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# Guardian Global Citizen Program

### How to write business through the Global Citizens Program

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** As a reminder, all sales activity, solicitation, and negotiation must take place while you and the client are physically in the United States. This includes pre-application communications through policy delivery.

#### **Pre-application**

- 1. Call the BRC Case Concierge for information on program parameters and for initial case consultation.
  - The Case Concierge and the BRC will provide the full range of BRC services, including case consultation and case design support.
  - The Case Concierge will facilitate US trust review, if requested/needed.
- 2. Alert the Case Concierge when you are ready to meet with the client and take an application.
  - Reminder: All solicitation must take place in the US, including the application and policy delivery.
  - The Case Concierge will alert New Business and Underwriting, providing your name, your client's name, and any additional available information so the case can be coded properly.



#### **Application**

You may take the application on paper.

- 1. Consult the Underwriting Checklist to be sure you have, or have access to, all the information you need to collect.
- 2. Complete the application with the client. Be sure to obtain the client's signature.
  - You may put the trust's TIN in the space in lieu of a Social Security Number.
  - Complete and sign Form 23-FNDA; have client read and sign the 23-FNDA as well.
  - Complete and sign the Foreign Travel and Residence Supplement (it is state-specific).
  - Complete and sign the Producer Certification form.
  - Select BRC on question 1 of the producer certification.
  - Indicate in the Producer remarks section (Section C) that this is a Global Citizens case.
  - Give the app to your agency's new business team. They will upload the app into the system and send a scanned copy to the Home Office.
- 3. If you have any questions about the status of the application or need any help with the process, contact the Case Concierge at **800 871 7780**, option 3, then option 5.

#### Underwriting

- Underwriting will order age/amount requirements and request additional information from your agency's new business team as needed. (All Global Citizens cases are fully underwritten.)
- If an Attending Physician's Statement (APS) is needed, Underwriting will request it from your agency's new business team, and provide the contact information of a vendor specializing in international APSs/medical records.
- If the APS comes back in a foreign language, your agency's new business team must obtain a quote for translation using one of the vendors on our vendor list (which will be provided to them). The quote should be emailed to <a href="mailto:guardian\_uw\_vmo@glic.com">guardian\_uw\_vmo@glic.com</a> for fee approval prior to translation. Once the quote is approved, you can submit the records for translation.
  - Your agency will be reimbursed for the cost of translation. Contact guardian\_uw\_vmo@glic.com for reimbursement criteria, requirements, and requests.
- If you have any questions about the status of the application or need any help with the process, contact the Case Concierge at **800 871 7780**, option 3, then option 5.

#### **Policy issue**

- Underwriting will make an offer for the client and request issue instructions from you.
  - You must provide a final illustration within the Underwriting offer parameters.
- New Business will issue the policy according to your final illustration and note any delivery requirements.
  - The policy will be sent to the agency dashboard on Guardian Online (GOL).
- You may choose whether to send the policy for ePayment/eDelivery, or to print the policy for delivery.
  - If you send the policy for ePayment/edelivery, your client will receive the appropriate links to take delivery and put the policy in force. They must complete this while in the US.
  - If you opt for paper delivery, you must send payment and signature requirements back to New Business, who will put the policy in force.
- The client must be in the US when taking delivery of the policy.

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