UNIVERSAL CONTRACTING INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Please complete all requested items.
 - If Universal Contracting is returned incomplete, it will <u>increase</u> <u>processing time</u>. Please "scrub" the documents prior to submission.
- After all required documents are completed, please scan and email to the person who sent you this packet.

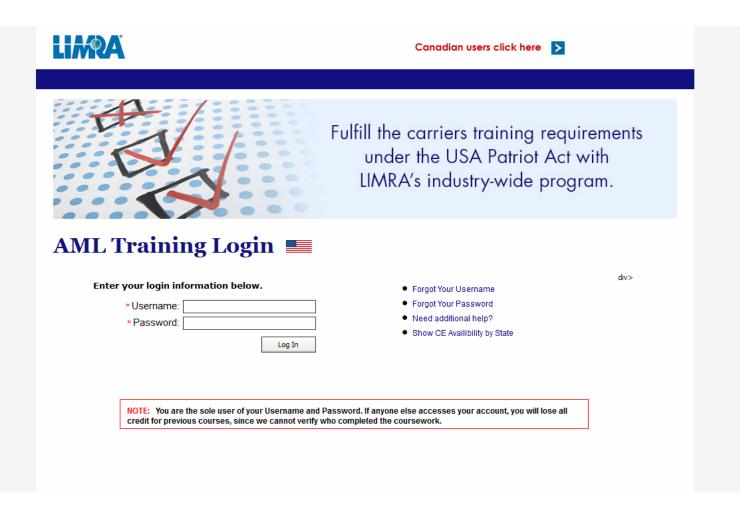
REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

Complete the forms attached with all questions answered

Provide letter of explanation for any YES answered legal questions and supply additional documents.
Complete Signature Authorization page.
Include the EFT form and a copy of a voided check.
Provide current E&O certificate.
Supply a current Anti-Money Laundering (AML) training certificate. Or if completed via LIMRA, please supply a date and time:/
Provide current license(s), individual and/or corporate.
Please Note: If you are selling an Annuity, go to the Carrier website to

AML is a mandatory requirement & is reviewed every 2 years to assure agents are complaint

CLICK HERE to complete carrier required training





Independent Agent/Producer Authorization and Declaration

- 1. It is agreed that throughout this document, the use of "I" references the undersigned Agent. It is further understood and agreed that I, not Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters), will be responsible to the insurance company for any commission chargebacks incurred. I also agree that Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) shall be entitled to offset any chargeback of commissions owed by me, or by a subagent under me, against any commissions which I have earned from any insurance carrier. In such event, I agree that payment of commissions to me less any such chargebacks owed by me (or my subagent) shall constitute full payment of my commissions from Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters). I also agree that I will be responsible for any debt that is rolled up to Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) from any insurance carrier with whom I have an outstanding debt. I also agree that Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) may send me to collections if any debt is not paid in full, and I agree to cooperate with the collections agency.
- 2. I fully understand and agree that I am not an employee, agent, representative, or independent contractor of Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters), and accordingly, that I am not authorized to so represent myself, nor will I hold Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) responsible for my actions. Both Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) and I may terminate this relationship at any time, for any reason, with or without cause, by delivering at least ten (10) business days' notice of such termination to the other.
- 3. I hereby agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters), as well as its owners, members, officers, directors, agents, employees, and representatives, from any claims or liabilities which may arise in any manner from my conduct and actions (or failures to act) as a licensed insurance agent, as well as from any claims or liabilities which may arise in any manner from my carrying out the authority granted under usage of signature (for any online contract) for the sole purposes of obtaining carrier appointment. The duty to defend includes any attorney's fees and costs incurred by Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) as a result of any such claim or liability.
- 4. I am fully aware and agree that as a licensed insurance agent it is my responsibility to completely understand the products and companies I represent and to conduct my business in compliance with the laws and rules, including properly soliciting these products to consumers pursuant to state law within the state(s) where I hold a resident and/or non-resident license.
- 5. I hereby authorize any individual or company to provide Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) any and all information with reference to my character, credits, debts owed insurance companies, business reputation and employment history, and I release said individual and/or company from any and all liability which results, or might result, from the disclosure of such information.
- 6. I understand that by providing my fax number, e-mail address, mail address, and telephone number, in this Declaration and Authorization, I am giving express permission to the receipt of advertisements and other communications by fax, e-mail, mail, and telephone from or on behalf of Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) and its affiliates.



7. I understand that Life & Annuity Masters (Lead Masters) is a California corporation, and accordingly agree that my contract application and this Declaration and Authorization shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of California without reference to its choice of law rules. I hereby irrevocably consent to personal jurisdiction and venue in the state and federal courts located in Ventura County, California with respect to any actions, claims, or proceedings arising out of or in connection with this Declaration and Authorization. Notwithstanding the foregoing, I expressly acknowledge and agree that any claim or controversy arising out of or relating to this Declaration and Authorization shall be settled by arbitration conducted in Ventura County, California in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association, and judgment on the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in any court in Ventura County, California, and the foregoing sentence regarding jurisdiction and venue in the state and federal courts located in Ventura County, California shall apply only with respect to judgment on the arbitrator's award, and enforcement of same, if necessary. I agree that either party which prevails shall be entitled to an award of attorney's and mediator's fees against the non-prevailing party.

8. Under penalties of perjury, I certify that all answers to the contract application and the social security number (or taxpayer identification number) shown on my application form are true and correct. I have read the above language in this Declaration and Authorization, and by signing below, I am agreeing to abide by all of the terms set forth herein.

Accepted and agreed to by individual or officer of entity receiving producer agreement:		
Signature:	Address:	
Print Name of Producer	Date:	

Producer Set-Up Packet

USE HIGH RESOLUTION SCANNER OR HIGH QUALITY FAX

Social Security #:	Gender: Date of Birth://	
Email:	Resident Insurance: Lic. # & State	
Last Name:	First Name: MI:	
Phone: Fax	:Cell:	
Title:Marital Status: _	Maiden Name:	
Driver's Lic. #:	DL State:	
Residential Address (No PO Boxes)	Start Date://	
Street:	City/State: Zip code:	
<u> Mailing Address (No PO Boxes)</u>	Start Date://	
Street:	City/State: Zip code:	
Doing Business As: Individu	ual Business Entity Solicitor/L	.OA
If DBA Solicitor/LOA, list who you are ass	signing commissions to:	
Complete the foll	lowing only if DBA a Business Entity:	
EIN:Business Name: _	Website:	
Your Title:Phone: _	Fax:	
Principal Name:	Principal Title:Email:	
Company Type: Corporation	Partnership LLC LLP	
Corporate Address (No PO Boxes)	Start Date:/	
Street:	City/State: Zip code:	

Legal Questions for Contracting and Appointment Requests

Please answer the following questions. If you answer YES to any question, be sure to provide a full, detailed explanation including specific dates.

Name: ____ Have you ever been charged or convicted of or plead guilty or no contest to any Felony, Misdemeanor, federal/state insurance and/or securities or investments regulations and Yes No 1 statutes? Have you ever been on probation? Yes Νo 1A Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty or no contest to any Felony? 1B Yes lNo Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty or no contest to any Misdemeanor? Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty or no contest to a violation of federal or 1C Yes □No state securities or investment related regulation? Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty or no contest to a violation of state Yes No 1D insurance department regulation or statute? Has any foreign government, court, regulatory agency, or exchange ever entered an 1E Yes No order against you related to investments or fraud? Yes lNo Have you ever been charged with any Felony? 1G Yes No Have you ever been charged with any Misdemeanor? 1H No Yes Have you ever been on probation? Have you ever been or are you currently being investigated, have any pending indictments, lawsuits, or have you ever been in lawsuit with insurance company? No 2 2A Yes ٦No Are you currently under investigation by any legal or regulatory authority? 2B Yes Nο Have you been under investigation by any insurance company? Have you ever been or are you currently involved in any pending indictments, lawsuits, 2C Yes lΝο civil judgments or other legal proceedings (civil or criminal)(you may omit family court) Have you ever been named as a defendant or codefendant in a lawsuit, or have you ever 2D Yes No sued or been sued by an insurance company? 3 Yes No Have you ever been alleged to have engaged in any fraud? 4 Yes No Have you ever been found to have engaged in any fraud? Has any insurance or financial services company, or broker-dealer terminated your contract Yes No or appointment or permitted you to resign for reason other than lack of sales? 5 Were you terminated/resigned because you were accused of violating insurance or No Yes 5A investment related statutes, regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct? Yes No 5B Were you terminated/resigned because you were accused of fraud or the wrongful taking of property? Failure to supervise in connection with insurance or investment related statutes, 5C Yes lNo regulations, rules or industry standards of conduct? Have you ever had an appointment with any insurance company terminated for cause or been denied an appointment? Yes No 6 Does any insurer, insured, or other person claim any commission chargeback or

other indebtedness from you as a result of any insurance transactions or business?

Yes

No

Sig	Signature: Date:			
I attest that the information I have provided is true to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that if any information changes, I will notify my agency office within 5 days of such change. Further, I understand that my agency may contact me when I need to answer carrier specific questions.				
If you answered any questions YES, provide an explanation that includes dates, actions, and descriptions. Attach additional paper if necessary.				
19	taxing authority?	Yes	□ No	
18	Have you ever used any other names or aliases? Do you have any unresolved matters pending with the Internal Revenue Service or other	L Yes	∐ No	
17	financial institution?	Yes	No No	
16	Have you ever had any unsatisfied judgments, garnishments, or liens against you? Are you connected in any way with a bank, savings & loan association, or other lending or	Yes	No_	
		☐ Yes	∐ No	
	a bankruptcy petition or been declared bankrupt either during your association or within five years after termination of such association? Is the bankruptcy pending?	Yes	□ No	
	Has any insurance or securities brokerage firm with whom you have been associated filed			
15A	Have you personally filed a bankruptcy petition or declared bankruptcy?	Yes	☐ No	
15	Have you personally or any insurance or securities brokerage firm with whom you have been associated filed a bankruptcy petition or declared bankruptcy?	Yes	☐ No	
14C	Have you ever been the subject of a consumer initiated complaint?	Yes	☐ No	
14B	Has any state, federal or self-regulatory agency filed a complaint against you, fined or sanctioned you?	Yes	☐ No	
14A	Has any regulatory body ever sanctioned, censured, penalized or otherwise disciplined you?	Yes	☐ No	
14	Has any state, federal or self-regulatory agency filed a complaint against you, fined, sanctioned, censured, penalized or otherwise disciplined you for a violation of their regulations or state or federal statutes? Have you ever been the subject of a consumer initiated complaint?	Yes	☐ No	
13	Have you ever had any interruptions in licensing?	Yes	No	
12	Has any state or federal regulatory agency found you to have made a false statement or omission or been dishonest, unfair, or unethical?	Yes	□ _{No}	
11	Has any state or federal regulatory agency revoked or suspended your license as an attorney, accountant, or federal contractor?	Yes	□ No	
10	insurance-related business having its authorization to do business denied, suspended, revoked, or restricted? Has any state or federal regulatory agency revoked or suspended your license as an atterney.	Yes	☐ No	
9	Have you ever had an insurance or securities license denied, suspended, cancelled or revoked? Has any state or federal regulatory body found you to have been a cause of an investment OR	Yes	No	
8B	your coverage? Or, have you ever had a claim filed against your E&O carrier?	∐ Yes	∐ No	
0.0	you ever had a claim filed against your surety company? Has any Errors & Omissions (E&O) carrier ever denied, paid claims on or cancelled			
8A	Surety bonding or E&O coverage? Has a bonding or surety company ever denied, paid on or revoked a bond for you? Or, have	Yes	☐ No	
8	Has any lawsuit or claim ever been made against your surety company, or errors and omissions insurer, arising out of your sales or practices, or, have you been refused	Yes	☐ No	

Carrier Specific Questions

Please list your state and county of residence and business for the last 10 years:					
2.	If you have ever been FINR	If you have ever been FINRA registered, do you have any U4/U5 reportable events? If yes, please provide details.			
	Yes	No			
3.	Will you be in violation of t Yes	e 1994 crime act if you act as an insurance agent? No			
<u>REQUI</u>	RED FOR ALLIANZ ONLY				
4.	Are you currently an Investment Advisory Representative? RIA #: IAR #:				
5.	Have you or an officer of you claims? If yes, please provious Yes	ur company ever been involved in any litigation or arbitration in which you and Allianz life had opposing e details. No			
6.	Are any immediate family r Yes	embers currently contracted with Allianz Life? If yes, please list their names. No			
7.	Have you had any foreclose	es within the last 3 years? If yes, please provide dates and details.			
	Yes	No			
8.	Do you have any collection	or charged off debt items? If yes, please provide details.			
	Yes	No			
9.	Please list any other nan	es you are known by:			

LETTER OF EXPLANATION

Date of Action:/
Action:
Reason:
Explanation:
Date of Action:/
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NOTE Use additional paper if necessary
<u>LICENSES</u>
AML Provider: LIMRA NONE OTHER Date Completed:/
If Other, Provide Certificate of Completion.
Are you a Registered Rep with FINRA? Yes No
If Yes, Broker/Dealer Name: CRD #:
Plagea list any Honors you currently hold:
Please list any Honors you currently hold:

<u>History</u>

NOTE Attach additional info if needed

Employment Please provide past 5 years of employment history:				
From:/ To: _ Company: Location:		Position:		
From:/ To: Company: Location:		Position:		
From:/ To: Company: Location:		Position:		
Address History Please provide past 5 years of address history: *NOTE* Attach additional info if needed				
From:// To: Line 1:		City/State Not Needed Zip code:		
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Signature Authorization

PLEASE READ THIS AUTHORIZATION, SIGN IN THE BOX BELOW AND SUBMIT THIS FORM BY FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED ON THE COVER PAGE.			
I,			
By my signature below, I certify that the information I have submitted to the Authorized Parties is correct to the best of my knowledge and acknowledge that I have read and reviewed the forms and agreements which the Authorized Parties have been authorized to affix my signature. I agree to indemnify and hold any third party harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, losses, damages, and causes of action, including expenses, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees which such third party may incur as a result of its reliance on any form or agreement bearing my signature pursuant to this authorization. Please sign in the center of the box below. Please use BLACK ink.			

PRODUCERIDXXX

ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFERS (EFT)

Account Owner Name (F	Required):			
Transit/ABA #:		_		
account #:				
Financial Institution Nam				
Branch Address:			_	
City:	State:	Zip:	_	
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necessary, adjustments indicated on this form. The received written notification authorization is subject to	for credit entries in error to the nis authority is to remain in fu on from me of its termination to the terms of any agent or re	e checking and/or savings acco ill effect until the Company has i. I understand that this epresentative contract, commiss	sion	
Signature:	I	Date:	_	
Attach copy of the check here for checking account or deposit slip for saving account:				

Replace this page with a copy of your E&O Insurance Certificate of Coverage

IMORTANT: E & O Certificate must list your full name as the insured. Please refer to the following examples.

CORRECT:

My Insurance Agency Inc.

Joe Agent

123 Main Ave
City, State, 12345

INCORRECT:

My Insurance Agency Inc. 123 Main Ave City, State, 12345

If individual name is not listed correctly please provide a letter from the E&O Carrier listing agents covered under agency policy.

Replace this page with your current license(s), individual and/or corporate.

Replace this page with a copy of your STATE Specific Training Certificate(s) for NAIC adopted states.

(Click here for a list of NAIC Approved States.)

Carriers that Require Producers to Confirm Contracting Paperwork

The following carriers require producers to confirm their contracting paperwork prior to applying the producer's signatures to the forms:

Accordia Life and Annuity Company

Allianz Life Ins Co of NorthAmerica

Allianz Life Ins Co of New York

American Equity Investment Life Ins Co

American Equity Investment Life Ins Co of New York

Assurity Life Ins Co

Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company

Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company of New York

Athene Annuity and Life Company (Formerly know as Aviva)

Athene Life Insurance Company of New York (Formerly known as Aviva)

Genworth Life and Annuity Insurance Company

Genworth Life Ins. Co.

Genworth Life Ins. Co. of New York

Gerber Life Ins Co

Minnesota Life Ins Co

National Life Group (National Life or LSW)

National Western Life Ins Co

Presidential Life Ins Co

ReliaStar Life Ins of New York

ReliaStar Life Insurance Company

Securian Life Ins Co

Security Life of Denver Ins Co

Stonebridge Life Ins Co

Transamerica - Blue Family Markets

Transamerica - Green Family Markets

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Transamerica - Maroon Family Markets

Transamerica - Red Family Markets

Transamerica - TAN MO-02

Transamerica Financial Life (NY)

Transamerica Life Insurance Co

Transamerica Occidental Life Insurance Company

Transamerica Premier Life Ins Co

Voya Group Annuities

Voya Insurance and Annuity Company (VIAC)

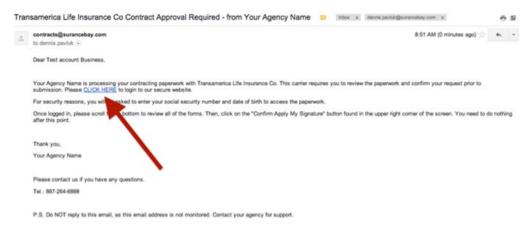
Voya Retirement Insurance and Annuity Company (VRIAC)

Western Reserve Life

How to complete SureLC Authorization

Step 1:

The producer will get an email that looks like this that includes the link to click to access SureLC.



Step 2:

After clicking the link embedded within the email, the producer is taken to the web version of SureLC. The producer logs in using his/her SSN and DOB.



Step 4:

Once logged in, the producer will be taken to the appropriate contracting paperwork to be reviewed. The producer simply scrolls through the forms and once at the bottom, presses the Confirm button in the upper right hand corner, followed by the Apply My Signature button.



Step 5:

Once completed, the producer gets a confirmation that their review was successful and that your agency has been notified.

