


AMERICO
Medicare
Supplement

Security Question Signature
Reference Guide

Process Overview:

At the beginning of the electronic application process, the Agent collects all needed information to complete an application which includes Name, Date of Birth, Address, Social Security Number and Medicare Beneficiary Identifier (MBI).

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 Personal

Applicant

*Name


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**Date of Birth

03/22/1932



**Gender

☒ Male ☐ Female

Contact Information

*Telephone Number

(999) 999-9999

Email

*Home Address

1234 MAIN ST

Street Address (2)


LARGO

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33770


*Response is required to complete the application

**Response is required to save

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O.2

 Coverage


* Requested Policy Effective Date

03/01/2022



* Plan

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* Are you covered under Medicare Part A? (If there is a Part A Date on your Medicare ID card please answer Yes. If you do not have a card or there is no Part A Date on the card please answer No)

☒ Yes ☐ No

* If NO, what is your future Part A effective date? If YES, what is your Part A effective date?

01/01/1999




* Are you covered under Medicare Part B?

☒ Yes ☐ No

* If NO, what is your future Part B effective date? If YES, what is your Part B effective date?

01/01/1999



* If you answered YES, have you enrolled in Medicare Part B more than once?

☐ Yes ☒ No

* Medicare Card No (IF YOU BELIEVE YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR OPEN ENROLLMENT AND YOU DO NOT HAVE YOUR MEDICARE ID NUMBER YET, PLEASE ENTER UNKNOWN)


4MM4-MM4-MM44

* Social Security No

121-91-1202


* Are you applying during a guaranteed issue period? (If YES please attach proof of eligibility).

No




* Application State

Florida



*Response is required to complete the application

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At the end of the electronic application process, the Agent will sign in the signature box attesting that they are the agent of record and all information is accurate.

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Agent Signature

*I attest that I am the agent of record and all information taken was accurate to what was provided by the applicant.




Update Signature

*Response is required to complete the application

Next, the Agent will select which signing option fits the scenario:

The agent will select “Security Question Signature” if the applicant wants to use the security question signing option to acknowledge and apply their signature to the application and any applicable forms.

O.4

 Delivery/Signing

Delivery Options

Select an option for delivery of the applicant's policy. A Permanent ID card will be mailed under separate cover.

*If approved, applicant would like the policy delivered:

☒ Electronically via Secure Download

☐ By USPS Mail

Signing Method

*The applicant will be signing:

☐ Locally (Used when the applicant and agent will review and sign documents together and in person.)

☐ Remotely (For an applicant with access to email and the internet. Upon receipt of email, the applicant can login to review and sign documents online.)

☐ Wet Signature

☒ Security Question Signature

Email Confirmation

A valid applicant email address is required if Electronic Policy Delivery and/or the Remote Signing Method is selected. If the email address is incorrect, it may be updated on the Personal screen.

Applicant's Recorded Email Address:

*Response is required to complete the application


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The applicant can receive the links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage, and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare either via email or SMS text message.

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To utilize the **Security Question Signature** option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?


☐ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

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Email Process Overview:

If email is selected, the agent will enter in the applicant’s email address, and select the Send Email button. This will generate the email with the links to the documents the applicant needs to read/review prior to electronically signing their application documents.

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How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☒ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

Please verify the email address below is correct and click the **Send Email** button.

[Send Email](#)

To re-send the message, simply click the **Send Email** button again. To change the email address, edit the email address shown and click the **Send Email** button.

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Below is the email sent to the applicant with links to the HIPAA authorization, Outline of Coverage, and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

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From: no-reply@iasadmin.com <no-reply@iasadmin.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 30, 2022 1:05 PM
To: Melissa Theobald <Melissa.Theobald@iasadmin.com>
Subject: Important documents regarding your <Client Name> Application # <#>

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for taking the time to apply for Medicare Supplement insurance with <Client Name>. Your agent, Jeff Sellers, has indicated you wish to sign your insurance documents using our **Security Question** electronic signature option.

We have included links in this email to the following documents: HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and the Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare. It is important that you read the HIPAA Authorization form prior to agreeing to sign the application and other required documents.

Your agent will not be able to proceed with the electronic signature process until you have selected the HIPAA Authorization link below and agree to continue. In addition, your agent will verify you received this email and read the HIPAA Authorization language prior to asking for your Security Question answer.

[HIPAA Authorization](#)
[Outline of Coverage](#)
[Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare](#)

If you have any questions, please speak with your agent, Jeff Sellers.

Regards,

<Client Name>

When the applicant clicks on the HIPAA Authorization link in the email, they will be taken to the client specific HIPAA Authorization where they will need to click the check box on the bottom of the page in order to continue with the security question signing.

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Health Information
Authorization



This Authorization complies with the HIPAA Privacy Rule

You agree to provide your personal health information to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company ("the Companies") and its agents, and to allow the Companies to access your protected health information from other sources so that it and its affiliates may evaluate your insurability and make a coverage or issuance determination. Information regarding your insurability will be treated as confidential. The Companies are members of MIB, Inc. (MIB). The Companies, or its reinsurers, may make a brief report to MIB, which operates an information exchange on behalf of its members. If you apply to another member company for life or health insurance coverage, or a claim for benefits is submitted to such a company, MIB may supply such company with the information in its file. The Companies or its reinsurers may also release your protected health information to other insurance companies to whom you may apply for life or health insurance, or to whom a claim for benefits may be submitted. It is the Companies' practice to prohibit third parties who lawfully receive nonpublic health information from redisclosing or reusing the disclosed information. You may request to see the information kept in your MIB file. You may also contact MIB and seek correction of any errors in your file.

Your authorization permits any insurance or reinsurance company, health plan, licensed medical physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, laboratory, pharmacy, pharmacy benefit manager, records custodians, other medical or medical related facility, or other health care provider that has provided services, treatment or payment to you or on your behalf, within the past 10 years ("Your Providers"), or any clearing house, consumer reporting agency, or MIB, to disclose your entire medical record and any other protected health information, concerning you to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company or its reinsurers, employees and representatives. This includes information on the diagnosis or treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This includes information on the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs, and nicotine products, but excludes psychotherapy notes and excludes information related to genetic tests or genetic services (except to pay a claim related to such tests or services).

By your signature below, you acknowledge that any agreements you have made to restrict your protected health information does not apply to this Authorization and you instruct any physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, medical facility, or other health care provider to release and disclose your entire medical record without restriction.

Your protected health information is to be disclosed under this Authorization so that the Companies may: (1) underwrite your application for coverage, make eligibility, risk rating, policy issuance and enrollment determinations; (2) obtain reinsurance; (3) administer claims and determine or fulfill their responsibility for coverage and provision for benefits; (4) administer coverage; (5) conduct other legally permissible activities that relate to any coverage you have applied for with Great Southern Life; and (6) market other of the Companies' insurance products to you.

By your execution of this Authorization, you agree that the Companies' may disclose your protected health information and the details of your medical history used in the underwriting, declination or approval of your application for coverage and may disclose specific information to the sales agent listed on this application.

This Authorization shall remain in force for 30 months following the date of your signature below, and a copy of this Authorization is as valid as the original. This Authorization may be revoked by sending a written request for revocation to Americo Life, Inc. at PO Box 410288, Kansas City, MO 64141-0288, Attention: Legal Department; however, a revocation is not effective to the extent that any of Your Providers has relied on this Authorization or to the extent that the Companies have a legal right to contest a claim under an insurance policy or to contest the policy itself. Any information that is disclosed pursuant to this Authorization may be redisclosed and is no longer covered by federal rules governing privacy and confidentiality of health information.

Your Providers may not refuse to provide treatment or payment for health care services if you refuse to sign this Authorization. If you refuse to sign this Authorization to release your complete medical record, the Companies may not be able to process your application, or if coverage has been issued may not be able to make any benefit payments.

Name of Applicant (please print)

Applicant's Date of Birth

Signature of Applicant or Personal Representative


Date

Description of Personal Representative's Authority or Relationship to Applicant (if applicable)

☐ I confirm that I have read the HIPAA Authorization language and agree to the terms above.

The agent will not be able to continue with the Security Question Signature until the applicant has clicked the HIPAA Authorization in the email that was sent. Agent certification check boxes will not become available to the agent until the system has collected the date/time stamp of when the applicant opened the link in their email and checked the box that they agree to continue.

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Handoff

To utilize the Security Question Signature option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☒ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

Please verify the email address below is correct and click the Send Email button.

Send Email

To re-send the message, simply click the Send Email button again. To change the email address, edit the email address shown and click the Send Email button.

Agent to read the following script:

You have selected to sign your Medicare Supplement application and other required forms using a security question signature option. An email was just sent to you containing links to certain documents that require your review before we can complete your application. Please check for that email and take a few minutes to read them.

Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I JEFF SELLERS certify:

☒ I have read the above script to the applicant.

☒ The applicant confirmed they received the email, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 201292022


☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932

Apply Signature & Submit

Please Note: If the check boxes are greyed out you will need to instruct your applicant to select the check box at the bottom of the HIPAA authorization. The link to the HIPAA authorization was included in their email.

The agent will have scripts that he will need to read to the applicant and attest that it was read in order for the next script to be presented. The agent will also verify the applicants Date of Birth and Social Security Number. He will not be able to continue with the signing process until he certifies both Date of Birth and Social Security Number were verified.

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Handoff

To utilize the Security Question Signature option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☒ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

Please verify the email address below is correct and click the Send Email button.

Send Email

To re-send the message, simply click the Send Email button again. To change the email address, edit the email address shown and click the Send Email button.

Agent to read the following script:

You have selected to sign your Medicare Supplement application and other required forms using a security question signature option. An email was just sent to you containing links to certain documents that require your review before we can complete your application. Please check for that email and take a few minutes to read them.

Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I JEFF SELLERS certify:

☐ I have read the above script to the applicant.

☐ The applicant confirmed they received the email, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.

☐ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 201292022


☐ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932

Apply Signature & Submit

Please Note: If the check boxes are greyed out you will need to instruct your applicant to select the check box at the bottom of the HIPAA authorization. The link to the HIPAA authorization was included in their email.

The additional script will display for the agent to read and attest that they read to the Applicant, and the Mother’s Maiden Name must be entered in order for the “Apply Signature & Submit” button to be available.

E.6.1

Handoff

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How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☒ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

Please verify the email address below is correct and click the Send Email button.

To re-send the message, simply click the Send Email button again. To change the email address, edit the email address shown and click the Send Email button.

Agent to read the following script:

You have selected to sign your Medicare Supplement application and other required forms using a security question signature option. An email was just sent to you containing links to certain documents that require your review before we can complete your application. Please check for that email and take a few minutes to read them.

Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I JEFF SELLERS certify:

☒ I have read the above script to the applicant.

☒ The applicant confirmed they received the email, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 201292022

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932


Agent to read the following script:

By providing your mother's maiden name as your signature, you agree and understand an electronic signature will be placed, where required, on the application and other required forms. You further acknowledge this signature method will be legally binding and enforceable as if you had signed on paper.

☐ I have read the script above to the applicant

Please Note: If the check boxes are greyed out you will need to instruct your applicant to select the check box at the bottom of the HIPAA authorization. The link to the HIPAA authorization was included in their email.

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Handoff

To utilize the **Security Question Signature** option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☒ Email ☐ SMS Text Message

Please verify the email address below is correct and click the Send Email button.

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Agent to read the following script:

You have selected to sign your Medicare Supplement application and other required forms using a security question signature option. An email was just sent to you containing links to certain documents that require your review before we can complete your application. Please check for that email and take a few minutes to read them.

Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I JEFF SELLERS certify:

☒ I have read the above script to the applicant.

☒ The applicant confirmed they received the email, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 201292022

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932

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Please Note: If the check boxes are greyed out you will need to instruct your applicant to select the check box at the bottom of the HIPAA authorization. The link to the HIPAA authorization was included in their email.

SMS Text Message Process Overview:

If SMS Text Message is selected, the agent will need to read a script and attest that it was read in order to be able to enter in the applicant’s mobile telephone number to receive the links to the documents the applicant needs to read/review prior to electronically signing their application documents.

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Handoff

To utilize the **Security Question Signature** option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☐ Email ☒ SMS Text Message


Agent to read the following script:

By providing your Mobile Telephone Number, you consent to receive a one-time SMS text message from <CLIENT NAME> with links to certain documents that require you to open and review before we can complete your application. You further acknowledge that standard message and data rates may apply.

☒ I have read the script above to the applicant

Once the agent confirms the initial script has been read the agent will enter in the applicant’s mobile telephone number and select Send Text.

S.2

Handoff

To utilize the **Security Question Signature** option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☐ Email ☒ SMS Text Message

Agent to read the following script:

By providing your Mobile Telephone Number, you consent to receive a one-time SMS text message from <CLIENT NAME> with links to certain documents that require you to open and review before we can complete your application. You further acknowledge that standard message and data rates may apply.

☒ I have read the script above to the applicant

Please enter the mobile telephone number where the applicant will receive the text message and click the **Send Text** button.

Send Text

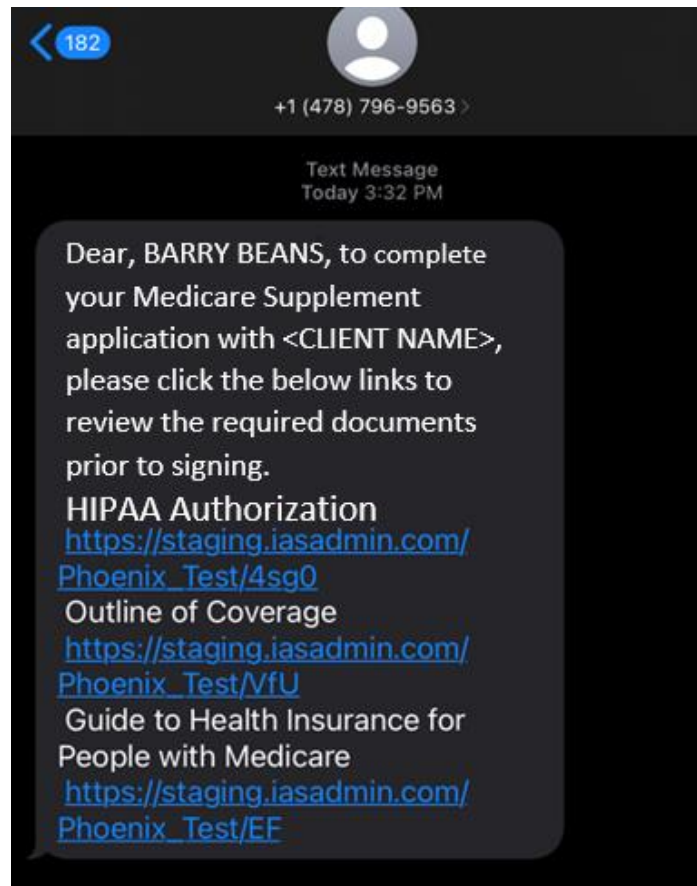
To re-send the message, simply click the **Send Text** button again. To change the mobile telephone number, edit the phone number shown and click the **Send Text** button. Please make the applicant aware that by clicking the **Send Text** button again, they are consenting to receiving a(n) additional text message(s).

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Apply Signature & Submit

Below is the SMS text message sent to the applicant with links to the HIPAA authorization, Outline of Coverage, and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

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When the applicant clicks on the HIPAA Authorization link in the text message, they will be taken to the client specific HIPAA Authorization where they will need to click the check box on the bottom of the page in order to continue with the security question signing.

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Health Information
Authorization



This Authorization complies with the HIPAA Privacy Rule

You agree to provide your personal health information to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company ("the Companies") and its agents, and to allow the Companies to access your protected health information from other sources so that it and its affiliates may evaluate your insurability and make a coverage or issuance determination. Information regarding your insurability will be treated as confidential. The Companies are members of MIB, Inc. (MIB). The Companies, or its reinsurers, may make a brief report to MIB, which operates an information exchange on behalf of its members. If you apply to another member company for life or health insurance coverage, or a claim for benefits is submitted to such a company, MIB may supply such company with the information in its file. The Companies or its reinsurers may also release your protected health information to other insurance companies to whom you may apply for life or health insurance, or to whom a claim for benefits may be submitted. It is the Companies' practice to prohibit third parties who lawfully receive nonpublic health information from redisclosing or reusing the disclosed information. You may request to see the information kept in your MIB file. You may also contact MIB and seek correction of any errors in your file.

Your authorization permits any insurance or reinsurance company, health plan, licensed medical physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, laboratory, pharmacy, pharmacy benefit manager, records custodians, other medical or medical related facility, or other health care provider that has provided services, treatment or payment to you or on your behalf, within the past 10 years ("Your Providers"), or any clearing house, consumer reporting agency, or MIB, to disclose your entire medical record and any other protected health information, concerning you to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company or its reinsurers, employees and representatives. This includes information on the diagnosis or treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This includes information on the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs, and nicotine products, but excludes psychotherapy notes and excludes information related to genetic tests or genetic services (except to pay a claim related to such tests or services).

By your signature below, you acknowledge that any agreements you have made to restrict your protected health information does not apply to this Authorization and you instruct any physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, medical facility, or other health care provider to release and disclose your entire medical record without restriction.

Your protected health information is to be disclosed under this Authorization so that the Companies may: (1) underwrite your application for coverage, make eligibility, risk rating, policy issuance and enrollment determinations; (2) obtain reinsurance; (3) administer claims and determine or fulfill their responsibility for coverage and provision for benefits; (4) administer coverage; (5) conduct other legally permissible activities that relate to any coverage you have applied for with Great Southern Life; and (6) market other of the Companies' insurance products to you.

By your execution of this Authorization, you agree that the Companies' may disclose your protected health information and the details of your medical history used in the underwriting, declination or approval of your application for coverage and may disclose specific information to the sales agent listed on this application.

This Authorization shall remain in force for 30 months following the date of your signature below, and a copy of this Authorization is as valid as the original. This Authorization may be revoked by sending a written request for revocation to Americo Life, Inc. at PO Box 410288, Kansas City, MO 64141-0288, Attention: Legal Department; however, a revocation is not effective to the extent that any of Your Providers has relied on this Authorization or to the extent that the Companies have a legal right to contest a claim under an insurance policy or to contest the policy itself. Any information that is disclosed pursuant to this Authorization may be redisclosed and is no longer covered by federal rules governing privacy and confidentiality of health information.

Your Providers may not refuse to provide treatment or payment for health care services if you refuse to sign this Authorization. If you refuse to sign this Authorization to release your complete medical record, the Companies may not be able to process your application, or if coverage has been issued may not be able to make any benefit payments.

Name of Applicant (*please print*)

Applicant's Date of Birth

Signature of Applicant or Personal Representative


Date

Description of Personal Representative's Authority or Relationship to Applicant (*if applicable*)

☐ I confirm that I have read the HIPAA Authorization language and agree to the terms above.

The agent will not be able to continue with the Security Question Signature until the applicant has clicked the HIPAA Authorization in the text message that was sent. Agent certification check boxes will not become available to the agent until the system has collected the date/time stamp of when the applicant opened the link in their text message.

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How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☐ Email ☒ SMS Text Message

Agent to read the following script:
By providing your Mobile Telephone Number, you consent to receive a one-time SMS text message from <CLIENT NAME> with links to certain documents that require you to open and review before we can complete your application. You further acknowledge that standard message and data rates may apply.

☒ I have read the script above to the applicant

Please enter the mobile telephone number where the applicant will receive the text message and click the **Send Text** button.

Send Text

To re-send the message, simply click the **Send Text** button again. To change the mobile telephone number, edit the phone number shown and click the **Send Text** button. Please make the applicant aware that by clicking the **Send Text** button again, they are consenting to receiving a(n) additional text message(s).

Agent to read the following script:
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Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I XAIVER SELLERS certify:

☒ I have read the above script to the applicant.

☒ The applicant confirmed they received the text message, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 121011202

☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932

Agent to read the following script:
By providing your mother's maiden name as your signature, you agree and understand an electronic signature will be placed, where required, on the application and other required forms. You further acknowledge this signature method will be legally binding and enforceable as if you had signed on paper.


☐ I have read the script above to the applicant

Apply Signature & Submit

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Once the agent has confirmed that the SMS text message was received and the applicant has opened the HIPAA Authorization and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically, the agent will be presented with an additional script and he will need to certify that he has read it to the applicant. The agent will also verify the applicants Date of Birth and Social Security Number. He will not be able to continue with the signing process until he certifies both Date of Birth and Social Security Number were verified.

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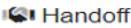
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Apply Signature & Submit

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Additional scripts will display for the agent to read and attest that they read to the Applicant, and the Mother’s Maiden Name must be entered in order for the “Apply Signature & Submit” button to be available.

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Agent to read the following script:
You have selected to sign your Medicare Supplement application and other required forms using a security question signature option. An SMS text message was just sent to you containing links to certain documents that require your review before we can complete your application. Please check for the text message and take a few minutes to read them.

Please confirm you received the email, opened and reviewed the HIPAA Authorization, and agree to sign your application and other required forms electronically by selecting the checkbox in the HIPAA Authorization.

I XA/VER SELLERS certify:

☒ I have read the above script to the applicant.
☒ The applicant confirmed they received the text message, read the HIPAA Authorization language, and agrees to proceed with signing all required documents electronically.
☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Social Security Number is 121911202
☒ I confirm that I have verified the applicant's Date of Birth is 03/22/1932

Agent to read the following script:
By providing your mother's maiden name as your signature, you agree and understand an electronic signature will be placed, where required, on the application and other required forms. You further acknowledge this signature method will be legally binding and enforceable as if you had signed on paper.

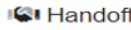
☐ I have read the script above to the applicant

Mother's Maiden Name

Apply Signature & Submit

Please Note: If the check boxes are greyed out you will need to instruct your applicant to select the check box at the bottom of the HIPAA authorization. The link to the HIPAA authorization was included in their text message.

S.7.2



To utilize the Security Question Signature option, a message will be sent to the applicant containing links to the HIPAA Authorization, Outline of Coverage and Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare.

How would the applicant like to receive these documents?

☐ Email ☒ SMS Text Message

Agent to read the following script:
By providing your Mobile Telephone Number, you consent to receive a one-time SMS text message from <CLIENT NAME> with links to certain documents that require you to open and review before we can complete your application. You further acknowledge that standard message and data rates may apply.

☒ I have read the script above to the applicant
Please enter the mobile telephone number where the applicant will receive the text message and click the Send Text button.

Send Text

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Apply Signature & Submit

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Below is a copy of the signed authorization reflecting that is signed via the Security Question.

A.1

**Health Information
Authorization**



This Authorization complies with the HIPAA Privacy Rule

You agree to provide your personal health information to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company ("the Companies") and its agents, and to allow the Companies to access your protected health information from other sources so that it and its affiliates may evaluate your insurability and make a coverage or issuance determination. Information regarding your insurability will be treated as confidential. The Companies are members of MIB, Inc. (MIB). The Companies, or its reinsurers, may make a brief report to MIB, which operates an information exchange on behalf of its members. If you apply to another member company for life or health insurance coverage, or a claim for benefits is submitted to such a company, MIB may supply such company with the information in its file. The Companies or its reinsurers may also release your protected health information to other insurance companies to whom you may apply for life or health insurance, or to whom a claim for benefits may be submitted. It is the Companies' practice to prohibit third parties who lawfully receive nonpublic health information from redisclosing or reusing the disclosed information. You may request to see the information kept in your MIB file. You may also contact MIB and seek correction of any errors in your file.

Your authorization permits any insurance or reinsurance company, health plan, licensed medical physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, laboratory, pharmacy, pharmacy benefit manager, records custodians, other medical or medical related facility, or other health care provider that has provided services, treatment or payment to you or on your behalf, within the past 10 years ("Your Providers"), or any clearing house, consumer reporting agency, or MIB, to disclose your entire medical record and any other protected health information, concerning you to Americo Financial Life and Annuity Insurance Company and/or Great Southern Life Insurance Company or its reinsurers, employees and representatives. This includes information on the diagnosis or treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This includes information on the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs, and nicotine products, but excludes psychotherapy notes and excludes information related to genetic tests or genetic services (except to pay a claim related to such tests or services).

By your signature below, you acknowledge that any agreements you have made to restrict your protected health information does not apply to this Authorization and you instruct any physician, health care professional, hospital, clinic, medical facility, or other health care provider to release and disclose your entire medical record without restriction.

Your protected health information is to be disclosed under this Authorization so that the Companies may: (1) underwrite your application for coverage, make eligibility, risk rating, policy issuance and enrollment determinations; (2) obtain reinsurance; (3) administer claims and determine or fulfill their responsibility for coverage and provision for benefits; (4) administer coverage; (5) conduct other legally permissible activities that relate to any coverage you have applied for with Great Southern Life; and (6) market other of the Companies' insurance products to you.

By your execution of this Authorization, you agree that the Companies' may disclose your protected health information and the details of your medical history used in the underwriting, declination or approval of your application for coverage and may disclose specific information to the sales agent listed on this application.

This Authorization shall remain in force for 24 months following the date of your signature below, and a copy of this Authorization is as valid as the original. This Authorization may be revoked by sending a written request for revocation to Americo Life, Inc. at P.O. Box 410288, Kansas City, MO 64141-0288, Attention: Legal Department; however, a revocation is not effective to the extent that any of Your Providers has relied on this Authorization or to the extent that the Companies have a legal right to contest a claim under an insurance policy or to contest the policy itself. Any information that is disclosed pursuant to this Authorization may be redisclosed and is no longer covered by federal rules governing privacy and confidentiality of health information.

Your Providers may not refuse to provide treatment or payment for health care services if you refuse to sign this Authorization. If you refuse to sign this Authorization to release your complete medical record, the Companies may not be able to process your application, or if coverage has been issued may not be able to make any benefit payments.

BARRY BEANS

03/22/1932

Name of Applicant (please print)

Applicant's Date of Birth

Signed by Security Question BARRY BEANS 4/14/2022 2:44:35 PM

Signature of Applicant or Personal Representative

Date

Description of Personal Representative's Authority or Relationship to Applicant (if applicable)



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²"Admitted Assets, Top Life Writers-2021," A.M. Best Co., as of July 2021.

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