

A history of strong renewal rates

When you and your client are searching for an index annuity, first you look for a good initial rate. Then, you want the confidence of an issuer with a history of stable, competitive renewal rates.

Market conditions and interest rates change, but Delaware Life Insurance Company's goal is to maintain a consistent options budget so that we can provide the highest possible renewal rates.



The Facts About FIA Rates



Renewal rate as a percentage of first year rate

This renewal rate history is for informational purposes only. It includes index accounts for all currently offered fixed index annuity contracts (including Retirement Stages Select[™] and its predecessor Retirement Stages 7°) and excludes closed index strategies and S&P 500° annual point-to-point with participation. Renewal rates represent each grouping of policies based on issue date and initial crediting rate. Renewal rates are different for policies with different issue dates. It is not a guarantee of future renewal rates, which are declared for each interest term and can change based on market conditions and other factors. Renewal rates will never be less than the minimums specified in the contract.

¹ Existing fixed index annuity contracts as of 9/30/24 excluding closed index accounts and S&P 500[®] annual point-to-point with participation.

At a glance

Here's how often each strategy has been renewed at an equal or greater rate

97%

1-year Fixed Account 1-year S&P 500° with Performance Trigger

98%*

1-year Volatility Control Index² with Participation Rate

98%



1-year S&P 500[®] Index with Cap

*74% are equal to or greater than initial rate; 24% are 90-99% of initial rate. **70% are equal to or greater than initial rate; 24% are 90-99% of initial rate.

² Includes First Trust Capital Strength[®] Barclays 5% Index and Morgan Stanley Global Opportunities Index (MSGO) Index.

Rate Locks

In the event of a rate change, we offer the better rate available on the date the application was signed or the contract issue date. Applications must be signed prior to the rate change date and funds must be received within 10 business days (60 calendar days for a transfer/exchange). The information above excludes contracts with a rate lock in the first interest term. Renewals for these contracts are based on rates in effect on the issue date of the contract.

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In certain market scenarios, such as a rising equity market when volatility is high or increasing, reductions in positive performance of a volatility controlled Index could result in less interest being credited to an Index Account than if the volatility controlled Index did not use a volatility control strategy that can limit positive performance. Conversely, in a declining equity market, when volatility is high or increasing, reductions in negative performance of the volatility controlled Index could result in more interest being credited to an Index Account than if the volatility controlled Index could result in more interest being credited to an Index Account than if the volatility controlled Index did not use a volatility control strategy. However, in such a declining market, the benefit from the volatility control strategy would be limited by the floor to the Contract. In general, we incur less expense for the hedging transactions we use to mitigate our risk in providing Contract guarantees to you for a volatility controlled Index than for other Indices in the Contract.

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