INDEPENDENT AGENT GUIDE

Nationwide Brokerage Solutions (NBS) is a **wholesale brokerage** operation and **direct market access** provider with managing general underwriter **(MGU)** capabilities in small E&S.

Through our relationships with **regional, national and specialty carriers**, NBS offers agencies access to solutions for simple and unique needs to complement their existing portfolios.

Agents who work with NBS appreciate the strong economic value offered through competitive **commission splits**, **bonus opportunities** and local **agency ownership** that help maximize agency profitability.

We offer **technology solutions** that make it easier for agents to submit and write more business. If you have questions, our **experienced associates** are here to help you and can assist with more complex needs.

Flexible

We're more than a brokerage. In addition to wholesale solutions, you can benefit from our MGU authority and direct carrier appointments.

Wholesaler: We serve as a distribution advantage for Nationwide products and connect you with up to 75 industry-leading carriers and their products.

MGU Authority: As a Managing General Underwriter (MGU) with several E&S carriers, we have flexibility to adapt quotes to your unique clients.

Market Access: We understand you're busy and need quoting options that fit your business. Get quotes quickly by comparative rater or direct carrier appointment.

Dependable

We care about what matters to you. Invest in your agency by owning your book of business, earning more through our incentive bonus and securing against E&O claims.

Ownership: You own the business you write with NBS and it's yours to grow or sell as you like.

Compensation: When you write more than \$500,000 in premium, you can earn an annual bonus of up to 1.75%. Plus, we offer some of the most competitive commission rates in the industry.

Errors & Omissions (E&O): For over 30 years, NBS has worked alongside Allianz to deliver policies with competitive rates to meet your E&O needs.

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iiisubmit@nationwide.com

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nbs@nationwide.com

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Specialty Brokerage

Phone: Option 1

Excess & Surplus

Phone: Option 1

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Phone: Option 1

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Direct Access

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Personal Lines

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CONTACT NBS SALES TEAM

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Underwriting Inquiries

800-444-1744 nbs@nationwide.com

COMMERCIAL OVERVIEW

With access to leading carriers offering a broad range of commercial lines products, Nationwide Brokerage Solutions is your access point to the small commercial and middle market coverage options your commercial clients need to build and protect their businesses.

Our Offerings

iQuote: Expand your options when you use our comparative rater. By submitting just one online application per risk, iQuote may return multiple bindable quotes for you to present to your client.

Excess & Surplus: In small businesses, speed of service is crucial. With just a few details, we can provide E&S quotes over the phone in as little as five minutes for more than 80 business classes.

Specialty Lines: When your clients have specialty products and complementary lines business needs including management and fiduciary liability, we work with you to customize policies that meet your clients' unique insurance needs.

Middle Market: Our middle market carriers offer package opportunities for a variety of industries for accounts exceeding \$15 million in annual revenue.

Direct Access: Take control of your accounts with direct carrier appointments. For a list of carriers available in your state, visit nbsbrokerage.com.

Lines of Business

Bonds BOP Builder's Risk Commercial Auto Cyber Liability Crime Directors & Officers EPLI Errors & Omissions Garage Liability Garagekeepers General Liability

Centrex

Century

Crum & Forster

Devon Park Specialty

Chubb

CNA

Habitational Inland Marine Liquor Liability Ocean Marine Package Pollution Liability Professional Liability Property Special Event Umbrella/Excess Workers' Compensation

Commercial Lines Carriers*

Nationwide E&S/Specialty AIG American Modern AmTrust AON Appalachian Underwriters Arrowhead Berkshire Hathaway BrickStreet

Arrowhead Dovetail
Berkshire Hathaway Employers
BrickStreet Endurance
BTIS FirstComp
CapSpecialty Foremost

Grange
Great American
Guard
Hartford
Hiscox
Identity Fraud Inc.
Infinity
Liberty Mutual
Markel
Metlife
MiddleOak

Penn-America
Philadelphia
Progressive
QBE
Rockhill
Schinnerer
State Auto
Travelers
US Assure
USLI

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COMMERCIAL IQUOTE

Expand your options when you use our comparative rater. By submitting just one online application per risk, iQuote may return multiple bindable quotes for you to present to your client.

Lines of Business

BOP & Package Workers' Compensation Commercial Auto General Liability Umbrella (not available monoline)

iQuote Carriers*

Brickstreet CBIC Chartis/AIG Chubb CNA Employers Guard The Hartford Homestate Liberty Mutual

Markel Progressive Travelers USLI

Accessing iQuote

iQuote can be accessed through the NBS website by clicking 'iQuote' at the top of the page, then clicking the 'Log In to iQuote' link to automatically load your iQuote home page.

The first time you visit iQuote, you will be prompted to complete and submit a DocuSign form. Our Agency Services team will process and grant you access to iQuote within 48 hours.

Occasionally, the 'Log In to iQuote' link may not automatically log you in to iQuote. If this occurs, you may need to reset your iQuote password using the instructions below.

- **1. Go to nationwide.insurezone.com** in one of the following browsers: Internet Explorer 10 or above, Chrome or Firefox
- 2. Enter your Account ID: Most likely will be the principal agent's nine (9) digit producer number
- 3. Enter your User ID: This will be the email/username you provided to us
- 4. Use the Forgot Password link to reset your iQuote password

If you are still unable to log in, please contact NBS Agency Services by calling 800-444-1744 options 5,1, or by email at iiiagsvc@nationwide.com.

For More Information

Additional information about iQuote, including risk classification help and binding requirements can be found on the training page at nbsbrokerage.com.

If you have underwriting questions, contact our iQuote team at 800-444-1744, option 1. For assistance signing up for iQuote or logging in, contact our Agency Services team at 800-444-1744, option 4.

^{*} Carrier availability depends on risk location

COMMERCIAL EXCESS & SURPLUS

For small businesses, speed of service is crucial. We have solutions for more than 1,000 types of operations and time-saving options for getting quotes and rate indications. Our E&S comparative rater can provide indications for common general liability and property risks, and many accounts can be quoted over the phone in as little as five minutes.

Lines of Business

Garage Liability - Auto Dealers Garage Liability - Auto Service General Liability Inland Marine Liquor Liability Package Property Special Events Umbrella/Excess

Accessing Excess & Surplus

E&S Comparative Rater

We've partnered with ClarionDoor to provide a tool for agents to get fast excess and surplus rate indications for GL and property online.

- Enter minimal risk details to get real rate indications instantly
- Receive indications from up to four E&S carriers
- There is no added cost to use our E&S comparative rater

Go to nbsbrokerage.com to access the E&S comparative rater.

Phone Quotes

For many business classes, we can help you complete a quote over the phone in as little as 5 minutes.

Contact our E&S new business team for an instant quote today by calling 800-444-1744, options 2,1.

Application Submission

Fill out an application and send to iiisubmit@nationwide.com. ACORD applications can be accessed on the nbsbrokerage.com forms page.

Garage

Nationwide Brokerage Solutions has a dedicated garage team to help place your garage risks. Call our garage specialists today!

Truley Constable - 614-429-5307 Danyle Maloney - 614-429-5311

For More Information

Additional information about Excess & Surplus, including phone quoting and our E&S comparative rater, can be found on the training page at nbsbrokerage.com, or by calling 800-444-1744, option 1.

COMMERCIAL SPECIALTY

Our Commercial Brokerage team offers placement for specialty and ancillary lines. We place business through a traditional brokerage application submission process to help you quote larger and more complex standard, specialty and ancillary lines risks with ease.

Lines of Business

Crime
Cyber/Technology Liability
Directors & Officers
EPLI
Environmental Liability
Errors & Omissions (E&O)

Equipment Breakdown Fiduciary Liability Foreign Liability Inland Marine Kidnap & Ransom Liquor Liability

Ocean Marine/Cargo Package Professional Liability Special Events Umbrella/Excess

Accessing Commercial Specialty

Complete the appropriate ACORD and/or supplemental application for your risk and email applications to iiisubmit@nationwide.com. If you have additional questions, contact our Commercial Brokerage team by calling 800-444-1744, option 1.

COMMERCIAL MIDDLE MARKET

Our middle market carriers offer package opportunities for a variety of industries for accounts exceeding \$15 million in annual revenue or \$50,000 in annual premium.

Middle Market Industries

Communications
Construction
Distributors
Equipment Dealers
Financial Services
Healthcare

Hospitality
Hotels
Life Sciences
Printers & Publishers
Professional Services
Real Estate

Restaurants Retail Trade Schools/Universities Technology Wholesale Trade Wholesalers

Accessing Middle Market

Complete the appropriate ACORD and/or supplemental application for your risk and email applications to iiisubmit@nationwide.com. Our team will review and determine middle market eligibility.

COMMERCIAL DIRECT ACCESS

Take control of your accounts with direct carrier appointments and quickly quote, bind and service directly with top carriers. **Find details for your state at nbsbrokerage.com.**

Lines of Business

BOP Builder's Risk Commercial Auto Cyber Liability Directors & Officers Flood General Liability Inland Marine Professional Liability Property Workers' Comp

Direct Access Carriers*

Appalachian Underwriters Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Companies** BTIS Chubb CNA** Dovetail

Employers**

Grange Guard** Hartford** Hiscox Identity Fraud, Inc Liberty Mutual** Infinity Progressive
State Auto
The Bond Exchange
Travelers
US Assure
USLI - Special Events
USLI - Other Lines**

For More Information

Visit the direct access page of nbsbrokerage.com to view available carriers and lines of business in your state. For additional information, including requirements for sub-direct appointments, contact:

Tim Taylor - 614-429-5312

^{*} Carrier availability depends on risk location

^{**} These carriers offer a limited number of sub-direct appointments. A detailed review of your agency may be required. Appointment is at carriers' discretion.

PERSONAL OVERVIEW

When it comes to protecting homes, autos and property, your clients need coverage they can depend on. Whether their needs include high value packages, vacant dwellings, dwellings with protection class issues, watercraft, collectibles or nonstandard auto, Nationwide Brokerage Solutions is your access point for many leading carriers' personal lines products.

Our Offerings

Brokerage Specialty: For risks not eligible with Nationwide, NBS has options including Nationwide Excess & Surplus/Specialty Insurance for adverse credit, claims frequency and PC 9 and 10.

Network: The Network gives you the opportunity to grow your agency by earning sub-direct appointments and by using EZLynx for comparative rating.

Direct Access: Take control of your accounts with direct carrier appointments. For a list of carriers available in your state, visit nbsbrokerage.com.

Lines of Business

Auto Boat/PWC Builder's Risk Classic/Exotic Auto CPL/Excess CPL Condo Dwelling Fire Farm High Value Home Homeowners In-Home Business Inland Marine/Collections Mobile Home Motorcycle Nonstandard Auto

Renters RV/Motorhome Specialty Home Umbrella/Excess Vacant Dwelling

Personal Lines Carriers*

Nationwide E&S/
Specialty
Nationwide Private
Client
ACE
Aegis
AIC
AIG Private Client
AIG/Lexington
American Collectors

American Modern

Appalachian
Underwriters
Arrowhead
Cabrillo
Chubb
Coastal Select
Cypress
Dairyland
Encompass
Foremost
Frontline

GeoVera
Infinity
Interboro
Lighthouse
MarketScout
MetLife
Orchid
Progressive
Progressive Home
QBF

RLI

Safeco SageSure St. Johns The General Travelers Trexis Universal US Assure USLI

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PERSONAL SPECIALTY BROKERAGE

We offer a variety of insurance markets for your preferred and nonstandard personal lines clients. We make placing complex risks easier by offering access to industry leading carriers through our traditional ACORD brokerage submission process.

Lines of Business

Coastal Homeowners Comprehensive Personal Liability Condo Dwelling Fire Excess Comprehensive Liability Excess Personal Umbrella High Value Home Home-Based Business Homeowners Inland Marine/Collections Package Personal Umbrella Renters Vacant Dwelling

Accessing Personal Brokerage

Complete the appropriate ACORD and/or supplemental application for your risk and email applications to iiisubmit@nationwide.com. ACORD forms are available on the forms page of nbsbrokerage.com.

For More Information

If you have additional questions, contact our personal lines brokerage team by calling 800-444-1744, option 2.

PERSONAL NETWORK

The Network gives you the opportunity to grow your agency by earning sub-direct appointments and by using EZLynx for comparative rating.

To enroll, please view our Network Guide on nbsbrokerage.com and sign the final page. Email your signed page to iiiacp@nationwide.com. For assistance, call our Network team at 800-444-1744, option 2.

Lines of Business

Auto
Boat/PWC
Dwelling Fire
Homeowners
Inland Marine
Motorcycle
RV/Motorhome
Umbrella

Accessing Network Carriers

EZLynx Personal Lines Rater

NBS uses EZLynx, an industry-leading, real time quote and bind tool. You can quote your accounts online using this convenient rater by using the NBS master code, and by adding carriers with which you have a sub-direct appointment.

Sub-Direct Carrier Appointment

A sub-direct code gives your agency the ability to quote, bind and service accounts directly with a carrier. Our individual carriers determine whether or not they'll offer a sub-direct appointment.

Carriers reserve the right to deactivate your appointment or restrict what types of business you can write. Learn the carrier's products and quote consistently to remain in good standing.

For More Information

For assistance, call our Network team at 800-444-1744, option 2. For more information, including enrollment and carriers available in your state, go to nbsbrokerage.com.

PERSONAL DIRECT ACCESS

Take control of your accounts with direct carrier appointments. For a list of carriers available in your state, visit nbsbrokerage.com.

Lines of Business

Animal Liability Auto/Classic Auto Boat/PWC Coastal Homeowners Dwelling Fire

Flood/Quake/Wind Homeowners In-Home Business Mobile Home Motorcycle/ATV

Personal Inland Marine Special Events Umbrella/Excess Umbrella

Direct Access Carriers*

Aegis AIC American Collectors American Modern Arrowhead* Bamboo **Bristol West** Cabrillo* Celina/National Mutual* Coastal Select*

Cypress TX

Dairyland e-MGA Encompass** First American Foremost Frontline* GeoVera* Hallmark Infinity

RLI iiiPersonal/Lexington Southern Fidelity Interboro*

Lighthouse* St. Johns* Mexico The General Metlife** The Woodlands Mission Select* Travelers** Orchid Trexis/Alfa Vision Progressive Universal P&C** Progressive Home** UPS* USLI Safeco** Wvandot Mutual* Sagesure

- * Carrier availability depends on risk location
- ** Network access may be required. These carriers offer a limited number of sub-direct appointments. A detailed review of your agency may be required. Appointment is at carriers' discretion.

For More Information

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