ING Life Companies' Fully Underwritten Life Insurance



# **Underwriting Requirements Guide**

December 2013

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### **Underwriting Information**

#### **Underwriting Age**

Underwriting requirements are based on the proposed insured's age at nearest birthday.

#### **Underwriting Risk Amount**

Underwriting risk amount is based on highest target death benefit to age 100. The amount being underwritten includes insurance placed in-force and applied for with the ING life companies (ING) within the past year.

#### **Requirements Notes**

Please contact your underwriter with specific questions regarding underwriting requirements, health history, or financial underwriting. Significant health history may necessitate additional requirements. ING reserves the right to request additional information as deemed necessary.

MD exams, Paramedical exams, and lab tests (blood, HOS) are valid for a maximum of 12 months through age 70, for a maximum of 6 months for ages 71-80, and for a maximum of 3 months for age 81 up. The Age 71+ Questionnaire is valid for 6 months for ages 71-80, and 3 months for age 81 up. Electrocardiograms (EKG's) and Treadmills (TM's) are valid for a maximum of 12 months from completion date. Depending on case circumstances, ING Underwriting may request updated medical requirements, APS information, or Additional Statements to Application on delivery sooner than the above maximums.

#### Tobacco Use Definitions\*

#### **Super Preferred No Tobacco (SPNT)**

No tobacco or nicotine products in any form within the past five years.

#### Preferred No Tobacco (PNT)

No tobacco or nicotine products in any form within the past three years.

\*Check product specifications for class availability

#### Select No Tobacco (SLNT)

No tobacco or nicotine products in any form within the past two years.

#### Standard No Tobacco (SNT)

No tobacco or nicotine products in any form within the past one year.

#### Preferred Tobacco (PT)

A user of tobacco (less than two packs of cigarettes per day) or nicotine within the past three years who otherwise qualifies for Preferred Rates.

#### Standard Tobacco (ST)

A tobacco or nicotine user who otherwise qualifies for Standard Rates.

Celebratory Cigar/Pipe Practice: The occasional use of a cigar/pipe (1 time per week or less) may be disregarded if the cigar/pipe use is fully admitted on the application and the urine specimen is negative for cotinine/nicotine.

### **Approved Underwriting Vendors**

#### **Paramedical Services**

- American Para Professional Systems, Inc (APPS) (preferred vendor) – www.appslive.com or 800-727-2101
- ExamOne www.examone.com or 800-768-2056 csg.1@examone.com
- Examination Management Services, Inc. (EMSI) www.emsinet.com or 800-872-3674
- Portamedic/Hooper Holmes 888-442-7571 Elite Services eportamedic.com
- Superior Mobile Medics (SMM) www.superiormobilemedics.com or 800-898-3926

#### **Puerto Rico paramedical services**

 American Para Professional Systems, Inc (APPS) – 787-722-6002

#### International paramedical services

 ExamOne (ING pre-approval needed) – 800-873-8845 x1943
 Outside US: 913-577-1943 internationalservices@examone.com csg.international@examone.com

#### Lab

• Clinical Reference Laboratory (CRL)

#### **Inspection Reports**

- ExamOne www.examone.com or 800-768-2056 csg.1@examone.com
- Examination Management Services, Inc. (EMSI) www.emsinet.com or 800-872-3674

#### **Attending Physician's Statements**

- Examination Management Services, Inc. (EMSI) www.emsinet.com or 800-872-3674
- releasePoint www.releasepoint.com or sales@releasepoint.com or 800-999-9589 x312
- ExamOne www.examone.com or 800-768-2056 csg.1@examone.com

ING encourages the use of our approved vendors. If a non-approved vendor is used, the agency/agent will be responsible to pay the vendor directly and submit to ING for reimbursement once a formal application is submitted. Agent reimbursements will be allowed up to our ING contracted rates and any expense exceeding these rates will be the responsibility of the agency/agent. ING agent reimbursement audit guidelines must be met to qualify and can be found on the ING Professionals website (ING Pro) under the Life Insurance/New Business/Underwriting tab.

Please contact the Vendor Management team for details at vendormanagement@us.ing.com.

### ING Life Insurance Underwriting December 2013 Requirements for UL, VUL, and Term Products

	Age of Applicant*					
Risk Amount	16 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 70	71 - 80	81 - 85
0 - \$49,999	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Urine HIV	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Urine HIV	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Urine HIV	Paramed Blood/HOS	Paramed Blood/HOS Age 71+Q	Paramed Blood/HOS Age 71+Q
\$50,000 - 99,999	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Medical questions on app completed by agent Physical measurements by Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR Age 71+Q	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR Age 71+Q
\$100,000-500,000	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q
\$500,001-1,000,000	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q
\$1,000,001- 3,000,000	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR EKG Age 71+Q
\$3,000,001- 5,000,000	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth
\$5,000,001- 10,000,000	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth	Paramed Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth
\$10,000,001 and up	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR EKG IRS Auth	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR EKG IRS Auth	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR TM IRS Auth	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR TM IRS Auth	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth	MD Exam Blood/HOS MVR PersFinQ IR EKG Age 71+Q IRS Auth

See page 5 for financial documentation requirements. Home office underwriting may also obtain routine ID verifications.

### Age and Amount APS Ordering Guidelines

Ages 16-60 No routine Age and Amount APS ordering; underwriters may order APS's based on

medical history or case circumstances

Ages 61-70

For routine consultations and examinations (excluding employment, school or insurance physicals, routine normal OB/GYN related exams, and routine care for cold, flu, allergies, and minor accidental injuries)

Risk Amount All amounts \$500,001-\$1,000,000 \$1,000,001+

If physician was consulted Within past 1 year Within past 2 years Within past 3 years

Ages 71+

All amounts. APS from personal physician always required

**APS** - Attending Physician's Statement

**Blood/HOS** - Blood chemistry profile & urinalysis

**EKG** - Electrocardiogram IR - Inspection Report

**PersFinQ** - Underwriting Personal Financial Questionnaire

MD Exam - Exam by a physician

**MVR** - Motor Vehicle Report Paramed - Paramedical exam TM - Treadmill (stress) EKG

Age 71+Q - Questionnaire for Proposed Insureds age 71 and up - completed by examiner

IRS Auth - 4506T-EZ authorization

#### **Survivorship Guidelines**

- Regular underwriting guidelines for full risk amount on each person
- Treadmill EKG required at ages 51-70 at \$20,000,001 risk amount and higher for non-tobacco users and at \$10,000,001 risk amount and higher for tobacco users

\*Ages 0-15 0-\$250,000

\$250,001+

Ages 86+ All Amounts

Medical questions on app completed by agent

Individual consideration - contact Underwriting for requirements Individual consideration - contact Underwriting for requirements

## **Preferred Classes Criteria for all Products Ages 16-60**

Category	Super P	referred No Tobacco	Prefe	erred No Tobacco	Sele	ect No Tobacco
No Tobacco (Minimum duration)	No use of toba form within th	acco or nicotine products in any e past 5 years	No use of toba	acco or nicotine products in any e past 3 years	No use of toba form within the	cco or nicotine products in any e past 2 years
<b>Build</b> (See BMI/height & weight charts)	BMI 18-29		BMI 18-31		BMI 18-33	
<b>Blood Pressure</b> No current or prior blood pressure in excess of:	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li><li>No history of t</li></ul>	135/90 135/85 creatment for hypertension		140/90 135/90 ontrolled hypertensives with evels exceeding the above limit ered		145/95 140/95 ontrolled hypertensives with evels exceeding the above limit ered
Maximum Cholesterol (treated or untreated)	300		300		300	
Maximum HDL	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	75 90	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	75 90	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	75 90
Maximum Cholesterol /HDL Ratio	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	5.0 4.5	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	5.5 5.2	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	6.0 6.0
MVR		No DWI/DUI or reckless driving	g in the past 5 ye	ears and no more than 2 moving	violations within t	he past 3 years
Personal Medical History		Standard medical ri	isk; no history in p	ast 30 years of cancer (other than	basal cell skin can	cer)
Alcohol/ Drug	No history of o	drug or alcohol abuse in past	No history of d 10 years	lrug or alcohol abuse in past	No ratable hist	ory of drug or alcohol abuse
Family History (If proposed insured < age 60)	No cardiovasc age 65	ular deaths in parents prior to	No cardiovascu age 60	ular deaths in parents prior to	No more than parents prior to	one cardiovascular death in o age 60

**Aviation or Hazardous Avocation/Occupation**  Aviation available - may have Aviation Exclusion Rider (AER); no ratable hazardous avocation or occupation

	PREFERRED CLAS	SSES - WEIGHT RANG	ES Ages 16- <u>60</u>	
		r	MAXIMUM Weight	t
Height	MINIMUM Weight	Super Preferred	Preferred	Select
4'8"	80	129	138	147
4'9"	83	134	143	153
4'10"	86	139	148	158
4'11"	89	144	154	163
5'0"	92	149	159	169
5'1"	95	153	164	175
5'2"	98	159	170	180
5'3"	102	164	175	186
5'4"	105	169	181	192
5'5"	108	174	186	198
5'6"	112	180	192	204
5'7"	115	185	198	211
5'8"	118	191	204	217
5'9"	122	196	210	223
5'10"	125	202	216	230
5'11"	129	208	222	237
6'0"	133	214	229	243
6'1"	136	220	235	250
6'2"	140	226	241	257
6'3"	144	232	248	264
6'4"	148	238	255	271
6'5"	152	245	261	278
6'6"	156	251	268	286
6'7"	160	257	275	293
BMI	18	29	31	33

BMI=Body Mass Index, calculated as (weight in pounds divided by height in inches<sup>2</sup>) x 703.

Example: BMI for weight 200 lbs and height  $6'1'' (73'') = (200/5389) \times 703 = 26.1$ 

Minimum weight applies for Super Preferred, Preferred and Select classes.

BMI (height/weight) criteria apply to both males and females.

## **Preferred Classes Criteria for all Products Ages 61+**

Category		Super Preferred No Tobacco able at ages 61-80 only)		Preferred No Tobacco		Select No Tobacco	
No Tobacco (Minimum duration)		pacco or nicotine products in any the past 5 years		acco or nicotine products in any ne past 3 years		acco or nicotine products in any ne past 2 years	
<b>Build</b> (See BMI/height & weight charts)		or age 71+, weight must be stable for at least the past 2 year ecords.		r age 71+, weight must be stable for at least the past 2 years cords.	BMI 18-37		
<b>Blood Pressure</b>	Average of past 2 years' blood pressure readings not in excess of 140/95 plus no pulse pressure greater than 70		readings not i	Average of past 2 years' blood pressure readings not in excess of 145/100 plus no pulse pressure greater than 75		Average of past 2 years' blood pressure readings not in excess of 145/100	
<b>BP Treatment</b>		For treated and con	trolled hypertensiv	ves, pre-treatment BP's may be elin	ninated from ave	eraging.	
Maximum Cholesterol (treated or untreated)	300		300		300		
Maximum Cholesterol /HDL Ratio	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	6.0 5.5	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	6.5 6.2	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	7.0 7.0	
Minimum Serum Albumin	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	4.0 3.9	<ul><li>Male</li><li>Female</li></ul>	3.8 3.7	N/A		
Minimum Adjusted GFR	60		55		N/A		
MVR/Driving History		Age 61-70 -See criteria for age 16-6	50. Age 71+ - No l	nistory of accidents, reckless driving,	or revocation of li	icense in past 10 years.	
Personal Medical History		Standard medical risk with no histor	ry of cancer in past	30 years (other than basal cell skin c	ancer, or certain	squamous cell cancers)	
Alcohol/Drug		No history of drug or alcohol abuse within the past 10 years.					
Aviation or Hazardous Avocation/Occupation		Aviation available at ages 61-75	i may have Aviatio	n Exclusion Rider (AER); no ratable	hazardous avoo	cation or occupation	

	PREFERRED C	LASSES - WEIGHT RANG	GES Ages 61+	
			MAXIMUM Weight	
Height	MINIMUM Weight	Super Preferred (max age 80)	Preferred	Select
4'8"	80	138	147	165
4'9"	83	143	153	171
4'10"	86	148	158	177
4'11"	89	154	163	183
5'0"	92	159	169	189
5'1"	95	164	175	196
5'2"	98	170	180	202
5'3"	102	175	186	209
5'4"	105	181	192	216
5'5"	108	186	198	222
5'6"	112	192	204	229
5'7"	115	198	211	236
5'8"	118	204	217	243
5'9"	122	210	223	251
5'10"	125	216	230	258
5'11"	129	222	237	265
6'0"	133	229	243	273
6'1"	136	235	250	280
6'2"	140	241	257	288
6'3"	144	248	264	296
6'4"	148	255	271	304
6'5"	152	261	278	312
6'6"	156	268	286	320
6'7"	160	275	293	328
ВМІ	18	31	33	37

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# FINANCIAL UNDERWRITING: Underwriting Documentation & Verification Requirements

Age	Underwriting Risk Amount				
	\$3,000,001- 5,000,000	\$5,000,001- 7,500,000	\$7,500,001- 10,000,000	\$10,000,001- 20,000,000	\$20,000,001 and up
Age 20-70: Personal insurance	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire		aire	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire, Third party verification of financial information	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire, Written third party verification of financial information, Copies of financial statements (or CPA compilation statement)
71-80: Personal Insurance	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire  Und Personal Financial Questionnaire, Written third party verification of financial information, Copies of financial statements (or CPA compilation statement)				
81-90: Personal Insurance	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire	Und Personal Financial Questionnaire, Written third party verification of financial information, Copies of financial statements (or CPA compilation statement)			
Age 20-70: Buy-sell/Stock redemption/ Key executive		Und Business Financial Questionnaire, IR with business bene report report, Copies of business financial			Und Business Financial Questionnaire, IR with business bene report, Copies of business financial statements, Written third party verification of financial information
Age 71 up - Buy-sell/Stock redemption/ Key executive	Consult your underwriter for requirements				
Acceptable Written Third Party Verification of Financials:	<ul> <li>Attorney signature with supporting documentation</li> <li>CPA verified and signed statement with supporting documentation</li> <li>Audited CPA statement</li> <li>Tax return</li> <li>Tax assessment or appraisal</li> </ul>				
Verification of Financials:  The above guideline	<ul> <li>CPA verified and signed</li> <li>es and requirements may b</li> </ul>	d statement with supporting do		dealer statement • Ta	x assessment or appraisal

## **ING Financial Underwriting Guidelines – August 2013**

Financial questions on the application and agent's report must be fully completed on all cases.

Purpose of Insurance	Formulas and Guidelines	Information Required				
	PERSONAL (See Documentation requirements on p. 5)					
Income replacement	Maximum coverage         Ages       Factor X earned Income         20-30       25-30         31-40       20-25         41-50       15-20         51-60       10-15         61-70       7-10         71 and over       Individual Consideration	Gross annual earned income How amount of insurance was determined Purpose of coverage Additional documentation see page 5.				
Creditor insurance (debt protection) – Personal	50-75% of outstanding loan balance	Amt, duration, purpose of loan; Collateral pledged; Repayment period — minimum 5 years				
Estate planning	Estate appreciation at reasonable interest rate 4-6% (range) X 20 year or remaining life expectancy (whichever is less) X 50% (estimate of average estate tax liability, as estate taxes vary over time) Higher or lower rates subject to individual consideration.	Personal balance sheet  Additional documentation see page 5.				
Juvenile coverage	Up to 50% of largest amount of insurance on either parent's (or guardian's) life; (In New York, issue age 0-4, up to 25% of the insurance on the parent's life.) Risk amounts \$1,000,000+ require Individual Consideration	All children in family should be insured for similar amounts. If not, an explanation is needed. Need and purpose of insurance (cover letter required on any apps over \$100,000).				
Charitable giving	Average of 3 year's history of gifts X lesser of 10 years or remaining li expectancy; Personal insurance needs must be fully met before charitable giving purchases are addressed.	To qualify for higher amounts, need multi year history of giving to the benefiting charity, documented by receipts or income tax returns				

Purpose of Insurance	Formulas and Guidelines	Information Required				
	BUSINESS (See Documentation requirements on p. 5)					
Key executive	Up to 10 times annual income	Verification of income; List of other key executives and their coverage				
Buy/sell & stock redemption plans	% of ownership X value of company (typically 5-15 X earnings, depending on the industry)	Details as to how the amount was determined; Corporate financial statements (income stmt and balance sheet); Percentage ownership in company; Details regarding buy/sell agreement; Market value of business				
<b>Deferred compensation</b>	Insurance amount is typically a formula multiple of deferrable income.	Deferred comp plan formula and description of insurance benefit				
Creditor (debt repayment) – Business	Up to 75% of outstanding loan balance — Business should be the owner of the policy	Amt, purpose, duration of loan; Business financial statements; Collateral pledged Repayment period — minimum 5 years				

#### **Notes**

For ATR (Adjustable Term Rider) or other increasing risk benefit pattern, need justification for total ultimate risk amount and increase pattern (if irregular).

If traditional premium financing is used as a payment method, full risk amount will be underwritten according to regular financial underwriting guidelines.

ING does not accept and will not approve **Non-Recourse or Hybrid Premium Financing, Investor-Owned- or Stranger-Owned-Life-Insurance (IOLI/SOLI)** applications or programs. A client's total n-force and applied-for life insurance coverage with all companies may be considered in establishing coverage amounts and underwriting information needs.

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