

# YOUR NEEDS ARE OUR TOP PRIORITY

Your Claim Forms



# WE ARE READY TO ASSIST YOU AS YOU MAKE YOUR NEXT IMPORTANT FINANCIAL DECISION

The Hartford's Safe Haven Program is one of your options.

#### WHAT IS THE SAFE HAVEN PROGRAM?

At The Hartford, we understand that this is a difficult time for you. We want you to know that we stand by you — and we are ready to assist you — as you make your next important financial decisions. We also want you to know that you have many options when it comes to receiving your insurance proceeds.

#### The Safe Haven Program is one way to receive your insurance proceeds.

If you elect the Safe Haven Program, your claim will be paid and The Hartford will send you a draftbook (which works like a checkbook) so that you can access your proceeds anytime, anywhere, and for any reason by simply writing a draft (like a check). The remaining balance will remain in our general account where it will continue to earn interest, allowing you time to make important financial decisions about your future. (Please refer to the included Rate Notice for current interest rate.)

#### The Safe Haven Program offers important services.

Through the Safe Haven Program, you'll have access to Beneficiary Assist®1, a nationwide network of counselors who stand ready to assist you if you face financial, legal, or emotional challenges, including access to up to five face-to-face sessions with a counselor in your area. Safe Haven also provides you with our Connections newsletter and your own Safe Haven representative, who can help you take advantage of these services.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If you receive benefits from a Hartford group life or accident insurance policy in lump sum, you will also have access to Beneficiary Assist\* counseling services.



#### **Key Points to Remember:**

- Your proceeds will earn interest from the day we pay your claim even while the draftbook is in the mail.
- The day your draftbook arrives, you can write a draft up to and including the full balance plus the interest.
- You can write a draft (just as you would write a check) to pay bills, make purchases, get cash, reinvest, etc.
- You can use your draftbook for electronic (ACH) payments either on the internet or over the phone.
- You'll have access to support services, including: in-person grief, legal, and financial counseling, 24/7 phone support, and a newsletter that focuses on the lives and financial needs of beneficiaries. All services are available for up to one year even if you stay in the program for just one day.
- You can easily access your account online at www.thehartford.com/
- You can designate beneficiaries for your proceeds in the event of your death.
- Your beneficiary proceeds will be kept separate from your personal funds, so that you
  can take time to plan for your future, knowing your proceeds will continue to earn
  interest and can be accessed simply by writing a draft.





#### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS.

#### Q: What if I want to deposit my full payment into my bank?

**A:** Easy enough, simply deposit the check directly into your bank account. This is no different from receiving a lump sum check.

#### Q: What if I have bills I need to pay right away?

A: Easy enough, as soon as you receive your draftbook, use it to pay your bills right away. In fact, because you're not waiting for a corporate check to clear, your Safe Haven draftbook could actually help you to pay these bills quicker. Plus, you can keep these proceeds separate so that you have detailed accounting for how you are using your insurance proceeds.

#### Q: What if I have an investment I want to fund?

A: Easy enough, simply write a draft (just like you would write a check) to fund your new investment.

#### Q: What if I will be spending the entire amount very quickly?

A: Easy enough spend whatever you need. As soon as your balance drops below our minimum amount we will send you a check for your remaining balance plus any accrued interest.

#### Q: What if I don't know what I want to do with my proceeds?

A: Easy enough, you can use your draftbook to pay your immediate needs, and then you can take your time to carefully consider your future options. Once you've come up with a plan, simply write a draft or multiple drafts to complete your plan.

## WHY SHOULD YOU CHOOSE THE HARTFORD?

Safe Haven is not intended to be a long-term investment vehicle. It is intended to provide you with time as you plan for your future. The interest will be taxable to you as income. Also, since Safe Haven was designed for insurance payments, you may not make additional deposits into Safe Haven.

We've been protecting individuals and businesses since 1810. We were there for the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. For the construction of the Hoover Dam. For the first meeting of the United Nations.

And while we're proud of our historic past, even more important is the future we're helping to create. We're ready to help you plan for — and protect — your future.

Safe Haven proceeds are not FDIC-insured and proceeds under the program are held in The Hartford's general account and are backed by the claims-paying ability of the issuing companies of The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. The Hartford intends to make a profit from offering the Safe Haven Program from the difference between the money we earn on the assets in the Safe Haven Program and the interest we credit to participants. There are other settlement options available to you that are described in the enclosed claim forms.

To learn more about the Safe Haven Program, please call 1-888-801-3873 Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

# Group Life and Accidental Death Claim Forms for Employee or Dependent



#### IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING CLAIM FORM(S)

To the Employer and Employee/Beneficiary, as applicable.

We know this is a difficult time, and we want to assist you in filing your claim as quickly as possible. Please read these important instructions regarding completion of these forms. Also, please read the "Important Notice" on page 5.

The information below constitutes a complete claim filed with The Hartford for purposes of claiming Basic, Supplemental and Dependent coverage.

Par	t I - Employer's Statement (needed for both, Life or Accidental Death claims)
	Form is to be completed in its entirety and signed by the Official Representative of the Employer/Plan
	A certified copy of the Death Certificate stating cause and manner of death must be attached to this form.
	Proof of salary as defined in the Policy (attach W2 or commissions, if applicable)
	Submission of claims on any voluntary or contributory Life plans, including Dependent coverage, must include copies of the enrollment forms and history to show timely enrollment.
	All claims must be submitted, along with the beneficiary designation form(s) on file with the Employer/Plan, if any. If none on file, the Employer/Plan shall certify to that fact on the claim form.
Par	t II - Beneficiary Statement (needed for both, Life and Accidental Death claims)
	If more than one beneficiary, each beneficiary can either sign and date one form, or each can complete separate forms, showing their current address, date of birth and Social Security Number.
	All beneficiaries must elect a Payment Option (page 3). Please refer to the Safe Haven Disclosure pages and the Safe Haven Beneficiary Designation pages of this form, for important information about the Safe Haven Program.
	If claiming Accidental Death please furnish, if available, police or motor vehicle Accident/Incident reports, autopsy/toxicology or other pertinent information regarding the claim.
Mis	cellaneous - All Claims
	If the claim proceeds are payable to an Estate, Part II must be completed by the Executor or Administrator of the Estate. An official certificate of such person's legal appointment and qualification must be attached to this form. Please include the Estate Tax Identification Number. If none available, please explain.
	If any designated beneficiary is a minor, Part II must be completed by a custodian or guardian. Include the minor's social security number, also, please include a copy of the minor's birth certificate. An official certificate of the guardian's legal appointment and qualification of the minor's <b>estate or property</b> must also be included, if applicable.
	If claim is for a dependent child enrolled in an accredited school of higher learning, submitted documents should include a student enrollment verification form executed by the school, applicable if required under the Policy.
	Foreign Death - Include both the Official Death Certificate and the Death of American Citizen Abroad form.
	Submit claim by mail to: The Hartford Group Life Claims P. O. Box 14299 Lexington, KY 40512-4299 Fax to: 1-866-954-2621

Release of claim forms is not an admission of coverage under a policy for an employer, group or organization.

E-Mail to: gbclaimcslife@thehartford.com

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All support services offered through Beneficiary Assist are provided by ComPsych®, a national leader in employee assistance programs. ComPsych is not affiliated with The Hartford. Neither The Hartford nor ComPsych® provide financial or legal advice.

## HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY HARTFORD LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY

## PROOF OF DEATH FORM (Group Life Insurance) EMPLOYEE or DEPENDENT

Mail forms to: The Hartford Group Life Claims P. O. Box 14299 Lexington, KY 40512-4299 1-888-563-1124 Fax: 1-866-954-2621 E-Mail: gbclaimcslife@thehartford.com



PART I - EMPLOYER'S STATEMENT - TO BE COMPLETED IN FULL FOR ALL CLAIMS

(Please verify if the employed Group Policy Numbers:	e qualifies for any other	er group bene	fits	through The H	artford a	nd submit the Employer:	claim acc	ordingly)	
Life/ AD&D: Group Travel:									
Name of Insured /Participant:						Social Security Number:			
Insured's address: (Street, C			Date of Birt	h:	Date of Death:				
Branch/Location:		Salaried Hourly	Da			ffective date of employee's surance:		Premiums paid to date	e?
Occupation:	С	lassification		Provide employee's actual date last physically at work:					
Provide reason employee of Illness FMLA (provide						er (please expl	ain):		
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Telephone Number	E-mail address						Facsimil	e Number	

# Group Life and/or Accidental Death Claim Form for EMPLOYEE or DEPENDENT



PART II - Beneficiary's Statement					HARTFORD				
Name of Deceased:	icy Nu	Number(s):							
	Claim Number (if known):								
Under penalties of perjury, I certify that: (1) the number shown on this form is my correct taxp.									
2) I am not subject to a back-up withholding, because, (a) I am exempt from back-up withholding; or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest and dividends; or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to back-up withholding; and									
(3) I am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alier									
<u>Certification Instructions:</u> You must cross out item (2) back-up withholding, becau									
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## Group Life and/or Accidental Death Claim Form for EMPLOYEE or DEPENDENT



### Claimant's Statement of Accidental Death (complete only if death was due to an accident)

<b>INSTRUCTIONS:</b> Complete this form if you are a If a question does not apply, please mark "N/A."	pplying for de	ath benefits du	ue to an Accident.	
GROUP POLICYHOLDER/EMPLOYER NAME:				
Name of Insured Employee/Participant:	Social Secur	ity Number:	Policy Number(s):	
N			Life AD&D	
Name of Deceased: (if different from above)		Age:	Relationship to Employee: Spouse	Child
Has a Workers' Compensation claim been filed?	Yes 1	No If "Yes,"	what is the status of the claim?	
On what date did the accident happen?	Whe	ere did the acci	ident happen? City:Sta	ate:
Please describe injuries received:				
Did accident result in death?  Yes No If "Y Describe in detail how the accident happened:	es," on what o	date?		
Name and address of law enforcement agency in	volved: <i>(Pleas</i>	e submit copy c	of Police Accident Report and/or Case Number)	
List name/address/phone number of all physicians	consulted for t	he injury/death	n:	
List name/address/phone number of all hospitals co	onsulted:			
Did the deceased have any chronic disease or phys	ical defect or c	deformity?	Yes No If "Yes", describe in detail:	
Was an autopsy performed? Yes No If "Yes	es," provide na	me/address/te	elephone number of coroner, if known:	
Was an inquest held? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No If "Yes",	verdict:			
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Insured's Name (Please print ) Any and all medical information or records, including x-ray films information regarding HIV/AIDS, communicable diseases, alco personnel records, and client lists information on any insurance credit information, including credit reports and credit application billing, invoice, and payment records academic transcripts a payment amounts, entitlement dates, and information from methe purpose of evaluating and administering my claim for benefit understand I have the right to revoke this Authorization for full must revoke this Authorization in writing directly to The Hartford I UNDERSTAND that information disclosed pursuant to this Arevoke this Authorization for future disclosures The Hartford mathematical in writing directly to The Hartford. I understand the Hartford to re-disclose My Information. The authorizations set exceed the term of my coverage under the policy(ies) or benefits.	s, medical historic hol or drug abuse e coverage and cons other finance and information on Master Benefic fits and/or leave ruture disclosures ford.  Authorization manay make, unless Tat my medical treforth herein expirefit plan or progra	e, and mental heallaims filed, including linformation, inconcerning Social biary Record. The request. Such infort, except to the expect to the expect to the Hartford has treatment or payment of the payment of the such that the record is the record in the record is the record in the	alth work information and history, including job duties, ling all records and information related to such coverage cluding pension benefits and bank records business. Security benefits, including monthly benefit amounts a information obtained by use of this Authorization without action has been taken in reliance upon this Authorization has been taken in reliance upon this Authorization. I must action in reliance upon this Authorization. I must not for medical benefits cannot be conditioned on my a the date listed below, or upon my revocation, if earlier, and be reasonably necessary to prevent or detect perparent.	nd including earnings, ge and claims transactions in monthly ll be used for Information." Incrization.  The the right to revoke this llowing The but will not petration of a
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#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please read the statement that applies to your state of residence and sign the bottom of the page.

For residents of all states EXCEPT Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Oregon Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Tennessee and Washington: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

**For Residents of Arizona:** For your protection, Arizona law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

**For Residents of California:** For your protection, California law requires the following to appear on this form: Any person who knowingly presents false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

For residents of Colorado: It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado Division of Insurance within the Department of Regulatory Agencies.

For residents of Florida: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

**For residents of Kentucky:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim or an application for insurance containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

For residents of Maine, Tennessee and Washington: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

**For residents of Maryland:** Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

For residents of New Jersey: Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading nformation is subject to criminal and civil penalties. Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an application for insurance policy is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

For residents of New York: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

For residents of Oregon: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material is subject to a denial and/or reduction in insurance benefits and may be subject to any civil penalties available.

For residents of Pennsylvania: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material hereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

For residents of Puerto Rico: Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation by a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances be present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minim	um of two (2) years.
For residents of Virginia: Any person who, with the intent to defra submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive	,
Signature	Date



For more information about other settlement options, please refer to the policy, the claim form, or call our customer service at the number listed on the claim form.

#### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR BENEFICIARIES.

Following a death, beneficiaries often face difficult decision-making responsibilities.

A Practical Financial Guide was written specifically for beneficiaries. It will walk you through the many financial issues both at the time of death and afterward.

You can count on The Hartford to provide you with the knowledge to ensure your financial protection today and in the future.

To obtain your free copy of A Practical Financial Guide, please call us at 1-888-801-3873.



Safe Haven is not a bank account and as such Safe Haven assets are not insured by the FDIC. Nor are they backed or guaranteed by any federal or state government agency. Rather, Safe Haven is part of the general account of the applicable issuing company of The Hartford and payments are based on the company's claim-paying ability. Please review the Safe Haven terms and conditions sheet which is included in this folder, for important information about the Safe Haven Program.

#### WE'RE HERE FOR YOU WHEN YOU NEED US.

Use this helpful checklist as you work through some common tasks and issues that many beneficiaries face.

#### **CHECKLIST**

# Consider Choosing the Safe Haven Program

#### Choose to receive your insurance proceeds via the Safe Haven Program\* and earn interest on your proceeds while you take advantage of our counseling and support services. Then, work through the remainder of this checklist. Review and Change If Needed Contact ☐ Names on any jointly held accounts ☐ Social Security ☐ Names on auto insurance policies ☐ Lawyer ☐ Names on homeowner's insurance policies ☐ Insurance companies ☐ Names on credit cards and charge plates ☐ Financial advisor ☐ Employers and organizations (or cancel cards and plates) ☐ Names on stock and bond accounts Plan ☐ Names on credit union and bank accounts ☐ Financial situation ☐ Tax exemption status if you're employed ☐ Insurance amounts and beneficiaries Locate ☐ Beneficiaries on stocks and bonds you own ☐ Your will (or have one written) ☐ Individual and group life insurance documents ☐ Current business papers Assets (bank accounts, CDs, investments, etc.) Official documents (real estate papers, health insurance documents, etc.)

## INTEREST RATE NOTICE

## The Safe Haven® Program



Effective 12/01/12, the rate of interest credited on assets in the Safe Haven Program is **0.40**%\*

Safe Haven is intended to provide our customers with a convenient means for paying for their immediate needs and to allow them time to decide how to use the remaining balance of their insurance or annuity proceeds. Interest is paid from the date your claim is settled to the date you withdraw your funds.

Interest is compounded daily and credited to your account on the last day of each month. Interest will be available for withdrawal the day it has been credited.

If you elect to participate in The Hartford's Safe Haven program, your insurance or annuity proceeds ("Safe Haven assets") will be held in The Hartford's general account.

The Hartford will earn investment income on Safe Haven assets. The difference between the investment income earned on the Safe Haven assets and the interest rate credited to our customers participating in the Safe Haven program will provide The Hartford with a profit and cover the expenses we incur.

\*The Hartford, in its sole discretion, determines the credited interest rate and can change the rate at any time. The current rate of interest will be displayed on your Program statement or you can call Customer Service at 1-800-918-2335. In determining the interest rate, we also factor in the impact of The Hartford's profitability, general economic trends, competitive factors and administrative expenses.

The interest rate is effective 12/01/12; all other information and representations herein are as of 10/15/11.

## Terms and Conditions

This constitutes a supplemental contract.

### The Safe Haven Program



The Hartford® is The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. and its subsidiaries, including issuing companies Hartford Fire Insurance Company, Hartford Life Insurance Company, Hartford Life and Annuity Insurance Company, Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Company, and Hartford Life Group Insurance Company. Hartford Life Insurance Company and Hartford Life Insurance Company are acting as the administrator of the Safe Haven program for Time Insurance Company, Union Security Life Insurance Company of New York and Union Security Insurance Company. Refer to the original policy for the appropriate insurer.

#### A. Your Proceeds

The full amount of the insurance proceeds payable to you has been distributed, in a single distribution into the Safe Haven Program. This is a draft account, not a checking account. Checks are drafts drawn on banks. Under the Safe Haven Program, your money is not held in a bank. It is held in The Hartford's general account. As a result, your drafts are drawn on The Hartford and are only payable through the Bank of New York Mellon, 500 Ross St, Room 1380, Pittsburgh, PA 15262.

The draft kit mailed to you provides access, at any time, to part or all of these funds by writing one or multiple drafts, which you can use like personal checks. Please note that certain merchants as part of their business protocol, may screen a customer's check or draft payment for acceptance using a variety of factors (e.g. customer's check writing history) and/or utilize third party check verification services. A merchant may consider the nature of a draft account as one factor in their screening process.

You understand that after the distribution into The Safe Haven Program, which constitutes full payment of the insurance proceeds, any claim that you may pursue against The Hartford will relate to the undertaking between you and The Hartford as to The Safe Haven Program, not the insurance policy. Original claim settlement options are not preserved.

#### **B.** Interest Earned

The Hartford credits interest on your money compounded daily and credited to you on the last day of each month. Interest is earned on the funds in Safe Haven from the date your claim under the insurance policy is settled and the full amount payable to you has been distributed, in a single distribution, through the Safe Haven Program. Interest will be available for withdrawal on the day it has been credited.

The Hartford in its sole discretion, determines the credited interest rate. The interest rate is based, in part, upon the analysis of interest rates credited on similar short-term products. In determining the interest rate, we also factor in the impact of The Hartford's profitability, general economic trends, competitive factors and administrative expenses.

Your money in the Safe Haven Program is held in The Hartford's general account. The Hartford will earn investment income on Safe Haven assets. The difference between the investment income earned on the Safe Haven assets and the interest rate credited to our customers participating in the Safe Haven program will provide The Hartford with a profit and cover the expenses we incur.

#### C. Tax Reporting and Considerations

The interest earned on your account is considered taxable income. The Hartford is required by law to report the interest amount annually to you and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). If the interest earned in Safe Haven during the year is \$10.00 or more and you are a U.S. Person, a form 1099-INT will be mailed to you at the end of the year.

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If you are a Foreign Person, the interest amount is subject to different reporting requirements.

Choosing and keeping a retained asset account may have tax implications. Please consult with a tax advisor with any tax questions related to your account.

#### **D. Not FDIC Insured**

Your money in the Safe Haven Program is not held in a bank account and is not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; nor is it backed or guaranteed by any federal or state government agency. Your money is held in the general account of the applicable issuing company of The Hartford and your ability to withdraw your money is based on the claims paying ability of the issuing company as listed above.

In the event of insurer insolvency, your state's Insurance Guaranty Association provides some coverage of assets in the Safe Haven Program. Since coverage varies by state, we advise you to contact your state's guaranty association for information about coverage and limitations. You can find the link to their website at www.nolhga.com - the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations (phone: 703-481-5206).

#### E. Minimum Balance Requirement

If the balance of your proceeds drops below \$750, we will mail you a check for the balance of your funds, the accrued interest, and a closeout statement on the last day of the month. Certain accounts that are scheduled to receive future deposits are exempt from this requirement; please contact customer service with any questions.

#### F. Statements

Each quarter you will be mailed a statement showing withdrawals, interest credited, cleared drafts, current interest rate, and any other activity.

Interim monthly statements will only be provided upon request or when there are new transactions posted or credited to your proceeds other than earned interest.

# **G. Fraud Prevention & Your Responsibilities**

You should exercise reasonable care and promptness in examining your statement and notify customer service immediately if you question a particular transaction. Failure to report

any questionable transactions in a timely manner may result in loss of funds.

You should keep your Safe Haven draft book in a safe and secure location. In the event you lose possession of your Safe Haven draft book, you must notify customer service. Failure to report a lost or stolen draft book in a timely manner may result in loss of funds.

You are responsible to provide a valid W-9 form for name, signature and tax identification number verification. Failure to do so may impact transaction processing, security authentication and our mutual efforts to prevent fraud.

In the event of reasonably suspected or known fraud, The Hartford reserves the right to freeze funds in the account pending timely receipt of required documents, investigation and resolution. To the extent required by applicable state law, The Hartford is responsible for any unauthorized use of the Safe Haven account and will make you whole in the event of an unauthorized use, including among other events, payment made on a forged instrument.

#### **H. Cleared Drafts**

Cleared drafts will be retained by the Bank of New York Mellon and will not be returned to you. A copy of cleared drafts will be printed on your statement.

You may also obtain a copy of a cleared draft by contacting Customer Service.

#### I. Fees and Withdrawal Restrictions

The Safe Haven Program does not charge any fees against your account.

There are no restrictions for withdrawal frequency or minimum withdrawal amounts.

#### J. Deposits

You may not make deposits into Safe Haven. Only interest earned and insurance proceeds distributed to you may be deposited.

## K. Ending Participation in Safe Haven

You can choose from any of the three following options to terminate your participation with Safe Haven:

- Write a draft for the entire balance;
- Call Customer Service and request that your participation be terminated;

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• Write a letter asking that your participation be terminated and mail it to:

The Hartford Safe Haven Program P.O. Box 5005 Hartford, CT 06102

Please include your name, account number, address, signature, and a phone number on all correspondences.

#### L. Account Inactivity

We may be obligated to transfer (escheat) your money in the Safe Haven Program to your state if no activity occurs in the account within the time period specified by your state's unclaimed property laws. Safe Haven understands the importance of customer communication and will make reasonable and customary attempts to research and contact you seeking your response prior to any such transfer. It is important that you keep your name, address and contact information current.

Examples of account activity that indicate your desire to continue participation may include:

- Contacting customer service to update or confirm your contact information
- Viewing account activity and other information online at http://www.thehartford.com
- Calling our automated phone system 24/7 at 1-866-414-8181 for basic information
- Writing a draft to pay bills, make purchases, get cash, invest, et cetera.

As always, if you need assistance with any of these options then call customer service. We are here to serve you.

# M. Changes in Terms and Conditions; Acceptance

The Hartford reserves the right to change the terms and conditions of this Safe Haven program. You will be informed in your quarterly statement that changes have been made. Your continued usage of the services provided through Safe Haven constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions. In addition, The Hartford reserves the right to terminate your participation at any time.

#### N. Address Change

Please notify us of any change of address. Failure to provide new address information could cause a delay in your receipt of quarterly statements and year-end tax forms.

#### O. Assignments

Your Safe Haven is not transferable.

#### P. Beneficiary Designation

You can specify primary and contingent beneficiaries for your Safe Haven proceeds who will receive any remaining funds in the event of your death. We request that you provide us with beneficiary information prior to establishing your account. For each named beneficiary, we request their address, social security number, date of birth, phone number and percent distribution. You may easily obtain a beneficiary designation form at any time by contacting Customer Service. Your beneficiary designation will be effective only if you execute a beneficiary designation form and receive our letter of confirmation.

If you do not designate a beneficiary, The Hartford, upon notification of your death and receipt of a valid death certificate and required documents, will close your account and pay any remaining funds to your estate.

#### **Q.** Authorized Persons

You, the accountholder, are the only contact authorized to act on this account unless the appropriate legal authorization is established (e.g. power of attorney, guardianship, or conservatorship paperwork) and the required program documents are completed and returned. Program documents will be supplied upon your request and will require that you provide the proper identification information for any party being granted financial authorization, including their name, address, phone number, social security number, date of birth and signature. Upon receipt of legal and program documents, a review will be performed to determine authorization and you will be provided a confirmation of processing.

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#### **R. Payment Interruption**

In the event of insolvency of the issuing company, a lengthy delay is possible before you can get your money.

#### S. Customer Service

For additional information and answers to any questions, you can reach our Customer Care Center toll free at 1-800-918-2335. Or write us, including your name, account number, address, signature, and phone number, at:

The Hartford Safe Haven Program P.O. Box 5005 Hartford, CT 06102

For Private Express Mail Carriers:

The Hartford Safe Haven Program 1 Griffin Road North Windsor, CT 06095-1512

Automated services provide basic transactions 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by calling 1-866-414-8181. This toll free number is also located on your quarterly statement.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR STATE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.

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We recommend that you consult a financial advisor regarding investment options.



## The Safe Haven Program

# Beneficiary Designation Form

#### What is a beneficiary designation?

A beneficiary designation allows you, the accountholder, to describe how you would like your assets in a specific account distributed upon your death without having to go through probate court, which can be a costly and time consuming process in some circumstances.

#### Safe Haven

#### Decide

Should you decide to name a beneficiary(ies) to your Safe Haven account, we've enclosed instructions and this form to accommodate your request.

Upon receiving and processing your request, confirmation will be mailed. It's important to maintain this confirmation letter for record keeping purposes.

#### Instructions for completing the form

Please complete sections A, B, and C of The Safe Haven Program Beneficiary Designation Form.

- If you have more than three beneficiaries, please attach a separate sheet of paper for the additional beneficiaries.
- The following information is requested for each named beneficiary: address, phone number, date of birth, Social Security number/tax identification number, and relationship. This information will assist us when distributing any remaining funds to your named beneficiary(ies).

- You must assign percentages and not dollar amounts for the portion you want the beneficiaries to receive. The percentages you assign for each beneficiary must be whole percentages (for example, 50%, 67%, etc). The total of all percentages added together must be 100%. If percentages are not assigned to your beneficiaries, we will assume that all beneficiaries who are living at the time of your death will receive equal shares of the remaining balance in your Safe Haven account.
- You may change your beneficiary designations at any time by mailing a written request to: The Hartford, Safe Haven Program, P.O. Box 5005, Hartford, CT 06102.
- Estate executors and administrators, trustees, corporations and partnerships may not designate a beneficiary.
- Legal guardians and power of attorney designations may do so only if permitted by law. See special handling in Section C requiring legal documents.
- The Hartford strongly encourages account holders to avoid designating minors as beneficiary(ies), due to the fact that in many jurisdictions minors cannot access beneficiary funds until they reach the age of majority or may require a court appointed guardian to access funds before reaching the age of majority.

For any questions regarding Safe Haven or designating a beneficiary for your Safe Haven account call 1-888-801-3873.

afe Haven Accountholder Name	SSN or T	IN	Date of Birth		
Best Phone Number for Contact		Best time	e to call	Email Address	
Gection B - Beneficiary Informa Please complete the requested field named beneficiary(ies).		will assist us v	vhen distributing	any remaining funds to y	/our
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Address	City	State	Zip	Best Phone	
Name for Contingent (Secondary) Beneficiary	Date of Birth	SSN/TIN	'	Relationship	
Address	City	State	Zip	Best Phone	
Name for Primary Beneficiary 2	Date of Birth	SSN/TIN		Relationship	<b>-</b> %
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Name for Contingent (Secondary) Beneficiary	Date of Birth	SSN/TIN		Relationship	
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Name for Contingent (Secondary) Beneficiary	Date of Birth	SSN/TIN		Relationship	Note:
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If a legal guardian (for example, Power of Attorney) is signing on behalf of the accountholder, a copy of the legal agreement must be enclosed. You may be contacted for additional information.

Safe Haven Accountholder Signature	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)



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