

Individual Life Insurance

Traditional underwriting

Insurance products issued by: Minnesota Life Insurance Company Securian Life Insurance Company

Mortality credits guidelines

Securian Financial has developed a reputation for improving underwriting standards through ongoing research and development. Our mortality credits program allows for better-than-published guidelines decisions for many of your clients. Please note: The guidelines and exceptions below assume no other exceptions are being made.

Family history Preferred class guidelines

Preferred Select	Preferred	Non-tobacco Plus
Guideline	Guideline	Guideline
No death of a parent or sibling before age 60 due to coronary artery disease, cerebrovascular disease or cancer of breast, colon, ovary, pancreas, prostate, stomach, melanoma	No death of a parent or sibling before age 60 due to coronary artery disease or cerebrovascular disease	No more than one death of a parent or sibling before age 60 due to coronary artery disease or cerebrovascular disease
Qualification	Qualification	Qualification
If the first-degree relative died at age 58 or 59, it is ok to consider for best class.	If the first-degree relative died at age 58 or 59, it is ok	If the first-degree relative died at age 58 or 59, it is ok to
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Tobacco guidelines

Preferred Select pricing	Non-Tobacco pricing for all other rate classes	Tobacco pricing
Guideline	Guideline	Guideline
No tobacco or nicotine surrogate	No tobacco or nicotine surrogate use in the past 12 months; negative specimen	More than 24 tobacco uses per year
use in the past 36 months; negative specimen		Positive nicotine (cotinine) marker on urine specimen, regardless of admitted usage
Exceptionally, will allow:	Exceptionally, will allow:	
12 or fewer cumulative tobacco uses per year and nicotine (cotinine) marker on urine	12 - 24 cumulative tobacco uses per year and nicotine (cotinine) marker on urine specimen is negative	
specimen is negative	Tobacco uses include cigar, pipe,	
Tobacco uses include cigar, pipe, chew, cigarette and nicotine surrogates	chew, cigarette and nicotine surrogates	

Cholesterol Preferred exceptions

Preferred Select	Preferred		Non-Tobacco Plus
• Cholesterol ≤ 250	 Ages < 50 Cholesterol < 270 and ratio < 6.0 with no treatment for hypertension or cholesterol Cholesterol < 300 and ratio < 5.0, with no treatment for hypertension or cholesterol 	• Cholesterol < 300	Cholesterol up to
and ratio 4.5; may		and ratio < 6.0 with	300 and ratio up to
include treatment for		no treatment for	7.0 with no treatment
hypertension and/or		hypertension or	for hypertension or
cholesterol		cholesterol	cholesterol

Build stretch exceptions

Preferred Select	Preferred	Non-Tobacco Plus
If applicant meets all Preferred Select criteria except Build (and Build still meets the published Preferred limit), we will issue at Preferred Select.	If applicant meets all Preferred criteria except Build (and Build still meets the published Non-Tobacco Plus criteria), we will issue at Preferred rates.	If applicant meets all Non-Tobacco Plus criteria except Build (and measured Build is within 10% of the published Non-Tobacco Plus limit), we will issue at Non-Tobacco Plus rates.

Driving history exceptions

Preferred Select	Preferred	Non-Tobacco Plus
 No DWI, DUI or reckless driving	 No DWI, DUI or reckless driving	No DWI, DUI or reckless driving
in the past 9 years and 9 months	in the past 4 years and 9 months	in the past 2 years and 9 months
• No more than 2 moving violations in	 No more than 2 moving violations in	 No more than 2 moving violations
the past 4 years and 9 months	the past 2 years and 9 months	in the past 1 year and 9 months



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For more information about these underwriting exceptions and stretch guidelines, contact your Life Sales Support Team today: 1-877-696-6654 (Securian Financial and Broker-Dealer) 1-888-413-7860, option 1 (Independent Brokerage)

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