

Annuity Customer Suitability Questionnaire for Fixed Products

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Important Information: Complete this form when purchasing a new annuity contract with Nationwide. The information collected on this form is used to determine if recommendations appropriately match your financial needs. Please include this form with your Nationwide Annuity Application, as well as the most recent statement for all associated accounts from a security and/or insurance product for exchange or replacement. If the new contract is an immediate annuity, please provide a current income comparison quote/illustration from the existing contract carrier.

1. Customer Information (Please	print)			
Name		Date of Birth: <u>05/10/1971</u>		
SSN:		Phone		
Email:			-	
Joint Owner's Name (if applicable):				
Date of Birth:	SSN:	Phone:		
Email:				
Marital Status: 🖄 Single 🔲 Marrie	ed 🗌 Divorced/Separated	☐ Widowed		
Employment Status:				
Financial Information - Person (If using a non-natural owner, please provide annuitant information in space below.) Annual Household Income (include all household income, i.e., spouse) \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Gross OR □ Net Net Worth: S: \frac{56,000.00}{2}\$ (Checking, savings, money market funds, and securities that can be sold without penalties) Net Worth: S: \frac{56,0661.37}{2}\$ (Checking, savings, money market funds, and securities that can be sold without penalties)				
Assets				

Liquid Assets		Non-Liquid Assets		
Asset Type	Current Value	Asset Type	Current Val	
Checking and Savings Accounts	500.00	Life Insurance		
Mutual Funds (A & C shares)		Mutual Funds (B shares)		
Employer Based Retirement Plans (if older than 59½)		Employer Based Retirement Plans (if younger than 59½)	55,292.15	
CD		Fixed Annuity in Surrender Period		
Fixed Annuity (penalty-free)		Variable Annuity in Surrender Period		
Variable Annuity (penalty-free)				
Stocks and Bonds	619.22	Other:		
Other: CHILD SUPPORT	450.00	Other:		
Total:	1,569.22	Total:	55,292.15	

1. Customer Information (continued)					
Financial Information - Entity (If the contract owner					
Gross Annual Revenue or Income: \$ Total Entity	Net Annual Reve	nue or Income: \$ stal Entity Net Worth: \$			
Total Entity 7,000cts. \$\square\$ 10tal Entity	Lidolitics. \$ To	real Entity Net Worth, \$\phi_{			
2. Investment Experience & Objectives					
Investment Objectives:	│ < 1 Year │ 1-5 Years ☑ 6-10 Years │ > 11+ Years	rizon: Liquidity Needs: < 1 Years 1-5 Years 6-10 Years > 11+ Years No Liquidity Needs Immediate Annuity Only: Liquidity Feature t the answer that most closely matches			
Low your situation Conservative: I want to preserve means this account does not generally to seek a modest level of portfolio roughigher returns, and understand I county Moderately Aggressive: I am willing to seek high returns over time, and	ve my initial principal in this a ate significant income or return willing to accept low risk to my returns. of some risk to my initial princi uld lose a portion of the money Iling to accept high risk to my i understand I could lose a porti- opt maximum risk to my initial p	account, with minimal risk, even if that is and may not keep pace with inflation. Initial principal, including low volatility, pal and tolerate some volatility to seek y invested. Initial principal, including high volatility, on of the money invested. Perincipal to aggressively seek maximum			
3. Source of Funds (choose all that apply)				
☐ Fixed Annuity ☐ Variable Annuity² ☐ Life In					
Employer Sponsored Retirement Plan ²					
Type: 401K	oyer OR 🗌 Current Employe	r			
☐ Brokerage Account²					
Tax Qualification Code: Time Held	d: Months 🗌 Ye	ears Orig Prod Type:			
Savings/Checking/CD					
Tax Qualification Code: Time Held	d: 🗌 Months 🔲 Ye	ears Orig Prod Type:			
Other ² :If					
² A registered representative who is currently license					

²A registered representative who is currently licensed with a broker dealer may be required to assist you with the liquidation of your portfolio to fund the purchase of the fixed annuity. If the producer who recommended the purchase of the fixed annuity compared your existing portfolio to the fixed annuity, they must be a registered representative of a broker dealer or an investment advisor representative of a registered investment advisor. Additional information and existing account documentation may be required to confirm the recommendation to purchase the fixed annuity, if the recommendation was made by an insurance-only producer.

4. Product Information (Purchasing a fixed annuity product) Please note, when completing the information in this section, boxes cannot be left blank. If the question or charge is not applicable, please respond with either N/A or zero, if applicable. **Fixed Annuity Product Being Purchased** Product Name Nationwide New Heights 8 Total Premium \$ 55,292.15 CDSC Schedule (% per year) Completed years: 4 5 6 7 <u>8% 7% 6% 5%</u> <u>4% 3% 2% 1% 0% </u> \$ Rider Fees OR ☐ Yes 🏻 No Enhanced Death Benefit Living Benefit ☐ Yes 🖾 No If yes, type of living benefit: Expected Income Start Date:3 Nationwide Anticipated Guaranteed Income Amount on Expected Income Start Date: 3 \$ 5. Replacement Information Will this fixed annuity be funded by a replacement or exchange from a life insurance or annuity contract? \square Yes \square No If yes, please complete the "Contract or Policy Under Consideration for Replacement or Exchange" columns, Please note, when completing the information in this section, boxes cannot be left blank. If the question or charge is not applicable, please respond with either N/A or zero, if applicable. **Contract or Policy Under** Consideration for Replacement or Contract 1 Contract 2 Exchange Contract/Policy Number 609450 Contract/Policy Issue Date Contract/Policy Value \$55,292.15 Current Interest Rate % % Minimum Guaranteed Interest Rate⁴ Years of CDSC Remaining CDSC Schedule (% per year) **CDSC Amount** \$ \$ \$ \$ Market Value Adjustment Mortality & Expense Charge % % Administrative Fees \$ OR % \$ OR % Rider Fees \$ % OR % \$ OR Guaranteed Death Benefit \$ ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Yes ☐ No Living Benefit Benefit Base: \$_ Benefit Base: \$_ Expected Income Start Date:3 Anticipated Guaranteed Retirement Income Amount on Expected Income Start Date:3 Client Acknowledgement Client's Initials: Client's Initials: Income Start Date in the annuity contract 4 If 3% or greater, please initial to indicate the acknowledgment the client is foregoing a percentage guaranteed return in exchange for the growth potential of the annuity contract being purchased. Although the potential may exist, there is no guaranteed growth equal

Client: _____ Producer: _____

to that offered by the current contract.

6	. Fir	ancial Objective &	Considerations		
1.	Please describe your emergency fund for unexpected expenses.				
	SIG	VIFICANT OTHER HAS A	MPLE FUNDS FOR EMERGENCY		
2.	Is your current income sufficient to cover future changes in your living and/or out-of-pocket medical expenses				
			e period? 🛚 Yes 🗌 No		
3.	Doe	s your current income	cover all of your living expenses	includin	g medical? 🛭 Yes 🗌 No
	If no, explain:				
4.	1. Do you expect changes to your living expenses in the future? \square Yes $\; oxedsymbol{\mathbb{Z}} \; No \;$				
	If ye	es, explain:			
5.	Do :	you anticipate changes	in your out-of-pocket medical e	xpenses	in the future? 🗌 Yes 🏻 No
	If ye	es, explain:			
6.	Do :	you reside in a nursing l	nome or assisted living facility?	☐ Yes [☑ No
	If ye	es, explain:			
7.	Hav	e you executed an exch	ange in the last 36 months (60	months	in CA or MN)? ☐ Yes 🏻 No
	If ye	es, explain:			
8.	Do :	you have a reverse mor	tgage? 🗌 Yes 🔣 No		
	If ye	es, please provide amou	unt:		
9.	Hov	will this fixed annuity	being purchased better assist yo	our insur	ance needs and financial objectives?
]	Lifetime Income Payou	ut 🗌 Higher Interest Rate / Inde	x Credit	Potential 🗌 Penalty Free Death Benefit
]	Enhanced Benefits	☐ Increased Liquidity		☐ Multiple Index Options
]	Immediate Income	🛚 Principal Protection	☐ Ot	her - Please explain:
		consumer intends to ap reterans' Aid and Attend		nt benef	its including, but not limited to, Medicaid, Medi-Cal,
	Plea	se provide the name of	f the Elder Law Attorney (if appl	icable): ˌ	
10). Ho	w do you anticipate tak	ing distributions from this fixed	annuity?	(Check all boxes that apply.)
		Partial Surrenders (inc	luding penalty-free withdrawals)	☐ Income Rider
]	Lump Sum			☐ Wealth Transfer
]	RMD (required minimu	ım distributions)		☐ N/A (death benefit)
X]	Systematic Withdrawa	ıls		☐ N/A (single premium immediate annuity)
]	Other - Please explain:			
7	Pro	ducer's Statement			
Ρle	ease	provide a detailed state	ement as to the benefits and sui	tability c	of this annuity product being sold, including the
		er's specific needs and			
11	HE CU	ISTOMER LIKES THE UP	SIDE POTENTIAL AND THE DOW	NSIDE P	EDIATE "NEED" FOR THIS MONEY. ROTECTION RETIREMENT INCOME, OR AN EMERGENCY FUND

FOR HER CHILDREN

8. Fixed Annuity Disclosure

A typical fixed annuity offers three basic features: tax-deferred treatment of earnings, a death benefit, and annuity payout options that may provide income for life. Generally, fixed annuities have two phases: The "accumulation" phase, when your contributions, also known as premiums, accumulate and earn interest, and the "distribution" phase, when you withdraw money, typically as a lump sum or through various annuity payment options. If the payments are delayed to the future, you have a deferred annuity. If the payments start immediately, you have an immediate annuity. Before you consider purchasing a fixed annuity, make sure you fully understand all of its terms. The following are six factors you should bear in mind before purchasing:

Liquidity and Early Withdrawals

Deferred annuities are long-term investments. Many annuities assess surrender charges for withdrawals within a specified period of time, which can be 10 years or longer. Withdrawals taken before age 59½ may incur a 10% early withdrawal federal tax penalty in addition to ordinary income taxes; withdrawals may trigger surrender charges and reduce your death benefit and contract value. Federal tax laws are complex and subject to change. This information is based on current interpretations of the law. Nationwide doesn't offer tax advice. Please talk with your attorney or tax advisor for answers to specific questions.

Sales and Surrender Charges

Fixed annuities typically impose surrender charges for withdrawals or termination within the first several years of the contract, but they usually do not charge a front-end sales charge or annual contract fee. These surrender charges normally decline (usually over 7-10 years) and eventually are eliminated the longer you hold your contract. For example, a surrender charge could start at 7% in the first year and decline by 1% per year until it reaches zero.

Fees and Expenses

In addition to surrender charges, fixed annuities may impose a fee or expense for optional features. These fees are generally represented as a reduction in the interest rate earned in the contract. Remember, you will pay for each fixed annuity benefit. If you don't need or want these features, you should consider whether this is an appropriate investment for you.

Taxes

While earnings in a fixed annuity accrue on a tax-deferred basis, they may not provide all the tax advantages of a 401(k) and other pre-tax contribution retirement plans, such as the ability to make tax deductible or pre-tax contributions. Once you start withdrawing money from your fixed annuity, the portion of the withdrawal that represents earnings or income (but not principal) will be taxed at the ordinary income rate, rather than at the capital gains rates applied to investments in stocks, bonds, mutual funds or other non tax-deferred vehicles in which funds are held for more than one year.

Guarantees

Insurance companies issuing fixed annuities may provide a number of specific guarantees. For example, they may guarantee a death benefit or an annuity payout option that can provide income for life. While it is an uncommon occurrence that the insurance companies that back these guarantees are unable to meet their obligations, it can happen. You should be aware of and consider the credit ratings of the insurance company issuing any annuity you intend to purchase.

Fixed Annuities within IRAs

Please consider your needs and objectives carefully before investing in a fixed annuity within a tax-deferred account, such as an individual retirement account (IRA). IRAs are already tax-advantaged so a fixed annuity will provide no additional tax savings. Also, if the annuity is held in a traditional (rather than a Roth) IRA, the government requires that you start withdrawing income no later than the April 1 that follows your 70 1/2 birthday, regardless of any surrender charges the annuity might impose.

A Special Notice Concerning Indexed Annuities

Before you buy an indexed annuity, you should understand the various features of this type of annuity and be prepared to ask your insurance agent, financial planner, or other financial professional about whether an indexed annuity is right for you and your objectives.

What is an Indexed Annuity?

A fixed indexed annuity is a contract you buy from an insurance company to help you potentially accumulate assets for retirement. It offers returns based on the changes in an index, such as the S&P 500° Composite Price Index. You can receive earnings when the underlying index goes up, but your principal and earnings are also protected from downturns. This means you won't lose principal or earnings based on negative index returns. You may be able to choose to place your money in two different types of accounts: a fixed account and an index account that may have multiple index options.

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Fixed account: You'll receive a fixed interest rate guaranteed for a specific term. After that, you'll receive renewal rates guaranteed for each term.

Index account: You may be able to choose one or more indices where you have the opportunity for earnings based on the performance of the underlying index or indices, up to a maximum amount (for example, 5%), referred to as a cap.

You can allocate your money into one or both accounts, and the total allocation needs to equal 100%. A fixed indexed annuity is not a stock market investment and does not directly participate in any stock or equity investment. A fixed indexed annuity may be appropriate for those who want the opportunity to capture upside potential while having a level of protection from market downturns.

What is a Guaranteed Minimum Return?

The guaranteed minimum return for an indexed annuity is typically a majority of the premium value with a set interest percentage applied. However, if you surrender your indexed annuity early, you may have to pay a significant surrender charge and a 10% federal tax penalty that will reduce or eliminate any return.

What is a market index?

A market index tracks the performance of a specific group of stocks representing a particular segment of the market or, in some cases, an entire market. For example, the S&P 500° index is an index of 500 stocks intended to be representative of a broad segment of the market – U.S. large cap equities. There are indexes for almost every sector of the stock market. Many indexed annuities are based on the S&P 500°, but other indexes also are used. Some indexed annuities even allow investors to select one or more indexes.

How is an indexed annuity's index-linked interest rate computed?

The index-linked interest credited depends on the particular combination of indexing features that an indexed annuity uses. The most common indexing features are listed below. To fully understand an indexed annuity, make sure you not only understand each feature, but also how the features work together since these features can dramatically impact the return on your investment.

Participation Rates - A participation rate determines how much of the gain in the index will be credited to the annuity. For example, the insurance company may set the participation rate at 80%, which means the annuity would only be credited with 80% of the gain experienced by the index.

Spread/Margin/Asset Fee - Some indexed annuities use a spread, margin or asset fee in addition to, or instead of, a participation rate. This percentage will be subtracted from any gain in the index linked to the annuity. For example, if the index gained 10% and the spread/margin/asset fee is 3.5%, then the gain in the annuity would be only 6.5%.

Interest Rate Caps - Some indexed annuities may put a cap or upper limit on your return. This cap rate is generally stated as a percentage. This is the maximum rate of interest the annuity will earn. For example, if the index linked to the annuity gained 10% and the cap rate was 8%, then the gain in the annuity would be 8%.

Changes in Interest Rate Computation - Some indexed annuities allow the insurance company to change participation rates, cap rates, or spread/asset/margin fees either annually or at the start of the next contract term. If an insurance company subsequently lowers the participation rate or cap rate or increases the spread/asset/margin fees, this could adversely affect your return. Read your contract carefully to see if it allows the insurance company to change these features.

Indexing Methods

As described below, there are several methods for determining the change in the relevant index over the period of the annuity. These varying methods impact the calculation of the amount of interest to be credited to the contract based on a change in the index.

Annual Reset - Compares the change in the index from the beginning to the end of each year. Any declines are disregarded.

Advantage: Any interest credited is 'locked in' each year.

Disadvantage: Can be combined with other features, such as lower cap rates and participation rates, that will limit the amount of interest you might receive each year.

High Water Mark - Looks at the index value at various points during the contract, usually upon specified anniversary dates. Then the highest of these values is compared to the index level at the start of the term.

Advantage: May credit you with more interest than other indexing methods and protect against declines in the index

Disadvantage: Because interest is not credited until the end of the term, you may not receive any index-linked interest if you surrender your indexed annuity early. It can also be combined with other features, such as lower cap rates and participation rates that will limit the amount of interest you might receive each year.

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Point-to-Point - Compares the change in the index at two discrete points in time, such as the beginning and ending dates of the contract term.

Advantage: May be combined with other features, such as higher cap and participation rates, that may credit you with more interest.

Disadvantage: Relies on single point in time to calculate interest. Therefore, even if the index that the annuity is linked to is going up throughout the term of the investment, if it declines dramatically on the last day of the term, then part or all of the earlier gain can be lost. Because interest is not credited until the end of the term, you may not receive any index-linked interest if you surrender your indexed annuity early. **Other important index calculation considerations:**

Index Averaging – Some indexed annuities average an index's value either daily or monthly, rather than using the actual value of the index on a specified date. Averaging may reduce the amount of index-linked interest earned.

Interest Calculation - The way that an insurance company calculates interest earned during the term of an indexed annuity can make a big difference in the amount of interest you will earn. Some indexed annuities pay simple interest during the term of the annuity. Because there is no compounding of interest, your return will be lower.

Exclusion of Dividends - For most indexed annuities, the increase in the underlying index does not include dividends or distributed capital gains paid on the underlying stocks, and therefore do not reflect the total return of the underlying stocks; an index or any market-indexed annuity is not comparable to a direct investment in the financial markets. Clients who purchase indexed annuities are not directly investing in a stock market index. An index cannot be invested in directly and is unmanaged.

If You Have Questions

pursuant to such laws.

If you have questions about indexed annuities, you can contact the Department of Insurance for your state.

9. Customer Acknowledgment & Signature

By signing this document, I am confirming that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and I believe this annuity is appropriate for my insurance needs and financial objectives.

Owner:	
Name (please print):	
Signature:	0d/d0/9dd//9044688/23clbb8345332 Date: 4/18/2018
Joint Owner (if applicable):	
Name (please print):	
Signature:	Date:
10. Insurance Producer/Registere	d Representative/Investment Advisor Acknowledgement & Signature
the U.S. Department of Labor. I further	e that Nationwide is not a fiduciary or acting as a Financial Institution, as defined by acknowledge that, to the extent applicable, I have complied with the requirements equired disclosure and adhering to the Impartial Conduct Standards.
Firm Name (please print): WORLD FINA	NCIAL GROUP
Producer/Representative/Advisor:	
Name (please print): <u>JOSEPH L BAU</u>	TISTA
eSigned By FireLight: JOSEPH L BAUT:STA JOSE Signature: 2018-04-18722-20-03	EPH L BAUTISTA Date: 4/18/2018
	d in Section 3 is marked by footnote 2, the Non-Solicitation Form is required.
☐ Registered Representative	CRD#
☐ Investment Advisor Representative	IARD#

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