

Please send the completed form and all attachments to:

**The Prudential Insurance Company of America**  
**Group Life Claim Division**  
**P.O. Box 8517**  
**Philadelphia, PA 19176**  
**Tel: 800-524-0542 Fax: 888-227-6764**

**Group Life Insurance Beneficiary Statement – Minnesota**
**Deceased's Information**

	Employer's Name	Control Number
	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
	First Name	MI
	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
	Last Name	
	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	
	Social Security Number	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>
		Date of Death (MM DD YYYY)
		<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>

**How to complete and submit a Beneficiary Claim Form**
**1. Complete and sign the Beneficiary Statement form and attach this page to the Beneficiary Statement form.**

If the beneficiary is an estate, a minor or not competent to handle financial affairs, the Beneficiary Statement form should be completed by the appropriate legal representative (executor, administrator, or guardian). If no legal representative has been or will be court-appointed, the person who assumed responsibility for the estate or beneficiary should complete this Beneficiary Statement form.

**2. Return the Beneficiary Statement form with the required documents noted below to:**

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 Philadelphia, PA 19176

**Documents to submit to Prudential**

Submit the Beneficiary Statement form, and the following attachments:

1. A certified copy of the death certificate.
2. Legal documentation of the beneficiary for the following situations:
  - A. An estate, minor, or not competent to handle financial affairs: attach a certified copy of the court order appointing the legal representative.
  - B. A trust: attach a letter verifying that the trust is still in effect. If the trust is a testamentary, attach a certified copy of the will and a certified copy of the testamentary.
  - C. No longer living: attach a copy of the beneficiary's death certificate.
3. If an Accidental Death claim is being filed, attach supporting information, such as a police report or newspaper clippings.





### Beneficiary Statement

Each beneficiary should complete Sections 1, 2, 3, and 5. If Accidental Death or Business Travel Accident benefits are being claimed, Section 4 should also be completed.

#### 1 Deceased's Information

First Name  MI  Last Name

Social Security Number

#### 2 Beneficiary's Information

First Name  MI  Last Name

Street  Suite

City  State  ZIP Code

Telephone Number  Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)

#### 3 Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Prudential requires your Taxpayer Identification Number. The Taxpayer Identification Number is either the Social Security Number or the Employer Identification Number. If you:

- are an individual, your Taxpayer Identification Number is the Social Security Number.
- represent a trust or estate, the Taxpayer Identification Number is its Employer Identification Number.
- represent a minor, please provide the minor's Social Security Number.
- are applying for a Taxpayer Identification Number, please write "applied for" in the space provided.

#### TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER/FORM W9 CERTIFICATION:

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that (cross out any item that is not true):

1. The number shown on the application is my correct Social Security/Tax ID number,
2. I am not subject to backup withholding due to failure to report interest or dividend income,
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien), and
4. I am not subject to FATCA reporting

If you crossed out item 3 above, please indicate country of citizenship

and attach applicable IRS Form W-8 (BEN, BEN-E, EXP, ECI, IMY).

Social Security Number or Taxpayer Identification Number of beneficiary

Date (MM DD YYYY)

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature



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**Beneficiary Statement** If filing for an Accidental Death or Business Travel Accident claim, please complete Section 4 below.

**4 Authorization for Release of Information to The Prudential Insurance Company of America**

Name of Insured:

First Name

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MI

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Last Name

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Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)

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This Authorization is intended to comply with the HIPAA Privacy Rule.

I authorize any health plan, physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, laboratory, pharmacy, medical facility, or other health care provider that has provided treatment, payment, or services pertaining to:

First Name

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MI

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Last Name

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Print Name of Deceased or Patient

or on my (his/her) behalf ("My Providers") to disclose my (his/her) entire medical record for me or my dependents and any other health information concerning me (him/her) to The Prudential Insurance Company of America (Prudential) and its agents, employees, and representatives. This includes information on the diagnosis or treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This also includes information on the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs, and tobacco, but excludes psychotherapy notes.

I authorize all non-health organizations, any insurance company, employer, or other person or institutions to provide any information, data, or records relating to credit, financial, earnings, travel, activities, or employment history to Prudential.

By my signature below, I acknowledge that any agreements I (he/she) have made to restrict my (his/her) protected health information do not apply to this authorization and I instruct My Providers to release and disclose my (his/her) entire medical record without restriction.

This information is to be disclosed under this Authorization so that Prudential may: 1) administer claims and determine or fulfill responsibility for coverage and provision of benefits; 2) obtain reinsurance; 3) administer coverage; and 4) conduct other legally permissible activities that relate to any coverage I (he/she) have (has) or have (has) applied for with Prudential.

This authorization shall remain in force for 24 months following the date of my signature below, while the coverage is in force, except to the extent that state law imposes a shorter duration. A copy of this authorization is as valid as the original. I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization in writing, at any time, by sending a written request for revocation to Prudential at: P.O. Box 8517, Philadelphia, PA 19176. I understand that a revocation is not effective to the extent that any of My Providers has relied on this Authorization or to the extent that Prudential has a legal right to contest a claim under an insurance policy or to contest the policy itself. I understand that any information that is disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be redisclosed and no longer covered by federal rules governing privacy and confidentiality of health information.

I understand that if I refuse to sign this authorization to release my (his/her) complete medical record, Prudential may not be able to process my claim for benefits and may not be able to make any benefit payments. I understand that I have the right to request and receive a copy of this authorization.

Date (MM DD YYYY)

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X

Signature of Insured/Patient or Personal Representative

Description of Personal Representative's Authority or Relationship to Patient





Grid for Social Security Number

5 Life Insurance Payment Options

We understand that this may be an emotionally challenging time in life and making financial decisions can seem overwhelming. Prudential has a range of settlement and payment options from which Prudential has a range of settlement and payment options from which to choose. Information on all settlement and payment options is provided in Sections 5 and 6 of this form. Eligible life claim benefits will be paid by the way of lump sum check unless you select an alternative payment or settlement option below.

Check the appropriate box below:

- I choose: [ ] Single lump sum check [ ] Alliance Account® settlement option [ ] Other (please specify)

One of the settlement options is Prudential's Alliance Account; an interest-bearing account in your name, where your money will be safe and secure until you're ready to make decisions about how to use the funds.

How The Alliance Account Works



What You Need to Know

The Alliance Account can give you peace of mind and provide you with the precious gift of time, so you can focus on what matters most now and make decisions regarding your settlement when you're ready.

Table with 2 columns: Feature and Description. Features include: Access your funds at any time, No account or usage fees, and Your money is secure.





## 5 What You Need to Know (Continued)

<p><b>Take the time you need to make a decision.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Leave your money in the account for as long as you wish, access any or all of it, or transfer funds to an alternate settlement option at any time and at no cost. If the balance falls below \$250, you will receive a check for the remaining balance plus interest at the end of the monthly cycle in which the balance fell below \$250.</li> <li>▪ Unlike other options, the account gives you immediate access to the funds while keeping all alternate options available for you to consider when you are ready.</li> <li>▪ You should consult with a tax, investment or other financial advisor for tax information or other available investment options; we cannot provide tax advice.</li> </ul>
<p><b>One Account for all Settlements.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ If you are the beneficiary on more than one life insurance policy or annuity contract, the proceeds will be paid into one Alliance Account.</li> <li>▪ If you already have an Alliance Account, proceeds from this claim will be placed into that account and the transaction confirmation will appear on your next statement.</li> <li>▪ The Alliance Account is a separate arrangement between you and Prudential.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Get the answers you need, when you need them.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ You can speak directly with a dedicated customer service representative between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Eastern time, Monday through Friday.</li> <li>▪ Or, call our automated voice-response system 24 hours a day to check your account balance, request additional drafts and more.</li> <li>▪ Call toll free at 877-255-4262 or write to Prudential Alliance Account at P.O. BOX 41582, Philadelphia, PA 19176.</li> </ul>

### Additional Important Information

**Interest on Your Funds:** The funds in an Alliance Account begin earning interest immediately and will continue to earn interest until all funds are withdrawn. Interest is accrued daily, compounded daily, and credited every month. The interest earned on your account may be taxable. The interest rate credited to your Alliance Account is adjusted by Prudential at its discretion based on variable economic factors (including, but not limited to, prevailing market rates for short-term demand deposit accounts, bank money market rates and Federal Reserve Interest rates) and may be more or less than the rate Prudential earns on the funds in the account.

The current interest rate for Prudential's Alliance Account is 0.50%, subject to a current minimum of 0.25%. The current interest rate may change and will vary over time and may be more, but not less than any applicable minimum rate. The minimum rate will not change more than once every 90 days. You will be mailed statements at least quarterly and as frequent as monthly depending on activity in the Account. You will be advised in advance of any change to the minimum interest rate via your quarterly Alliance Account statement or by calling Customer Support.

**Your Funds Are Secure:** All funds are held within Prudential's general account. It is not FDIC insured because it is not a bank account or a bank product. Funds held in the Alliance Account are guaranteed by State Guaranty Associations. Please contact the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations ([www.nolhga.com](http://www.nolhga.com)) to learn more about coverage or limitations on your account. State Guaranty Fund coverages are not determined by Prudential. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT YOUR STATE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE.





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**Beneficiary Designation:** If you've elected any settlement option other than a lump sum check payment, please complete the Beneficiary Designation section below. If there is a balance remaining on your settlement at the time of your death, it will be paid, as you indicate below, to either your estate or the beneficiary(ies) you designate.

**Check one:**  **Pay the beneficiary(ies) listed below.**  
 **Pay my estate. If choosing to pay my estate, no other beneficiary can be selected.**

If you do not designate any beneficiaries, or if all beneficiaries predecease you, any balance remaining will be paid to your estate. NOTE: If the Alliance Account is owned by a Trust or Estate, a beneficiary cannot be named for the account. Successor Trustees must be named in the Trust Agreement. Estates must have proof of legal successorship.

To add additional beneficiaries, please add a separate sheet.

### PRIMARY BENEFICIARY

First Name	Last Name	Social Security Number	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Residence: Street	Apt.	Telephone Number	Percentage
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
City	State	ZIP Code	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**SECONDARY BENEFICIARY:** Death benefits will be paid to the secondary beneficiary(ies) if the primary beneficiary(ies) is not alive. Use a separate sheet if you want to name additional secondary beneficiary(ies).

First Name	Last Name	Social Security Number	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Residence: Street	Apt.	Telephone Number	Percentage
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
City	State	ZIP Code	Date of Birth (MM DD YYYY)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

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

**NEW YORK RESIDENTS** — 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.

I have read and understand the terms and requirements of the fraud warnings included as part of this form.

<b>SIGN HERE</b> → Signature _____	<b>Date (MM DD YYYY)</b>
	<input type="text"/>





## 6 Understanding Your Options

State law requires that if there is no account activity and we have had no contact with you regarding your Alliance Account after a number of years (which time period varies by state), your Alliance Account may be considered dormant. If your Alliance Account becomes dormant, you will be mailed a check for the remaining balance plus interest, at your last address shown on our records. If you do not timely cash that check, your funds will be transferred to the state as unclaimed property. If your funds are transferred to the state, you may claim those funds from the state but you may be charged a fee by the state. Once your funds are transferred to the state, we no longer have any liability or responsibility with respect to your Alliance Account.

There are fees for special services, which are subject to change, and include:

- Stop Payment Fee – \$12 each; \$25 maximum for 3 or more per day
- Statement Copy Fee – \$2 per statement
- Draft Copy Fee – \$2 per draft
- Insufficient Funds Draft Fee – \$10 per draft
- Overnight Delivery – Variable fee schedule

You may choose one of the following settlement or payment options as an alternative to the Alliance Account:

- Payments for a Fixed Period: The Death Benefit plus interest may be paid over a fixed number of years (1 to 25) either monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually.
- Payments in Installments for Life: The Death Benefit may provide monthly payments in installments for as long as you live.
- Payment of a Fixed Amount: You may choose a payment of a stated amount either monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually.

Under each of the previously-mentioned alternative options, each payment must generally be at least \$20.

- Interest Income: All or part of the proceeds may be left with Prudential to earn interest, which can be paid annually, semi-annually, quarterly, or monthly. The minimum deposit is \$1,000. This option allows you to choose another settlement option at a later time. Withdrawals of \$100 or more (including the entire balance) can be made at any time.
- Lump Sum: Receive the full death benefit in a single lump sum check. Before electing this payment option, you may want to consider the Alliance Account option, which also provides you with a single lump sum settlement and allows you to:
  - Begin earning interest immediately. Choosing a lump sum check means you will not begin earning interest until the check has been received and deposited into an interest-bearing account.
  - Access the funds for urgent expenses while reviewing long-term options including writing a draft for the full balance or electing another settlement option.
  - Maintain some of the tax benefits of the original policy. Specifically, you can name your own beneficiary to receive any remaining balance at your death as insurance proceeds, which are generally income tax-free.

The tax treatment of the Death Benefit may be different depending on the settlement option you choose. Please consult your tax advisor for advice. Should you have any questions about these settlement options, please contact Prudential at 800-524-0542.





**6** The Bank of New York Mellon is the Administrator of the Prudential Alliance Account Settlement Option, a contractual obligation of The Prudential Insurance Company of America, located at 751 Broad Street, Newark, NJ 07102-3777. Draft clearing and processing support is provided by The Bank of New York Mellon. **Alliance Account balances are not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).** The Bank of New York Mellon is not a Prudential Financial company.

**For residents of all states and jurisdictions except Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, the District of Columbia, Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, and Washington;**

**WARNING:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company or other person, or knowing that he is facilitating commission of a fraud, submits incomplete, false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading facts or information when filing an insurance application or a statement of claim for payment of a loss or benefit commits a fraudulent insurance act, is/may be guilty of a crime and may be prosecuted and punished under state law. Penalties may include fines, civil damages and criminal penalties, including confinement in prison. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant or if the applicant conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto.

**ALABAMA RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to restitution fines or confinement in prison, or any combination thereof.

**ARIZONA RESIDENTS** — For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement 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.

**ARKANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, LOUISIANA and RHODE ISLAND RESIDENTS** — 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.

**CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS** — For your protection, California law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a 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.

**KENTUCKY RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a 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.

**MAINE and WASHINGTON RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company commits a crime. Penalties include imprisonment, fines, and denial of insurance benefits.

**MARYLAND RESIDENTS** — 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.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE RESIDENTS** — Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20.







**NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

**PENNSYLVANIA and UTAH RESIDENTS** — 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 material fact thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

**PUERTO RICO RESIDENTS** — 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.

**VERMONT RESIDENTS** — Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or knowingly makes a false statement in an application for insurance may be guilty of a criminal offense under state law.

**VIRGINIA RESIDENTS** — Any person who, with the intent to defraud or knowing that he/she is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement may have violated the law.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**COLORADO RESIDENTS** — Funds held by insurance companies are guaranteed by the Colorado Life and Health Insurance Protection Association, but are not guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). Please contact the Colorado Life and Health Insurance Protection Association, the National Organization of Life and Health Guaranty Associations, or the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations ([www.nolhga.com](http://www.nolhga.com)) to learn more about the coverage limitations to your account.

**ILLINOIS RESIDENTS** — Payment on accidental death and dismemberment claims made after 31 days from the day we receive proof of accidental death or dismemberment of the insured, under the policies issued in Illinois, will include interest at the rate of 10% per year. The interest will be payable from the date of accidental death or dismemberment to the date of payment.

**LOUISIANA RESIDENTS** — The Louisiana Department of Insurance is located at 1702 N. 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802 and can be reached by calling 800-259-5300. Written inquiries can be sent to the Louisiana Department of Insurance, Post Office Box 94214, Baton Rouge, LA 70804.

<sup>1</sup> Alliance Account is not available for payments less than \$5,000, payments to individuals residing outside the United States and its territories, and certain other payments. These generally will be paid by check.

<sup>2</sup> Alliance Account drafts are considered checks under federal law for certain purposes.

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