

**ASSIGNED RISK LOSS SENSITIVE RATING PLAN NOTIFICATION ENDORSEMENT****A. LSRP Mandatory Assigned Risk Retrospective Rating Plan**

This endorsement is to advise you that, during the term of this policy or upon renewal, you may become subject to the mandatory assigned risk Loss Sensitive Rating Plan (LSRP), which is a retrospective rating plan that may adjust the cost of your workers compensation and employers liability insurance policy. This endorsement must be attached to all assigned risk policies, including policies for professional employer organization (PEO) and temporary arrangements, regardless of LSRP standard premium size in states that have approved the LSRP. In the event that you meet or exceed the eligibility requirements of LSRP, an LSRP contingent deposit equal to 20% of LSRP standard premium is required.

**B. Eligibility**

1. Your insurance is written under a Workers Compensation Insurance Plan (WCIP) in a state that has approved LSRP.
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  - a. LSRP will apply to an individual assigned risk policy if the standard premium meets or exceeds the amount noted in the Schedule, in accordance with the **North Carolina Basic Manual**.
  - b. It may not always be possible for a single carrier to provide coverage for all requested states; additional policies issued by more than one carrier may be necessary.
  - c. WCIP policies issued in non-LSRP-approved jurisdictions are not subject to LSRP and are not combinable with WCIP policies in LSRP-approved jurisdictions for eligibility purposes.
  - d. LSRP eligibility may be impacted by ownership or combinability status in accordance with NCCI's **Experience Rating Plan Manual**.
3. LSRP standard premium is defined in accordance with the **North Carolina Basic Manual**.

**C. Deposit/Initial Premium and LSRP Contingency Deposit**

1. Deposit or initial premium is paid on all new and renewal WCIP policies, including LSRP policies, in accordance with the **North Carolina Basic Manual**. It is paid to us in addition to the LSRP contingency deposit, which secures all new and renewal LSRP policies as detailed in the LSRP rules.
2. The LSRP contingency deposit paid to us serves as collateral for premium that may be due to us as a result of losses incurred during the policy term.
3. At policy inception, the LSRP contingency deposit is calculated by multiplying the LSRP standard premium by 20%. If WCIP policies are combined for LSRP purposes, the LSRP contingency deposit is calculated by multiplying the combined LSRP standard premium for all policies by 20%.

**D. Impact of Changes in LSRP Standard Premium**

1. For all policies except for professional employer organizations (PEOs) and temporary arrangements, LSRP may be applied to a policy, or an LSRP policy may be converted to a guaranteed cost policy:
  - a. If the LSRP standard premium decreases during the first 120 days, and falls below the LSRP eligibility threshold, your policy will be converted to a guaranteed cost policy, retroactive to policy inception, and your LSRP contingency deposit will be returned.
  - b. If the LSRP standard premium increases during the first 120 days, and meets the LSRP eligibility threshold, LSRP will be applied retroactively to policy inception and the 20% LSRP contingency deposit must be paid to us within 30 days of us issuing notice to you of the application of LSRP.
  - c. If the LSRP standard premium decreases after the first 120 days and falls below the LSRP eligibility threshold, the LSRP continues to be applied to your policy(ies).
  - d. If the LSRP standard premium increases after the first 120 days, and meets the LSRP eligibility threshold, your policy(ies) will remain a guaranteed cost policy(ies) and the LSRP is applied at renewal, subject to meeting the eligibility requirements on the renewal policy(ies).
2. For all PEO and temporary arrangement WCIP policies, if the LSRP standard premium meets or exceeds the eligibility threshold **at any time**, LSRP is applied retroactively to policy inception. The 20% LSRP contingency deposit must be paid to us within 30 days of us issuing notice to you of the application of LSRP.

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**E. Evasion of LSRP**

1. If you take actions for the purpose of avoiding the application of LSRP, or for otherwise legitimate business reasons that nonetheless result in the improper calculation and/or application of LSRP, regardless of intent, any action that results in the miscalculation and/or misapplication of LSRP determined in accordance with the LSRP rules is prohibited. These actions include, but are not limited to:
  - Misrepresentation and/or miscalculation of payroll at application, audit, or renewal
  - Failure to report changes in ownership or ownership information according to the WCIP and NCCI's ***Experience Rating Plan Manual***
  - Violation of any of the terms and conditions under the policy for which this insurance was issued
  - Failure to allow us and/or the Plan Administrator and/or rating organization reasonable access to your facilities or files and records for audit or inspection
  - Failure to disclose to us and/or the Plan Administrator and/or rating organization the full nature and scope of your exposure or business operations
2. In such circumstances, we and/or the Plan Administrator and/or rating organization may obtain any information that indicates evasion or improper calculation or application of LSRP due to actions including, but not limited to, those listed above. We and/or the Plan Administrator and/or rating organization will act to ensure the proper calculation and application of LSRP to inception of all current and preceding WCIP policies impacted by these actions.

This endorsement applies in the states listed in the Schedule below.

Schedule

**State**

**Premium Eligibility**

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

**(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)**

Endorsement Effective  
Insured

Policy No.

Endorsement No.  
Premium

Insurance Company

Countersigned by \_\_\_\_\_

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