



ASR Underwriting Agencies

Proposal Form

PUBLIC & PRODUCTS LIABILITY

CLINICAL RESEARCH

Arranged through ASR Underwriting Agencies Pty Ltd Underwritten by Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's

IMPORTANT NOTES

PLEASE READ THESE GUIDANCE NOTES BEFORE COMPLETING THE PROPOSAL FORM. WHERE FURTHER INFORMATION IS REQUIRED PLEASE ATTACH IT TO THIS PROPOSAL FORM. This proposal must be typed, or completed in ink and signed and dated by such person (Proposer/You/Your) who must be of legal capacity and authorised by the Proposer to seek a quotation for Liability Insurance and any additional coverage that may be provided by the Insurer. Please answer every question fully, and state "NIL" or "NONE" as applicable. Incomplete answers may not be accepted and can delay quotation.

Should there be insufficient room in the Proposal Form for full details, please attach further information on signed and dated sheets, wherever possible following the same format and paragraph number. It is the duty of the Proposer to disclose all material facts to Insurers. Where this is omitted, the Insurers may avoid their obligation under the Policy.

For the purpose of the Proposal and for all purposes relating to any policy issued pursuant to this Proposal, a 'material fact' shall be deemed to be one that would be likely to influence an Insurer's judgement and acceptance of Your Proposal. Upon acceptance of the Insurers' terms and conditions and payment of the premium, all information provided by the Proposer together with the guidance notes will be deemed to be incorporated in the contract between Insurers and the Proposer.

YOUR DUTY OF DISCLOSURE

Before you enter into an insurance contract, you have a duty to tell us anything that you know, or could reasonably be expected to know, may affect our decision to insure you and on what terms. You have this duty until we agree to insure you. You have the same duty before you renew, extend, vary or reinstate an insurance contract. You do not need to tell us anything that:

- reduces the risk we insure you for; or
- is common knowledge; or
- we know or should know as an insurer; or
- we waive your duty to tell us about.

If you do not tell us something: If you do not tell us anything you are required to, we may cancel your contract or reduce the amount we will pay you if you make a claim, or both. If your failure to tell us is fraudulent, we may refuse to pay a claim and treat the contract as if it never existed.

PRIVACY

We are committed to protecting your privacy. We use the information you provide to us to assist with your insurance needs. We provide your information to insurance underwriters, brokers and agents that provide insurance quotes and offer insurance terms to you or the companies that deal with your insurance claim (such as loss assessors and claims administrators). Your information may be given to certain Underwriters at Lloyd's when we are seeking insurance terms from them, or to reinsurers who are located overseas. We also supply your information to the providers of our policy administration and underwriting systems that help us to maintain our products and services. You will be advised where those companies are located at the time any advice is given to you. We do not trade, rent or sell your information. If you do not provide us with full information, we cannot properly seek insurance terms for you, or assist with claims and you could breach your duty of disclosure. For more information about how to access the personal information we hold about you and how to have the information corrected and how to complain if you think we have breached the privacy laws, ask us for a copy of our Privacy Policy by telephone to our Privacy Officer on 07 3442 3301 or visit our website www.asruw.com.au

EXCESS

The policy provides that You will be required to bear a specified amount of all claims and this is for each and every claim made against You including defence costs. We will let You know when the excess is payable.

YOUR LEGAL LIABILITY

If you take out a Liability cover section, the financial risk of court awards through litigation is ever increasing and we recommend that You select a Limit of Liability that takes into account the future cost of claims including legal fees and costs of defence. Even higher limits are available than your current limit if required. Defence costs are included within the limit of liability, when you take out a Liability cover section.

WAIVER OF RIGHTS

If You have entered into an agreement with another party, which prevents your Insurer from taking recovery action for compensation from that party it may affect Your rights to cover under this Policy. Should You now be a party to such an agreement or be requested to enter such an agreement in the future, please advise your Broker in writing so we may notify the Insurer.

BROKER DETAILS

Broker Name		Contact Name	
Phone Number		Fax Number	
Email Address			

COMPANY INFORMATION

Full name of Insured(s)					
ABN					
Address of registered office					
Suburb		State		Postcode	
Full business description					
Website address					
On what date was the company first established/commenced trading?				/ /	
Is your company involved in clinical trials?				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
For each trial to be insured please attach a copy protocol document (if final version not available please submit draft or synopsis), plus informed patient consent form.					

OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

1. Are all trials conducted in full accordance with:	(a) National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) requirements with protocols approved by an independent ethics committee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	(b) Royal Australian College of Physicians recommendations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	(c) Applicable government department, medical body pharmaceutical industry body guidelines including Medicines Australia?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	(d) Department of Health and Ageing Therapeutic Goods Administration "The Australian Clinical Trial Handbook" on Good Clinical Practice (GCP)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	(e) I.C.H guidelines?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	(f) Do all first-in-humans studies follow 2006 guidelines to improve conduct of early stage clinical trials?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
2. Are you the sponsor of the trial(s) to be insured? If no, please advise your involvement (ie. legal representative, local sponsor, clinical research organisation, principal investigator etc.)		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
3 (a). Are all trials conducted in Australia?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
3 (b). If yes, are trials to be conducted in Victoria subject to VMIA requirements? If no, then please state territories under Q8.		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
4. Please provide details of any claims or letters, writs, demands or requests for compensation received during the last 5 years which might give rise to a claim of compensation against you.						
5. Details of trials performed in the last 12 months (please complete on separate page if insufficient room). If trials are first-in-human then please state "FIH" under phase.						
Date commenced	Completed date	Study title in full	Phase	No. of subjects		Territory if not AUS
				Estimated	Enrolled to date	
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6. **Summary of trials planned for the next 12 months** (please complete on separate page if insufficient room). If any trials are first-in-human then please state "FIH" under phase.

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7(a). Who are your current insurer(s)? If currently uninsured, please state.

7(b). What is the renewal date of your current insurance policy covering clinical trials?

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7(c). If placed on a claims made basis, what retroactive date is currently applied to the policy?

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7(d). Please state limit(s) of indemnity for which a quotation is required or local currency equivalent?

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8. Show percentage of work performed in each state:

NSW	%	ACT	%	QLD	%	WA	%
VIC	%	TAS	%	SA	%	NT	%

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

DECLARATION – YOUR DUTY OF DISCLOSURE

I confirm that:	I am authorised on behalf of the insured(s) to sign this proposal.
	I understand that the duty of disclosure applies to all Insured(s). The answers are provided on behalf of all persons/entities comprising the Insured(s).
	I understand the questions in the proposal
	Whilst some or all of the answers to the questions may not be checked by me, I certify they are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Do you consider that your establishment is a good insurance risk?

Yes No

Authorised signatory		Dated	/ /
Name of signatory		Position	

CANCELLATION CHARGES

If we are requested to cancel the policy, we will charge the following short period rate premiums. We will hold you and or your insurance intermediary liable to pay these amounts

Within 1 month of inception:	25% of the quoted premium	Thereafter at terms to be agreed with underwriters
Within 2 months of inception:	20% of the quoted premium	
Within 3 months of inception:	15% of the quoted premium	