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# Welcome to the Group Sponsored Errors & Omissions Program

The Group Sponsored Errors & Omissions Program is designed exclusively for Agents affiliated with Crowe & Associates. All of the information that you need in order to obtain professional liability insurance is available at www.calsurance.com/alca.



### Here are just some of the features of this top rated E&O program:

- Multiple Coverage Options Available purchase only what you need
- Multiple Limits of Liability Options Available
- No Policy Aggregate, you do not share your limit with other enrolled agents!
- Defense Costs are Outside the Limit!
- Deductible as low as \$0 per claim on products of Crowe & Associates!
- First Dollar Defense Your deductible applies to loss payment only, not defense costs.
- Retroactive Date Date of Agent's first continuously maintained Life Agents E&O Policy
- Additional Enhancements:
  - Regulatory Defense \$25,000 per agent
  - Enhanced Cyber Liability coverage up to \$150,000 per agent
  - Insolvency carveback for any Life & A&H Insurance Companies rated "B" or better by A.M. Best

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Should you have any questions about this program, please call or email us at Phone: (888) 848-4955 or info@calsurance.com

# **Agent's E&O Program – Outline of Coverage**

Policy Period: January 1, 2022 to January 1, 2023

Insurer: Markel American Insurance

Admitted carrier

Rated A (Excellent) XV, by A.M. Best Company

The information obtained from A.M. Best dated 9/15/2021 is not in any way CalSurance Associate's warranty or guaranty of the financial stability of the Insurer and the information is current only as of the date of the publication.

Policy Number: MKLM7PLCA00054

#### **Risk Purchasing Group Membership:**

By applying for this insurance, Agents are applying for membership in the Financial Sales Professionals Purchasing Group, a group formed and operating pursuant to the Liability Risk Retention Act of 1986 (15 USC 3901 et seq.). There is no additional charge for membership.

#### **Limit of Liability:**

\$1,000,000 Each Claim/\$1,000,000 Aggregate; or \$1,000,000 Each Claim/\$2,000,000 Aggregate; or \$1,000,000 Each Claim/\$3,000,000 Aggregate; or

\$2,000,000 Each Claim/\$2,000,000 Aggregate

#### Deductible:

\$0 per Claim on Products of AmeriLife;

\$1,500 per Claim on Outside Products;

\$5,000 per Claim on Series 6 Claims

The Deductible applies to Damages only

Defense Costs: Defense costs are outside the Limit of Liability

**Retroactive Date:** The inception date of the Agent's first claims-made life insurance agent's professional liability policy from which coverage has been maintained in force without interruption.

#### Insured:

- Agents Affiliated with AmeriLife or subsidiaries who have enrolled in the program and paid their premiums.
- An entity owned and controlled by an Agent, arising solely from the performance of Professional Services provided by the Agent;
- An employee acting in his or her capacity as such on behalf of an Agent, arising solely from the performance of Professional Services by the Agent;
- The legal heir, executor, administrator or legal representative of an Agent in the event of such Agent's death, incapacity or bankruptcy;
- 5) The lawful spouse or domestic partner of any individual which qualifies as an Insured under Sub-sections 1., 3., or 4., above, for a Claim arising solely out of spousal or domestic partner status, and not out of any alleged independent wrongful acts, of such individual;
- 6) AmeriLife agencies on file with the company; or
- The Sponsoring Company, but only for its vicarious liability for the covered acts of an Agent.

#### Coverage:

The Company shall pay on behalf of the Insured all sums in excess of the Deductible set forth in Item 4 of the Declarations which the Insured shall become legally obligated to pay as Damages and Claims Expenses resulting from Claims first made against the Insured during the Policy Period, or Extended Reporting Period, if applicable, as a result of a Wrongful Act by an Insured, provided that:

#### Coverage: (continued)

- The Wrongful Act was first committed on or after the Retroactive Date and before the expiration of the Policy Period;
- 3. No Insured gave notice to any prior insurer of such Wrongful Act;
- 4. The Insured reported such Claim in writing to the Company, as soon as practicable, during the Policy Period, but in no event later than sixty (60) days after expiration or termination of this Policy, or during the Extended Reporting Period, if applicable;
- Prior to the Inception Date of this Policy, no Insured knew or could have reasonably foreseen that such Wrongful Act might give rise to a Claim;
- There is no other policy or policies which provide insurance for such Wrongful Act.

## Professional Services (Note: Coverage is dependent upon coverage level selected during enrollment – see form):

The solicitation, sale or servicing of:

- Individual or group accident or health insurance, Medicare Supplement, Medicare Advantage (including Medicare Part D), and disability insurance:
- 2) Final expense and guaranteed final expense:
- Long term care insurance;
- Fixed life or fixed annuity insurance;
- 5) Mortgage Life Insurance;
- 6) Disability Insurance;
- 7) Life Insurance;
- 8) Fixed and Indexed Annuities; and
- Variable annuities, variable life insurance, or flexible and scheduled premium annuities sold through a Broker-Dealer.
- 10) Defined Contribution Health Insurance Plans (\$250,000 sublimit applies)

Professional Services also means the solicitation, sale or servicing of a life insurance policy approved by the Sponsoring Company or a subsidiary in which the premium was paid for, in whole or in part, by or through any premium finance mechanism or any premium finance company provided, however, that the death benefits of such life insurance policy are \$10,000,000 or less (\$250,000 sublimit applies).

#### **Coverage Extensions:**

- Subpoena expense (\$10,000 sublimit)
- Privacy and Network Security Coverage (\$150,000 sublimit)
- Fraudulent Wire Transfer (\$100,000 sublimit)

#### **Extended Reporting Period:**

If, during the Policy Period, the Sponsoring Company terminates an Agent's contract for non-disciplinary insurance for such Insured shall continue until the end of this Policy Period. The agent shall have a period of 60 days after the end of the policy period to report claims arising from a wrongful acts committed after the retroactive date and prior to the end of the policy period. If the agent is terminated for disciplinary reasons coverage shall cease upon date of termination.

If, during the Policy Period, an Agent retires or becomes disabled or deceased, the Agent or its legal representative shall have the option to purchase an Extended Reporting Period of 3 years, 5 years or an unlimited period of time for an additional premium

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Please review the policy and program materials. A complete copy of the specimen policy is available by calling 800-745-7189 or by visiting <a href="www.calsurance.com/alca">www.calsurance.com/alca</a>. This document is a summary of the coverage provided. All statements contained herein are subject to all terms, conditions and exclusions of the actual policy. In all circumstances the actual policy language will prevail.

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#### **EXCLUSIONS**, including but not limited to:

This Policy does not apply to any Claim based upon, arising out of, directly or indirectly, or in whole or in part, or in any way involving:

This Policy shall not apply to, and the **Insurer** shall pay neither **Damages** nor **Claim Expenses** for, any **Claim**:

- A. For any actual or alleged sickness, disease, death or other bodily injury, including, but not limited to, emotional distress and mental anguish, or damage to or destruction of property, including loss of use thereof:
- B. Against an Insured:
  - By or on behalf of any other Insured, any enterprise that owns, operates or controls an Insured or any enterprise that an Insured owns, operates or controls, provided, however, that this Exclusion shall not apply to any Claim otherwise covered under Section I Insuring Agreement B. Managing Agents Management Liability;
  - 2. By or on behalf of any individual, company or entity that is not a client of the **Insured**, including, but not limited to, an insurance company or insurance agent or broker; provided, however, that this exclusion shall not apply to a **Claim** brought by or on behalf of an actual or alleged beneficiary of a product referenced in Paragraph 1. of Definition **P. Professional Services** above;
- C. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving:
  - 1. Any **Wrongful Act** or **Management Wrongful Act** alleged in any **Claim** which has been reported, or any circumstance of which notice has been given, prior to the **Policy Period**, or before the effective date of the **Insured's** enrollment for coverage, under any other policy; or
  - Any other Wrongful Act or Management Wrongful Act, whenever occurring, which together with a Wrongful Act or Management Wrongful Act which has been the subject of such Claim or notice, would constitute Interrelated Wrongful Acts or Interrelated Management Wrongful Acts, regardless of the legal grounds upon which such Claim is predicated upon any:
    - a. Claim, demand, suit, proceeding or investigation of which the Insured had knowledge, pending on or prior to the inception date of the Policy Period, or before the effective date of the Insured's enrollment for coverage hereunder; or
    - b. Fact, matter, circumstance, situation, transaction or event underlying or alleged in such demand, suit, proceeding, **Claim** or investigation, regardless of the legal grounds upon which such **Claim** is predicated;
- D. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any:
  - 1. Actual or alleged dishonest, purposeful, malicious, fraudulent or criminal act or willful violation of any federal, state or local statute, by, at the direction of or with the knowledge of any **Insured**; or
  - 2. Gaining of profit, remuneration or monetary advantage to which an **Insured** is not legally entitled.

However, the **Insurer** shall continue to defend a **Claim** alleging any of the foregoing conduct until there is a judgment, final adjudication, adverse admission or finding of fact against any **Insured** as to such conduct, at which time the **Insured** shall reimburse the **Insurer** for the costs of defending the **Claim**. Moreover, an actual or alleged dishonest, purposeful, malicious, fraudulent or criminal act or willful violation of any federal, state or local statute of one **Agent** or **Managing Agent** will not be imputed to another **Agent** or **Managing Agent**;

- E. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged conversion, commingling, use, handling, entrustment, safeguarding, inability to pay or failure to pay premiums, funds or any form of money;
- F. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged liability of others assumed by any **Insured** under an agreement, contract, guarantee or warranty unless the **Insured** would be liable in the absence of such agreement, contract, guarantee or warranty;
- G. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged rendering of services as an actuary, accountant, attorney, real estate agent, real estate broker, third-party claims administrator, property and casualty agent or broker or expert witness, regardless of whether such services are incidental to the rendering of **Professional Services**; however, this exclusion shall not apply to tax advice provided to a client as a necessary part of rendering **Professional Services**;
- H. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged placement of a client's coverage or funds, directly or indirectly with any organization, entity or vehicle of any kind, nature or structure which is not licensed or authorized to do business in the state or jurisdiction with authority to regulate such business; however, this exclusion shall not apply to a Claim based upon or arising out of the placement of insurance or coverage with an eligible surplus lines insurer in the state or jurisdiction with authority to regulate such business;
- I. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged insolvency, receivership, conservatorship, liquidation, bankruptcy, failure or inability to pay of any company, organization, entity, vehicle or arrangement of any nature in which an Insured placed, recommended to be placed or obtained coverage or in which an Insured placed, recommended to be placed funds or an investment of any nature; however, this exclusion shall not apply to a Claim based upon or arising out of the placement, recommendation for placement or obtaining coverage with an insurance company rated by A.M Best's as B+ or better at the time when coverage is placed, recommended or obtained;
- J. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any pension plan, profit sharing plan, health and welfare or any other employee benefit plan or trust sponsored by an **Insured**. in which an **Insured** is a participant, trustee or named fiduciary:
- K. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any pension plan, profit sharing plan, health and welfare or any other employee benefit plan or trustor which are self-funded, in whole or in part;
- L. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any ownership, formation, operation or administration of any insurance company, captive, risk retention group, self-insurance program or purchasing group;
- M. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged:
  - 1. Unfair competition;
  - 2. Anti-competitive acts;
  - 3. Restraint of trade:
  - 4. Price fixing:
  - 5. Monopolization:
  - 6. Misuse of confidential or proprietary information:
  - 7. Copyright, patent, trade mark or trade secret infringement;
  - 8. Piracy, theft or conversion of ideas, employees, contacts or business methods; or
  - 9. Illegal, improper or deceptive advertisement;
- N. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged actual or alleged discrimination or harassment in any form or manner;

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- **O.** Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any failure, malfunction or breakdown of any computers, electrical, electronic or mechanical systems or machines;
- P. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged notarization of documents without authorization or without the signatory's actual presence before an **Insured**;
- Q. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any actual or alleged guarantee, promise or warranty as to interest rates, market values, earnings, future values or future premiums or payments in connection with variable life insurance, variable annuities, scheduled premium annuities, mutual funds or **Securities**;
- **R.** Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any **Securities** (other than variable life insurance, variable annuities and mutual funds) that were not authorized or approved by and actually processed through the **Broker/Dealer**;
- S. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving any function of an **Insured** as a specialist or market maker for any **Securities**, or the purchase, sale or failure to sell **Securities** when the **Insured** is a specialist or market maker for such **Securities**;
- T. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving an **Insured's** actual or alleged exercise of discretionary authority over a client's assets, funds or liabilities, undertaking of trades or transactions on a discretionary basis or any trading or transactions without the express authority of a client; however, this exclusion shall not apply to an **Insured** providing asset allocation services pursuant to a written contract for a client's account that is funded exclusively with no-load mutual funds, no-load variable annuities, no-load variable life insurance or any investment for which no **Insured** received a commission:
- U. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving:
  - 1. Promissory notes, viatical or life settlements, or any **Securities** backed by either viatical or life settlements;
  - 2. Commodities, commodity futures and option contracts, except for option contracts that are covered by ownership of the underlying **Securities**, cash or cash equivalent, not including margin;
  - 3. Any "junk bonds" or "high yield bonds" (for purposes of this exclusion, "junk bonds" or "high yield bonds" mean bonds which, at the time of purchase or sale were unrated or rated as below investment grade by any rating agency, including, but not limited to, Moody's bonds of Ba or lower or S&P bonds of BB or lower):
  - 4. Any **Securities** sold exclusively outside of the United States of America or Canada;
  - 5. Actual, attempted or threatened mergers, acquisitions, divestitures, tender offers, proxy contests, leveraged buy-outs, going private transactions, reorganizations, capital restructuring, recapitalization, fairness opinions, spin-offs, primary or secondary offerings of **Securities** (regardless of whether the offering is a public offering or a private placement) or other efforts to raise or furnish capital or financing for any company, corporation, enterprise or entity or disclosure requirements in connection with any of the foregoing, as well as any other investment banking activities;
  - 6. Structured settlements; however, this exclusion shall not apply to a **Claim** arising out of or based upon the sale or servicing of the underlying product, if otherwise covered by this Policy; and
  - 7. Any **Securities** that are wholly or partially owned by any **Insured**;
- V. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving actual or alleged use or disclosure, aiding or abetting use or disclosure or participation after the fact in use or disclosure of non-public or insider information as prohibited by any federal, state or local laws, statutes, regulations or ordinances, including but not limited to, the Insider Trading and Securities Fraud Enforcement Act of 1988, Section 10(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Securities Exchange Commission Rule 10b-5 thereunder;
- W. Arising out of, based upon or in consequence of, directly or indirectly resulting from or in any way involving, actual or alleged advice, consultation or recommendations of any type of mortgage, including, but not limited to, a reverse mortgage, regardless of whether an incidental part of the rendering of Professional Services.



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Enrollment Form
Claims Made & Reported Errors & Omissions Coverage
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Today's Date





# Crowe & Associates ENROLLMENT PREMIUM TABLE

Policy Period: January 1, 2022 to January 1, 2023

LEVEL	Limit Each Claim/ Annual Aggregate	Rate
Level A	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$421
Level A	\$1,000,000/\$2,000,000	\$456
Level A	\$1,000,000/\$3,000,000	\$461
Level A	\$2,000,000/\$2,000,000	\$496
Level B	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$486
Level B	\$1,000,000/\$2,000,000	\$531
Level B	\$1,000,000/\$3,000,000	\$536
Level B	\$2,000,000/\$2,000,000	\$576
Level C	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$301
Level D	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$396

Rates include administration and sponsor affiliation fees.