## LIFE AND AD&D CLAIMS TIMING AND SUBMISSION INFORMATION

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## PROCESS FOR SUBMITTING LIFE AND AD&D CLAIMS

Life and AD&D claims can be submitted to Guardian in one of the following ways: fax, mail or email

Claim form and copy of enrollment and/or beneficiary change form is sent to Life claims department.

- Claim form is completed by employer and eligible beneficiary
- A legible copy of the death certificate is also needed\*

If death is due to an accident, the Life claim will typically be processed first. The AD&D claim usually takes longer to obtain the necessary proof of loss needed to complete the investigation. Examples of acceptable proof of loss are: Autopsy, Medical Examiner's Report, Toxicology Report and Police Reports will be required. Additional reports or documentation may also be required depending on the cause of death.

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Accident and Non-Accident Claims: 5 - 7 business day (average) for initial claim review.

Claims Decision for Non-Accident: 20 business days (average).

Claims Decision for Accident: 15 business days from receipt of all documentation needed to make a claim decision.

## **ONLINE RESOURCES**

Life and AD&D customers can access benefit overviews, claims forms and more conveniently through our Guardian website: www.guardiananytime.com.

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