Financial Guidelines

At Global Atlantic we recognize that each sale is unique. Our Financial Guidelines are designed to assist you with your client discussions when determining the right amount of coverage to meet their needs. A cover letter detailing the need and purpose for the coverage is encouraged, especially when additional circumstances need to be taken into account.

Premium Limits

All policies must meet premium limitations that may currently apply to certain products, riders or single premiums.

Personal Insurance

To help ensure affordability, annual planned premium should be within the follow percentages compared to income with review of source of income.

- Less than \$75,000 Up to 15%
- Amount between \$75,000 -\$200,000 Up to 25%
- Greater than \$200,000 Up To 30%

Individuals age 70+, maximum income to premium should not exceed 15% for net worth < \$1,000,000

Important: Note that the percentage tests represent maximum limits on planned premiums we will consider for a given case. The determination of an appropriate planned premium for a given policy and the applicant-policy owner involves a variety of factors: the stated needs and objectives of the applicant, the applicant's current income and net worth, the source of funds used to pay premiums, current expenditures for other life insurance policies already in force, etc. See the Life Insurance Suitability & Best Practices Guide for more details.

Financial Guidelines (cont.)

Maximum Face Amount Calculations

		Age	Income Factor
Income Replacement		Under 40	30
		40-49	25
		50-59	15
		60-65	10
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Replacement		50-59	15		management is dependent upon	
		60-65	10	the proposed insured	the proposed insured	
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Estate Liquidity	Based on 55% of Projected New Worth using 6% growth rate. Up to 75 % of life expectancy to a maximum of 25 years. Estate growth projections may not be justified in all situations.					
Personal Creditor/ Debt Protection	Up to 75% of outstanding loan balance				Subject to review of amount, purpose and duration of loan Must be 5+ year contractual agreement	
Juvenile Coverage	Coverage consideration will be up to 50% of the largest amount of coverage on either parent or guardian's life up to a maximum of \$500,000				Amounts over \$500,000 will be given individual consideration and would include evaluating the financial circumstances for the family such as life insurance coverage on the parents and siblings and family income and net worth	
Dependent Spouse	Coverage consideration will be up to 100% of insurance in force on the employed spouse, to a maximum of \$5,000,000, subject to overall family financial circumstances, family income and net worth, and amount of coverage in force on the employed spouse.					
Charitable Giving	Average of most recent 3 years of gifts to the charity X lesser of 10 years or remaining life expectancy • Asset replacement sales and charitable trust scenarios may be evaluated on a case by case basis					

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Business Coverage

Financial Questionnaire will be required on all business-related cases greater than \$1 million in coverage.

Key Person	Up to 10X annual compensation	 Non-recurring compensation may be excluded and/ or an ongoing average compensation may be used 			
Buy/Sell & Stock Redemption	% of ownership X value of the company	 Valuation of the company should generally be between 5 – 15X net earnings depending on the industry For Buy-Sell coverage, all partners must be insured for their share of ownership 			
Deferred Compensation	Reasonable formula tied to overall compensation plan and promised benefits				
Business Creditor/Debt Protection	Up to 75% of outstanding loan balance	 Business should be the owner of the policy Subject to review of amount, purpose and duration of loan Line of credit or short term loans are generally not considered 			

- Premium Finance cases will be subject to standard financial underwriting review as well as review and approval by Advanced Markets based on separate Premium Financing Guidelines.
- No STOLI, Non-Recourse or Hybrid premium financing plans.

Trust Review

Copy of a Trust Agreement will be required on cases with face amounts greater than \$10 million for ages up to age 70 and for amounts greater than \$5 million for ages 71+.

Financials

We will attempt to verify income and net worth through the use of the insurance application financial questionnaire, inspection report and/or online sources. If unable to obtain verification, we may request third-party financials such as audited financial statements, two years of tax returns, compiled financial statements or summary net worth statement signed by CPA or estate planning attorney with knowledge of insured's finances, and supporting explanation of estate planning.