# **BUILDING FINANCIAL SECURITY** IN SOUTH DAKOTA

### FINANCIAL SECURITY FOR EVERY STAGE OF LIFE

Life insurers pay out \$850 million - \$2.3 million every day - in life insurance and annuity benefits to South Dakota families.

In South Dakota, 493,000 individual life insurance policies were in force in 2021, averaging \$216,000 in death benefit protection.

Here's how our products protect South Dakota residents:



- Life insurance safeguards families
- Retirement savings and personal pensions provides critical income in
- Long-term care and disability income insurance provides income when work is no longer possible
- Supplemental benefits fills gaps and covers what health plans don't
- Paid leave provides income during time off to care for family

## **ECONOMIC INVESTMENT INTO SOUTH DAKOTA**

The life insurance industry provides good jobs and long-term investment capital that spurs economic growth. In South Dakota, the life insurance industry:



- Generates 6,100 jobs
- Invests \$20 billion in South Dakota's economy, including in commercial, residential and agricultural mortgages, stocks, bonds and more

#### **COMPANIES IN SOUTH DAKOTA**

South Dakota's life insurers protect families, businesses and communities:



- 412 licensed to do business in South Dakota
- 2 domiciled in South Dakota

## IMPACT ACROSS AMERICA

Life insurers are a critical safety net in American life, paying \$100 billion in life insurance benefits in 2021, higher than in any previous year. The life insurance industry:

- Pays out \$2.5 billion every day
- Protects 90 million American families
- Generates 2.8 million jobs
- Invests \$7.9 trillion in the U.S. economy

