
 - Territorial
 - Subject matter
 - Personal
- Appellate jurisdiction

2.4 Terminology

- Acquit
- Adjudicate
- Capital offense
- Conviction
- Custody
- Defendant
- Disposition
- Extradition
- Felony
- Forfeiture
- Fugitive
- Hearing
- Incarceration
- Indictment
- Misdemeanor
- Recognizance
- Revoke
- Warrant

3.0 BAIL BOND PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES 61%

3.1 Parties to a surety bond

- Principal
 - Indemnitor for principal
 - Indemnity agreement
- Obligee
- Surety

3.2 Duties of bail bond agent

- Premium receipt (Reg 42, Part 28.2)
- Power of attorney
- Collateral and trust obligations

3.3 Types of bonds

- Criminal defendant bonds
 - Bail (Crim Proc 500.10(13))
 - Property bond (Crim Proc 500.10(17))
 - Nonsurety/cash (Crim Proc 500.10(10), 520.10(1)(a), 520.15)
 - Ten percent surety (Crim Proc 520.10(1)(e))
 - Extradition

3.4 Procedure

- Application for bond (surety/defendant contract)
- Collateral security
- Surety contract
- Posting the bond (Crim Proc 520.20(1))
- Justifying affidavit (Crim Proc 520.20(4))
- Premium or compensation

3.5 Court procedures

- Court appearances
 - Arraignment
 - Trial
 - Appeal
- Conditions of release (Crim Proc 520.30)
- Prior to trial (Crim Proc 530.40)



After conviction — stay of execution
(Crim Proc 530.45)
Pending appeal (Crim Proc 530.45, .50)
Failure to appear
Revocation of the right to bail
(Crim Proc 530.60)

3.6 Release of surety

3.7 Surrender of principal (defendant)

(Crim Proc 530.80)
Exoneration of bond
Return of premium
Return of collateral

3.8 Bond forfeiture

(Crim Proc 540.10-.30)
Motion
Notice to defendant and sureties
Judgment
Dispersal of funds
Arrest after forfeiture
One year rule
(Crim Proc 540.30)

MORTGAGE GUARANTY AGENT EXAMINATION SERIES 10-60

40 questions – One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 30%

1.1 Licensing

Process (2103(d-i))
Maintenance and duration
Renewal (2103(j); Reg 5 Part 21.2)
Assumed names (2102(f))
Change of address
(2134; Reg 5 Part 21.4, 6 Part 22.3, 7 Part 23.4)
Reporting of actions
(2110(i))
Disciplinary actions
Cease and desist order
(2405)
Hearings (2405)
Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
Penalties (2127)

1.2 State regulation

Superintendent's general duties and powers
(201, 2404, 6508)
Company regulation
Certificate of authority
(6503)
Capital and surplus requirements (6502)
Unfair claim settlement practices (2601; Reg 64 Part 216.3 to .6)
Filing of rates and forms
(6504)
Agent regulation
Controlled business
(2103(i))
Sharing commissions
(2121, 2128)
Representing an unauthorized insurer
(6505)
Unfair and prohibited practices
Misrepresentation
(2123; Reg 64 Part 216.3)
Illegal inducement

(6504(b, c))
False advertising (2603)
Defamation of insurer
(2604)
Rebating (2324, 4224)
Examination of books and records (2404; Reg 152 Part 243.0 to .3)
Insurance Frauds Prevention Act
(401-409)
Consumer privacy regulation
(Reg 169 Part 420.0 to .24)

1.3 Federal regulation

Fair Credit Reporting Act (15 USC 1681-1681d)
Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver
(18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 GENERAL INSURANCE 20%

2.1 Concepts

Risk management key terms
Risk
Exposure
Hazard
Peril
Loss
Methods of handling risk
Avoidance
Retention
Sharing
Reduction
Transfer
Elements of insurable risks
Adverse selection
Law of large numbers
Reinsurance

2.2 Insurers

Types of insurers
Stock companies
Mutual companies
Fraternal benefit societies
Lloyd's associations
Risk retention groups
Private versus government insurers
Admitted versus nonadmitted insurers
Domestic, foreign and alien insurers
Financial status
(independent rating services)
Marketing (distribution) systems

2.3 Agents and general rules of agency

Insurer as principal
Agent/insurer relationship
Authority and powers of agents
Express
Implied
Apparent
Responsibilities to insurer

2.4 Contracts

Elements of a legal contract
Offer and acceptance
Consideration
Competent parties
Legal purpose
Characteristics of insurance contracts
Contract of adhesion
Aleatory contract
Personal contract
Unilateral contract
Conditional contract

Legal concepts and interpretations affecting contracts
Reasonable expectations
Indemnity
Utmost good faith
Representations/ misrepresentations
Warranties
Concealment
Fraud
Waiver and estoppel

3.0 MORTGAGE GUARANTY INSURANCE 50%

3.1 Types of mortgage guaranty insurance

Government
Private mortgage guaranty insurance

3.2 Nature of mortgage guaranty insurance

Parties involved
Debtor
Creditor
Insurer

3.3 Advantages and disadvantages to debtors and creditors

3.4 Underwriting

Insured creditor issues
Debtor issues

3.5 Policy conditions

Duties in the event of loss
Amount payable
Cancellation

3.6 Limitations and restrictions

Limitations on risk concentration
Conflict of interest

3.7 Reinsurance (6507)

PUBLIC ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-62

60 questions – One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 8%

1.1 Licensing requirements

Qualifications (2108(c,g))
Process (2108(d),(e))
Bond (2108(l))
Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

Renewal (2108(i, j))
Continuing education (2108(r))
Assumed names (2102(f))
Change of address (Reg 10, Part 25.4)
Reporting of actions (2110(i))
Contract requirements
(2108(p); Reg 10, Part 25.6)
Insured's right to cancel
(Reg 10, Parts 25.8 to .10)
Compensation agreement
(Reg 10, Part 25.6)
Maximum compensation (Reg 10, Part 25.7)
Records (Reg 10, Part 25.11)

1.3 Disciplinary actions

Cease and desist (2405)
Suspension, revocation and nonrenewal (2110)
Penalties (2127)

1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)



- Unfair claim practices (2601)
- Misrepresentation (2108(o))
- Procedures for direction of payment (Reg 10, Part 25.12)
- Suit against insurer (3404)
- Prohibitions (Reg 10, Part 25.3)
- Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to 4)

1.5 Federal regulations

- Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)
- Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 and Extension Act of 2007 (15 USC 6701; S467)

2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 13%

2.1 Contract basics

- Elements of a legal contract
 - Offer and acceptance
 - Consideration
 - Competent parties
 - Legal purpose
- Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract
 - Contract of adhesion
 - Aleatory contract
 - Personal contract
 - Unilateral contract
 - Conditional contract
- Legal interpretations affecting contracts
 - Reasonable expectations
 - Indemnity
 - Utmost good faith
 - Representations/ misrepresentations
 - Warranties
 - Concealment
 - Fraud
 - Waiver and estoppel

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 - Excess
 - Pro rata
 - Contribution by equal shares
- Policy limits
- Reinstatement of limits
- Coinurance
- Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Assignment
- Liberalization
- Third-party provisions
 - Standard mortgage clause
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 22%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

- Duties and responsibilities
- Staff and independent adjuster versus public adjuster
- Relationship to the legal professional

3.2 Property losses

- Duties of insured after a loss
 - Notice to insurer
 - Mitigating the loss
 - Proof of loss
 - Special requirements
 - Produce books and records
 - Abandonment
- Determining value and loss
 - Burden of proof of value and loss
 - Estimates
 - Depreciation
 - Salvage
- Claim settlement options
- Payment and discharge

3.3 Claims adjustment procedures

- Settlement procedures
 - Advance payments
 - Draft authority
- Subrogation procedures
- Alternative dispute resolution
 - Appraisal
 - Competitive estimates
 - Negotiation

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- HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8

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- Livestock coverage form
- Definitions
- Cause of loss (basic, broad, and special)
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Limits
- Additional coverages
 - Animals other than “livestock”

7.0 BUSINESSOWNERS (2006) POLICY 14%

7.1 Characteristics and purpose

7.2 Businessowners property coverage forms (standard and special)

- Coverage
- Causes of loss
- Exclusions
- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- Deductibles
- Loss conditions
- General conditions
- Optional coverages
- Additional coverages
- Definitions

7.3 Businessowners common policy conditions form

7.4 Selected endorsements

- Protective safeguards (BP 04 30)
- Utility services — direct damage (BP 04 56)
- Utility services — time element (BP 04 57)

8.0 OTHER COVERAGES 10%

8.1 National Flood Insurance Program

- “Write your own” versus direct
- Eligibility
- Coverage
 - Flood definition
 - Limits
 - Deductibles
 - Increased cost of compliance
- Proof of loss requirement
- Forms
 - Dwelling
 - General
 - Residential Condominium
 - Building Association
 - Policy

8.2 Ocean marine insurance

- Major coverages
 - Hull insurance
 - Cargo insurance
 - Freight insurance
- Implied warranties
- Perils
- General and particular average

8.3 Other policies

- Aircraft hull
- Watercraft
- Difference in conditions

INDEPENDENT ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-63

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

- Qualifications (2108(c, g))
- Process (2108(d, f))
- Bond (2108(l))
- Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
- Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

- Renewal (2108(i, j))
- Assumed names (2102(f))
- Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
- Reporting of actions (2110(i))

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1.5 Federal regulation

- Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE BASICS 17%

2.1 Definition of potential claims

- Accidental injury
- Sickness and health

2.2 Principal types of losses and benefits

- Loss of income from disability
- Hospital and medical expense

- Long-term care expense

2.3 Classes of accident and health insurance coverage

- Individual, franchise, and group
- Private versus government
- Limited versus comprehensive
- Self-insured versus insured

2.4 Limited policies

- Limited benefits and amounts
- Required notice to insured
- Types of limited policies
 - Accident-only
 - Hospital indemnity (income)
 - Dental insurance
 - Credit disability
 - Prescription drugs
 - Vision care

2.5 Common exclusions from Coverage

- Act of war
- Participation in a felony
- Preexisting conditions
- Self-inflicted injuries
- Workers' Compensation

2.6 Accident and health insurance claims

- Insured's notice
- Standard claim forms
- Insurers' responsibility to provide claim forms
- Insured's submission of proof of loss
- Insurer's investigations/verification of loss
- Insurer's payment of claim
- Physical examination and autopsy
- Legal actions

3.0 UNDERSTANDING THE LANGUAGE OF MEDICAL REPORTS 10%

3.1 Medical terminology and abbreviations

- Location terms
- Movement terms
- Prefixes, suffixes and root words
- Abbreviations used in medical reports
- Medical specialties

3.2 Basic human anatomy

- Skeletal structure
- Nervous system
- Respiratory system
- Cardiovascular system
- Abdominal organs

3.3 Common injuries and diseases

- Strains and sprains
- Dislocations
- Fractures
- Soft tissue injuries
- Brain injuries
- Burn classifications
- Cumulative trauma
- Repetitive motion injuries
- Lung disease
- Diabetes mellitus
- Glaucoma
- Hypertension
- Arthritis
- Osteomyelitis
- Stroke
- Tachycardia
- Atherosclerosis
- Coronary thrombosis



Mental wellness

3.4 Medical tests

Laboratory
Radiography (X-ray)
Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
Computerized tomography (CT or CAT)
Electromyography (EMG)
Nerve conduction studies
Myelography
Arthroscopy
Electrocardiogram (EKG or ECG)
Electroencephalography (EEG)

4.0 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY GENERAL PROVISIONS 7%

4.1 Required provisions

Entire contract; changes (3216(d)(1)(A))
Time limit on certain defenses (3216(d)(1)(B))
Grace period (3216(d)(1)(C))
Reinstatement (3216(d)(1)(D))
Claim procedures (3216(d)(1)(E-I))
Physical examinations and autopsy (3216(d)(1)(J))
Legal actions (3216(d)(1)(K))
Change of beneficiary (3216(d)(1)(L))

4.2 Other provisions

Misstatement of age (3216(d)(2)(B))
Other insurance in this insurer (3216(d)(2)(C))
Insurance with other insurers
Expense-incurred basis (3216(d)(2)(D))
Other benefits (3216(d)(2)(E))
Unpaid premium (3216(d)(2)(G))
Cancellation (3216(d)(2)(H))
Conformity with state statutes (3216(d)(2)(I))
Illegal occupation (3216(d)(2)(J))
Intoxicants and narcotics (3216(d)(2)(K))

4.3 Other general provisions

Right to examine (free look)
Insuring clause
Consideration clause
Renewability clause (3216(g))
Noncancelable
Guaranteed renewable

5.0 DISABILITY INCOME AND RELATED INSURANCE 10%

5.1 Qualifying for disability benefits

Inability to perform duties
Own occupation
Any occupation
Presumptive disability
Proof of Loss

5.2 Individual disability income insurance

Basic total disability plan
Income benefits
Elimination and benefit periods
Waiver of premium feature
Coordination with social

insurance and Workers' Compensation benefits
Additional monthly benefit (AMB)
Social insurance supplement (SIS)
Occupational versus nonoccupational coverage
Partial disability benefit
Residual disability benefit
Other provisions affecting income benefits
Cost of living adjustment (COLA) rider
Future increase option (FIO) rider
Relation of earnings to insurance (3216(d)(2)(F))

Benefits

Accidental death and dismemberment
Rehabilitation benefit
Medical reimbursement benefit (nondisabling injury)
Partial disability benefit
Residual disability benefit
Total disability benefit
24-hour coverage versus limited/at-work coverage

Exclusions

5.3 Unique aspects of individual disability underwriting

Occupational/avocational considerations
Benefit limits
Policy issuance alternatives

5.4 Group disability income insurance

Group versus individual plans
Short-term disability (STD)
Long-term disability (LTD)

5.5 Business disability insurance

Key person disability income
Disability buy-sell policy
Business overhead expense Policy

6.0 MEDICAL PLANS 10%

6.1 Medical plan concepts

Fee-for-service basis versus prepaid basis
Specified coverages versus comprehensive care
Benefit schedule versus usual/reasonable/customary charges
Any provider versus limited choice of providers
Insureds versus subscribers/participants

6.2 Types of plans

Basic hospital, basic medical, basic surgical (Reg 62, Parts 52.5 to 52.7)
Characteristics
Common limitations
Exclusions from coverage
Provisions affecting cost to insureds
Major medical insurance (indemnity plans)
Characteristics
Common limitations
Exclusions from coverage

Provisions affecting cost to insureds
Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)
General characteristics
Preventive care services
Primary Care Physician (PCP)
Referral (specialty) physician
Emergency care
Hospital services
Other basic services
Preferred Provider Organizations (PPOs) and Point-Of-Service (POS) plans
General characteristics
In-network and out-of-network provider access
Primary Care Physician (PCP) referral
Indemnity plan features

6.3 Cost containment in health care delivery

Cost-saving services
Preventive care
Hospital outpatient benefits
Alternatives to hospital services
Utilization review
Prospective review
Concurrent review
Retrospective review

6.4 New York mandated benefits and offers (individual and/or group)

Dependent child age limit (3216(a)(4))
Full-time students (3216(a)(4))
Policy extension for handicapped children (3216(c)(4)(A))
Newborn child coverage (3216(c)(4)(C))
Timothy's Law
Infertility

6.5 HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) requirements

Eligibility
Guaranteed issue
Pre-existing conditions (3232)
Creditable coverage (3232-a)
Renewability
Privacy protections

6.6 Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) and Health Savings Accounts (HSAs)

Definition
Eligibility
Contribution limits

7.0 LONG-TERM CARE (LTC) INSURANCE 6%

7.1 Benefits

LTC, Medicare and Medicaid compared
Eligibility for benefits
Levels of care
Skilled care
Intermediate care
Custodial care
Types of care
Home health care
Adult day care
Respite care



- Assisted living
- Benefit periods
- Benefit amounts
 - Reimbursement versus indemnity/cash
- Optional benefits
 - Inflation protection (COLA) (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(3))
 - Nonforfeiture benefit (Reg 62, Part 52.25(c)(7))
 - Guarantee of insurability
 - Shared care
- Individual, group and association plans
- Qualified versus non-qualified LTC plans
- Exclusions (Reg 62, Part 52.25(b)(2))

8.0 GROUP HEALTH AND BLANKET INSURANCE 12%

8.1 Characteristics of group insurance

- Group contract
- Certificate of coverage
- Definition of eligible group (4235 (b))

8.2 Types of eligible groups (4235 & 4237)

- Employment-related groups
 - Individual employer groups
 - Multiple Employer Trusts (METs) or Welfare Arrangements (MEWAs)
 - Taft-Hartley Trusts
- Associations (alumni, professional and other)
- Customer groups (depositors, creditor-debtor and others)
- Blanket customer groups (teams, passengers, and others)

8.3 Regulation of employer group insurance plans

- Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA)
 - Applicability
 - Fiduciary responsibilities
 - Reporting and disclosure
 - Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA)

- Age Discrimination in

- Employment Act (ADEA)
 - Applicability to employers and workers
 - Permitted reductions in insured benefits
 - Permitted increases in employee contributions
 - Requirements for medical expense coverage

- Civil Rights Act/Pregnancy Discrimination Act

- Applicability Guidelines

- Relationship with Medicare
 - Medicare secondary rules
 - Medicare carve-outs and supplements

- Nondiscrimination rules (highly-compensated)

8.4 Employer group health insurance

- Eligibility for coverage
 - Employee eligibility
 - Dependent eligibility
- Coordination of benefits provision (Reg 62, Part 52.23)

- Change of insurance companies or loss of coverage
 - Coinsurance and deductible carryover
 - No-loss no-gain
- Events that terminate coverage
 - Extension of benefits
- Continuation of coverage under COBRA and New York continuations
- Conversion privilege (3221(e))

8.5 Small employer medical plans

- Definition of small employer (Reg 145, Part 360.2(f))
- Benefit plans offered
- Availability of coverage (Reg 145, Part 360.2(e) & .3)

9.0 DENTAL INSURANCE 5%

9.1 Types of dental treatment

- Diagnostic and preventive
- Restorative
- Oral surgery
- Endodontics
- Periodontics
- Prosthodontics
- Orthodontics

9.2 Indemnity plans

- Choice of providers
- Scheduled versus nonscheduled plans
- Benefit categories
 - Diagnostic/preventive services
 - Basic services
 - Major services
- Deductibles and coinsurance
- Combination plans
- Exclusions
- Limitations
- Predetermination of benefits

9.3 Employer group dental expense

- Integrated deductibles versus stand-alone plans
- Minimizing adverse selection

10.0 GOVERNMENT INSURANCE PLANS 8%

10.1 Workers' Compensation

- Eligibility
- Benefits

10.2 Social Security Disability

- Qualifications for disability benefits
- Definition of disability
- Waiting period
- Disability income benefits

10.3 New York State Disability Benefits Law

- Purpose
- Definitions
- Employment covered
- Benefits

10.4 Medicaid

- Eligibility and benefits
 - Child Health Plus
 - Eligibility and benefits
 - Family Health Plus
 - Eligibility and benefits

10.5 Medicare

- Nature, financing, and administration

- Part A — Hospital Insurance
 - Individual eligibility requirements
 - Enrollment
 - Coverages and cost-sharing amounts
- Part B — Medical Insurance
 - Individual eligibility requirements
 - Enrollment
 - Coverages and cost-sharing amounts
 - Exclusions
 - Claims terminology and other key terms
- Medicare Select (Reg 62, Part 52.14)
- Part C — Medicare Advantage
- Part D — Prescription Drug Insurance
- Healthy New York (4326)

11.0 PRIVATE INSURANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND SPECIAL NEEDS INDIVIDUALS 5%

11.1 Medicare supplements

- Purpose
- Open enrollment (Reg 62, Part 52.22(k))
- Standardized Medicare supplement plans
- Core benefits
- Additional benefits

11.2 Other Medicare options for individuals

- Disabled individuals
- Individuals with kidney failure
- Employer group health plans
- Employees age 65 or older

INDEPENDENT FIRE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-64

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

- Qualifications (2108(c, g))
- Process (2108(d), (f))
- Bond (2108(l))
- Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
- Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

- Renewal (2108(i, j))
- Assumed names (2102(f))
- Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
- Reporting of actions (2110(i))

1.3 Disciplinary actions

- Cease and desist (2405)
- Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
- Penalties (2127)

1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)

- Unfair claim practices (2601)
- Misrepresentation (2108(o))
- Suit against insurer (3404)
- Prohibitions (Reg 25, Part 26.5)
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including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)
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2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 10%

2.1 Contract basics

- Elements of a legal contract
 - Offer and acceptance
 - Consideration
 - Competent parties
 - Legal purpose
- Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract
 - Contract of adhesion
 - Aleatory contract
 - Personal contract
 - Unilateral contract
 - Conditional contract
- Legal interpretations affecting contracts
 - Reasonable expectations
 - Indemnity
 - Utmost good faith
 - Representations/ misrepresentations
 - Warranties
 - Concealment
 - Fraud
 - Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

- Insurable interest
- Hazards
 - Physical
 - Moral
 - Morale
- Causes of loss (perils)
- Named perils versus open perils (All risk)
- Direct loss
- Consequential or indirect loss
- Blanket versus specific insurance
- Basic types of construction
- Loss valuation
 - Actual cash value
 - Broad evidence rule
 - Replacement cost
 - Functional replacement cost
 - Market value
 - Agreed value
 - Stated amount

2.3 Policy structure

- Declarations
- Definitions
- Insuring agreement or clause
- Additional/supplementary coverage
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
- Policy period
- Policy territory
- Cancellation and nonrenewal
- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Nonconcurrency
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata
 - Contribution by equal shares

- Policy limits
- Reinstatement of limits
- Coinsurance
- Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Named insured provisions
- Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
 - Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options
- Third-party provisions
 - Standard mortgage clause
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to the bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 14%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

- Duties and responsibilities
- Staff and independent adjuster versus public adjuster
- Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

- Claim investigation
- Claim file documentation of events
- Types of reports
 - Initial or first field
 - Interim or status
 - Full formal

3.3 Property losses

- Duties of insured after a loss
 - Notice to insurer
 - Mitigating the loss
 - Proof of loss
 - Special requirements
 - Produce books and records
 - Abandonment
- Determining value and loss
 - Burden of proof of value and loss
 - Estimates
 - Depreciation
 - Salvage
- Claim settlement options
 - Payment and discharge

3.4 Coverage problems

- Dealing with coverage disputes
 - Reservation of rights letter
 - Nonwaiver agreement
 - Declaratory judgment action

3.5 Claims adjustment procedures

- Settlement procedures
 - Advance payments
 - Draft authority
 - Execution of releases
- Subrogation procedures
- Alternative dispute resolution
 - Appraisal
 - Arbitration
 - Competitive estimates
 - Mediation
 - Negotiation

4.0 DWELLING (2002) POLICY 10%

4.1 Coverage forms — Perils

- Insured against**
 - Basic
 - Broad
 - Special

4.2 Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling

- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Fair rental value
- Coverage E — Additional living expense
- Other coverages

4.3 General exclusions

4.4 Conditions

4.5 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (DP 01 31)
- Automatic increase in insurance (DP 04 11)
- Broad theft coverage (DP 04 72)
- Dwelling under construction (DP 11 43)

5.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 18%

5.1 Coverage forms

- HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8

5.2 Definitions

5.3 Section I — Property coverages

- Coverage A — Dwelling
- Coverage B — Other structures
- Coverage C — Personal property
- Coverage D — Loss of use
- Additional coverages

5.4 Perils insured against

5.5 Exclusions

5.6 Conditions

5.7 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (HO 01 31)
- Earthquake (HO 04 54)
- Identity fraud expense (HO 04 55)
- Scheduled personal property (HO 04 61)
- Personal property replacement cost (HO 04 90)
- Home business (HO 07 01)
- Water Back Up and Sump Discharge or Overflow (HO 23 85)

6.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 16%

6.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

6.2 Commercial property (2000)

- Commercial property conditions form
- Coverage forms
 - Building and personal property
 - Condominium association
 - Condominium commercial unit-owners
 - Builders risk
 - Business income/extra expense
 - Definitions
- Causes of loss forms
 - Basic
 - Broad
 - Special
- Selected endorsements
 - Ordinance or law (CP 04 05)
 - Spoilage (CP 04 40)
 - Earthquake and volcanic eruption (CP 10 40)
 - Flood coverage (CP 10 65)

Peak season limit of insurance (CP 12 30)
Value reporting form (CP 13 10)

6.3 Boiler and machinery (2001)

Equipment breakdown protection coverage form (BM 00 20)
Selected endorsements
Business income — Report of values (BM 15 31)
Actual cash value (BM 99 59)

6.4 Farm coverage (1998)

Farm property coverage forms
Coverage A — Dwellings
Coverage B — Other private structures
Coverage C — Household personal property
Coverage D — Loss of use
Coverage E — Scheduled farm personal property
Coverage F — Unscheduled farm personal property
Coverage G — Other farm structures
Mobile agricultural machinery and equipment coverage form
Livestock coverage form
Definitions
Cause of loss (basic, broad and special)
Conditions
Exclusions
Limits
Additional coverages
Animals other than "livestock"

7.0 BUSINESSOWNERS (2006) POLICY 12%

7.1 Characteristics and purpose

7.2 Businessowners property coverage forms (standard and special)

Coverage
Causes of loss
Exclusions
Who is insured
Limits of insurance
Deductibles
Loss conditions
General conditions
Optional coverages
Additional coverages
Definitions

7.3 Businessowners common policy conditions form

7.4 Selected endorsements

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Cargo insurance
Freight insurance
Implied warranties
Perils
General and particular average

8.3 Other policies

Watercraft
Difference in conditions
Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

8.4 Crop Insurance

Eligibility
Application
Term of coverage
Covered perils
Limits of coverage

8.5 Federal multi-peril crop insurance

Basic crop insurance
Eligibility
Coverage level
Covered causes of loss
Application
Life of policy
Multiple peril policy options
Levels of coverage
Price election
Optional units
Other provisions
Individual crop
Small grain
Coarse Grain

INDEPENDENT CASUALTY INSURANCE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-65

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

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Indemnity
Utmost good faith
Representations/ misrepresentations
Warranties
Concealment
Fraud
Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

Insurable interest
Hazards
Physical
Moral
Morale
Negligence
Elements of a negligent act
Defenses against negligence
Damages
Compensatory — special versus general
Punitive
Absolute liability
Strict liability
Vicarious liability
Causes of loss (perils)
Named perils versus special (open) perils
Direct loss
Consequential or indirect loss
Loss valuation
Actual cash value
Broad evidence rule
Replacement cost

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Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
Policy period
Policy territory
Cancellation and nonrenewal
Deductibles



- Other insurance
 - Nonconcurrency
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata
 - Contribution by equal shares
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Aggregate — general versus products/completed operations
 - Single/Split
 - Combined single
 - Coninsurance
- Names insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
- Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Duty to defend
- Third-party provisions
 - Standard mortgage clause
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 14%

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3.2 Claim reporting

- Claim investigation
- Claim file documentation of events
- Types of reports
 - Initial or first field
 - Interim or status
 - Full formal

3.3 Liability losses

- Investigation procedures
 - Verify coverage
 - Determine liability
- Gathering evidence
 - Physical evidence
 - Witness statements
- Determining value of intangible damages

3.4 Coverage problems

- Dealing with coverage disputes
 - Reservation of rights letter
 - Nonwaiver agreement
 - Declaratory judgment action

3.5 Claims adjustment procedures

- Settlement procedures
 - Advance payments
 - Draft authority
 - Execution of releases
- Subrogation procedures
- Alternative dispute resolution
 - Appraisal
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4.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 16%

4.1 Coverage forms

- HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8

4.2 Definitions

4.3 Section II — Liability coverages

- Coverage E — Personal liability
- Coverage F — Medical payments to others
- Additional coverages

4.4 Exclusions

4.5 Conditions

4.6 Selected endorsements

- Special provisions — New York (HO 01 31)
- Home business (HO 07 01)
- Personal injury — New York (HO 24 86)
- Workers' compensation — certain residence employees — New York (HO 24 93)

5.0 AUTO INSURANCE 10%

5.1 Laws

- New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
 - Required limits of liability (Veh & Traf 333)
 - Required proof of insurance (Veh & Traf 311(3))
- New York Automobile Insurance Plan (5301-5304)
- Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Repairs Act (PIP) (5101-5108)
 - Notice of claim
 - Medical
 - Rehabilitation
 - Loss of earnings
 - Funeral
 - Substitution services
 - Tort limitation/verbal threshold

Optional coverages

- OBEL
- Additional PIP
- Uninsured motorist (3420(f))
 - Definitions
 - Bodily injury only
 - Required limits
 - Mandatory coverage
- Supplementary uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-A, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)
 - Definitions
 - Optional
 - Nonstacking
 - Coverage limits

Cancellation/nonrenewal (3425)

- Grounds
- Notice
- Choice of repair shop (2610)
- Supplemental spousal liability (3420(g))

5.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

- Definitions
- Liability coverage
 - Bodily injury and property damage
 - Supplementary payments
 - Who is an insured
 - Exclusions
- Medical payments coverage
- Coverage for damage to your auto
 - Collision
 - Other than collision

- Deductibles
- Transportation expenses
- Exclusions
- Duties after an accident or loss
- General provisions
- Selected endorsements
 - Amendment of policy provisions — New York (PP 01 79)
 - Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)
 - Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)
 - Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)
 - Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)
 - Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

5.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

- Commercial auto coverage forms
 - Business auto
 - Garage
 - Truckers
 - Motor carrier
- Coverage form sections
 - Covered autos
 - Liability coverage
 - Garagekeepers coverage
 - Physical damage coverage
 - Exclusions
 - Conditions
 - Definitions
- Selected endorsements
 - Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
 - Mobile equipment (CA 20 15)
 - Auto medical payments coverage (CA 99 03)
 - Drive other car coverage (CA 99 10)
 - Individual named insured (CA 99 17)
 - Employees as insureds (CA 99 33)
- Commercial carrier regulations
 - The Motor Carrier Act of 1980
 - Endorsement for motor carrier policies of insurance for public liability (MCS-90)

6.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 14%

6.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

6.2 Commercial general liability (2001)

- Commercial general liability coverage forms
 - Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Medical payments
 - Exclusions
 - Supplementary payments



- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- Conditions
- Definitions
- Occurrence versus claims-made
- Claims made features
 - (Reg 121, Part 73)
 - Trigger
 - Retroactive date
 - Extended reporting periods
 - basic versus supplemental
 - Claim information
- Premises and operations
- Products and completed operations
- Insured contract
- Owners and contractors protective liability

6.3 Commercial crime (2006)

- General definitions
 - Burglary
 - Theft
 - Robbery
- Crime coverage forms
 - Commercial crime coverage forms (discovery/loss sustained)
 - Government crime coverage forms (discovery/loss sustained)
- Coverages
 - Employee theft
 - Forgery or alteration
 - Inside the premises — theft of money and securities
 - Inside the premises — robbery or safe burglary of other property
 - Outside the premises
 - Computer fraud
 - Funds transfer fraud
 - Money orders and counterfeit money

6.4 Farm coverage (1998)

- Farm liability coverage forms
 - Coverage H — Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Coverage I — Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Coverage J — Medical Payments
 - Livestock coverage form
- Definitions
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Limits
- Additional coverages
- Animals other than livestock

7.0 BUSINESSOWNERS (2006) POLICY 9%

7.1 Characteristics and purpose

7.2 Businessowners liability coverage form

- Coverages
- Exclusions
- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- General conditions
- Definitions

7.3 Businessowners common policy conditions form

7.4 Selected endorsements

- Hired auto and non-owned auto

- liability — New York (BP 04 36)

8.0 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE 6%

8.1 Workers' Compensation laws

- Types of laws
 - Monopolistic versus competitive
 - Compulsory versus elective
- New York Workers' Compensation Law
 - Exclusive remedy (WC 11)
 - Employment covered (required, voluntary) (WC 2(3, 4, 5), 10)
 - Covered injuries (WC 2(7), 10, 13, 18)
 - Grave injuries (WC 11)
 - Occupational illness and diseases (WC 3(2), 37–48)
 - Benefits provided (WC 12–16)
 - Special disability fund (WC 15(8)(h))
 - Claims reporting requirements (RR 314.7)
 - Volunteer Firefighters Rescue (or ambulance)
- Federal Workers' Compensation laws
 - Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA) (45 USC 51–60)
 - U.S. Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC 904)
 - The Jones Act (46 USC 688)

8.2 Workers' Compensation and employers liability insurance policy

- General section
- Part One — Workers' Compensation insurance
- Part Two — Employers liability insurance
- Part Three — Other states insurance
- Part Four — Your duties if injury occurs
- Part Five — Premium
- Part Six — Conditions
- Selected endorsements
 - Voluntary compensation
 - Foreign coverage endorsement

8.3 Other sources of coverage

- New York State Insurance Fund (WC 76–100)
- Self-insured employers and employer groups (WC 50, 60–75-a; RR 317.1–.22)

9.0 OTHER COVERAGES AND OPTIONS 11%

9.1 Umbrella/excess liability policies

- Personal (DL 98 01)
- Commercial (CU 00 01)

9.2 Specialty liability insurance

- Errors and omissions
- Professional liability
- Directors and officers liability
- Fiduciary liability

- Liquor liability
- Employment practices liability
- Environmental liability

9.3 Excess lines (Reg 41, Part 27)

- Definitions and markets
- Licensing requirements

9.4 Ocean marine insurance

- Major coverages
 - Hull insurance
 - Protection and indemnity
- Implied warranties

9.5 Other policies

- Watercraft
- Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

INDEPENDENT AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-66

60 questions – One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

- Qualifications (2108(c, g))
- Process (2108(d), (f))
- Bond (2108(l))
- Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
- Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

- Renewal (2108(i, j))
- Assumed names (2102(f))
- Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
- Reporting of actions (2110(i))

1.3 Disciplinary actions

- Cease and desist (2405)
- Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
- Penalties (2127)

1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)

- Unfair claim practices (2601)
- Misrepresentation (2108(o))
- Prohibitions (Reg 25, Part 26.5)
- Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to .4)

1.5 Federal regulation

- Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 10%

2.1 Contract basics

- Elements of a legal contract
 - Offer and acceptance
 - Consideration
 - Competent parties
 - Legal purpose
- Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract
 - Contract of adhesion
 - Aleatory contract
 - Personal contract
 - Unilateral contract
 - Conditional contract
- Legal interpretations affecting contracts
 - Reasonable expectations
 - Indemnity
 - Utmost good faith
 - Representations/ misrepresentations
 - Warranties



- Concealment
- Fraud
- Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

- Insurable interest
- Hazards
 - Physical
 - Moral
 - Morale
- Negligence
 - Elements of a negligent act
 - Defenses against negligence
- Damages
 - Compensatory — special versus general
 - Punitive
- Absolute liability
- Strict liability
- Vicarious liability
- Direct loss
- Consequential or indirect loss
- Blanket versus specific insurance
- Loss valuation
 - Actual cash value
 - Market value
 - Agreed value
 - Stated amount

2.3 Policy structure

- Declarations
- Definitions
- Insuring agreement or clause
- Additional/supplementary coverage
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
- Policy period
- Policy territory
- Cancellation and nonrenewal
- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Nonconcurrency
 - Primary and excess
 - Pro rata
 - Contribution by equal shares
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Aggregate
 - Single/Split
 - Combined single
- Named insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
- Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options
 - Duty to defend
- Third-party provisions
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to the bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 25%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

- Duties and responsibilities
- Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

- Claim investigation
- Claim file documentation of events
- Types of reports
 - Initial or first field
 - Interim or status
 - Full formal

3.3 Property losses

- Duties of insured after a loss
 - Notice to insurer
 - Mitigating the loss
 - Proof of loss
- Special requirements
 - Produce books and records
 - Abandonment
- Determining value and loss
 - Burden of proof of value and loss
 - Estimates
 - Depreciation
 - Salvage
- Total Loss Valuation Methods (Reg 64, Part 216.7(c)(1))
- Claim settlement options
- Payment and discharge

3.4 Liability losses

- Investigation procedures
 - Verify coverage
 - Determine liability
- Gathering evidence
 - Physical evidence
 - Witness statements
- Determining value of intangible damages

3.5 Coverage problems

- Dealing with coverage disputes
 - Reservation of rights letter
 - Nonwaiver agreement
 - Declaratory judgment action

3.6 Claims adjustment procedures

- Settlement procedures
 - Advance payments
 - Draft authority
 - Execution of releases
- Subrogation procedures
- Appraisal process

4.0 AUTO INSURANCE 55%

4.1 Laws

- New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
 - Required limits of liability (Veh & Traf 333)
 - Required proof of insurance (Veh & Traf 311(3))
- New York Automobile Insurance Plan (5301-5304)
- Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Reparations Act (PIP) (5101-5108)
 - Notice of claim
 - Medical
 - Rehabilitation
 - Loss of earnings
 - Funeral
 - Substitution services
 - Tort limitation/verbal Threshold
- Optional coverages
 - OBEL
 - Additional PIP
- Uninsured motorist (3420(f))
 - Definitions

- Bodily injury only
- Required limits
- Mandatory coverage

- Supplementary uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-A, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)

- Definitions
 - Optional
 - Nonstacking
 - Coverage limits
- Cancellation/nonrenewal (3425)
 - Grounds
 - Notice
- Choice of repair shop (2610)
- Supplemental spousal liability (3420(g))

4.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

- Definitions
- Liability coverage
 - Bodily injury and property damage
 - Supplementary payments
 - Who is an insured
 - Exclusions
- Medical payments coverage
- Coverage for damage to your auto
 - Collision
 - Other than collision
 - Deductibles
 - Transportation expenses
 - Exclusions
- Duties after an accident or loss
- General provisions
- Selected endorsements
 - Amendment of policy provisions — New York (PP 01 79)
 - Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)
 - Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)
 - Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)
 - Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)
 - Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

4.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

- Commercial auto coverage forms
 - Business auto
 - Garage
 - Truckers
 - Motor carrier
- Coverage form sections
 - Covered autos
 - Liability coverage
 - Garagekeepers coverage
 - Physical damage coverage
 - Exclusions
 - Conditions
 - Definitions
- Selected endorsements
 - Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
 - Mobile equipment (CA 20 15)
 - Auto medical payments coverage (CA 99 03)
 - Drive other car coverage (CA 99 10)
 - Individual named insured

(CA 99 17)
 Employees as insureds (CA 99 33)
 Commercial carrier regulations
 The Motor Carrier Act of 1980
 Endorsement for motor carrier policies of insurance for public liability (MCS-90)

**INDEPENDENT AVIATION
 INSURANCE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION
 SERIES 10-67**

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

Qualifications (2108(c, g))
 Process (2108(d), (f))
 Bond (2108(l))
 Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
 Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

Renewal (2108(i, j))
 Assumed names (2102(f))
 Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
 Reporting of actions (2110(i))

1.3 Disciplinary actions

Cease and desist (2405)
 Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
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1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)

Unfair claim practices (2601)
 Misrepresentation (2108(o))
 Suit against insurer (3404)
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 Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to .4)

1.5 Federal regulation

Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)
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2.1 Contract basics

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 Legal purpose
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 Aleatory contract
 Personal contract
 Unilateral contract
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 Legal interpretations affecting contracts
 Reasonable expectations
 Indemnity
 Utmost good faith
 Representations/

misrepresentations
 Warranties
 Concealment
 Fraud
 Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

Insurable interest
 Hazards
 Physical
 Moral
 Morale
 Negligence
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 Defenses against negligence
 Damages
 Compensatory — special versus general
 Punitive
 Absolute liability
 Strict liability
 Vicarious liability
 Named perils versus open perils (all risk)
 Direct loss
 Consequential or indirect loss
 Blanket versus specific insurance
 Basic types of construction
 Loss valuation
 Actual cash value
 Broad evidence rule
 Replacement cost
 Functional replacement cost
 Market value
 Agreed value
 Stated amount

2.3 Policy structure

Declarations
 Definitions
 Insuring agreement or clause
 Additional/supplementary coverage
 Conditions
 Exclusions
 Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
 Policy period
 Policy territory
 Cancellation and nonrenewal
 Deductibles
 Other insurance
 Nonconcurrency
 Primary
 Excess
 Pro rata
 Contribution by equal shares
 Limits of liability
 Per occurrence (accident)
 Per person
 Aggregate — general versus products/completed operations
 Split
 Combined single
 Reinstatement of limits
 Coinsurance
 Vacancy or unoccupancy
 Named insured provisions
 Duties after loss
 Assignment
 Abandonment
 Insurer provisions
 Liberalization

Subrogation
 Salvage
 Claim settlement options
 Duty to defend
 Third-party provisions
 Loss payable clause
 No benefit to the bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 18%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

Duties and responsibilities
 Staff and independent adjuster versus public adjuster
 Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

Claim investigation
 Claim file documentation of events
 Types of reports

Initial or first field
 Interim or status
 Full formal

3.3 Property losses

Duties of insured after a loss
 Notice to insurer
 Mitigating the loss
 Proof of loss
 Special requirements
 Produce books and records
 Abandonment
 Determining value and loss
 Burden of proof of value and loss
 Estimates
 Depreciation
 Salvage

Claim settlement options
 Payment and discharge

3.4 Liability losses

Investigation procedures
 Verify coverage
 Determine liability
 Gathering evidence
 Physical evidence
 Witness statements
 Determining value of intangible damages

3.5 Coverage problems

Dealing with coverage disputes
 Reservation of rights letter
 Nonwaiver agreement
 Declaratory judgment action

3.6 Claims adjustment procedures

Settlement procedures
 Advance payments
 Draft authority
 Execution of releases
 Subrogation procedures
 Appraisal process

4.0 GENERAL PRINCIPLES AND DEFINITIONS 20%

4.1 In flight

4.2 Not in flight

4.3 Use of airplane

4.4 Conversion

4.5 Loss of use

4.6 Proximate cause

4.7 General average

5.0 AVIATION HULL COVERAGES 9%

5.1 Comprehensive



5.2 Named perils
5.3 Deductibles

6.0 AIRCRAFT LIABILITY COVERAGES 23%

- 6.1 Bodily injury liability**
(excluding passengers)
- 6.2 Property damage liability**
- 6.3 Passenger bodily injury liability**
- 6.4 Medical payments**
- 6.5 Admitted liability**

7.0 AIRPORT AND HANGARKEEPERS LIABILITY 10%

- 7.1 Airport liability**
- 7.2 Hangarkeepers liability**

INDEPENDENT FIDELITY AND SURETY ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-68

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

- 1.1 Licensing requirements**
 - Qualifications (2108(c, g))
 - Process (2108(d), (f))
 - Bond (2108(l))
 - Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
 - Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))
- 1.2 Maintenance and duration**
 - Renewal (2108(i, j))
 - Assumed names (2102(f))
 - Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
 - Reporting of actions (2110(i))
- 1.3 Disciplinary actions**
 - Cease and desist (2405)
 - Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
 - Penalties (2127)
- 1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)**
 - Unfair claim practices (2601)
 - Misrepresentation (2108(o))
 - Prohibitions (Reg 25, Part 26.5)
 - Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to .4)
- 1.5 Federal regulation**
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2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 10%

- 2.1 Contract basics**
 - Elements of a legal contract
 - Offer and acceptance
 - Consideration
 - Competent parties
 - Legal purpose
 - Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract
 - Contract of adhesion
 - Aleatory contract
 - Personal contract
 - Unilateral contract
 - Conditional contract
 - Legal interpretations affecting contracts
 - Reasonable expectations

Indemnity
Utmost good faith
Representations/
misrepresentations
Warranties
Concealment
Fraud
Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

Insurable interest
Hazards

- Physical
- Moral
- Morale

Negligence
Consequential or indirect loss

2.3 Policy structure

Declarations
Definitions
Insuring agreement or clause
Additional/supplementary coverage
Conditions
Exclusions
Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
Policy period
Policy territory
Deductibles
Other insurance

- Primary
- Excess
- Pro rata

Limits of liability — per occurrence
Assignment
Subrogation

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 18%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

Duties and responsibilities
Staff and independent adjuster versus public adjuster
Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

Claim investigation
Claim file documentation of events
Types of reports

- Initial or first field
- Interim or status
- Full formal

3.3 Fidelity and surety

Duties of an insured after a loss
Determining value and loss
Burden of proof of value and loss
Claim settlement options
Payment and discharge

3.4 Coverage problems

Dealing with coverage disputes
Reservation of rights letter
Nonwaiver agreement
Declaratory judgment action

3.5 Claims adjustment procedures

Settlement procedures

- Advance payments
- Draft authority
- Execution of releases

Subrogation procedures
Appraisal process

4.0 SURETY BONDS 31%

4.1 Nature of surety bonds

Surety bonds versus insurance
Parties of a surety bond
Principal
Obligee
Surety

4.2 Types of surety bonds

Contract bonds

- Bid
- Performance
- Payment
- Maintenance
- Miscellaneous contracts
- Small Business
 - Administration (SBA)
 - Surety Bond Guaranty Program

Purpose of license and permit bonds

- Types of guarantees
 - Financial
 - Indemnity

Public official bond

- Statutory, common law, or voluntary
- Individual
- Name schedule
- Position schedule

Judicial bonds

- Attachment
- Garnishment
- Replevin
- Counter-replevin
- Stay of execution
- Release attachment
- Bail
- Appeal
- Cost
- Injunction
- Dissolve injunction
- Discharge mechanics lien

Fiduciary bonds

- Probate
- Equity
- Federal bankruptcy court

Federal

- Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms
- Customs
- Immigrant

Miscellaneous surety bonds

- Indemnity
- Financial guarantee
- Lost instrument
- Reclamation
- Self-insurance Workers' Compensation

5.0 FIDELITY COVERAGES 31%

5.1 Nature of fidelity bonds

Insuring agreement
Discovery versus loss sustained forms
Bond period
Discovery period
Limit of liability

- Aggregate
- Single loss

Termination of coverage

5.2 Employee dishonesty coverage

Individual bonds
Blanket
Scheduled



- Named employee
- Specified position
- Pension plan, ERISA compliance

5.3 Financial institution bonds

- Form 14 Securities dealers
- Form 15 Finance companies
- Form 23 Credit unions
- Form 24 Banks and thrifts
- Form 25 Insurance companies

- A — Fidelity
- B — On premises
- C — In transit
- D — Forgery or alteration
- E — Securities (forgery)

- Coverage riders

- Automated teller machine (ATM)

- Computer systems

- Extortion coverage

- Fraudulent real property mortgages

- Insurers of registered checks or personal money orders

- Pension plans, ERISA compliance

- Servicing contractors

- Trading loss

- Voice initiated electronic funds transfer (VIT)

5.4 Public employee bonds

- Coverage Form O — Public employee dishonesty

5.5 Commercial crime (2006)

- General definitions

- Burglary

- Theft

- Robbery

- Coverage trigger — discovery and loss sustained

- Crime coverage forms

- Commercial crime coverage forms

- Governmental crime coverage forms

- Coverages

- Employee theft

- Forgery or alteration

- Inside the premises — theft of money and securities

- Inside the premises — robbery or safe burglary of other property

- Outside the premises

- Computer fraud

- Funds transfer fraud

- Money orders and counterfeit money

INDEPENDENT INLAND MARINE ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-69

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 11%

1.1 Licensing requirements

- Qualifications (2108(c, g))

- Process (2108(d), (f))

- Bond (2108(l))

- Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))

- Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

- Renewal (2108(i, j))

- Assumed names (2102(f))

- Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)

- Reporting of actions (2110(i))

1.3 Disciplinary actions

- Cease and desist (2405)

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- Penalties (2127)

1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)

- Unfair claim practices (2601)

- Misrepresentation (2108(o))

- Suit against insurer (3404)

- Prohibitions (Reg 25, Part 26.5)

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- including 1033 waiver

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2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 11%

2.1 Contract basics

- Elements of a legal contract

- Offer and acceptance

- Consideration

- Competent parties

- Legal purpose

- Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract

- Contract of adhesion

- Aleatory contract

- Personal contract

- Unilateral contract

- Conditional contract

- Legal interpretations affecting contracts

- Reasonable expectations

- Indemnity

- Utmost good faith

- Representations/ misrepresentations

- Warranties

- Concealment

- Fraud

- Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

- Insurable interest

- Hazards

- Physical

- Moral

- Morale

- Negligence

- Elements of a negligent act

- Defenses against negligence

- Damages

- Compensatory — special versus general

- Punitive

- Absolute liability

- Strict liability

- Vicarious liability

- Named perils versus open perils (All risk)

- Direct loss

- Consequential or indirect loss

- Blanket versus specific insurance

- Basic types of construction

- Loss valuation

- Actual cash value

- Broad evidence rule

- Replacement cost

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2.3 Policy structure

- Declarations

- Definitions

- Insuring agreement or clause

- Additional/supplementary coverage

- Conditions

- Exclusions

- Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined

- Policy period

- Policy territory

- Cancellation and nonrenewal

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- Contribution by equal shares

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- Reinstatement of limits

- Coinurance

- Vacancy or unoccupancy

- Named insured provisions

- Duties after loss

- Assignment

- Abandonment

- Insurer provisions

- Liberalization

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- Salvage

- Claim settlement options

- Duty to defend

- Third-party provisions

- Loss payable clause

- No benefit to bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 27%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

- Duties and responsibilities

- Staff and independent adjuster

- versus public adjuster

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4.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 38%

4.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

4.2 Commercial inland marine

- Nationwide marine definition
- Commercial inland marine conditions forms
- Commercial Inland marine coverage forms
 - Accounts receivable
 - Commercial articles
 - Contractors equipment floater
 - Electronic data processing
 - Equipment dealers
 - Installation floater
 - Jewelers block
 - Signs
 - Valuable papers and records
- Transportation coverages
 - Common carrier legal liability
 - Motor truck cargo
 - Transit coverage

5.0 PERSONAL INLAND MARINE 13%

5.1 Personal property floater

5.2 Personal effects floater

5.3 Personal articles floater

INDEPENDENT GENERAL ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-70

100 questions - Two-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 6%

1.1 Licensing requirements

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2.4 Common policy provisions

- Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
- Policy period
- Policy territory
- Cancellation and nonrenewal
- Deductibles
- Other insurance
 - Nonconcurrency
 - Primary
 - Excess
 - Pro rata
 - Contribution by equal shares
- Limits of liability
 - Per occurrence (accident)
 - Per person
 - Aggregate — general versus products/completed operations
 - Split
 - Combined single
- Reinstatement of limits
- Coinurance
- Vacancy or unoccupancy
- Named insured provisions
 - Duties after loss
 - Assignment
 - Abandonment
- Insurer provisions
 - Liberalization
 - Subrogation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options
 - Duty to defend
- Third-party provisions
 - Standard mortgage clause
 - Loss payable clause
 - No benefit to bailee

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 11%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

- Duties and responsibilities
- Staff and independent adjuster versus public adjuster
- Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

- Claim investigation
- Claim file documentation of

- events
- Types of reports
 - Initial or first field
 - Interim or status
 - Full formal
- 3.3 Property losses**
 - Duties of insured after a loss
 - Notice to insurer
 - Mitigating the loss
 - Proof of loss
 - Special requirements
 - Produce books and records
 - Abandonment
 - Determining value and loss
 - Burden of proof of value and loss
 - Estimates
 - Depreciation
 - Salvage
 - Claim settlement options
 - Payment and discharge
- 3.4 Liability losses**
 - Investigation procedures
 - Verify coverage
 - Determine liability
 - Gathering evidence
 - Physical evidence
 - Witness statements
 - Determining value of intangible damages
- 3.5 Coverage problems**
 - Dealing with coverage disputes
 - Reservation of rights letter
 - Nonwaiver agreement
 - Declaratory judgment action
- 3.6 Claims adjustment procedures**
 - Settlement procedures
 - Advance payments
 - Draft authority
 - Execution of releases
 - Subrogation procedures
 - Alternative dispute resolution
 - Appraisal
 - Arbitration
 - Competitive estimates
 - Mediation
 - Negotiation

4.0 ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE BASICS 6%

- 4.1 Definition of potential claims**
 - Accidental injury
 - Sickness and health
- 4.2 Principal types of claims and benefits**
 - Loss of income from disability
 - Hospital and medical expense
 - Long-term care expense
- 4.3 Classes of accident and health insurance policies**
 - Individual, franchise and group
 - Private versus government
 - Limited versus comprehensive
 - Self-insured versus insured
- 4.4 Limited policies**
 - Limited benefits and amounts
 - Required notice to insured
 - Types of limited policies
 - Accident-only
 - Hospital indemnity (income)
 - Dental insurance
 - Credit disability
 - Prescription drugs
 - Vision care

- 4.5 Common exclusions from coverage**
 - Pre-existing conditions
- 4.6 Accident and health insurance claims**
 - Insured's notice
 - Standard claim forms
 - Insurers' responsibility to provide claim forms
 - Insured's submission of proof of loss
 - Insurer's investigations/verification of loss
 - Insurer's payment of claim
 - Physical examination and autopsy
 - Legal actions

5.0 UNDERSTANDING THE LANGUAGE OF MEDICAL REPORTS 4%

- 5.1 Medical terminology and abbreviations**
 - Location terms
 - Movement terms
 - Prefixes, suffixes and root words
 - Abbreviations used in medical reports
 - Medical specialties
- 5.2 Basic human anatomy**
 - Skeletal structure
 - Nervous system
 - Respiratory system
 - Cardiovascular system
 - Abdominal organs
- 5.3 Common injuries and diseases**
 - Strains and sprains
 - Dislocations
 - Fractures
 - Soft tissue injuries
 - Brain injuries
 - Burn classifications
 - Cumulative trauma
 - Repetitive motion injuries
 - Lung disease
 - Diabetes mellitus
 - Glaucoma
 - Hypertension
 - Arthritis
 - Osteomyelitis
 - Stroke
 - Tachycardia
 - Atherosclerosis
 - Coronary thrombosis
 - Mental wellness
- 5.4 Medical tests**
 - Laboratory
 - Radiography (X-ray)
 - Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
 - Computerized tomography (CT or CAT)
 - Electromyography (EMG)
 - Nerve conduction studies
 - Myelography
 - Arthroscopy
 - Electrocardiogram (EKG or ECG)
 - Electroencephalography (EEG)

6.0 DWELLING (2002) POLICY 6%

- 6.1 Coverage forms — Perils insured against**
 - Basic
 - Broad

- Special
- 6.2 Property coverages**
 - Coverage A — Dwelling
 - Coverage B — Other structures
 - Coverage C — Personal property
 - Coverage D — Fair rental value
 - Coverage E — Additional living expense
 - Other coverages
- 6.3 General exclusions**
- 6.4 Conditions**
- 6.5 Selected endorsements**
 - Special provisions — New York (DP 01 31)
 - Automatic increase in insurance (DP 04 11)
 - Broad theft coverage (DP 04 72)
 - Dwelling under construction (DP 11 43)
- 6.6 Personal liability supplement**

7.0 HOMEOWNERS (2000) POLICY 10%

- 7.1 Coverage forms**
 - HO-2 through HO-6, HO-8
- 7.2 Definitions**
- 7.3 Section I — Property coverages**
 - Coverage A — Dwelling
 - Coverage B — Other structures
 - Coverage C — Personal property
 - Coverage D — Loss of use
 - Additional coverages
- 7.4 Section II — Liability coverages**
 - Coverage E — Personal liability
 - Coverage F — Medical payments to others
 - Additional coverages
- 7.5 Perils insured against**
- 7.6 Exclusions**
- 7.7 Conditions**
- 7.8 Selected endorsements**
 - Special provisions — New York (HO 01 31)
 - Earthquake (HO 04 54)
 - Identity fraud expense (HO 04 55)
 - Scheduled personal property (HO 04 61)
 - Personal property replacement cost (HO 04 90)
 - Home business (HO 07 01)
 - Personal injury New York (HO 24 86)
 - Workers' compensation — certain residence employees New York (HO 24 93)
 - Water Back Up and Sump Discharge or Overflow (HO 23 85)

8.0 AUTO INSURANCE 9%

- 8.1 Laws**
 - New York Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Law
 - Required limits of liability (Veh & Traf 333)
 - Required proof of insurance (Veh & Traf 311(3))
 - New York Automobile Insurance Plan (5301-5304)
 - Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Repairs Act (PIP) (5101-5108)
 - Notice of claim
 - Medical
 - Rehabilitation

- Loss of earnings
- Funeral
- Substitution services
- Tort limitation/verbal Threshold
- Optional coverages
 - OBEL
 - Additional PIP
- Uninsured motorist (3420(f))
 - Definitions
 - Bodily injury only
 - Required limits
 - Mandatory coverage
- Supplementary uninsured/underinsured motorist coverage (3420(f)(2)(A)(B); Reg 35-D, Parts 60-2.0 to .4)
 - Definitions
 - Optional
 - Nonstacking
 - Coverage limits
 - Mandatory inspection requirements for private passenger automobiles (Reg 79, Parts 67.0 to .11)
- Cancellation/nonrenewal (3425)
 - Grounds
 - Notice
- Choice of repair shop (2610)
- Supplemental spousal liability (3420(g))

8.2 Vehicle parts and construction

- Body
 - Front end
 - Rear body
 - Quarter panels
 - Doors
 - Roof
 - Bumpers/urethane repairs
 - Lamps
 - Cowl
 - Floor pan
 - Rocker panels
 - Pillars
- Substructure
 - Frame
 - Unibody
- Mechanical
 - Engine
 - Cooling system
 - Electrical system/computers
 - Exhaust system
 - Fuel system
 - Heating and air conditioning systems
 - Brakes/ABS
 - Steering
 - Suspension
 - Transmission
 - Air bags/SRS

8.3 Personal (2005) automobile policy

- Definitions
- Liability coverage
 - Bodily injury and property damage
 - Supplementary payments
 - Who is insured
 - Exclusions
- Medical payments coverage
- Coverage for damage to your auto

- Collision
- Other than collision
- Deductibles
- Transportation expenses
- Exclusions
- Duties after an accident or loss
- General provisions
- Selected endorsements
 - Amendment of policy provisions — New York (PP 01 79)
 - Towing and labor costs (PP 03 03)
 - Miscellaneous type vehicle — New York (PP 03 29)
 - Named non-owner coverage — New York (PP 03 30)
 - Rental vehicle coverage — New York (PP 03 46)
 - Joint ownership coverage — New York (PP 03 78)

8.4 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

- Commercial auto coverage forms
 - Business auto
 - Garage
 - Truckers
 - Motor carrier
- Coverage form sections
 - Covered autos
 - Liability coverage
 - Garagekeepers coverage
 - Physical damage coverage
 - Exclusions
 - Conditions
 - Definitions
- Selected endorsements
 - Lessor — additional insured and loss payee (CA 20 01)
 - Mobile equipment (CA 20 15)
 - Auto medical payments coverage (CA 99 03)
 - Drive other car coverage (CA 99 10)
 - Individual named insured (CA 99 17)
 - Employees as insureds (CA 99 33)
- Commercial carrier regulations
 - The Motor Carrier Act of 1980
 - Endorsement for motor carrier policies of insurance for public liability (MCS-90)

9.0 COMMERCIAL PACKAGE POLICY (CPP) 9%

9.1 Components of a commercial policy

- Common policy declarations
- Common policy conditions
- Monoline versus package

9.2 Commercial general liability (2001)

- Commercial general liability coverage forms
 - Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Medical payments coverage
 - Exclusions
 - Supplementary payments

- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- Conditions
- Definitions
- Occurrence versus claims-made (Reg 121, Part 73)
- Claims made features (Reg 121, Part 73)
 - Trigger
 - Retroactive date
 - Extended reporting periods — basic versus supplemental
 - Claim information
- Premises and operations
- Products and completed operations
- Insured contract
- Owners and contractors protective liability

9.3 Commercial property (2000)

- Commercial property conditions form
- Coverage forms
 - Building and personal property
 - Condominium association
 - Condominium commercial unit-owners
 - Builders risk
 - Business income/extra expense
 - Legal liability
 - Definitions
- Causes of loss forms
 - Basic
 - Broad
 - Special
- Selected endorsements
 - Ordinance or law (CP 04 05)
 - Spoilage (CP 04 40)
 - Earthquake and volcanic eruption (CP 10 40)
 - Flood coverage (CP 10 65)
 - Peak season limit of insurance (CP 12 30)
 - Value reporting form (CP 13 10)

9.4 Commercial crime (2006)

- General definitions
 - Burglary
 - Theft
 - Robbery
- Crime coverage forms
 - Commercial crime coverage forms (discovery/loss sustained)
 - Government crime coverage forms (discovery/loss sustained)
- Coverages
 - Employee theft
 - Forgery or alteration
 - Inside the premises — theft of money and securities
 - Inside the premises — robbery or safe burglary of other property
 - Outside the premises
 - Computer fraud
 - Funds transfer fraud
 - Money orders and counterfeit money

9.5 Commercial inland marine

- Nationwide marine definition
- Commercial inland marine

- conditions forms
- Commercial Inland marine coverage forms
 - Accounts receivable
 - Commercial articles
 - Contractors equipment floater
 - Electronic data processing
 - Equipment dealers
 - Installation floater
 - Jewelers block
 - Signs
 - Valuable papers and records
- Transportation coverages
 - Common carrier legal liability
 - Motor truck cargo
 - Transit coverage

9.6 Boiler and machinery (2001)

- Equipment breakdown protection coverage form (BM 00 20)
- Selected endorsements
- Business income — Report of values (BM 15 31)
- Actual cash value (BM 99 59)

9.7 Farm coverage (1998)

- Farm property coverage forms
 - Coverage A — Dwellings
 - Coverage B — Other private structures
 - Coverage C — Household personal property
 - Coverage D — Loss of use
 - Coverage E — Scheduled farm personal property
 - Coverage F — Unscheduled farm personal property
 - Coverage G — Other farm structures
- Farm liability coverage forms
 - Coverage H — Bodily injury and property damage liability
 - Coverage I — Personal and advertising injury liability
 - Coverage J — Medical payments
- Mobile agricultural machinery and equipment coverage form
- Livestock coverage form
- Definitions
- Cause of loss (basic, broad and special)
- Conditions
- Exclusions
- Limits
- Additional coverages
 - Animals other than “livestock”

10.0 BUSINESSOWNERS (2006) POLICY 8%

10.1 Characteristics and purpose

10.2 Businessowners property coverage forms (standard and special)

- Coverage
- Causes of loss
- Exclusions
- Who is insured
- Limits of insurance
- Deductibles
- Loss conditions
- General conditions
- Optional coverages
- Additional coverages

Definitions

10.3 Businessowners liability coverage form

- Coverages
- Exclusions
- Who is an insured
- Limits of insurance
- General conditions
- Definitions

10.4 Businessowners common policy conditions

10.5 Selected endorsements

- Protective safeguards (BP 04 30)
- Hired auto and non-owned auto liability — New York (BP 04 36)
- Utility services — direct damage (BP 04 56)
- Utility services — time element (BP 04 57)

11.0 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE 6%

11.1 Workers' Compensation laws

- Types of laws
 - Monopolistic versus competitive
 - Compulsory versus elective
- New York Workers' Compensation Law
- Exclusive remedy (WC 11)
- Employment covered (required, voluntary) (WC 2(3, 4, 5), 10)
- Covered injuries (WC 2(7), 10, 13, 18)
- Grave injuries (WC 11)
- Occupational illness and diseases (WC 3(2), 37-48)
- Benefits provided (WC 12-16)
- Special disability fund (WC 15(8)(h))
- Claims reporting requirements (RR 314.7)
- Volunteer Firefighters' and Volunteer Ambulance Workers' Benefit
- Federal Workers' Compensation Laws
 - Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA) (45 USC 51-60)
 - U.S. Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC 904)
 - The Jones Act (46 USC 688)

11.2 Workers' Compensation and employers liability insurance policy

- General section
- Part One — Workers' Compensation insurance
- Part Two — Employers liability insurance
- Part Three — Other states insurance
- Part Four — Your duties if injury occurs
- Part Five — Premium
- Part Six — Conditions
- Selected endorsements

- Voluntary compensation
- Foreign coverage endorsement

11.3 Other sources of coverage

- New York State Insurance Fund (WC 76-100)
- Self-insured employers and employer groups (WC 50, 60-75-a; RR 317.1-.22)

12.0 SURETY BONDS 2%

12.1 Nature of surety bonds

- Surety bonds versus insurance
- Parties of a surety bond
 - Principal
 - Obligee
 - Surety

12.2 Types of surety bonds

- Contract bonds
 - Bid
 - Performance
- Public official bond
- Judicial bonds
- Fiduciary bonds
- Miscellaneous surety bonds
 - Indemnity
 - Financial guarantee
 - Lost instrument
 - Reclamation
 - Self-insurance workers Compensation

13.0 FIDELITY COVERAGES 3%

13.1 Nature of fidelity bonds

- Insuring agreement
- Discovery versus loss sustained forms
- Bond period
- Discovery period
- Limit of liability
 - Aggregate
 - Single loss
- Termination of coverage

13.2 Employee dishonesty coverage

- Individual bonds
- Blanket
- Scheduled
 - Named employee
 - Specified position
- Pension plan, ERISA compliance

13.3 Financial institution bonds

- Form 14 Securities dealers
- Form 15 Finance companies
- Form 23 Credit unions
- Form 24 Banks and thrifts
- Form 25 Insurance companies
 - A — Fidelity
 - B — On premises
 - C — In transit
 - D — Forgery or alteration
 - E — Securities (forgery)

13.4 Public employee bonds

- Coverage Form O — Public employee dishonesty

14.0 AVIATION HULL COVERAGES 3%

14.1 Comprehensive

14.2 Named perils

14.3 Deductibles

15.0 AIRCRAFT LIABILITY COVERAGES 3%

15.1 Bodily injury liability (excluding passengers)



15.2 Property damage liability

15.3 Passenger bodily injury liability

15.4 Medical payments

15.5 Admitted liability

16.0 OTHER COVERAGES AND OPTIONS 8%

16.1 Umbrella/excess liability policies

- Personal (DL 98 01)
- Commercial (CU 00 01)

16.2 Specialty liability insurance

- Errors and omissions
- Professional liability
- Directors and officers liability
- Fiduciary liability
- Liquor liability
- Employment practices liability
- Environmental liability

16.3 Excess lines (Reg 41, Part 27)

16.4 National Flood Insurance Program

- "Write your own" versus direct
- Eligibility
- Coverage
 - Flood definition
 - Limits
 - Deductibles
 - Increased cost of compliance
- Proof of loss requirement
- Forms
 - Dwelling
 - General
 - Residential Condominium Building Association Policy

16.5 Ocean marine insurance

- Major coverages
 - Hull insurance
 - Cargo insurance
 - Freight insurance
 - Protection and indemnity
- Implied warranties
- Perils
- General and particular average

16.6 Other policies

- Watercraft
- Difference in conditions
- Identity theft
- Personal recreational vehicles (ATVs, snowmobiles)

16.7 Crop insurance

- Eligibility
- Application
- Term of coverage
- Covered perils
- Limits of coverage

16.8 Federal multi-peril crop insurance

- Basic crop insurance
 - Eligibility
 - Coverage level
 - Covered causes of loss
 - Application
 - Life of policy
- Multiple peril policy options
 - Levels of coverage
 - Price election
 - Optional units
- Other provisions
 - Individual crop
 - Small grain

Coarse Grain

INDEPENDENT AUTOMOBILE DAMAGE AND THEFT APPRAISAL ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-71

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

- Qualifications (2108(c, g))
- Process (2108(d), (f))
- Bond (2108(l))
- Fingerprints (2108(d)(2))
- Temporary adjuster permit (2108(h, n))

1.2 Maintenance and duration

- Renewal (2108(i, j))
- Assumed names (2102(f))
- Change of address (Reg 25, Part 26.6)
- Reporting of actions (2110(i))

1.3 Disciplinary actions

- Cease and desist (2405)
- Suspension, revocation, and nonrenewal (2110)
- Penalties (2127)

1.4 Claim settlement laws and regulations (Reg 64, Part 216)

- Unfair claim practices (2601)
- Misrepresentation (2108(o))
- Prohibitions (Reg 25, Part 26.5)
- Consumer privacy regulation (Reg 169, Parts 420.0 to .4)

1.5 Federal regulation

- Fraud and false statements including 1033 waiver (18 USC 1033, 1034)

2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 10%

2.1 Insurance principles and concepts

- Insurable interest
- Causes of loss (perils)
- Direct loss
- Consequential or indirect loss
- Loss valuation
 - Actual cash value
 - Replacement cost

3.0 APPRAISING AUTOMOBILE PHYSICAL DAMAGE CLAIMS 80%

3.1 Role of the appraiser

- Duties and responsibilities
- Relationship to adjusters

3.2 Duties of insured after a loss

- Notice to insurer
- Mitigating the loss
- Inspection and appraisal of vehicle
- Special requirements

3.3 Determining value and loss

- Adjustment procedures
- Salvage
- Appraisal (3408)
- Depreciation
- Repair or replacement
 - Repair options and procedures
 - "Like kind and quality"
 - Aftermarket parts
- Total Loss Valuation Methods (Reg 64, Part 216.7(c)(1))

Partial loss versus total loss

Constructive total loss

3.4 Vehicle inspection

Proper vehicle identification and options ID

Evaluate with regard to circumstances of accident

Estimate of repairs form

3.5 Vehicle parts and construction

Body

- Front end
- Rear body
- Quarter panels
- Doors
- Roof
- Bumpers/urethane repairs
- Lamps
- Cowl
- Floor pan
- Rocker panels
- Pillars

Substructure

- Frame
- Unibody

Mechanical

- Engine
- Cooling system
- Electrical system/computers
- Exhaust system
- Fuel system
- Heating and air conditioning systems
- Brakes/ABS
- Steering
- Suspension
- Transmission
- Air bags/SRS (seat belts)
- Glass
- Interior
- Paint

3.6 Handling auto theft losses

3.7 Auto arson and fraud

INDEPENDENT MOTOR VEHICLE NO-FAULT AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION HEALTH SERVICES ADJUSTER EXAMINATION SERIES 10-72

60 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 10%

1.1 Licensing requirements

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Fraud and false statements
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2.0 INSURANCE BASICS 10%

2.1 Contract basics

Elements of a legal contract
Offer and acceptance
Consideration
Competent parties
Legal purpose
Distinct characteristics of an insurance contract
Contract of adhesion
Aleatory contract
Personal contract
Unilateral contract
Conditional contract
Legal interpretations affecting contracts
Reasonable expectations
Indemnity
Utmost good faith
Representations/
misrepresentations
Warranties
Concealment
Fraud
Waiver and estoppel

2.2 Insurance principles and concepts

Hazards
Physical
Moral
Morale

2.3 Policy structure

Declarations
Definitions
Insuring agreement or clause
Additional/supplementary coverage
Conditions
Exclusions
Endorsements

2.4 Common policy provisions

Insureds — named, first named, additional, defined
Policy period
Policy territory
Cancellation and nonrenewal
Deductibles
Other insurance
Primary and excess
Limits of liability
Per occurrence (accident)
Per person
Single/Split
Named insured provisions
Duties after loss
Assignment
Insurer provisions
Liberalization
Subrogation
Duty to defend

3.0 ADJUSTING LOSSES 20%

3.1 Role of the adjuster

Duties and responsibilities
Relationship to the legal profession

3.2 Claim reporting

Claim investigation
Claim file documentation of events
Types of reports
Initial or first field
Interim or status
Full formal

3.3 Coverage problems

Dealing with coverage disputes
Nonwaiver agreement
Declaratory judgment action

3.4 Controlling medical costs

Managed care
Utilization review
Inpatient services
Outpatient services
Hospital bill auditing
Designated provider

3.5 Investigation and evaluation

Workers' Compensation compensability
Employee/non-employee
Arising out of employment
Arising in the course of employment

No-fault

Eligible persons

Documentation

First report of injury

Claimant statement

Insured's records

Witness statements

Current activity reports

3.6 Claims reserves

Components
Indemnity/work loss
Medical
Expense
Factors affecting reserves
Reserving techniques
Individual case method
Formula method
Round-table technique

3.7 Claims management

Analysis
On-site inspections
Selecting an evaluating physician
Physician evaluation
Disposition
Arbitration
Management of rehabilitation programs
Facilities
Coordination of treatment
Discharge procedure

4.0 AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE 20%

4.1 Laws

Comprehensive Motor Vehicle Insurance Reparations Act (PIP) (5101-5108)
Medical
Rehabilitation
Loss of earnings
Funeral
Substitution services
Tort limitation/verbal threshold

4.2 Personal (2005) automobile policy

Definitions
Duties after an accident or loss
General provisions
Selected endorsements
Personal injury protection coverage — New York (PP 05 87)
Additional personal injury protection coverage — New York (PP 05 88)
Personal injury protection coverage (motorcycles) — New York (PP 05 89)
Exclusion of medical expense from personal injury protection coverage — New York (PP 05 92)

4.3 Commercial (2001) automobile policy

Commercial auto coverage forms
Business auto
Garage
Truckers
Motor carrier
Coverage form sections
Covered autos
Exclusions
Conditions
Definitions
Selected endorsements
New York mandatory personal injury protection (CA 22 32)
Additional personal injury protection — New York (CA 22 33)
New York mandatory personal injury protection — motorcycles (CA 22 48)
New York exclusion of medical expense from mandatory personal injury protection (CA 22 49)
New York optional basic economic loss coverage (CA 22 60)

5.0 WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE 20%

5.1 Workers' Compensation laws

Types of laws
Monopolistic versus competitive
Compulsory versus elective
New York Workers' Compensation Law
Exclusive remedy (WC 11)
Employment covered (required, voluntary) (WC 2(3, 4, 5), 10)
Covered injuries (WC 2(7), 10, 13, 18)
Grave injuries (WC 11)
Occupational illness and diseases (WC 3(2), 37-48)
Benefits provided (WC 12-16)
Special disability fund (WC 15(8)(h))
Claims reporting requirements (RR 314.7)

- Volunteer Firefighters Rescue (or ambulance)
- Federal Workers' Compensation laws
- Federal Employers Liability Act (FELA) (45 USC 51-60)
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- The Jones Act (46 USC 688)

5.2 Workers' Compensation and employers liability insurance policy

- General section
- Part One — Workers' Compensation insurance
- Part Two — Employers liability insurance
- Part Three — Other states insurance
- Part Four — Your duties if injury occurs
- Part Five — Premium
- Part Six — Conditions
- Selected endorsements
- Voluntary compensation
- Foreign coverage endorsement

5.3 Other sources of coverage

- New York State Insurance Fund (WC 76-100)
- Self-insured employers and employer groups (WC 50, 60-75-a; RR 317.1-.22)

6.0 UNDERSTANDING THE LANGUAGE OF MEDICAL REPORTS 20%

6.1 Medical terminology and abbreviations

- Location terms
- Movement terms
- Prefixes, suffixes and root words
- Abbreviations used in medical reports
- Medical specialties

6.2 Basic human anatomy

- Skeletal structure
- Nervous system
- Respiratory system
- Cardiovascular system
- Abdominal organs

6.3 Common injuries and diseases

- Strains and sprains
- Dislocations
- Fractures
- Soft tissue injuries
- Brain injuries
- Burn classifications
- Cumulative trauma
- Repetitive motion injuries
- Lung disease
- Diabetes mellitus
- Glaucoma
- Hypertension
- Arthritis
- Osteomyelitis
- Stroke
- Tachycardia
- Atherosclerosis
- Coronary thrombosis
- Mental wellness

6.4 Medical tests

- Laboratory
- Radiography (X-ray)
- Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
- Computerized tomography (CT or CAT)
- Electromyography (EMG)
- Nerve conduction studies
- Myelography
- Arthroscopy
- Electrocardiogram (EKG or ECG)
- Electroencephalography (EEG)

LIFE, ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE LAWS AND REGULATIONS EXAMINATION SERIES 10-73

50 questions - One-hour time limit

1.0 INSURANCE REGULATION 5%

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2.0 NEW YORK LAWS AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES 43%

2.1 Licensee responsibilities

- Solicitation and sales presentations
 - Advertising (2122)
 - Life Insurance Company Guaranty Corporation (7718)
 - Policy summary (3209; Reg 74, Part 53-2.2)
 - Buyer's guide (3209; Reg 74, Part 53-2.6)
 - Illustrations (Reg 74, Parts 53-3.1 to .6)
 - Replacement (2123(a) (2, 3); Reg 60, Parts 51.1 to .8)
- Field underwriting
 - Application procedures including backdating of policies (3208)

2.2 Individual underwriting by the insurer

- Insurable interest (3205)
- Life insurance on minors (3207)
- Medical examinations and lab tests including HIV (2611)

2.3 Required provisions (3203)

- Life insurance
 - Entire contract (3203(a)(4), 3204)
 - Right to examine (free look) (3203(a)(11))
 - Grace period (3203(a)(1))
 - Reinstatement (3203(a)(10))
 - Incontestability (3203(a)(3))
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 Fase de anualidad y proporción de exclusión
 Valores incluidos en el patrimonio del pensionado
 Distribuciones al momento de la muerte
 No viviente (Fideicomisos, corporaciones) propiedad de entidad

7.4 Impuestos a las Cuentas Individuales de Jubilación (Individual Retirement Account, IRAs)

IRA Tradicionales
 Contribuciones y cantidades deducibles
 Distribuciones prematuras, incluyendo los asuntos tributarios
 Pagos de beneficio de fase de anualidad
 Cantidades recibidas por el beneficiario
 IRA Roth
 Contribuciones y límites
 Distribuciones

7.5 Renovaciones y transferencias (IRA y planes calificados)**7.6 Intercambios de la Sección 1035****8.0 PLANES CALIFICADOS 4%****8.1 Requisitos generales**

Contribuciones definidas contra plan de beneficios definidos

8.2 Consideraciones sobre impuestos federales

Ventajas tributarias para empleadores y empleados
 Impuestos a las distribuciones (relacionados con la edad)

8.3 Tipos de plan, características y compradores

Planes para empleados por cuenta propia (Planes Keogh)

8.4 Intercambios de la Sección 529 (programas de ahorro para la universidad)

**SERIE DEL EXAMEN 10-76 EN ESPAÑOL
 PARA REPRESENTANTES Y CORREDORES
 DE SEGURO DE ACCIDENTES Y SALUD**

100 preguntas - 2 horas

1.0. REGLAMENTACIÓN SOBRE SEGUROS 8%**1.1 Licencias**

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El asegurador como principal
Responsabilidades al solicitante/ asegurador
Autoridad y poderes de los agentes
Expresos
Implicado
Aparentes
Responsabilidades con el solicitante/asegurado

2.4 Contratos

Elementos de un contrato legal
Oferta y aceptación
Consideración
Partes competentes
Propósito legal
Características de los contratos de seguro
Contrato de adhesión
Contrato aleatorio
Contrato personal
Contrato unilateral
Contrato condicional
Conceptos legales y interpretaciones que afectan los contratos
Expectativas razonables
Indemnización
Máxima buena fe
Representaciones/ Representaciones inexactas(3105)
Garantías(3106)
Rescisión
Ocultación
Fraude
Renuncia y preclusión

3.0 CONCEPTOS BÁSICOS SOBRE LOS SEGUROS DE ACCIDENTES Y SALUD 15%

3.1 Definiciones de peligros

Lesión accidental
Enfermedad

3.2 Tipos principales de pérdidas y beneficios

Pérdida de ingreso por incapacidad
Gastos de hospital y médicos
Gastos de cuidado a largo plazo

3.3 Clases de accidentes y cobertura de seguro de salud

Individual, propietario único, franquicia y grupal
Privados en comparación con gubernamentales
Limitado en comparación con amplio

3.4 Tipos de Póliza especializadas

Beneficios limitados y cantidades
Aviso requerido al asegurado
Tipos de pólizas limitadas
Accidente solamente
Enfermedad específica (catastrófica)
Indemnización por hospitalización (ingresos)
Seguro dental
Diagnóstico y cuidado preventivo
Beneficios previsto
Seguro de crédito por incapacidad
Medicamentos recetados
Cuidado de la visión

3.5 Exclusiones comunes de la cobertura

Actos de guerra
Participación en un felonía
Las condiciones preexistente
Lesiones autoinfligidas
Compensación a los trabajadores por accidentes de trabajo

3.6 Responsabilidades del licenciario en seguros individuales de accidentes y salud

Requisitos de mercadeo
Promociones (Reg 34 , Parte 215.1 a .18)
Presentaciones de ventas
Bosquejo de la cobertura
Procedimientos de solicitud
Requisitos en el momento de entregar la póliza
Situaciones comunes de errores/omisiones

3.7 Consideraciones en el reemplazo de seguros de accidentes y salud

Beneficios, limitaciones, y exclusiones
Responsabilidad del licenciario por errores y omisiones

3.8. Evaluaciones comunitarias de pólizas (4317; Reg 145, Parte 360)

4.0 SEGURO DE SALUD INDIVIDUAL DISPOSICIONES GENERALES DE LA PÓLIZA 10%

4.1 Disposiciones requeridas

Contrato completo; cambios (3216(d)(1)(A))
Límite de tiempo en algunas defensas (3216(d)(1)(B))
Período de gracia (3216(d)(1)(C))
Reposición (3216(d)(1)(D))
Procedimientos de reclamo (3216(d)(1)(E-I))
Medidas legales (3216(d)(1)(K))
Cambios de beneficiario (3216(d)(1)(L))

4.2 Otras disposiciones

Declaración falsa de la edad (3216(d)(2)(B))
Otros seguros con este asegurador (3216(d)(2)(C))
Seguros con otros aseguradores
Base de los gastos incurridos (3216(d)(2)(D))
Otros beneficios (3216(d)(2)(E))
Primas no pagadas (3216(d)(2)(G))
Cancelación (3216(d)(2)(H))
Conformidad con las leyes estatales (3216(d)(2)(I))
Ocupación ilegal (3216(d)(2)(J))
Intoxicantes y narcóticos (3216(d)(2)(K))

4.3 Otras disposiciones generales

Derecho a examinar (inspección gratis)
Cláusula aseguradora
Cláusula de consideración
Cláusula sobre el carácter renovable (3216(g))
No cancelable
Renovación garantizada



5.0 INGRESOS POR INCAPACIDAD Y SEGUROS RELACIONADOS 10%

5.1 Requisitos para recibir beneficios de incapacidad

Incapacidad de desempeñar las tareas
Ocupación propia
Cualquier ocupación
Discapacidad presunta
Prueba de pérdida

5.2 Seguro individual de ingreso por incapacidad

Plan básico de incapacidad total
Beneficios de ingresos
Períodos de eliminación y de beneficio
Característica de exención de la prima
Coordinación con beneficios de seguro social y compensación a los trabajadores por accidentes de trabajo
Consideración de impuestos de prima individual
Beneficio Mensual Adicional (Additional Monthly Benefit, AMB)
Suplemento de Seguro Social (Social Insurance Supplement, SIS)
Cobertura ocupacional en comparación con cobertura no ocupacional
Otras disposiciones que afectan los beneficios de ingresos
Cláusula adicional de ajuste por el costo de la vida (Cost of Living Adjustment, COLA)
Cláusula adicional de opción de aumentos futuros (Future Increase Option, FIO)
Relación de ingresos a los seguros (3216(d)(2)(F))
Beneficios
Muerte accidental y desmembramiento
Beneficio de rehabilitación
Beneficio de reembolso médico (lesión no incapacitante)
Beneficio de incapacidad parcial
Beneficio de incapacidad residual
Beneficio total de incapacidad
Cobertura de 24 horas contra limitada/cobertura en el trabajo
Exclusiones

5.3 Aspectos singulares de la suscripción individual por incapacidad

Consideraciones ocupacionales/ avocacionales
Límites de beneficios
Alternativas de la emisión de la póliza

5.4 Seguro grupal de ingreso por incapacidad

Planes grupales en comparación con planes individuales
Incapacidad a corto plazo (Short Term Disability, STD)
Incapacidad a largo plazo (Long Term Disability, LTD)

5.5 Seguro comercial por incapacidad

Ingreso por incapacidad de personas clave
Póliza de compra y venta por incapacidad
Póliza de gastos generales comerciales

6.0 PLANES MÉDICOS 13%

6.1 Conceptos de plan médico

Honorario por servicios en comparación con prepago
Coberturas especificadas en comparación con cuidado integral
Programa de beneficios en comparación con cargos usuales, razonables, y acostumbrados
Cualquier proveedor en comparación con una selección de proveedores
Asegurados en comparación con suscriptores/participantes

6.2 Tipos de planes

Básico de hospital, básico médico, básico quirúrgico (Reg 62, Parte 52.5 a 52.7)
Características
Limitaciones comunes
Exclusiones de la cobertura
Disposiciones que afectan el costo para los asegurados
Seguro médico para casos mayores (planes de indemnización)
Características
Limitaciones comunes
Exclusiones de la cobertura
Disposiciones que afectan el costo para los asegurados
Organizaciones para el Mantenimiento de la Salud (Health Maintenance Organizations, HMO)
Características generales
Servicios de cuidado preventivo
Médico de cuidado primario (Primary Care Physician, PCP)
Médico referido (especialidad)
Cuidado de emergencia
Servicios de hospital

Otros servicios básicos

Organizaciones de Proveedores Preferidos (Preferred Provider Organizations, PPO) y Planes de Punto de Servicio (Point-of-Service, POS)

Características generales

Acceso a proveedores dentro y fuera de la red

Médico de cuidado primario (Primary Care Physician, PCP)

Características del plan de indemnización

6.3 Control de costos en el cuidado de la salud

Servicios que ahorran costos
Cuidado preventivo
Beneficios de tratamiento hospitalario ambulatorio
Alternativas a los servicios de hospital
Repaso de la utilización
Posible repaso
Repaso simultáneo
Repaso retrospectivo

6.4 Beneficios y ofertas obligatorias de Nueva York (individual y /o grupal)

Límite de edad del hijo dependiente (3216(a)(4))
Estudiantes a tiempo completo (3216(a)(4)(B))
Extensión de la póliza para niños minusválidos (3216(c)(4)(A))
Cobertura para niño recién nacido (3216(c)(4)(C))
Ley de Timoteo
Infertilidad

6.5 Requisitos de la Ley de Transferibilidad y Responsabilidad de Seguros de Salud (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, HIPAA)

Elegibilidad
Emisión garantizada
Afecciones preexistentes (3232)
Cobertura acreditable (3232-a)
Carácter renovable
Protección de privacidad

6.6 Cuentas de Gastos Flexibles (FSAs) y Cuentas de Ahorro para la Salud (HSAs)

Definición
Elegibilidad
Límites de Aportación

7.0 SEGURO DE CUIDADO A LARGO PLAZO (LONG TERM CARE, LTC) 10%

7.1 Beneficios

Cuidado a Largo Plazo (Long Term Care, LTC), comparación entre Medicare y Medicaid
Requisitos para recibir beneficios
Niveles de cuidado
Cuidado especializado
Cuidado intermedio
Cuidado de custodia
Tipos de cuidado
Cuidado de salud en el hogar
Guardería para adultos
Cuidado de relevo
Hogar para ancianos
Períodos de beneficios
Cantidades de beneficios
Beneficios opcionales
Reembolso contra indemnización/efectivo
Protección de la inflación (COLA) (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (c) (3))
No pérdida de beneficios (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (c) (7))
Garantía de asegurabilidad
Regreso de Prima
Cuidado compartido
Individual, grupo, y planes de asociación
Calificado contra planes LTC no calificados
Exclusiones (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (b)(2))
Consideraciones de suscripción
Apto

7.2 Reglamentos y disposiciones requeridas de Nueva York

Renovabilidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(b)(1))
Disposiciones de divulgación requeridas (Reg 62, Parte 52.65)
Prácticas prohibidas
Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.29)
Arreglos de remuneración permitidos (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(e))

Sociedad del Estado de Nueva York para Cuidado a Largo Plazo (New York State Partnership for Long Term Care) (Reg 144, Parte 39)
Dólar por dólar o el elemento de tiempo
Ley de Recuperación del Patrimonio de Medicaid (OBRA '93)
Credito de impuesto de Nueva York

8.0 SEGURO DE SALUD GRUPAL Y GENERAL 12%

8.1 Características del seguro grupal

Contrato grupal
Certificado de cobertura
Determinación de la prima según la experiencia en comparación con primas comunitarias
Definición de grupo elegible (4235(b)(c))

8.2 Tipos de grupos elegibles (4235)

Grupos relacionados con empleo
Grupos de empleadores individuales
Fideicomisos de Empleadores Múltiples(Multiple Employer Trusts, MET) o Arreglos de Bienestar de Empleadores Múltiples (Multiple Employer Welfare Arrangements, MEWA)
Fideicomisos Taft-Hartley
Asociaciones (ex-alumnos, profesionales y otras)
Grupos de clientes (depositantes, acreedores-deudores y otros)
Grupos de clientes globales (equipos, pasajeros y otros)

8.3 Reglamentación de planes de seguros grupales de empleadores

Ley de Seguridad de Ingresos de Jubilación para Empleados (Employee Retirement Income Security Act, ERISA)
Aplicación
Responsabilidades fiduciarias
Informes y divulgación
Acto de permiso medico familiar (FMLA)
Ley Sobre la Discriminación por Edad en el Empleo (Age Discrimination in Employment Act , ADEA)
Aplicación a empleadores y trabajadores
Reducciones permitidas en los beneficios asegurados
Aumentos permitidos en las contribuciones de los empleados
Requisitos de cobertura de gasto médico
Ley sobre Derechos Civiles/Ley sobre Discriminación por Embarazo
Aplicación
Directrices
Relación con Medicare
Reglas secundarias de Medicare
Escisiones y suplementos de Medicare
Reglas contra la discriminación (altamente remunerados)

8.4 Tipos de financiación y administración

Planes plenamente asegurados convencionales
Planes parcialmente auto-asegurados
Cobertura para detención de pérdidas
Arreglos de Servicios Administrativos Solamente (Administrative-Services Only, ASO)
Fideicomiso 501(c) (9)
Planes totalmente auto-asegurados (autoadministrados)
Características
Condiciones adecuadas para financiamiento propio
Beneficios adecuados para financiamiento propio

8.5 Consideraciones de mercadeo

Publicidad
Jurisdicción reguladora/lugar de entrega

8.6 Seguro de salud grupal del empleador

Criterios de suscripción del asegurador
Características de grupo
Factores de diseño del plan
Factores de persistencia
Capacidad administrativa
Requisitos para cobertura
Inscripción anual abierta
Requisitos del empleado
Requisitos de los dependientes
Disposición de coordinación de beneficios (Reg 62, Parte 52.23)
Cambio de compañías de seguro o pérdida de cobertura
Traspaso de coseguro y deducible
Sin pérdida ni ganancia
Eventos que terminan la cobertura
Extensión de beneficios
Continuación de la cobertura en virtud de COBRA y de las continuaciones de Nueva York

Privilegio de conversión (3221(e))

8.7 Planes médicos de empleadores pequeños

Definición de empleador pequeño (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(f))
Planes de beneficios que se ofrecen
Disponibilidad de cobertura (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e), .3)
Renovabilidad (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e))

9.0 PLANES GUBERNAMENTALES DE SEGURO 10%

9.1 Compensación a los trabajadores por accidentes en el trabajo (Fondo del Seguro del Estado)

Elegibilidad
Beneficios

9.2 Incapacidad del Seguro Social

Requisitos para recibir beneficios de incapacidad
Definición de Incapacidad
Período de espera
Beneficio de ingresos por incapacidad

9.3 Ley Estatal de Beneficios de Incapacidad del Estado de Nueva York

Propósito
Definiciones
Empleo cubierto
Beneficios

9.4 Medicaid

Elegibilidad y Beneficios
Cuidado de la salud de niño Mas
Elegibilidad y beneficios
Cuidado de la salud de familia Mas
Elegibilidad y beneficios

9.5 Medicare

Naturaleza, financiamiento y administración
Parte A: Seguro Hospitalario
Requisitos individuales de elegibilidad
Inscripción
Coberturas y cantidades de participación de costo
Parte B: Seguro Médico
Requisitos individuales de elegibilidad
Inscripción
Coberturas y cantidades de participación de costo
Exclusiones
Terminología de reclamaciones y otros términos clave
Medicare Selectivo (Reg 62, Parte 52.14) (era 17.1.k)
Parte C: Medicare Advantage
Parte D: Seguro para Medicamentos Recetados
Saludable Nueva York(4326)
Cuentas de ahorro Médico (MSAs)
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10.0 SEGURO PRIVADO PARA CIUDADANOS MAYORES Y PERSONAS CON NECESIDADES ESPECIALES 5%

10.1 Suplementos de Medicare

Propósito
Inscripción abierta (Reg. 62, Parte 52.22(k))
Planes suplementarios estandarizados de Medicare
Beneficios centrales
Beneficios adicionales
Regulaciones y disposiciones requeridas de Nueva York
Normas de mercadeo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(i))
Arreglos de remuneración permitidos(Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (h))
Apropiación de compra recomendada o reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (f)(4))
Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (f)(g))
Declaración de divulgación (Reg 62, Parte 52.63)
Renovabilidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (b)(1)(i))

10.2 Otras opciones de Medicare para personas individuales

Personas incapacitadas
Personas con insuficiencia renal
Planes grupales de salud de empleadores
Empleados de 65 años de edad en adelante

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El asegurador como principal
Relación agente/asegurador
Autoridad y poderes de los agentes
Expresos
Implicado
Aparentes
Responsabilidades con el solicitante/asegurado

2.4. Contratos

Elementos de un contrato legal
Oferta y aceptación
Consideración
Partes competentes
Propósito legal
Características de los contratos de seguro
Contrato de adhesión
Contrato aleatorio
Contrato personal
Contrato unilateral
Contrato condicional
Conceptos legales e interpretaciones que afectan los contratos
Expectativas razonables
Indemnización
Máxima buena fe
Representaciones/ Representaciones inexactas(3105)
Garantías(3106)
Rescisión
Ocultación
Fraude
Renuncia y preclusión

3.0. Conceptos Básicos sobre los Seguros de Vida 9%

3.1 Intereses Asegurable (3205)

3.2 Uso personal de seguro de Vida

Protección a el sobrevividor
Creación de propiedad
Acumulación de Dinero
Liquidación
Conservación de propiedad

**3.3 Liquidaciones Anticipadas de Seguros de Vida
(Reg. 148, Partes 380.2, 380.3, 380.6, 380.8;
2406; 7801-3)**

Definiciones
Requisitos de licencia (Sec. 7802(a))



Revocación de licencia
Viatical contra arreglos de vida

3.4 Cómo determinar la cantidad de los seguros de vida personales

Enfoque del valor de la vida humana
Enfoque de necesidades
Tipos de información recogida
Cómo determinar las necesidades para una cantidad única
Cómo planificar las necesidades de ingresos

3.5 Seguros de vida usos para negocios

Financiamiento de compra y venta
Persona clave
Bonos ejecutivos
Continuación de la empresa

3.6. Diferencias en las pólizas de seguros de vida

Grupo contra individual
Permanente en comparación con plazo fijo
Participante en comparación con no participante
Fijas en comparación con variables
Reglamentación de productos variables (SEC, NASD y Nueva York) (4240; Reg 47, Parte 50.3; Reg 77, Parte 54.3)

3.7. Factores para determinar la prima

Mortalidad, Regreso de Inversión, y Gastos
Modo de la prima

3.8. Responsabilidades del licenciario

Solicitudes y presentaciones de ventas
Publicidad (2122)
Compañías de Seguros de Vida Garantías de Corporación (7718)
Resumen de pólizas (3209; Reg 74, Parte 53-2.2)
Guía del comprador (3209; Reg 74, Parte 53-2.6)
Apto
Ilustraciones (Reg 74, Parte 53-3.1 a .6)
Métodos de comparación de costos de las pólizas de seguro de vida
Reemplazo (2123(a)(2, 3); Reg 60, Parte 51.1 a .8)
Uso y divulgación de la información de seguros
Suscripción de campo
Procedimientos de solicitud, incluyendo el fechar retroactivamente las pólizas (3208)
Entrega
Repaso de la póliza
Fecha de vigencia de la cobertura
Cobro de la prima
Declaración de buena salud
Enmiendas

3.9 Suscripción individual de parte del asegurador

Fuentes de información y reglamentación
Solicitud
Informe del agente
Declaración del médico encargado
Informe investigativo (inspección) del consumidor
Agencia de Información Médica (Medical Information Bureau, MIB)
Exámenes médicos y análisis de laboratorio, incluido el VIH (2611)
Criterios de selección y discriminación injusta
Clasificación de riesgos
Preferido
Estándar
Subestándar
Declinado

4.0. Pólizas de Seguros de Vida 8%

4.1 Seguros de vida a plazo fijo

Término a nivel
Término renovable
Término convertible
Prima de término a nivel
Término en aumento y en descenso

4.2 Seguros de vida entera

Prima continua (seguro de vida ordinario)
Pago limitado
Prima única
Vida de prima entera modificada

4.3 Pólizas de primas flexibles

Seguro de vida ajustable
Seguro de vida universal

4.4 Pólizas especializadas

Seguro de vida conjunto (primero en morir)
Seguro de vida del sobreviviente (segundo en morir)
Seguro de vida en menores (3207(b))

4.5 Seguro de vida grupal

Características de los planes grupales
Tipos de patrocinador de planes
Requisitos de suscripción grupal
Conversión a póliza individual (3220)

4.6 Seguro de vida de crédito (individual en comparación con grupal)

5.0. Póliza de Seguro de Vida Disposiciones, Opciones y Anexos 11%

5.1. Disposiciones requeridas (3203)

Propiedad
Asignación
Contrato completo (3203(a)(4), 3204)
Derecho a examinar (inspección gratis) (3203(a)(11))
Pago de primas
Período de gracia (3203(a)(1))
Reintegro (3203(a)(10))
Incontestabilidad (3203(a)(3))
Declaración falsa de la edad (3203(a)(5))
Exclusiones (3203(b, c))
Declaraciones del solicitante (3204)
Prueba de muerte

5.2. Beneficiarios

Opciones de designación
Individuos
Clases (por stirpe y per cápita)
Patrimonios
Menores
Fideicomisos
Sucesión
Revocable en comparación con irrevocable
Cláusula de desastre común

5.3. Opciones de liquidación

Pago en efectivo
Interés solamente
Cuotas de período fijo
Cuotas de cantidades fijas
Ingreso de por vida
Vida individual
Conjunto y sobreviviente
Cláusula de fideicomiso pródigo

5.4. Opciones para impedir la caducidad

Valor de rescate en efectivo
Término extendido
Seguro pagado reducido

5.5. Préstamos a la póliza y opciones de desembolsos de fondos

Préstamos de la Póliza
Préstamos de prima automática
Desembolsos de fondos o rescates parciales

5.6. Opciones de dividendos

Pago en efectivo
Reducción en los pagos de las primas
Acumulación a interés
Opción de término de un año
Adiciones pagadas

5.7. Cláusulas adicionales sobre incapacidad

Exención de la prima
Exención del costo del seguro
Beneficio de ingresos por incapacidad
Beneficio del pagador por vida e incapacidad (seguro juvenil)

5.8. Disposiciones y cláusulas adicionales sobre beneficios acelerados (en vida) (3230)

Condiciones de pago
Efecto en el beneficio por muerte

5.9. Anexos que cubren a otros asegurados

Anexo de término para cónyuge u otro asegurado
Anexo de término para menores
Anexo de término para la familia

5.10. Anexos que afectan la cantidad del beneficio por muerte

Muerte accidental
Asegurabilidad garantizada



Costo de vida
Devolución de la prima
Cláusula adicional a término

6.0. Anualidades 6%

6.1. Principios y conceptos de las anualidades

Período de acumulación en comparación con período de anualidad
Propietario, pensionado y beneficiario
Aspectos de seguro de las anualidades

6.2. Disposiciones requeridas (3219, 4220, 4223)

6.3. Anualidades inmediatas en comparación con anualidades diferidas

Anualidades inmediatas de prima única (Single Premium Immediate Annuities(SPIAs)
Anualidades diferidas
Opciones de pago de prima
No caducidad
Cargos de rescate y retiro de fondos
Beneficios por muerte

6.4. Opciones de pago de anualidad (beneficio)

Opciones de contingencia de vida
Seguro de vida puro en comparación con vida con mínimo garantizado
Seguro de vida simple en comparación con seguro de vida múltiple
Anualidades determinadas (tipos)

6.5. Productos de anualidades

Anualidades fijas
Activos de cuenta general
Garantías de tasas de interés (mínima en comparación con actual)
Cantidad de pago del beneficio constante
Anualidades indexadas de capital

6.6. Usos de anualidades

Anualidades grupales en comparación con anualidades individuales
Calificativo contra Planes No-Calificativo
Usos personales
Crecimiento con impuesto diferido
Ingreso de Retiro
Fondos de educación

7.0. Consideraciones sobre Impuestos Federales para Seguros de Vida y Anualidades 3%

7.1. Impuestos a los seguros de vida personal

Cantidades disponibles al titular de la póliza
Aumentos del valor en efectivo
Dividendos
Préstamos a la póliza
Rescates
Cantidades recibidas por el beneficiario
Regla general y excepciones
Opciones de liquidación
Valores incluidos en el patrimonio del asegurado

7.2. Contratos de Capitalización Modificados (Modified Endowment Contracts (MECs)

Definición de capitalización modificada
Prueba de siete pagos
Distribuciones

7.3. Impuestos de anualidades no calificadas

Anualidades de propiedad individual
Fase de acumulación (cuestiones de impuestos relacionadas con retiros)
Fase de anualidad y proporción de exclusión
Valores incluidos en el patrimonio del pensionado
Distribuciones al momento de la muerte
No viviente (fideicomisos, corporaciones) dueño de entidad

7.4. Impuestos a las Cuentas Individuales de Jubilación (Individual Retirement Account (IRAs)

IRAs Tradicionales
Contribuciones y cantidades deducibles
Distribuciones prematuras, incluyendo los asuntos tributarios
Pagos de beneficio de fase de anualidad
Cantidades recibidas por el beneficiario
IRAs Roth
Contribuciones y límites
Distribuciones

7.5. Renovaciones y transferencias (IRA y planes calificados)

7.6. Intercambios de la Sección 1035

8.0. Planes Calificados 2%

8.1. Requisitos generales

Contribuciones definidas contra plan de beneficios definidos

8.2. Consideraciones sobre impuestos Federales

Ventajas tributarias para empleadores y empleados
Impuestos a las distribuciones(relacionados con la edad)

8.3. Tipos de plan, características y compradores

Planes para empleados por cuenta propia
(planes Keogh)

8.4. Intercambios de la Sección 529

(programas de ahorro para la universidad)

9.0. Conceptos Básicos sobre los Seguros de Accidentes y Salud 5%

9.1. Definiciones de causas de pérdida

Daños accidentales
Enfermedades

9.2. Tipo de pérdidas y beneficios principales

Pérdida de ingresos debido a discapacidad
Gastos médicos y hospitalarios
Gastos de cuidado a largo plazo

9.3. Clases de accidentes y cobertura de seguro de salud

Individual, propietario único, franquicia, y grupo
Privado contra gubernamental
Limitado contra detallado

9.4. Tipos de póliza Limitada

Beneficios limitados y cantidades
La nota requerida al asegurado
Tipos de póliza limitada
Accidente solamente
Enfermedad (temible) específica
Indemnidad del hospital
Seguro dental
Diagnóstico y cuidado preventivo
Beneficios previsto
Discapacidad de Crédito
Medicamentos recetados
Cuidado de la visión

9.5. Exclusión comunes de la cobertura

Acto de guerra
Participación en una felonía
Las condiciones preexistente
Daños autoinfligidos
Compensación al trabajador

9.6 Responsabilidades del licenciataria en accidentes individuales y seguro de salud

Requisito de mercadotecnia
Publicitario (Reg 34, Parte 215.1 a .18)
Presentación de ventas
Esquema de cobertura
Procedimientos de aplicación
Requisitos en la entrega de la póliza
Situación común de los errores/ omisiones

9.7 Consideraciones en el reemplazo de seguro de accidente y salud

Beneficios, limitaciones, y exclusions
Responsabilidad del licenciataria por errores/omisiones

9.8 Valoración de póliza por la comunidad (4317; Reg 145, Parte 360)

10.0. Seguro de Salud Individual Disposiciones Generales de la Póliza 4%

10.1 Disposiciones requeridas

Cambios del contrato entero (3216(d)(1)(A))
Tiempo limitado en ciertas defensas (3216(d)(1)(B))
Período de cortesía (3216(d)(1)(C))
Reinstalación (3216(d)(1)(D))
Procedimientos de reclamación (3216(d)(1)(E-1)
Acciones legales (3216(d)(1)(K))
Cambio de beneficiario (3216(d)(1)(L))

10.2 Otras disposiciones

Declaración errónea de edad (3216(d)(2)(B))
Otros seguros en este asegurador (3216(d)(2)(C))
Seguro con otros aseguradores
Base de gastos incurridos (3216(d)(2)(D))



Otros beneficios (3216(d)(2)(E))
 Prima no pagada (3216(d)(2)(G))
 Cancelación (3216(d)(2)(H))
 Conformidad con los estatutos del estado (3216(d)(2)(I))
 Ocupación ilegal (3216(d)(2)(J))
 Intoxicante y narcóticos (3216(d)(2)(K))

10.3 Otras disposiciones generales

Derecho a examinar (ver gratis)
 Asegurar la cláusula
 Consideración de cláusula
 Renovabilidad de cláusula (3216(g))
 No cancelable
 Garantizado renovable

11.0. Ingresos por Incapacidad y Seguros Relacionados 5%

11.1 Calificación para beneficios de incapacidad

Incapacidad para desempeñar sus deberes
 Propia ocupación
 Cualquier ocupación
 Presunción de Incapacidad
 Prueba de pérdida

11.2 Seguro de ingresos de incapacidad individual

Plan de incapacidad total básico
 Beneficio de ingresos
 Periodo de beneficios y eliminación
 Renuncia de características de prima
 Coordinación con seguro social y beneficios de compensación del trabajador
 Consideración de impuestos de prima individual
 Beneficio mensual adicional (AMB)
 Seguro Social Suplemento(SIS)
 Ocupacional contra cobertura no ocupacional
 Otras disposiciones que afectan los beneficios de ingresos
 Ajuste de Costo de Vida (COLA) rider
 Opción de aumento en el futuro (FIO) rider
 Relación de ingresos a los seguros (3216(d)(2)(F))
 Beneficios
 Muerte accidental y desmembramiento
 Beneficio de rehabilitación
 Reembolso de beneficios médicos (daño no discapacitantes)
 Beneficio de incapacidad parcial
 Beneficio de incapacidad residual
 Beneficio total de incapacidad
 Cobertura de 24 horas contra limitada/cobertura en el trabajo
 Exclusiones

11.3 Aspectos únicos de suscripción de incapacidad individual

Ocupacional /consideraciones avocacionales
 Límite de beneficios
 Alternativas de póliza emitida

11.4 Seguro de Ingreso de Incapacidad grupal

Grupo contra planes individuales
 Incapacidad a plazo corto (STD)
 Incapacidad a largo plazo (LTD)

11.5 Seguro de incapacidad para Negocios

Persona clave ingreso de incapacidad
 Incapacidad compra-venta póliza
 Póliza gastos generales de negocio

12.0 Planes Médicos 7%

12.1 Concepto de Plan Médico

Base de cobro por servicio contra base prepagada
 Coberturas especificadas contra cuidado comprensivo
 Beneficio previsto contra usual/razonable/ cargos acostumbrados
 Cualquier proveedor contra limitada elección de proveedores
 Asegurados contra subscritor/participantes

12.2 Tipos de Planes

Hospital básico, Medical básico, quirúrgicos básico (Reg 62, Partes 52.5 a 52.7)
 Características
 Limitaciones común
 Exclusiones de la cobertura
 Disposiciones que afectan los costos a los asegurados
 Seguro médico mayor (planes de indemnización)
 Características
 Limitaciones comunes

Exclusiones de la cobertura
 Disposiciones que afectan el costo al asegurado
 Organización de Mantenimiento de Salud (HMOs)
 Características generales
 Servicios de cuidado preventivo(PCP)
 Referir (especialidad) médico
 Cuidado de emergencia
 Servicios del hospital
 Otros servicios básicos
 Organizaciones de Proveedor Preferido (PPO) y Punto de Servicio (POS) planes
 Características generales
 Acceso de proveedor en cadena y fuera de cadena
 El Médico primordial de Cuidado (PCP) referencia
 Características de plan de indemnidad

12.3 Contención de costo en entrega de asistencia médica

Servicios de costo de ahorro
 Cuidado preventivo
 Beneficios ambulatorios de hospital
 Alternativas a los servicios hospitalarios
 Repaso de utilización
 Repaso prospectivo
 Repaso concurrente
 Repaso retrospectivo

12.4 Mandato de beneficios y ofertas de Nueva York (individual y/o grupo)

Límite de edad de hijo dependiente (3216(a)(4))
 Estudiantes de tiempo completo (3216(a)(4)(B))
 Extension de póliza para niños incapacitados (3216(c)(4)(A))
 Cobertura para recién nacido (3216(c)(4)(C))
 Ley de Timoteo
 Infertilidad

12.5 HIPAA (Acto de Portabilidad de Seguro de Salud y rendición de Cuentas) requisitos

Elegibilidad
 Cuestión garantizada
 Condiciones preexistentes (3232)
 Cobertura acreditable (3232-a)
 Renovabilidad
 Protección de privacidad
 Cuentas de gastos flexibles (FSAs) y cuentas de ahorro y la salud(HSAs)
 Definición
 Elegibilidad
 Límites de contribución

13.0. Seguro de Cuidado a Largo Plazo (Long Term Care, LTC) 10%

13.1 Beneficios

LTC, Medicare y Medicaid comparado
 Elegibilidad para beneficios
 Niveles de cuidado
 Cuidado especializado
 Cuidado Intermedio
 Cuidado custodio
 Tipos de cuidado
 Cuidado se salud en casa
 Cuidado de relevo
 Vivienda asistida
 Periodo de beneficios
 Cantidades de beneficio
 Beneficios opcionales
 Reembolso contra indemnización/efectivo
 Protección de la inflación (COLA) (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (c) (3))
 No pérdida de beneficios (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (c) (7))
 Garantía de asegurabilidad
 Regreso de Prima
 Cuidado compartido
 Individual, grupo, y planes de asociación
 Calificado contra planes LTC no calificados
 Exclusiones (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (b)(2))
 Consideraciones de la suscripción
 Apto

13.2 Reglamentos y disposiciones requeridas de Nueva York

Renovabilidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.25)(b)(1))

Requerida revelacion de disposicion (Reg 62, Parte 52.65)
 Prácticas prohibidas
 Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.29)
 Arreglos de compensación permitidos (Reg 62, Parte 52.25 (e))
 Asociación del Estado Nueva York para cuidado a largo plazo (Reg 144, Parte 39)
 Dólar por dólar o el elemento de tiempo
 Acto de recuperación de bienes de Medicaid(OBRA '93)
 Credito de impuesto de Nueva York

14.0. Seguro de Salud Grupal y General 6%

14.1 Características de seguros de grupo

Contrato de grupo
 Certificado de cobertura
 Calificación de experiencia contra calificación de la comunidad
 Definición de grupo elegible (4235(b)(c))

14.2 Tipos de grupos elegible (4235)

Grupos relacionados con el empleo
 Grupos de empleadores individuales
 Fideicomiso de empleador múltiple (METs) o arreglos de asistencia social (MEWAs)
 Fideicomiso Taft- Hartley
 Asociaciones (ex alumnos, profesionales y otros)
 Grupos de clientes (depositantes, acreedor-deudor, y otros)
 Grupo de clientes globales (equipos, pasajeros, y otros)

14.3 Reglamentación de planes de seguro de grupo de empleadores

Ingresos de jubilación de empleados acto de seguridad (ERISA)
 Aplicabilidad
 Responsabilidades fiduciarias
 Informes y divulgación
 Acto de permiso medico familiar (FMLA)
 Ley Sobre la Discriminación por Edad en el Empleo
 (Age Discrimination in Employment Act , ADEA)
 Aplicación a empleadores y trabajadores
 Reducciones permitidas en los beneficios asegurados
 Aumentos permitidos en las contribuciones de los empleados
 Requisitos de cobertura de gasto médico
 Ley sobre Derechos Civiles/ Ley sobre Discriminación por Embarazo
 Aplicación
 Directrices
 Relación con Medicare
 Reglas secundarias de Medicare
 Escisiones y suplementos de Medicare
 Reglas contra la discriminación (altamente remunerados)

14.4 Tipos principales de pérdidas y administración

Planes plenamente asegurados convencionales
 Planes parcialmente auto-asegurados
 Cobertura para detención de pérdidas
 Arreglos de Servicios administrativos solamente (ASO)
 Fideicomiso 501(c)(9)
 Planes totalmente auto-asegurados (autoadministrados)
 Características
 Condiciones adecuadas para financiamiento propio
 Beneficios adecuados para financiamiento propio

14.5 Consideraciones de mercadeo

Publicidad
 Jurisdicción reguladora y lugar de entrega

14.6 Seguro de salud grupal del empleador

Criterios de suscripción del asegurador
 Características de grupo
 Factores de diseño del plan
 Factores de persistencia
 Capacidad administrativa
 Requisitos para cobertura
 Inscripción anual abierta
 Requisitos del empleado
 Requisitos de los dependientes
 Disposición de coordinación de beneficios (Reg 62, Parte 52.23)
 Cambio de compañías de seguro o pérdida de cobertura
 Traspaso de coseguro y deducible
 Sin pérdida ni ganancia
 Eventos que terminan la cobertura
 Extensión de beneficios
 Continuación de la cobertura en virtud de COBRA y de las

continuaciones de Nueva York
 Privilegio de conversión (3221(e))

14.7 Planes médicos de empleadores pequeños

Definición de empleador pequeño (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(f))
 Planes de beneficios que se ofrecen
 Disponibilidad de cobertura (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e), .3)
 Renovabilidad (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e))

15.0 Planes Gubernamentales de Seguro 7%

15.1 Compensación a los trabajadores

Elegibilidad
 Beneficios

15.2 Incapacidad del Seguro Social

Requisitos para recibir beneficios de incapacidad
 Definición de Incapacidad
 Período de espera
 Beneficio de ingresos por incapacidad

15.3 Ley Estatal de Beneficios del Estado de Nueva York

Propósito
 Definiciones
 Empleo cubierto
 Beneficios

15.4 Medicaid

Elegibilidad y beneficios
 Cuidado de la salud de niño Mas
 Elegibilidad y beneficios
 Cuidado de la salud de familia Mas
 Elegibilidad y beneficios

15.5 Medicare

Naturaleza, financiamiento y administración
 Parte A: Seguro Hospitalario
 Requisitos individuales de elegibilidad
 Inscripción
 Coberturas y cantidades de compartición de costo
 Parte B: Seguro Médico
 Requisitos individuales de elegibilidad
 Inscripción
 Coberturas y cantidades de participación de costo
 Exclusiones
 Terminología de reclamaciones y otros términos clave
 Medicare Selectivo (Reg 62, Parte 52.14) (era 17.1.k)
 Parte C: Medicare Advantage
 Parte D: Seguro para Medicamentos Recetados
 Saludable Nueva York(4326)
 Cuentas de ahorro Médico (MSAs)
 Cuentas de gastos flexibles (FSAs) y Cuentas de Ahorros de Salud (HSAs)

16.0. SEGURO PRIVADO PARA CIUDADANOS MAYORES Y PERSONAS CON NECESIDADES ESPECIALES 6%

16.1 Suplementos de Medicare

Propósito
 Inscripción abierta (Reg. 62, Parte 52.22(k))
 Planes suplementarios estandarizados de Medicare
 Beneficios centrales
 Beneficios adicionales
 Regulaciones y disposiciones requeridas de Nueva York
 Normas de mercadeo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(i))
 Arreglos de remuneración permitidos (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (h))
 Apropiación de compra recomendada o reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (f)(4))
 Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (f)(g))
 Declaración de divulgación (Reg 62, Parte 52.63)
 Renovabilidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.22 (b)(1)(i))

16.2 Otras opciones de Medicare para personas individuales

Personas incapacitadas
 Personas con insuficiencia renal
 Planes grupales de salud de empleadores
 Empleados de 65 años de edad en adelante

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50 preguntas - una hora máximo

1.0. REGLAMENTACIÓN SOBRE SEGUROS 5%

1.1 Licencias

Proceso (2103(d-i))
Definiciones
Definición de Productor (2101(k))
Quién debe tener licencia (2101(k)(1))
Estado de residencia (2101(l))
Negociar, vender, solicitar (2101(m)(n)(o))
Tipos de licenciarios
Agentes (2101(a, k); 2103; Reg 6, Parte 22.2; Reg 7, Parte 23.2)
Corredores (2101(c, h, k); 2104)
Consultores (2107)
Tasadores (2101(g), 2108)
No residentes (2101(d, e); 2103(g)(5, 11); 2136)
Entidades comerciales (2101(p), 2103(j)(2))
Temporal (2109; Regs 9, 18, 29, Parte 20.1)
Mantenimiento y duración
Renovación (2103(j)); Reg 5, Parte 21.2)
Educación continua (2132)
Aliases (2102(f))
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2.0 REGLAMENTOS Y DISPOSICIONES DE NUEVA YORK RELACIONADOS A LOS SEGUROS DE VIDA Y ANUALIDADES 43%

2.1 Responsabilidades del licenciario

Solicitudes y presentaciones de ventas
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Suscripción de campo

Procedimientos de solicitud, incluyendo el fechar retroactivamente las pólizas(3208)

2.2 Suscripción individual de parte del asegurador

Interés asegurable (3205)
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2.3 Disposiciones requeridas (3203)

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2.4 Seguro de vida grupal

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2.5 Liquidaciones Anticipadas de Seguros de Vida (Reg 148, Parte 380.2, 380.3, 380.6, 380.8; 2406; 7801-3)

Definiciones
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Revocación de licencia

3.0 REGLAMENTOS Y DISPOSICIONES DE NUEVA YORK RELACIONADOS A LOS SEGUROS DE ACCIDENTES Y SALUD 43%

3.1 Responsabilidades del licenciario en el seguro de salud individual

Requisitos de mercadeo
Publicidad (Reg 24, Parte 215.1 a .18)

3.2 Disposiciones del seguro de salud individual

Disposiciones requeridas
Contrato completo; cambios (3216(d)(1)(A))
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Seguro con otros aseguradores (3216(d)(2)(D, E))
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Cláusula sobre el carácter renovable (3216(g))

3.3 Planes Médicos

Básico de hospital, básico médico, básico quirúrgico (Reg 62, Parte 52.5 a 52.7)
Beneficios y ofertas obligatorios de Nueva York (individuales y/o grupales)
Límite de edad del hijo dependiente (3216(a)(4))
Estudiantes a tiempo completo (3216(a)(4)(B))
Extensión de póliza para niños minusválidos (3216(c)(4)(A))
Cobertura para niño recién nacido (3216(c)(4)(C))
Ley de Timoteo
Infertilidad

- 3.4 Requisitos de la Ley de Transferibilidad y Responsabilidad de Seguros de Salud (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, HIPAA)**
 - Afecciones preexistentes (3232)
 - Cobertura acreditable (3232-a)
- 3.5 Seguro de vida grupal**
 - Disposición de coordinación de beneficios (Reg 62, Parte 52.23)
 - Privilegio de conversión (3221(e))
 - Tipos de grupos elegibles (4235)
 - Definiciones de grupos elegibles (4235(b))
- 3.6 Seguro de Cuidado a Largo plazo(Long Term Care, LTC)**
 - Exclusiones (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(b)(2))
 - Renovabilidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(b)(1))
 - Disposiciones de divulgación requeridas (Reg 62, Parte 52.65)
 - Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.29)
 - Arreglos de remuneración permitidos (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(e))
 - Protección Contra la Inflación (Ajuste por Costo de Vida, Cost of Life Adjustment o COLA)(Reg 62, Parte 52.25(c)(3))
 - Beneficio de no caducidad (Reg 62, Parte 52.25(c)(7))
- 3.7 Planes médicos de empleadores pequeños**
 - Definición de empleador pequeño (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(f))
 - Disponibilidad de cobertura (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e), .3)
 - Renovabilidad (Reg 145, Parte 360.2(e))
- 3.8 Suplementos de Medicare**
 - Inscripción abierta (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(k))
 - Regulaciones y disposiciones requeridas de Nueva York
 - Normas de mercadeo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(i))
 - Arreglos de remuneración permitidos (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(h))
 - Propiedad de compra o reemplazo recomendados (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(f)(4))
 - Reemplazo (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(f, g))
 - Declaración de divulgación (Reg 62, Parte 52.63)
 - Carácter renovable (Reg 62, Parte 52.22(b)(1)(i))
- 3.9 Evaluaciones comunitarias de pólizas (4317; Reg 145, Parte 360)**
- 3.10 Saludable Nueva York (4326)**
- 3.11 Cuidado de la salud de familia Mas**
- 3.12 Cuidado de la salud de niño Mas**



NEW YORK INSURANCE EXAMINATION REGISTRATION FORM

Read the Candidate Information Bulletin before filling out this registration form. You must provide all information requested and submit the appropriate fee. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY. Registration forms that are incomplete, illegible, or not accompanied by the proper fee will be returned unprocessed. Registration fees are not refundable or transferable.

Pursuant to Section 1. Subsection (f) of Section 2103 of the Insurance Law, please complete the following sections with your information. Please note that some sections are mandatory, while others are optional.

This information will be confidential and only provided to the New York State Insurance Department. The Department will use this information solely for statistical purposes that will be studied to ensure continued quality and fairness of the examination.

The following sections 1-7 are Mandatory.

1. **Legal Name:**

 Last Name

 First Name

 M.I.
2. **Social Security #:**

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3. **Primary Address:**

 Apt/Ste

 Number, Street

 City

 State

 Zip Code

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4. **Business Address:**
☐ Same as Primary Address
☐ None
☐ Different (please enter below)

 Apt/Ste

 Number, Street

 City

 State

 Zip Code

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5. **Mailing Address:**
☐ Same as Primary Address
☐ Different (please enter below)

 Apt/Ste

 Number, Street

 City

 State

 Zip Code

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6. **Telephone:** Home

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 Office

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7. **Birth Date:**

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8. **Email:** _____@_____ (Optional)



The following sections 9-14 are optional. You will not be penalized for declining. However, we encourage your participation so that the Department can be in compliance with Section 1. Subsection (f) of Section 2103 of the Insurance Law.

9. Gender

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ Female
☐ Male
☐ Unspecified

10. Race

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ American Indian and Alaska Native
☐ Asian
☐ Black or African American
☐ Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander
☐ White
☐ Two or more races
☐ Unspecified

11. Education Level

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ High School or GED
☐ Some College
☐ 2-Year College Degree(Associates)
☐ 4-Year College Degree(BA,BS)
☐ Master's Degree
☐ Doctoral Degree
☐ Unspecified

12. Age Group

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ Under 18
☐ 18-24
☐ 25-29
☐ 30-34
☐ 35-39
☐ 40-44
☐ 45-49
☐ 50-54
☐ 55-59
☐ 60-64
☐ 65 and over
☐ Unspecified

13. Ethnicity

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ American/Canadian
☐ Chinese
☐ Cuban
☐ Dutch
☐ English
☐ Filipino
☐ French
☐ German
☐ Irish
☐ Italian
☐ Japanese
☐ Korean
☐ Mexican
☐ Polish
☐ Puerto Rican
☐ Russian
☐ Scottish
☐ Swedish
☐ Vietnamese
☐ Other Asian
☐ Other European
☐ Other Hispanic or Latino
☐ Unspecified

14. Native Language

- ☐ I decline to participate
☐ Arabic
☐ Chinese
☐ English
☐ French
☐ German
☐ Italian
☐ Korean
☐ Polish
☐ Russian
☐ Spanish
☐ Tagalog
☐ Vietnamese

The following sections 15-18 are Mandatory.

15. Examination:

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10-54	Personal Lines Insurance Agent/Broker	19	\$49	\$
10-55	Life, Accident and Health Insurance Agent/Broker	21	\$49	\$
10-56	Property and Casualty Insurance Broker	24	\$49	\$
10-57	Life, Accident and Health Insurance Consultant	27	\$49	\$
10-58	Property and Casualty Insurance Consultant	31	\$49	\$
10-59	Bail Bond Agent	34	\$49	\$
10-60	Mortgage Guaranty Agent	35	\$49	\$
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10-64	Independent Fire Adjuster	39	\$49	\$
10-65	Independent Casualty Insurance Adjuster	41	\$49	\$
10-66	Independent Automobile Insurance Adjuster	43	\$49	\$
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10-68	Independent Fidelity and Surety Adjuster	46	\$49	\$
10-69	Independent Inland Marine Adjuster	47	\$49	\$
10-70	Independent General Adjuster	48	\$49	\$
10-71	Independent Automobile Damage and Theft Appraisal Adjuster	52	\$49	\$
10-72	Independent Motor Vehicle No-fault and Workers' Compensation Health Services Adjuster	53	\$49	\$
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10-74	Property and Casualty Insurance Laws and Regulations	55	\$49	\$
10-75	Life Insurance Agent/Broker (Spanish)	58	\$49	\$
10-76	Accident and Health Insurance Agent (Spanish)	60	\$49	\$
10-77	Life, Accident and Health Insurance Agent/Broker (Spanish)	64	\$49	\$
10-78	Life, Accident and Health Insurance Laws and Regulations (Spanish)	64	\$49	\$
			Total Fee	\$

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17. **I am faxing the Special Arrangement Request (at the end of this bulletin) and required documentation.** ☐ Yes ☐ No

18. **Affidavit:** *I certify that the information provided on this registration form (and/or telephonically to PSI) is correct. I understand that any falsification of information may result in denial of licensure. I have read and understand the examination information bulletin.*

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Requirements for special arrangement requests

You are required to submit documentation from the medical authority or learning institution that rendered a diagnosis. Verification must be submitted to PSI on the letterhead stationery of the authority or specialist and include the following:

- Description of the disability and limitations related to testing
- Recommended accommodation/modification
- Name, title and telephone number of the medical authority or specialist
- Original signature of the medical authority or specialist

Date _____

Legal Name: _____
Last Name First Name

Address: _____
Street City, State, Zip Code

Telephone : (_____) _____ - _____ (_____) _____ - _____
Home Work

Email Address: _____

Check any special arrangements you require (requests must concur with documentation submitted):

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| ☐ Reader (as accommodation for visual impairment or learning disability) | ☐ Extended Time
(Additional time requested: _____) |
| ☐ Large-Print written examination | ☐ Other _____ |
| ☐ Out-of-State Testing Request (this request does not require additional documentation) | _____ |
| Site requested: _____ | |

- Complete and fax this form, along with supporting documentation, to (702) 932-2666.
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