Retirement Service Solutions Claim Options (Annuitant Driven) Beneficiary's Guide

PAYMENT OPTIONS	BENEFICIARY TYPE AVAILABILITY	FORM NAME CA	ATALOG#
LUMP SUM Cash Payment to beneficiary	ALL ^A	□ Accumulator® Series Lump Sum Distribution completed by each beneficiary. □ IRS form W-9 ■ TRUST BENEFICIARY □ Certification of Trust Form	141457 158269
SUCCESSOR OWNER/ ANNUITANT ^B (SOA) Spouse takes over original contract	SPOUSE	□ Accumulator® Series Successor Owner/Annuitant (SOA) Option Form. This option is only available for IRA and NQ Contracts when the annuitant was also the owner or joint owner of the co IRS form W-9	132334 ntract.
SPOUSAL BENEFIT ROLLOVER/EXCHANGE (INTERNAL) Spouse rolls/exchanges claim proceeds into a new or existing contract	SPOUSE	 □ IRS form W-9 □ IRA - Traditional and Roth □ Accumulator® Series Spousal Rollover Acknowledgement Form This form is used if electing to roll over claim proceeds to the Surviving Spouse's existing contract or a new contract^c. Non-Qualified □ Equitable Spousal Exchange Acknowledgement for Non-Qualified Contracts Form This form is used if electing to exchange claim proceeds to the Surviving Spouse's existing contract or a new contract 	153875 t ^c .
SPOUSAL BENEFIT ROLLOVER (EXTERNAL) Spouse rolls claim proceeds to a new carrier	SPOUSE	□ Accumulator® Series Successor Owner/Annuitant (SOA) Option Form. □ IRS form W-9 □ Transfer form from receiving carrier or Equitable Variable Annuity Series Transfer/Exchange or Rollover form. (Transfer form must be completed and signed by beneficiary and authorized officer at receiving carrier) IRA – Traditional and Roth □ Accumulator® Series Lump Sum Distribution Non-Qualified □ Accumulator® Series Successor Owner/Annuitant (SOA) Option Form.	132334 200543 141457 132334
INHERITED ANNUITY/ INTERNAL BENEFICIARY CONTINUATION OPTION (BCO) Beneficiary elects Inherited Annuity (NQ or IRA) with Equitable	SPOUSE NON-SPOUSE CHILDREN ^A TRUST (IRAs Only)	Accumulator® Series Inherited Annuity Beneficiary Continuation Option (BCO) for NQ (if applicable). Accumulator® Series Inherited IRA Beneficiary Continuation Option BCO (if applicable). IRS form W-9 TRUST BENEFICIARY FOR IRAs (In addition to the requirements listed above): Accumulator® Series Beneficiary Continuation Option (BCO) Trustee Certification Sample Attorney's Letter (or similar letter on attorney's letterhead). Certification of Trust Form. (The oldest beneficiary will be the annuitant on the BCO contract).	130866 162148 162110 162110 158269
INHERITED ANNUITY/ EXTERNAL BENEFICIARY CONTINUATION OPTION (BCO) Beneficiary Transfers claim proceeds to a new carrier	ALL ^a	 □ Accumulator® Series Lump Sum Distribution completed by each beneficiary. □ IRS form W-9 □ IRA - Traditional and Roth □ Equitable "Variable Annuity Series Request Death Benefit Transfer to Successor IRA". □ Non-Qualified □ Equitable Request for Outbound Exchange of Death Benefit Value to an Inherited Non-Qualified (NQ) Contract 	141457 46493 or 146494 154779
SETTLEMENT OPTION ELECTION (ANNUITIZATION) Beneficiary annuitizes claim proceeds	SPOUSE ^A NON CHILDREN CHILDREN	□ Accumulator® Series Settlement Option Election for Annuity Benefits □ IRS form W-9	132333
VARIOUS PAYMENT OPTIONS – where the deceased was the Owner	ALL ^A	□ Accumulator® Series Claim Form for Death of Owner on Annuitant Driven Contracts. □ IRS form W-9	150563

*ALL FORMS MUST BE ORIGINAL INCLUDING ORIGINAL OR CERTIFIED COPIES OF DEATH CERTIFICATES**

Beginning January 1st, 2015 Equitable needs an IRS Form W-9 from each beneficiary on the contract. If you are not a "US Person" and are unable to complete an IRS Form W-9, please contact us for the specific document requirements at (800) 789-7771.

When electing your option you may want to discuss with your financial professional or CPA, in order to make your best informed decision.

A If the beneficiary is a minor, court appointed guardianship (or similar legal documents) may be required. If a trust is a beneficiary, we will require trust excerpts including title page of trust, all pages referencing initial and successor trustees, signature page, and any amendments.

B For custodial IRAs we require the SOA & Claim form signed by an authorized officer or branch manager of custodian. Please note back office approval may be required for some custodians.

C If electing to open a new contract, all New Business requirements & regulations must be followed, in addition to the above requirements. If moving funds to an existing Retirement Service Solutions contract, we will require an approved exception in addition to the above requirements.

D For Non-Qualified Contract Type: only available upon the death of the Owner or Owner was also the Annuitant. If elected, our Processing Office must receive this payment method within 9 months following the date of death of the Owner or Owner who was also the Annuitant. For IRA Contract Type: Beneficiary has until 9/30 of the year following the death of the original owner to elect this payment method.