Montana Insurance Supplement

Examination Content Outlines

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LIFE – GENERAL KNOWLEDGE CONTENT OUTLINE

Product Knowledge, Terms, and Concepts

(50 scoreable questions plus 5 pretest questions)

I. TYPES OF POLICIES15

- A. Traditional whole life products
 - 1. Ordinary whole life
 - 2. Limited-pay and single-premium life

B. Interest/market-sensitive/adjustable life products

- 1. Universal life
- 2. Variable whole life
- 3. Variable universal life
- 4. Interest-sensitive whole life
- 5. Indexed life

C. Term life

- 1. Types
- a. Level
- b. Decreasing
- c. Return of premium
- d. Annually renewable
- 2. Special features
- a. Renewable
- b. Convertible

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- 2. Immediate and deferred
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- 4. Indexed
- 5. Accumulation and Annuity Periods
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 - 2. Insuring clause

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 - b. Revocable and irrevocable
 - c. Common disaster
 - d. Minor beneficiaries
 - e. Designation by class
- 7. Premium Payment
 - a. Modes
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 - c. Automatic premium loan
- d. Level or flexible
- 8. Reinstatement
- 9. Policy loans, withdrawals, partial surrenders
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- 8. USA PATRIOT Act/anti-money laundering
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 - b. Offer and Acceptance
 - c. Competent parties
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 - 2. Group life
 - 3. Modified Endowment Contracts (MECs)

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State, Statutes, and Rules

(36 scoreable plus 5 pretest questions)

- - A. Insurance Commissioner/Department
 1. Broad powers and duties *Ref: 33-1-301 — 306; 33-18-1003 — 1005*
 - 2. Examination of records *Ref: 33-1-311; 401-402, 408-411, 413; 33-17-1101*
 - 3. Cease and desist orders *Ref:* 33-1-313 — 316; 33-1-701, 705, 707, 711; 33-18-1004 — 1005
 - 4. Penalties
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- 1. Domestic, foreign, alien *Ref: 33-1-201*
- 2. Insurance transactions *Ref: 33-1-201*
- Authorized/unauthorized companies and certificate of authority *Ref: 33-1-201; 33-2-104*
- 4. Fraternals and their producers *Ref: 33-7-525; 33-7-105*
- C. Licensing Requirements
 - 1. Definitions *Ref: 33-17-102 — 103, 236*

- 2. Nonresident/reciprocal producer
- *Ref:* 33-17-401, 406 411; 33-17-201; 33-20-1303 3. Consultant
 - *Ref: 33-17-501-505, 511—513*
- 4. Administrator *Ref: 33-17-602 - 618*
- 5. Continuing education *Ref: 33-17-1203 1207*
- 6. Temporary licenses *Ref: 33-17-216 --- 217*
- 7. Eligibility for license
- *Ref: 33-17-201, 211*8. Suspension, revocation, and termination of licenses
 - Ref: 33-17-1001, 1002, 1004
- 9. Producer appointment/contract cancellation *Ref: 33-17-231 232, 236*
- 10. Resident producer
 - Ref: 33-17-201, 220, 1005; 33-20-1303

D. Unfair Trade Practices

- Ref: 33-18-101—1006
- 1. False advertising
- 2. Rebating
- 3. Twisting
- 4. Misrepresentation
- 5. Defamation
- 6. Excess fees/charges
 - Ref: 33-2-306, 33-15-102, 33-18-212
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- 4. Principal producer relationship *Ref:* 28-10-101 704
- **F.** Rate and Form Regulations *Ref: 33-1-501 - 502; 33-16-101 - 103, 201 - 204*
- G. Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association *Ref: 33-10-201 – 205, 210, 224, 227*
- H. Insurance Information & Privacy Protection Act Ref: 33-19-102 — 409
- I. Basic Contract Language *Ref: 33-15-101 103*
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- 2. Annuities *Ref: 33-20-301 --- 307*
- 3. Exempt contracts *Ref: 33-20-103*
- C. Credit Life
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 - 1. Basic hospital, medical, and surgical policies
 - 2. Major medical policies
 - 3. Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)
 - 4. Preferred Provider Organizations (PPOs)
 - 5. Point of Service (POS) plans
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 - D. Submitting application (and initial premium if collected) to company for underwriting
 - E. Policy delivery
 - F. Explaining policy and its provisions, riders, exclusions, and ratings to clients
 - G. Replacement
 - H. Contract law
 - 1. Elements of a contract
 - 2. Insurable interest
 - 3. Warranties and representations
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 - 3. Authorized/unauthorized companies and certificate of authority Ref: 33-1-201; 33-2-104
 - 4. Fraternals and their producers Ref: 33-7-525: 33-7-105

C. Licensing Requirements

- 1. Definitions
 - *Ref: 33-17-102 103, 236, 241 244*
- 2. Nonresident/reciprocal producer *Ref: 33-17-401, 406 — 411; 33-17-201; 33-20-1303* 3. Consultant Ref: 33-17-501, 505, 511 - 513
- 4. Administrator

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- 5. Continuing education Ref: 33-17-1203 - 1207
- 6. Temporary licenses Ref: 33-17-216 - 217
- 7. Eligibility for license Ref: 33-17-201, 211
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- Ref: 33-17-1102
- 2. Commission sharing Ref: 33-17-1103
- 3. Place of business/recordkeeping Ref: 33-17-1101
- 4. Principal producer relationship Ref: 28-10-101 - 704
- F. Rate and Form Regulations Ref: 33-1-501 - 502; 33-16-101 - 103, 201 - 204
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 - 2. Coordination of benefits (COB) *Ref: ARM 6.6.2401 — 2405*
- D. Health Maintenance Organizations (HMO) Ref: 33-31-101 – 102, 301–303; ARM 6.6.2501 – 2509
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PROPERTY – GENERAL KNOWLEDGE CONTENT OUTLINE

Product Knowledge, Terms, and Concepts

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- E. Peril
- F. Loss
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 - 2. Indirect
- G. Loss Valuation
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 - 3. Market value
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- H. Proximate cause
- I. Deductible
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- L. Coinsurance/Insurance to value
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- L. Other Insurance Provision
- M. Subrogation
- N. Elements of a contract
- O. Warranties, representations, and concealment
- P. Sources of underwriting information
- Q. Fair Credit Reporting Act
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- 7. Adjuster
- Ref: 33-17-301; ARM 6.6.1601 1616
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 - b. Coverage B: Personal Injury and Advertising Injury
 - c. Coverage C: Medical Payments
 - d. Supplemental Payments
 - e. Who is an insured
 - f. First named insured
 - g. Limits (Per occurrence, Annual Aggregate)
 - h. Damage to Property of Others

B. Automobile: personal auto and business auto

- 1. Liability
 - a. Bodily Injury
 - b. Property Damage
 - c. Split Limits
- d. Combined Single Limit
- 2. Medical Payments
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- 4. Uninsured motorists
- 5. Underinsured motorists
- 6. Who is an insured
- 7. Types of Auto
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 - b. Non-owned
 - c. Hired
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- 9. Exclusions
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- are addressed elsewhere in this outline.)
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 - a. Who is an employee/employer
 - b. Compensation
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- 3. Other states' insurance
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 - 2. Theft
 - 3. Robbery
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 - 5. Forgery and Alteration
 - 6. Mysterious disappearance
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 - 3. Directors and Officers (D&O)
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- II. INSURANCE TERMS AND RELATED CONCEPTS....... 15
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 - 2. Morale
 - 3. Physical
 - C. Indemnity
 - D. Insurable interest
 - E. Loss valuation
 - 1. Actual cash value
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 - 3. Market value
 - 4. Stated/agreed value
 - 5. Salvage value
 - F. Negligence
 - G. Liability
 - H. Occurrence
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 - J. Warranties
 - K. Representations
 - L. Concealment

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 - N. Terrorism Risk Insurance Act (TRIA)

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State, Statute, and Rules

(37 scoreable questions plus 5 pretest questions)

- - A. Insurance Commissioner/Department
 - 1. Broad powers and duties *Ref: 33-1-301 — 306; 33-18-1003 — 1005*

 - Cease and desist orders *Ref: 33-1-313 — 316, 701, 705, 707, 711* Penalties
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B. General Definitions

- 1. Domestic, foreign, alien
- *Ref: 33-1-201* 2. Insurance transactions

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- Authorized/unauthorized companies and certificate of authority *Ref: 33-1-201; 33-2-104*
- 4. Fraternals and their producers *Ref: 33-7-105, 525*

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1. Definitions

- Ref: 33-17-102 103, 236
- 2. Nonresident/reciprocal producer *Ref: 33-17-401, 406 — 411; 33-17-201*
- 3. Consultant *Ref: 33-17-501 — 505, 511- 513*
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- 5. Surplus lines producer *Ref: 33-2-301*
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D. Unfair Trade Practices

- Ref: 33-18-101-1006
- 1. False advertising
- 2. Rebating
- 3. Twisting
- 4. Misrepresentation
- 5. Defamation
- 6. Excess fees/charges *Ref: 33-2-306, 33-15-102, 33-18-212*
- 7. Unfair discrimination Ref: 49-2-309; ARM 6.6.1201 — 1206
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- 2. Uninsured Motorists-defined *Ref: 33-23-201*
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- 4. Comparative negligence *Ref:* 27-1-701 702
- 5. Cancellation/nonrenewal *Ref: 33-23-211 217*
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- C. Assigned Risk/Auto Insurance Plan Ref: MCA 61-6-144
- D. Worker's Compensation

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 - 2. Claims and benefits *Ref: 39-71-601 – 613, 701 –704, 708, 712, 721, 725,* 736
- E. Professional Liability Insurance *Ref: 33-9-101, 33-23-301 302*

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(30 scoreable questions)

- A. Insurance Commissioner/Department
 1. Broad powers and duties *Ref: 33-1-301 - 306; 33-18-1003 - 1005*
 - 2. Examination of records Ref: 33-1-311, 401 — 402, 408-411, 413; 33-17-1101
 - 3. Notice of hearings *Ref:* 33-1-313 — 316; 33-1-318; 33-1-701, 705, 707, 711; 33-18-1004 — 1005
 - 4. Penalties *Ref: 33-1-317*

B. General Definitions

- Authorized/unauthorized companies and certificate of authority *Ref: Ref: 33-1-201; 33-2-104*
- Insurance transaction/policies *Ref: 33-1-201*

C. Licensing Requirements

- 1. Definitions
- *Ref: 33-17-102 103, 236* 2. Eligibility for license
- Ref: 33-17-201, 211
- Suspension, revocation, and termination of licenses *Ref: 33-17-1001, 1002, 1004*
- Producer appointment/contract cancellation
- *Ref: 33-17-231 232, 236*
- D. Unfair Trade Practices
 - Ref: 33-18 101--1006
 - 1. False advertising
 - 2. Rebating
 - 3. Misrepresentation

- 4. Unfair discrimination Ref: ARM 6.6.1201-1206; 49-2-309; 33-18-206
- 5. Unfair claims practices
 - *Ref: 33-1-1205; 33-18-201, 232*
- 6. Penalties Ref: 33-18-1004, 1005
- E. Rate and Form Regulation *Ref: 33-1-501 — 502; 33-16-101 –103, 201–204*
- F. Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Fund *Ref: 33-10-201 205, 224, 227*
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MONTANA TITLE INSURANCE CONTENT OUTLINE

(35 scoreable questions)

- - A. Insurance Commissioner/Department
 1. Broad powers and duties
 - *Ref: 33-1-301 306; 33-18-1003 1005*
 - 2. Examination of records *Ref: 33-1-311, 401 – 402, 408-411, 413, 33-17-1101*
 - 3. Cease and desist orders *Ref: 33-1-313 – 316, 318; 33-1-701, 705, 707, 711*
 - 4. Penalties
 - Ref: 33-1- 313, 317

B. Licensing Requirements

- 1. Eligibility for license *Ref: 33-17-201 211*
- 2. Suspension, revocation, and termination of licenses
 - Ref: 33-17-1001, 1002,1004; 33-25-401

C. Unfair Trade Practices

- False advertising
 - *Ref: 33-18-202 203*
- Rebating Ref: 33-18-210; 33-25-401; ARM 6.6.2203
- 3. Twisting
- Ref: 33-18-204
- 4. Misrepresentation *Ref: 33-18-202, 205*
- 5. Defamation *Ref: 33-18-302*
- 6. Unfair claims practices *Ref: 33-18-201, 232*
- 7. Boycot, coercion, and intimidation *Ref: 33-18-303*
- 8. Other prohibited practices *Ref: 33-25-202, 401 403*
- 9. Penalties
 - Ref: 33-18-233, 1004 1005; 33-25-402
- D. Place of Business/Recordkeeping Ref: 33-17-1101; 33-25-214, 216; ARM 6.6.2202(14)
- E. Rates

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Ref: 33-25-105, 212

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- *Ref: 33-24-105*B. Powers and Duties of Title Insurance Companies
 - *Ref: 33-25-201, 213 216; ARM 6.6.2201*
- C. Escrow, Closing, or Settlement Services Ref: ARM 6.6.2202

A. Terms/Concepts

- Ref: Standard insurance textbooks and policies
- 1. Encumbrance
- 2. Encroachment
- 3. Endorsement
- 4. Deed
 - a. Quitclaim deed
 - b. Deed on conveyance
- c. Deed of trust
- 5. Lien
- 6. Tenancy in common
- 7. Riparian rights
- 8. Mortgagor/mortgagee
- 9. Subrogation
- 10.Fee simple
- 11.Simultaneous issue
- 12.Title defect
- 13.Real property
- 14. Survey of property
- 15.Easement
- B. Agent/Title Organizations
- C. Premium Payments
- D. Loss Payments
- E. Description of a Property
- F. Types of Title Policies (standard and extended

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- 2. Standard Title policy
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- G. Policy Contents
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- 6. Insureds
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- J. Actual cash value
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 - K. Appraisal
 - L. Other Insurance Provision
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 - N. Subrogation
 - O. Arbitration
 - P. Elements of a contract
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- A. Commissioner of Insurance
 1. Broad powers and duties
 - *Ref.:33-1-301 306; 33-18-1003 1005* 2. Examination of records
 - Ref.:33-1-401-402, 408-411, 413
 - 3. Investigations/Notice of hearing *Ref.:33-1-701*
 - 4. Penalties *Ref:33-1-317; 33-18-1003 - 1005*

B. Adjuster licensing

- 1. License requirements *Ref.:33-17-301; ARM 6.6.1601 — 1616*
- 2. License suspension and revocation *Ref.: 33-17-1001,1002, 1004*
- 3. Definitions
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C. Trade practices

- 1. Unfair claims practices
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- 3. Misrepresentation *Ref.: 33-18-202*
- 4. Unfair discrimination *Ref.: 33-18-210*
- **D.** Montana Insurance Guaranty Association *Ref.:33-10-101 105, 115 117*
- E. Insurance Information & Privacy Protection Act Ref:33-19-102 - 409
- F. Basic contract language *Ref.:33-15-101 --- 103*
- G. Insurance Fraud Protection Act Ref.:33-1-1201 — 1211
- H. Premium financing Ref.:33-14-301, 303, 304

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 - 2. Specific valuation *Ref.: 33-24-101 103*
 - 3. Valued Policy Law *Ref.: 33-24-102 103*
- B. Inland/Ocean Marine Insurance
 - 1. Defined
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- - A. Casualty Insurance defined *Ref.: 33-1-206*
 - B. Automobile Insurance/Financial Responsibility
 - Ref.:MCA 61-6-101 103, 124 139, 151, 201
 - 1. Required limits BI/PD
 - *Ref.: 33-23-203 204; MCA 61-6-301 304*
 - 2. Uninsured Motorists-defined *Ref.: 33-23-201*
 - 3. Mature defensive Driving Act *Ref.: 33-16-221 225*
 - 4. Comparative negligence *Ref.:* 27-1-701 702
 - 5. Cancellation/nonrenewal *Ref.: 33-23-211 217*
 - C. Professional liability insurance

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LIFE AND DISABILITY CONSULTANT CONTENT OUTLINE

Product Knowledge, Terms, and Concepts

(100 scoreable questions)

Ref.: Unless otherwise indicated, Suggested courses: The American College Courses (HS 311, 323, 324, 330,331). Other standard insurance texts may be used.

I. TYPES OF LIFE POLICIES

A. Traditional whole life products

- 1. Ordinary (straight) life
- 2. Limited-pay and single-premium life
- 3. Modified whole life
- 4. Adjustable life

B. Interest-sensitive life products

- 1. Universal life
- 2. Variable whole life
- 3. Variable universal life
- 4. Interest-sensitive whole life

C. Term life

- 1. Level, decreasing, and increasing term
- 2. Special features
 - a. Renewable
 - b. Convertible
 - c. Reentry

D. Annuities

- 1. Single, level, and flexible premium
- 2. Immediate and deferred
- 3. Fixed and variable
- 4. Refund

E. Endowment

- F. Combination plans and variations
 - 1. Juvenile
 - 2. Joint life
 - 3. Survivorship life

II. POLICY RIDERS, PROVISIONS, OPTIONS, AND EXCLUSIONS

A. Policy riders

- 1. Waiver of premium
- 2. Guaranteed insurability
- Accidental death and/or accidental death and dismemberment
- 4. Term riders
- 5. Other insureds (e.g., spouse, children, nonfamily)

B. Policy provisions and options

- 1. Entire contract
- 2. Insuring clause
- 3. Free look
- 4. Consideration
- 5. Owner's rights
- 6. Beneficiary designations
 - a. Primary and contingent
 - b. Revocable and irrevocable
 - c. Changes
 - d. Common disaster
- 7. Premium Payment
 - a. Modes
 - b. Grace period
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- 8. Reinstatement
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- 10. Nonforfeiture options
- 11. Dividends and dividend options
- 12. Incontestability
- 13. Assignments
- 14. Suicide
- 15. Misstatement of age
- 16. Settlement options
- C. Policy exclusions
- III. COMPLETING THE APPLICATION, UNDERWRITING, AND DELIVERING THE POLICY

A. Completing the application

- 1. Required signatures
- 2. Changes in the application
- 3. Consequences of incomplete applications
- 4. Warranties and representations
- 5. Collecting the initial premium and issuing the
- receipt

B. Underwriting

- 1. Insurable interest
- 2. Medical information and consumer reports
- 3. Fair Credit Reporting Act
- 4. Risk classification
- 5. Calculations (ex. human life value)

C. Delivering the policy

- 1. When coverage begins
- 2. Explaining the policy and its provisions, riders, exclusions, and ratings to the client

IV. TAXES, RETIREMENT, AND OTHER INSURANCE CONCEPTS

- A. Third-party ownership
- B. Group life insurance
 - 1. Conversion privilege
 - 2. Contributory vs. noncontributory
- C. Retirement plans
 - 1. Tax-qualified plans
 - 2. Nonqualified plans
- D. Business insurance (e.g., key employee, buy and sell agreement, split-dollar, etc.)
- E. Social Security benefits and taxes
- F. Tax treatment of insurance premiums, proceeds, dividends
 - 1. Individual life
 - 2. Group life

A. Disability income

- 3. Gifts
- 4. Modified Endowment Contracts (MECs)
- 5. Tax Sheltered Annuity (TSAs)
- G. Accelerated Death Benefits-Living Benefits

V. TYPES OF HEALTH/DISABILITY POLICIES

1. Individual disability income policy

3. Business disability buyout policy

B. Accidental death and dismemberment

1. Basic hospital, medical, and surgical policies

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3. Comprehensive major medical policies

4. Group disability income policy

C. Medical expense insurance

2. Major medical policies

2. Business overhead expense policy

- 4. Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs)
- 5. Preferred provider organizations (PPOs)
- 6. Multiple Employer Trusts (METs)
- 7. Multiple Employer Welfare Association (MEWAs)
- 8. Service organizations (Blue Plans)
- D. Medicare supplement policies

E. Group insurance

- 1. Group conversion
- 2. Differences between individual and group contracts
- 3. General concepts
- 4. COBRA
- 5. HIPPA
- F. Long Term Care

VI. POLICY PROVISIONS, CLAUSES, AND RIDERS A. Mandatory provisions

- 1. Entire contract
- 2. Time limit on certain defenses (incontestable)
- 3. Grace period
- 4. Reinstatement
- 5. Notice of claim
- 6. Claim forms
- 7. Proof of loss
- 8. Time of payment of claims
- 9. Payment of claims
- 10. Physical examination and autopsy
- 11. Legal actions
- 12. Change of beneficiary
- B. Optional provisions
 - 1. Change of occupation
 - 2. Misstatement of age
 - 3. Illegal occupation
- C. Other provisions and clauses
 - 1. Insuring clause
 - 2. Free look (10-day, 20-day, etc.)
 - 3. Consideration clause
 - 4. Probationary period
 - 5. Elimination period
 - 6. Waiver of premium
 - 7. Exclusions
 - 8. Preexisting conditions
 - 9. Recurrent disability
 - 10. Coinsurance
 - 11. Deductibles
 - 12. Assignment
- D. Riders
 - 1. Impairment rider
 - 2. Guaranteed insurability rider
 - 3. Multiple indemnity rider (double, triple)

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E. Rights of renewability

- 1. Noncancelable
- 2. Cancelable
- 3. Guaranteed renewable
- 4. Conditionally renewable
- 5. Optionally renewable
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- A. Medicare
 - 1. Primary, secondary payor
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- VIII. OTHER INSURANCE CONCEPTS
 - A. Total, partial, and residual disability
 - B. Owner's rights
 - C. Dependent children benefits
 - D. Primary and contingent beneficiaries
 - E. Modes of premium payments (annual, semiannual, etc.)
 - F. Nonduplication and coordination of benefits (e.g., primary vs. excess)
 - G. Occupational vs. nonoccupational
 - H. Tax treatment of premiums and proceeds of insurance contracts (e.g., disability income and medical expenses, etc.)
 - I. Managed care
- IX. FIELD UNDERWRITING PROCEDURES
 - A. Completing application and obtaining necessary signatures
 - B. Explaining sources of insurability information (e.g., MIB Report, Fair Credit Reporting Act, etc.)
 - C. Upon payment of initial premium, giving prospect conditional receipt and explaining the effect of that receipt (e.g., medical examination, etc.)
 - D. Submitting application (and initial premium if collected) to company for underwriting
 - E. Assuring delivery of policy to client
 - F. Explaining policy and its provisions, riders, exclusions, and ratings to clients
 - G. In cases where initial premium did not accompany application, obtaining signed statement of continued good health and obtaining premium for transmittal
 - H. Contract law
 - 1. Requirements of a contract
 - 2. Insurable interest
 - 3. Warranties and representations
 - 4. Unique aspects of the health contract
 - a. Conditional
 - b. Unilateral
 - c. Adhesion
- X. MONTANA STATUTES AND RULES PERTINENT TO LIFE AND DISABILITY INSURANCE CONSULTANTS *Ref.: 33-17-501-512; 33-17-1203*
 - A. Licensing requirements
 - 1. Consultant
 - 2. Agreements
 - 3. License maintenance
 - 4. License revocation or suspension
 - B. Consultant practices, responsibilities, and duties
 - duties
 - 1. Solicitation and disclosures
 - 2. Advertising
 - 3. Standard practices
 - 4. Cost comparison methods
 - C. Unfair/Prohibited Practices
 - Ref.: 33-18-101--1006; ARM 6.6.1201-1203

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Rebating
 Defamation

3. Discrimination

4. Misrepresentation

D. Montana Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association

Ref.: 33-10-201, 205, 210, 224, 227

PROPERTY AND CASUALTY CONSULTANT CONTENT OUTLINE

(100 scoreable questions)

Ref: Unless otherwise indicated, Standard textbooks; The Institute's Accredited Advisor in Insurance (AAI 81, 82, 83). Insurance Accounting and Systems Assn. text; NAIC accounting manual and supplement. Other materials may be used.

I. PRINCIPLES OF RISK MANAGEMENT

A. Pure risk vs. speculative risk

B. Risk management process

- 1. Identifying and analyzing loss exposures
- 2. Selecting method to handle each exposure
- 3. Implementing the risk management strategy
- 4. Monitoring the risk management system and making changes when appropriate

C. Nature of property loss exposures

- 1. Property exposed to loss
- 2. Causes of loss
- 3. Consequences of loss

D. Nature of liability loss exposures

- 1. Legal liability
- 2. Civil liability
 - a. Tort liability
 - (1) Intentional
 - (2) Negligence
 - (3) Strict
 - (4) Exemplary/punitive
 - (5) Immunity
- E. Contract law as it relates to insurance
- F. Types of insurers
- G. Reinsurance

II. FUNDAMENTALS OF FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

- A. Financial statements
 - 1. Balance sheet
 - 2. Income statement
 - 3. Sources and uses of funds statement
- B. Ratio analysis
 - 1. Liquidity
 - 2. Activity
 - 3. Financial leverage
 - 4. Profitability
- C. Inventory valuation methods

III. PROPERTY INSURANCE POLICIES AND FORMS

- A. Personal lines
 - 1. HO forms
 - 2. DP forms
- B. Commercial lines
 - 1. Building and personal property coverage form

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- 2. Causes of loss forms
- 3. Business income coverage form
- 4. Extra expense coverage form
- 5. Businessowners policy (BOP)
- 6. Boiler and Machinery
- 7. Commercial Package Policy (CPP)
- 8. Commercial property polices
- C. Inland marine

- 1. Coverages and policy provisions
- 2. Commercial and Personal floaters
- 3. Commercial inland marine
- D. Ocean marine
 - 1. Cargo
 - 2. Commercial ocean marine

E. Other insurance

- 1. Flood
- 2. Aviation

IV. CASUALTY INSURANCE POLICIES AND FORMS

A. Commercial General Liability (CGL)

- 1. Premises and operations liability
- 2. Products and completed operations liability
- 3. Contractual liability
- 4. Personal and advertising liability
- 5. Medical payments
- 6. Owners and contractors protective liability
- 7. Occurrence coverage
- 8. Claims made coverage

B. Auto: Personal and Commercial

- 1. Liability
- 2. Physical damage (collision and comprehensive)
- 3. Named insureds
- 4. Garage coverage forms
- 5. Lease Gap
- 6. Owned auto
- 7. Nonowned auto
- 8. Temporary substitute auto

C. Workers Compensation/Employer's liability

- Ref.: Standard insurance text; 39-71-401-409; 411-413
- 1. Policy concepts
- 2. Rating plans
- 3. NCCI Experience modifications
- D. Crime coverage
 - 1. Employee dishonesty
 - 2. Theft, Disappearance, and Destruction
 - 3. Robbery and safe burglary
 - 4. Premises burglary
 - 5. Custodian
 - 6. Messenger

A. Perils

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- H. Employment Practices liability
- V. PROPERTY AND CASUALTY POLICY PROVISIONS, TERMS, AND CONCEPTS

VI. MONTANA STATUTES AND RULES PERTINENT TO

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PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE

A. LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

- Ref.: 33-17-501-512; 33-17-1203
- 1. Consultant
- 2. Agreements
- 3. License maintenance
- 4. License revocation or suspension
- B. Consultant practices, responsibilities, and duties

C. Unfair/prohibited practices

- Ref.: 33-18-101-1006; ARM 6.6.1201-1203
- 1. Rebating
- 2. Defamation
- 3. Discrimination
- 4. Misrepresentation
- D. Surplus lines *Ref.: 33-2-301—306, 308, 310 — 311, 313, 317*
- E. Risk retention groups *Ref.: 33-11-101--103, 104*
- F. Montana Insurance Guaranty Association *Ref.: 33-10-101 — 105, 115 — 117*

MONTANA CROP INSURANCE CONTENT OUTLINE

(50 scored questions)

The following are examination reference resources:

- The Montana Risk Management Agency website at: <u>https://www.rma.usda.gov/en</u>
- The Montana codes are online at: <u>https://leg.mt.gov/statute/</u>
- Individual Crop Insurance companies
- - A. Insurable interest
 - B. Risk
 - C. Hazard
 - D. Peril
 - E. Loss
 - 1. Direct
 - 2. Indirect
 - F. Indemnity
 - G. Limits of Liability
 - H. Occurrence
 - I. Negligence
 - J. Insuring Agreement
 - K. Subrogation
 - L. Binder
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 - B. Coverages available
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 - 2. Notice of loss
 - 3. Insured's duties
 - 4. Percentage plan
 - 5. Arbitration and appraisal
 - 6. Loss payment

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 - - 1. Broad powers and duties
 - Ref.:33-1-301 306; 33-18-1003 1005
 - 2. Examination of records *Ref.:33-1-402*
 - 3. Investigations/Notice of hearing
 - *Ref.:33-1-701* 4. Penalties
 - Ref: 33-1-104, 315, 317; 33-18-1003 1005

B. Adjuster licensing

- 1. License requirements
 - Ref.: 33-17-301; ARM 6.6.1601 1616
- 2. License suspension and revocation *Ref.: 33-17-1001, 1002, 1004*
- 3. Definitions *Ref.:33-17-301, ARM 6.6.1611*

C. Trade practices

- 1. Unfair claims practices *Ref.: 33-18-201, 1205*
- 2. Claim settlement practices *Ref.: 33-18-232 233*
- 3. Misrepresentation *Ref:*. 33-18-202
- 4. Discrimination Ref: 33-18-210
- D. Insurance Information & Privacy Protection
 - Act

Ref.:33-19-102 - 409

MONTANA PUBLIC ADJUSTER CONTENT OUTLINE

Product Knowledge, Statutes, and Rules

(50 scored questions)

I. GENERAL PROPERTY INSURANCE PRODUCT KNOWLEDGE PERTINENT TO PUBLIC ADJUSTERS

Note: To the extent that the specific contracts, forms, and endorsements dealt with in this outline are available in standardized versions, outline references are to items developed by (1) ISO; (2) NCCI; (3) Surety Association of America.

- A. Standard Fire Policy
- Ref: New York Standard Fire Policy Ref: 515.138
 - 1. Basic coverages, provisions, and clauses
 - 2. Limitations and restrictions
- B. Personal lines
 - 1. Dwelling and contents (DP forms)
 - 2. Homeowners (HO forms)
- C. Commercial lines
- 1. Commercial property
 - a. Commercial building and personal property form
 - b. Business income
- 2. Law and Ordinance Coverage
- D. Inland marine
- 1. Personal floaters
- 2. Commercial floaters
- E. Others
 - 1. National Flood Insurance Program

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F. Additional Coverages and Exclusions

- 1. Time Element
- 2. Valuable Papers and Records
- G. Crime
 - 1. Employee Theft
 - 2. Inside the Premises-Theft of Money and Securities
 - 3. Inside the Premises-Robbery or Safe Burglary of Other Property
- H. Surety Bonding
 - 1. Definitions
 - a. Obligee
 - b. Principal
 - c. Surety

II. PROPERTY POLICY PROVISIONS AND CONTRACT LAW

- A. Declarations
- **B.** Exclusions
- C. Definition of the insured
- D. Proof of loss
- E. Notice of claim
- F. Appraisal
- G. Subrogation
- H. Limitations
- I. Coinsurance
- J. Fraud

III. PROPERTY INSURANCE TERMS AND RELATED CONCEPTS

- A. Insurable interest
- B. Risk
- C. Hazard
- 1. Moral
- D. Loss
 - 1. Direct
- 2. Indirect
- E. Deductible
- F. Indemnity
- G. Replacement cost
- H. Extensions of coverage
- I. Negligence
- J. Theft
- K. Burglary
- L. Robbery
- M. Binders
- N. Apportionment clause
- O. Waiver/Non-Waiver Agreement
- P. Estoppel

IV. PUBLIC ADJUSTER

- A. Loss Report
 - 1. Essential Elements
 - a. Occurrence Date
 - b. Coverages
- B. Loss/Damage Valuation
 - 1. Damages
 - 2. Scope of Loss or Damages

V. MONTANA STATUTES AND RULES PERTINENT TO PROPERTY INSURANCE AND THE LICENSING OF **PUBLIC ADJUSTERS**

A. Definitions

- Ref: 33-17-102; 33-17-301
- 1. Persons required to be licensed and their responsibilities

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- a. Public Adjuster
- 2. License requirements
- a. Fees and application
 - b. Prerequisites
- c. Exceptions to licensing
- 3. Notice of address change
- 4. Contracts and Solicitation of Contracts

B. Marketing Practices

- Ref: 33-17-1101; 33-17-1001; 33-18-201 202
- 1. Duties of licensed personnel
- 2. Record keeping
- 3. License denial, suspension, revocation, and
- Penalties
- 4. Ethics
- 5. Unfair practices
- a. Misrepresentation
- b. Unfair claims settlement practices

C. Insurance Commissioner

Ref: 33-1-301 - 306, 313 - 317; 701 -711; 33-18-1003 - 1005

- 1. Broad powers and duties
- 2. Hearings
- 3. Cease and desist orders and penalties
- 4. General penalties

MONTANA PREPAID LEGAL CONTENT OUTLINE

(50 scored questions)

PREPAID LEGAL SERVICE PLAN GENERAL I. PRODUCT KNOWLEDGE, CONCEPTS AND TERMINOLOGY

Ref: 33-1-215, Prepaid legal service contracts

- A. TYPES OF POLICIES AND COVERAGES
 - 1. Individual and family policy coverages
 - a. Legal Consultation
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations
 - b. Attorney Letters
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations
 - c. Document review
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations
 - d. Wills and Estate Planning
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations e. Discounted legal services
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations
 - f. Other covered services
 - i. Exclusions and Limitations

g. Insureds

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h. General Exclusions and Limitations

Fines and penalties

vii. Out of pocket expenses

viii. Legal issues outside U.S.

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vi. Expert witness fees

ix. Retainer fees

Other

b. Commercial drivers

2. Other types of policies

a. Small business

- Illegal acts i.
- ii. Frivolous acts iv. Court costs
- iii. Indefensible acts

- c. Employee benefits
- B. Producer conduct and responsibilities
 - 1. Dispensing of legal advice
 - 2. Unethical marketing practices
- C. Delivery of legal services
 - Ethical and professional responsibilities of attorneys

D. Prepaid legal service plan terminology

- 1. Prepaid legal service plan
- 2. Legal maintenance organization (LMO)
- 3. Prepaid legal service plan insurance
- 4. Legal plan

II. MONTANA STATUTES AND RULES PERTINENT TO PREPAID LEGAL INSURANCE

A. Insurance Commissioner/Department

- Broad powers and duties *Ref: 33-1-301- 306; 33-18-1003 --- 1005*
 Examination of records
- *Ref: 33-1-311; 401 402, 408-411, 413; 33-17-1101* 3. Cease and desist orders
- *Ref: 33-1-313 316, 701, 705, 707, 711; 33-18-1004 — 1005*
- 4. Penalties *Ref: 33-1-317*

B. Licensing Requirements

- 1. Definitions *Ref: 33-17-102 — 103, 236*
- 2. Nonresident/reciprocal producer *Ref: 33-17-20, 406 — 411; 33-20-1303*
- 3. Continuing education *Ref: 33-17-1203 1207*
- 4. Temporary licenses *Ref: 33-17-216 217*
- 5. Eligibility for license *Ref: 33-17-201, 211*
- Suspension, revocation, and termination of licenses
 B:6.32.17.1001.1002.1004

Ref: 33-17-1001,1002, 1004

- 7. Producer appointment/contract cancellation *Ref: 33-17-231 232, 236*
- 8. Resident producer *Ref: 33-17-201, 220, 1005; 33-20-1303*

C. Unfair Trade Practices

- Ref: 33-18-101—1006
- 1. False advertising
- 2. Rebating
- 3. Misrepresentation
- 4. Defamation
- 5. Unfair discrimination *Ref: 49-2-30-9; ARM 6.6.1201 — 1206*
- 6. Unfair claims practices
 - *Ref: 33-1-1205; 33-18-201, 232*
- 7. Penalties
 - *Ref: 33-18-1004 1005*

D. Licensee Responsibilities

- 1. Fiduciary capacity *Ref: 33-17-1102*
- 2. Place of business/recordkeeping *Ref: 33-17-1101*
- 3. Principal producer relationship *Ref:* 28-10-101 704
- E. Rate and Form Regulations

Ref: 33-1-501 - 502; 33-16-101 - 103, 201 - 204

- F. Insurance Information & Privacy Protection Act Ref: 33-19-102 — 409
- G. Basic Contract Language Ref: 33-15-101 – 103
- H. Insurance Fraud Protection Act Ref: 33-1-1201 — 1211

MONTANA SURETY CONTENT OUTLINE

(20 scoreable questions)

Ref: General Textbooks; 33-1-211 and 33-26-101 — 108; Title 33, Chapter 17, MCA

- - B. Parties of a contract
 - C. Obligation of the surety
 - D. Parties to the surety
 - 1. Principal
 - 2. Obligee
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 - C. Financial institutions 1. Bankers Form 24
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 - B. Surety bond fee
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MONTANA BAIL BOND CONTENT OUTLINE

(50 scored questions)

Ref: General Textbooks; 33-1-211; 33-26-101 – 108; Title 46, Chapter 9, MCA; ARM 6.6.60; Title 33, Chapter 17, MCA I.

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- A. Definition of fidelity and surety
- B. Parties of a contract
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 - 2. Obligee
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 - 4. Indemnitor
- E. Underwriting considerations
- F. Premiums and terms of obligations
- G. Claims
- H. Power of attorney
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 - 2. Fiduciary
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- **B.** Collateral
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 - 2. Maintenance
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 - 3. Dispersal of funds
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- E. Bond principal limits
- V. INSURANCE TERMS AND RELATED CONCEPTS... 2
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- E. Conviction
- F. Custody
- G. Defendant
- H. Disposition Exoneration I.
- J. Extradition
- K. Felony
- L. Fugitive
- M. Hearing
- N. Incarceration
- O. Misdemeanor
- P. Parole
- Q. Power of Attorney
- **R.** Probation
- S. Release Own Recognizance
- T. Subrogation
- U. Warrant