

# Lawyers Professional Liability

## COVERAGE HIGHLIGHTS

Every day, you face exposures to costly liability claims just by doing business.

### Why you need protection

As a legal professional, while you may be committed to your clients, they may not always return the favor. Whether a small or mid-sized law firm, your business has potential exposures as client expectations are increasing and lawsuits are becoming more common. Your business and financial security depend on how well protected you are from a lawsuit or claim.

### Coverage highlights

*Travelers 1st Choice+*<sup>®</sup> is specifically designed to offer protection to legal professionals for the array of emerging exposures you face. This coverage can help protect your firm against losses resulting from negligence, errors, and omissions in the performance of professional services. This errors and omissions policy can be tailored to fit your business needs.

Key policy benefits:

- Network and information security offense coverage
- Automatic acquisitions coverage
- Expanded professional services coverage
- Crisis event expense coverage
- Claim services and pre-claim assistance

### Risk management resources

As part of your coverage, Travelers includes access to a variety of Risk Management online resources, including claim studies, advisory bulletins, webinar recordings, and more on the Travelers Risk Control Customer Portal at RiskControl.com. These resources were developed for your business and provide a variety of scenarios to keep you aware of industry risks and how to mitigate potential issues.

The Professional Liability Helpline\* provides access to legal experts who can assist you with questions or concerns regarding the efficient function of your firm, ethics and professionalism, client relationships and conflicts, and firm management.



### Claim scenarios

#### Cyber liability

Your computer network is “hacked” by an unauthorized user who steals your client’s confidential information and sells it to the local tabloid newspaper. The newspaper publishes the information and, as a result, your client files a lawsuit against you and your firm. Your *Travelers 1st Choice+* Lawyers Professional Liability policy will provide defense and indemnity coverage, up to the policy’s limits of liability, for such network and information security offenses.

#### Independent contractor coverage

Your firm hires a contract attorney to assist with the defense of a complex case. The contract attorney fails to answer the complaint in a timely manner and a default is entered against your client. As a result, a lawsuit is filed against the contract attorney and your firm. With a Travelers policy, our broad definition of “insured” will automatically provide coverage to the contract attorney and your firm, up to the selected limits of liability.

## Why Travelers?

- We've provided effective insurance solutions for more than 150 years and address the needs of a wide range of industries.
- We consistently receive high marks from independent ratings agencies for our financial strength and claims-paying ability.
- With offices nationwide, we possess national strength and local presence.
- Our dedicated underwriters and claim professionals offer extensive industry and product knowledge.



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\* Assistance from Litchfield Cavo attorneys is not intended to replace your firm's need to hire counsel to assist in making risk management decisions.



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