

Boost your Real Estate E&O offerings

Explore our expanded program!

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Program overview

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- Our E&O solutions diligently protect a wide range of real estate professionals.
- Strong and stable solutions; 35+ year relationship with the same A rated carrier.
- Admitted coverage available in all 50 states, D.C., Puerto Rico, and US Virgin Islands.
- Up to \$15M limits.
- With 173 years of combined E&O underwriting experience, we understand real estate and provide tailored coverage that protects your clients' interests.

Proud partner of the National Association of REALTORS®

- In partnership with the National Association of REALTORS® under NAR REALTOR Benefits®
- We offer NAR members E&O insurance at special members-only pricing!



New countrywide policy form updates



Supplementary payments

Increased to \$50k per policy period

- Loss of Earnings
- Licensing Proceedings
- Subpoena Assistance
- Public Relations
- Agent Protection
- Dodd-Frank Fees and Expenses
- Telephone Consumer Protection Act Fees and Expenses
- Privacy and Identity Theft (up to \$20k per policy period)







New stand-out coverage: Agent Protection

- Victor policyholders can access up to \$50,000 in coverage per policy period for medical expenses resulting from injuries that occur on the premises of a residential property being shown, specifically caused by the actions or omissions of a noninsured natural person.
- This new coverage significantly enhances protection for real estate agents, recognizing the inherent risks they face while performing their duties.





New stand-out coverage: TCPA Fees & Expenses



- Victor policyholders can access up to \$50,000 per policy period for reasonable and necessary legal fees incurred while responding to actions brought under the Telephone Consumer Protection Act.
- This coverage is vital given the rise in claims related to TCPA violations.
- Empowers insureds to confidently navigate TCPA compliance, allowing them to focus on serving their clients without the concern of potential legal challenges.



Definitions Expansion

DEFINITIONS EXPANSION	
Drone & Drone Claim	Defined
Identity Theft Event & Identity Theft Expenses	Defined
Definition of Insured	Expanded to include "teams", trade names, d/b/a's, predecessor firms, and vicarious insureds
Open House Claim	Expanded to include bodily injury
Professional Real Estate Services	Clarified – applies regardless of whether such services are rendered pursuant to a written contract or for a fee.
Vicarious Insured	Defined – means any person or entity other than the primary insured, but solely to the extent that a claim is made against them for acts or omissions in providing real estate services by an insured.



Exclusions

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Bodily Injury	Exclusion does NOT apply to lockbox, open house, res prop sales & agent protection
Property Damage	Exclusion does NOT apply to lockbox, open house, res prop sales
Owned, Constructed, Developed, and Purchase of Property	Exclusion NO LONGER APPLIES to leasing services & allows for home inspection and/or home warranty to be waived in writing by the buyer



Rate and rule changes

Reduced premium rates for new business!

- We have lowered premium rates across numerous states.
- These reductions have a significant impact for firms with up to \$1M in annual revenue, and in certain states, we have substantially reduced rates for firms with up to \$5M in annual revenue.
- The following states have been approved and are effective immediately for all new business:

AL, AR, CT, FL, IL, IN, KS, ME, MI, MN, NH, NJ, NV, OH, OR, PA, UT, WI.

[Pending approval in D.C, MD, VA].





Rule updates!



- \$1M Discrimination coverage now included at no additional premium.
- 1 year ERP option now available at 150% of the expiring premium.
- Premium decrease for the Contingent BI/PD coverage.
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New rapid new business application

Our four available rapid new business applications

NEW Countrywide - \$200,000

- \$200,000 gross commission income threshold.
- Allows leasing and commercial sales firms.
- Available in:

AL, AR, CT, FL, IL, IN, KS, ME, MI, MN, NV, NH, NJ, OH, OR, PA, UT & WI.

Minimum premium: \$460

Countrywide - \$150,000

- \$150,000 gross commission income threshold.
- Does not allow leasing and commercial sales firms.
- Available in:

AZ, D.C., DE, GA, MA, MD, MO, NC, OK, SC, TX, VA, VT, WA & WV.

Minimum premium: \$460

New York

- Available in NY only
- \$200,000 gross commission income threshold.
- Minimum premium: \$500

California

- Available in CA only
- \$100,000 gross commission income threshold.
- Minimum premium: \$546



Legal and risk management



Claims handling

 Dedicated claims support.

 Efficient claim resolution.

 Cost-effective solutions. 70 yrs

7 decades of shared experience, focusing exclusively on Real Estate E&O.

900

Manage approximately 900 notices annually.

12

Average claim resolution within 12 months.

\$40k

Settlements typically below \$40,000.



Risk Management

Victor Risk Advisory

- Share valuable insights with your clients!
- Accessible via Victor Risk Advisory, we have a range of claim scenarios, articles, and blogs designed to help insureds manage and overcome risk.

Recently created:

- Al deepfake claim scenario
- Non-disclosure claim scenario
- Responsible use of GenAl for your business
- Climate change is making homes harder to insure: What it means for your buyers
- And much more!



Article

Risky business: What real estate agents should know about the power of attorney

05/20/202

If you're asked to act as an authorized agent under a POA to facilitate a real estate transaction on behalf of your client, it's essential to recognize and understand the risks that come along with this role.



Article

Prospect or predator? Prioritizing agent safety

03/07/2025

Hidden beneath the glamour of showing beautiful homes to clients lurks a danger that all real estate agents face when they step onto properties with near strangers—the risk that a prospect could become a predator.



laim Scenario

When silence is not so golden

02/18/2025

Mark and Lisa were delighted to purchase a new home. However, their excitement soon turned to concern when they discovered that the property had previously experienced significant flooding, an essential detail that had not been disclosed during the buying process.



Article

Climate change is making homes harder to insure: What it means for your buyers

02/11/20

The impact of climate change on homeowner's insurance is profound and multifaceted, affecting not only the cost and availability of coverage but also the dynamics of the real estate



Article

Adapting to home buying trends: Ensuring agent protection in a dynamic market



Claim Scenario

Deepfake deception

In a sophisticated deepfake fraud scheme, a property in Nevada was falsely listed for sale by an impersonator using advanced



Blog

Keep the past from haunting you: Insuring past and future exposures during the merger process 11/15/2024



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The AI-gent advantage: Responsible use of generative AI for your business

07/17/2024



Get started!



Get started today!

Quote, bind, and issue policies with our online portal, V²

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- Alternatively, you can access our range of application forms via our website.
- For any assistance, please email realestate.us@victorinsurance.com

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