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Annuity Watch

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- Streamline Your Marketing
- 2025 Year-End Submission Deadlines

- Flexible and Secure Retirement Solutions
- Step Up Your Sales Process with Our Personalized Ads

Assurity

A Gift That Lasts for Generations

Buying life insurance for grandchildren is one of the most meaningful ways your clients can set them up for long-term financial success. But many grandparents wonder—what happens when the time comes for their grandchild to take ownership of the policy?

Too often, young adults inherit a policy along with a new expense. Faced with monthly payments, many end up forfeiting the policy and taking the short-term benefits—losing valuable lifelong protection in the process.

With Assurity's Protect + and Perform+ Whole Life options, you can help prevent that from happening. Assurity's 10-pay and 20-pay options allow them to pay off the policy in full before transferring ownership. That means your clients grandchild receives:

- A fully paid-up policy with no future premiums to worry about
- Lifelong protection and guaranteed cash value growth
- A lasting legacy that demonstrates love, foresight, and financial responsibility

All while applying on an application with only three health questions and instant decision capability with Assurity.

Share the consumer brochure with your clients.

Corebridge Financial (American General)

Updated Field Underwriting Guide & Resources

Get the <u>updated guide</u>. Visit the <u>underwriting web page</u>.

Help clients personalize their life insurance coverage with built-in & optional riders

With <u>Value+ Protector III (VPP) IUL</u>, clients receive cost efficient death benefit protection – plus the opportunity to customized their policy with a variety of rider options that offer additional value.

Illinois Mutual

Stacking DI polices saves clients money over the long term

Talk to your clients about how stacking DI policies using Illinois Mutual's DI and SIDI products.

<u>Take a look at this spreadsheet</u> regarding staggering/stacking waiting/elimination periods using multiple policies. It consists of a 2-yr elimination period sheet and a 1-yr elimination period.

Simplified Issue DI for Working Spouses

When a worksite client recognizes the need for short-term disability insurance (DI), their next question is often whether coverage is available for their working spouse as well.

<u>This article</u> shows how you can offer a simple and effective solution to fill this need with Simplified Issue Disability Income Insurance (SIDI).

John Hancock

LTC in-force rate action notifications for November – Get details.

Longer. Healthier. Better. — Leaders in Longevity.

John Hancock is proud to debut the first two episodes of their new, six-part documentary series: **Longer. Healthier. Better. — Leaders in Longevity**.

They hope the series sparks meaningful conversations with clients and prospects — and helps showcase the value of life insurance that rewards customers for their healthy choices. <u>Stream the series.</u>

Advanced Markets News

In this issue:

- Strategic LTC planning: Protect wealth, preserve legacy & create tax efficiencies
- 2026 LTC tax updates

- Year-end planning strategies 2025
- Central Intelligence updates

Lincoln Financial Group

Roth IRA conversions made simple

Lincoln has streamlined the Roth IRA conversion process using Lincoln OptiBlend fixed indexed annuity, with <u>these five</u> <u>advantages</u>, eliminating the barriers when clients convert their traditional IRA or 401(k) plans.

Don't wait for the next Fed cut — secure today's rates now

The Lincoln OptiBlend Fixed Indexed Annuity offers powerful guaranteed rate strategies designed for long-term growth and stability through our No Renewal Rate Blend:

- 1-Year S&P 500 Cap Lock Tracks the true S&P 500 with cap rates locked in no surprises.
- <u>1-Year S&P 500 10% Daily Risk Control Trigger Lock</u> Delivers a trigger rate that won't change, offering consistency in volatile markets.
- <u>Multi-Year S&P 500 Participation Strategy</u> Provides higher growth potential with no downside risk, tied directly to the S&P 500.

<u>See how</u> Lincoln's No Renewal Rate Blend strategy stacks up against an Aggregate Bond Index and a 5% fixed rate of return.

Leaders in Longevity: Forever Strong

<u>In this latest episode</u>, hear how resistance training and muscle-building nutrition can reshape how we fight obesity, aging, and chronic disease.

MassMutual

The DI Gap explained – Watch and share the video.

2026 estimated dividend payout announced - Get details.

Mutual / United of Omaha

Express Newsletters

In this issue:

- Understanding your Exposure with Telephone and Text Solicitations
- The Costs of Future Care Needs Can be Frightening
- Treat Their Future Right: The Reliable Security of Whole Life Insurance
- In this issue:
 - IULs You Can Deliver With Confidence
 - LTC Awareness Month is an ideal time to continue the care planning conversation with your clients
 - Protecting the Non-Working Spouse with Critical Advantage

- The State of Long-Term Care: Key Trends Shaping 2025 and Beyond
- Affordable Cancer Insurance to Support Your Clients When They Need It Most
- How Critical Advantage Simplifies Protection Sales in a Rising Cost Health Market
- Retirement planning with annuities

Nationwide

Offering LTC solutions for every situation

Nationwide believes everyone should be able to prepare for retirement with confidence. And having a plan in place to address potential long-term care (LTC) needs can go a long way toward helping clients build that confidence.

Their <u>suite of cash indemnity linked-benefit LTC solutions</u> is designed to help clients get the unique protection they need.

Introducing self-service IUL allocation - Get the guide.

North American Annuity

Financial Home Makeover

Discover the blueprint for organizing, protecting, and upgrading your financial life so you can build a lasting legacy and approach retirement with confidence. <u>Visit the site.</u>

New brochure and disclosure forms required for NAC Guaranteed Allocation fixed index annuity

- <u>5-year brochure</u>
- 7-year brochure
- 10-year brochure

- <u>5-year disclosure</u>
- 7-year disclosure
- <u>10-year disclosure</u>

NACcelerate: fueled by technology to keep you ahead – Learn more.

80% of women will manage finances alone – help them prepare with confidence North American fixed index annuities (FIAs) are built to help address these realities with:

- Income stability: for those with disrupted earnings or reduced Social Security benefits
- Flexibility: for unexpected health and long-term care events, often faced alone
- Growth potential: for those rebuilding savings after caregiving or career gaps

OneAmerica

Care Solutions News

In this issue:

- Preparing for Long-Term Care Awareness Month:
 Planning today for peace of mind tomorrow
- Interest rate updates
- One Source Online enhancements

- Tax-free long-term care protection with base Annuity Care
- Leading Tomorrow: Long-term Care Summit recap
- Introducing Caregiving Conversations A new podcast from OneAmerica Financial

Pacific Life - Lynchburg

Disaster and Federal Government Shutdown Support notices

- Support to Nevadans impacted by Federal Government Shutdown
- Payment Flexibility for Federal Workers in Connecticut Affected by the Federal Government Shutdown
- Fair Treatment to Consumers Following the 2025 Storm Impacting the West Coast of Alaska
- Arizona Gila County Flooding (2025)

Protective Life

Your term business, now faster and easier

Protective recently made enhancements to their accelerated underwriting program that greatly improved throughput for certain cases up to \$1 million for clients 50 and younger:

- Throughput for eligible cases has doubled
- Policies qualifying for instant issue have tripled

Explore their underwriting.

Prudential Financial

2025 Year-End Important Dates & Reminders - See them here.

Legacy Planning Sales Strategies - Visit the site.

Securian Financial

Help your clients keep more of what they earn with Eclipse Accumulator II IUL

Over time, policy charges can make or break accumulation performance. With <u>Eclipse Accumulator II Indexed Universal</u> <u>Life (IUL)</u>, your clients can benefit from one of the most cost-efficient designs in the industry — so more of every premium dollar goes to work early, helping build lasting value.

Symetra

Introducing Symetra's Special Needs Underwriting Program

For families caring for a loved one with special needs, financial planning isn't just about the next few years—it's about preparing for a lifetime.

From daily expenses to long-term care, costs for special-needs families can be overwhelming, and traditional underwriting solutions don't always allow applicants to qualify for enough coverage.

<u>Symetra's Special Needs Underwriting Program</u> is designed to help clients get the coverage they need. With a forward-thinking approach, they'll work with you and your clients to help more families access financial freedom. <u>View the case study.</u>