



# **1** Guidelines for all foreign national clients

Age restrictions	<ul> <li>Clients must be between the ages of 18 and 75.</li> </ul>			
Minimum net worth	• \$1,000,000 U.S. dollars or equivalent			
Minimum face amount	• \$1,000,000			
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Politicians, missionaries, public figures, government leaders and employees, journalists, judicial personnel, police force, trade union officials, foreign military personnel or any high-profile occupation will not be considered. An aviation exclusion rider will be required for all private pilots.</li> </ul>			
Policy owner and beneficiary parameters	<ul> <li>Ownership types permitted:         <ul> <li>Insured</li> <li>Family member with a U.S. connection</li> <li>U.S. business</li> <li>U.S. trust</li> <li>U.S. limited liability company (LLC) with a U.S. address</li> </ul> </li> <li>If an LLC is the beneficiary/owner, Lincoln reserves the right to request the operating agreement and listing of assets in the LLC.</li> <li>Ownership types not permitted:         <ul> <li>Personal Investment Corporations (PICs)</li> <li>Any foreign entity</li> </ul> </li> <li>Individual owners may use a foreign address on the application.</li> <li>Beneficiary</li> <li>The beneficiary may be a U.S. or foreign person or entity. At time of issue, Lincoln will ask about the relationship between the insured and the beneficiary.</li> </ul>			
Identification	<ul> <li>If the client does not have an SSN or TIN, Lincoln would like to see a completed W-8BEN with the client's FTIN.</li> <li>Copy of passport or visa is required.</li> </ul>			
Premium financing criteria	<ul> <li>Verifiable \$10 million or more in net worth (U.S. equivalency)</li> <li>Must use a U.Sbased lender</li> <li>Foreign National clients exhibiting net worth of \$10 million or greater may accrue interest</li> <li>Signed Premium Finance Disclosure and Acknowledgement provided to Lincoln</li> <li>Not permitted for strategies leveraging Variable Rate Debt Obligation (VRDO)</li> <li>Lincoln's Premium Financing Guidelines apply</li> </ul>			
Funding the policy	<ul> <li>Premiums must be paid in U.S. dollars via a U.S. bank or the U.S. affiliate of a foreign bank.</li> </ul>			



# **2** Who are your global clients?

# Guidelines specific to your clients

U.S. citizen or green card holder (spending more than 6 months annually outside the U.S.)

### How to qualify

- U.S. citizenship or permanent residency constitutes sufficient nexus to the U.S.
- Client lives and spends time in approved countries only. (See approved countries list in Section 5.)
- See other qualifications in Section 1.

### Nexus

Further nexus not required



# Non-U.S. citizen without a green card

### How to qualify

- Must be a citizen of an approved country and must reside in an approved country OR the U.S.
- No requirements for time spent in the U.S.
- Your client must provide proof of nexus, or connection, to the U.S. (see below).
- See other qualifications in Section 1.

### Nexus

- Client must have a strong connection to the U.S. (nexus) and must provide proof of at least ONE of the following:
  - Client travels on a regular or ongoing basis to the U.S. for business or pleasure.
  - Client has an immediate family member (children, parents, siblings, spouse) residing in the U.S.
  - Client is married to a U.S. citizen.
  - Client owns real estate in the U.S.
  - Client owns all or the majority of a U.S. business or businesses.
  - Client owns U.S. bank or brokerage account(s) with a minimum balance of \$25,000 and open with that balance for at least 30 days prior to application date.
  - Client is the owner of an established foreign company actively engaged in business for the past 12 months and travels to the U.S. to transact business.
  - Client is a full-time student at a U.S. university, living full time in the U.S.
  - Client's primary employment is in the United States.
  - Client is an EB-5 applicant with sufficient U.S. investment.
- Certain types of ownership will not be allowed for nexus assets.
  - U.S. assets owned in a foreign entity will NOT be acceptable as the sole nexus. Please notify your underwriter or Lincoln contact if the client's nexus assets are not owned in his/her own name.
- If you are not sure if your client would meet Lincoln's nexus requirements, contact your back office or Lincoln representative, or email ForeignNationalQuickQuotes@LFG.com.

# **2** Who are your global clients?

# Guidelines specific to your clients

U.S. citizen or green card holder (spending more than 6 months annually outside the U.S.)

### What's available

- Term and permanent life insurance products
  - Excluding Lincoln TermAccel® Level Term, Lincoln WealthAccelerate® IUL, long-term care and chronic illness solutions
- Autobind of \$40 million, jumbo of \$60 million, discretionary internal retention up to \$10 million (reinsurance capacity could be higher)
- Preferred Plus to Table D available. Maximum underwriting class not dependent on country
- Table Reduction Program (TRP) available on Lincoln indexed universal life insurance policies up to \$10 million

### Coverage for spouse

- Can apply for up to the amount of Lincoln coverage placed on the U.S. citizen or permanent resident spouse, with a coverage amount limit of \$10 million.
- Coverage must be applied for concurrently or within six months of coverage on spouse with nexus.
- Must qualify medically and reside in and be a citizen of an approved country.
- Spouse without nexus may be the owner of their policy.

### Additional information

- Your client may apply using LincXpress® Tele-App or electronic application processes.
- Limited POA may be used on behalf of the policy owner or insured to accept and sign any documents related to delivering the policy, including, but not limited to, the application on policy delivery, sales illustration, medical amendments, and/or the Good Health Statement, if required.
- Lincoln's Premium Deposit Fund is available
- Lab-free not available

# Non-U.S. citizen without a green card

### What's available

- All permanent life insurance products (check with broker-dealer about VUL availability)
  - Excluding Lincoln WealthAccelerate® IUL, long-term care, chronic illness solutions and term rider
- For foreign national applicants with business coverage needs, 10-year and 15-year Lincoln LifeElements® term insurance is available for:
  - Ages 25–65
  - Maximum face amount of \$40 million, with a jumbo limit of \$60 million
  - Standard to Table D available (Preferred rate classes are not available)
  - Applicant must be employed by a U.S. company. (example: U.S. domiciled business or foreign company with a U.S. office)
  - Owner must be the U.S. business or U.S. entity
  - Key Person coverage: applicant works for a U.S. company.
  - Buy/Sell coverage with applicant owning at minimum of 20% share in the U.S. business.
- Electronic submission is currently not available for foreign national term cases; only a traditional application for form/paper ticket can be accepted
- Autobind of \$40 million, jumbo of \$60 million, discretionary internal retention up to \$10 million (reinsurance capacity could be higher)
- Domestic autobind and jumbo limits are available for permanent U.S. residents who meet all of the following criteria:
  - Applicants from Approved Countries must reside in the U.S. for the last 12 consecutive months
  - Applicants from Non-Approved Countries must reside in the U.S. for the last 24 consecutive months, with no intent to travel back to their country of origin
  - Has a Social Security number, owns a U.S. residence and pays U.S. income and property taxes
- Preferred Plus to Table D available, regardless of approved country
- Table Reduction Program (TRP) available on Lincoln indexed universal life insurance policies up to \$10 million

### Coverage for spouse

- Can apply for up to the amount of Lincoln coverage placed on the first spouse with nexus, with a coverage amount limit of \$10 million.
- Coverage must be applied for concurrently or within six months of coverage on spouse with nexus.
- Must qualify medically and reside in and be a citizen of an approved country.
- Spouse without nexus may be the owner of their policy.

### Additional information

- Client may apply using LincXpress® Tele-App or electronic application processes. (Social Security number required to use e-app or e-signature)
- Limited POA may be used on behalf of the policy owner or insured to accept and sign any documents related to delivering the policy, including, but not limited to, the application on policy delivery, sales illustration, medical amendments, and/or the Good Health Statement, if required.
- Lincoln's Premium Deposit Fund is available.
- Lab-free not available
- For clients who have an immigrant visa (like an EB-5) or who have filed form I-485 and can present a copy of receipt from USCIS:
  - Term is available and country of citizenship may be overlooked.

# **3** Solicitation and application process

Solicitation	<ul> <li>The client must be in the state of solicitation for a meaningful reason other than the purchase of life insurance. Meaningful reasons can include: living or working in that state, owning property, significant business interests, frequent travel or time spent in that state.</li> <li>The financial professional must be licensed in the state of solicitation.</li> <li>If you have any question about the situs, please contact your new business associate before taking the application.</li> <li>Application, medical exams, lab tests and delivery must be completed in the United States.</li> </ul>			
Inspection report	A routine inspection report is not required for life insurance policies; however, an inspection report phone call may be conducted by First Financial  Underwriting based on underwriter discretion.  The inspection report can be conducted in the client's preferred language. Please note this in your cover letter or tell the vendor when you call.  Vendor: First Financial 800-570-3477 www.firstfin.com			
Exam	<ul> <li>Lincoln strongly encourages the use of our approved vendors. The advantages offer</li> <li>Vendors have passed Lincoln's IT assessments, thus assuring the security of our of employee, agent, and company Non-Public Personal Information (NPPI).</li> <li>Vendors directly bill Lincoln, eliminating "out-of-pocket" expenses for any field-order</li> <li>Vendors are held to contracted service level agreements, helping to leverage issue</li> <li>Internal partner support for vendor-related issues.</li> <li>Ordered results are electronically transmitted directly to Lincoln, eliminating additional efforcessing by the agent.</li> </ul>	customer, ered services. resolution.	Approved vendors:  APPS 800-727-2101 appslive.com ExamOne 800-768-2056 www.examone.com	IMS Paramed 877-808-5533 imsparamed.com ExamOne Superior Solution 800-898-3926 smminsurance.com
Medical record translations	<ul> <li>Lincoln will translate Spanish medical records free of charge in-house on formal cases.</li> <li>Records in other languages must be translated by a Lincoln-approved vendor.</li> <li>Lincoln will reimburse up to \$250 per APS translated on formal cases. Underwriter approval required for amounts exceeding \$250.</li> </ul>	Approved vendors:  MIR Associates Inc. 800-545-0308 or 781-270-0308 oneworldonestop.com mir-associates.com  OSC Communications 973-227-5112 888-763-3364 oneworldonestop.com languageline.com		
Financial justification	<ul> <li>Please explain the purpose of the coverage and the reason for the face amount in a cover letter.</li> <li>Lincoln will use U.S. or global assets and income to justify the face amount, if Underwriter can independently verify ownership and value of the asset.</li> <li>Lincoln may accept third-party verification of assets from a properly credentialed financial or tax professional.</li> <li>Concrete documentation may be submitted to support the face amount.</li> </ul>			
Language considerations	<ul> <li>Client must have a basic understanding of the English language.</li> <li>If the application needs interpretation, please include information about who did the interpretation when you submit the application.</li> </ul>	• If the client prefers to have the exam done in a language other than English, please note this in your cover letter or notify the vendor when you order the exam. The client may not bring someone to do the interpretation to the exam.		
Delivery	<ul> <li>Policy delivery must take place in the U.S.</li> <li>The limited power of attorney (LPOA) may be used if the proposed owner and/or proposed insured is no longer in the U.S. at the time of policy delivery.</li> <li>The LPOA must be in the U.S. to sign the delivery requirements.</li> <li>The attorney-in-fact is authorized to accept and sign on behalf of the proposed owner or proposed insured any documents related to placing the policy in-force, including, but not limited to, the application on policy</li> </ul>	documentation ir Insurability Suppl and as approved - Lincoln will pr - The POA mus	ncluding but not limited to the lement and policy delivery re by Lincoln. ovide suggested POA langua t be notarized. in-fact must be a disintereste	oolicy sales illustration and/or e Good Health Statement and ceipt, which may be required age. ed third-party and be at least

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# Approved country list<sup>1</sup>

American Samoa	Canada	Estonia
Andorra	Canary Islands	Falkland Islands
Anguilla	Cayman Islands	Finland
Antigua	Chile	France
Argentina	China <sup>2</sup>	French Guiana
Aruba	Colombia <sup>2</sup>	French Polynesia
Australia	Cook Islands	Germany
Austria	Costa Rica	Greece
Bahamas	Curacao	Greenland
Barbados	Cyprus	Grenada
Belgium	Czech Republic	Guadalupe
Bermuda	Denmark	Guatemala <sup>2</sup>
Brazil	Dominica	Hong Kong
Brunei	Dominican Republic	Hungary
Bulgaria	Ecuador <sup>2</sup>	Iceland

India <sup>2</sup> Indonesia <sup>2</sup>	Mexico	Poland
Ireland	Monaco	Portugal
	Montenegro	Qatar
Italy	Montserrat	Republic of
Jamaica	Morocco	South Africa
Japan	Netherlands	Romania
Kuwait	Netherlands Antilles	St. Kitts and Nevis
Latvia	New Caledonia	St. Lucia
Liechtenstein	New Zealand	St. Vincent and
Lithuania	North Mariana Islands	the Grenadines
Luxembourg	Norway	San Marino
Macau	Panama	Singapore
Malta	Paraguay	Slovakia
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Switzerland Taiwan Thailand Trinidad and Tobago Turks and Caicos United Arab Emirates United Kingdom Uruguay Vatican City Vietnam Virgin Islands

Sweden

Peru

Marshall Islands

Colombia – excludes border cities of Venezuela

Ecuador - Guayaquil and Quito only

Guatemala - Guatemala City only

India – all cities in India are approved with the exception of Jammu and Kashmir regions

Indonesia - consideration for Jakarta and Bali Philippines - Manila, Cebu City, Quezon City areas only

# Countries unapproved for travel<sup>3</sup>

Afghanistan, Burundi, Central African Republic, Congo, Ivory Coast, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Haiti, Iran, Iraq, Sierra Leone, Mali, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, South Sudan, Syria, Tajikistan, Venezuela, Western Sahara

South Korea

Spain



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Residence in only certain cities or regions will be acceptable. See specifics below. China – residence in all large cities

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Citizens of these countries will be considered if they possess U.S. immigrant visa or green card and do not engage in any travel to these nonapproved countries.