# Principal<sup>®</sup>

# **PRIVACY NOTICE**

This Notice is provided on behalf of the following companies of the Principal Financial Group®:

Principal Life Insurance Company
Principal National Life Insurance Company
Principal Trust Company
Principal Life Insurance Company Variable Life Separate Account
Principal National Life Insurance Company Variable Life Separate Account
Principal Life Insurance Company Separate Account B
Employers Dental Services, Inc. / Principal Dental Services, Inc.

## **Protecting your privacy**

This Notice is required by law. It tells how we handle personal information.

This Notice applies to:

- people who own or apply for our products or services for personal use.
- · employee benefit plan participants and beneficiaries.

Please note that in this Notice, "you" refers to <u>only</u> these people. The Notice does <u>not</u> apply to an employer plan sponsor or group policyholder.

## We protect information we collect about you

We follow strict standards to safeguard personal information. These standards include limiting access to data and regularly testing our security technology.

## How we collect information

We collect data about you as we do business with you. Some of the sources of this data are as follows:

- Information we obtain when you apply or enroll for products or services. You may provide facts such as your name; address; Social Security number; financial status; and, when applicable, health history.
- **Information we obtain from others.** This may include claim reports, medical records, when applicable, credit reports, property values and similar data.
- Information we obtain through our transactions and experience with you. This includes your claims history, payment and investment records, and account values and balances.
- Information we obtain through the Internet. This
  includes data from online forms you complete. It also
  includes data we collect when you visit our websites.

### How we share information

We may share personal information about you or about former customers, plan participants or beneficiaries among companies within the Principal Financial Group or with others for several reasons, including:

- · to assist us in servicing your account;
- · to help design and improve products;
- to protect against potential identity theft or unauthorized transactions;
- in response to a subpoena or for other legal purposes;
- · to prevent fraud;
- to comply with inquiries from government agencies or other regulators;
- with others that service your account, or that perform services on our behalf: and
- · with your consent, at your request or as allowed by law.

#### **Medical information**

We do not share medical information among companies of the Principal Financial Group or with others except:

- when needed to service your policies, accounts, claims or contracts;
- · when laws protecting your privacy permit it; or
- · when you consent.

## **Accuracy of information**

We strive for accurate records. Please tell us if you receive any incorrect materials from us. We will make the appropriate changes.

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## **Companies within the Principal Financial Group**

Several companies within the Principal Financial Group are listed at the top of this Notice. The companies of the Principal Financial Group are leading providers of retirement savings, investment, and insurance products.

#### More information

This Privacy Notice governs information that you provide to Principal (or that we otherwise receive) when you apply for or receive a product or service used primarily for personal, family or household purposes. We may collect additional information depending on the nature of your relationship with Principal or if you interact with us through our website or other digital technologies. Details about how we protect and use this additional information, including information about your privacy rights under California law such as the California Consumer Privacy Act, are available online at www.principal.com/privacy-policies.

If you do not have access to www.principal.com/privacy-policies, please contact us at 1-800-986-3343 to have a copy mailed to you.

You may write to us if you have questions about our Privacy Notice. Contact our Privacy Officer at P.O. Box 14582, Des Moines, Iowa 50306-3582.

Receipt of this notice does not mean your application has been accepted.

We may change our privacy practices at times. We will give you a revised notice when required by law.

Our privacy practices comply with all applicable laws. If a state's privacy laws are more restrictive than those stated in this Notice, we comply with those laws.

Your agent, broker, registered representative, consultant or advisor may have a different privacy policy.



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