### PROFESSIONAL LINES

# **EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY**

Employees are the most valuable assets of an organisation and their safety is paramount. Employers are responsible for the health and safety of their employees while they are at work. The Employers' Liability (Compulsory Insurance) Act 1969 makes it compulsory for most businesses to hold employers' liability insurance. Employers' liability insurance enables companies to cover the costs of legal fees and any compensation paid to an employee who has been injured at work or has become ill while carrying out work duties.



Greater awareness and readily available access to legal advice and representation has resulted in employees becoming more informed regarding their rights to claim against their employer. Our employers' liability insurance is designed to address the range of exposures employers may face, whether it is an accident involving an employee slipping on a wet floor or an injury as a result of a major health and safety breach.

Exceptional insurance protection doesn't just happen – it takes creativity and client commitment. By blending comprehensive coverage with Allied World's innovation, financial strength and dedicated team of experienced professionals, we are able to offer the optimal protection for our clients. Our team of underwriters, claims managers and risk management professionals, with industry knowledge

and authority to make decisions, offer an exceptional level of service to our brokers and insureds.

#### **KEY COVERAGE FEATURES**

- Indemnity to others extension including Principals
- 90 day automatic acquisition coverage
- Enhanced witness attendance extension
- · Target industries and sectors
- Retail
- Manufacturing companies
- Consumer products
- Defence contractors
- · Hotels and leisure

#### CAPACITY

£25M or local currency equivalent

#### **UNDERWRITING STRATEGY**

- We target clients with a turnover greater than £50M
- We have the ability and appetite to write primary and / or excess layers
- To work with brokers and insureds to provide coverage provisions in line with the UK market conditions
- Underwritten through our company market platform Allied World's UK employers' liability product is only available to purchase in conjunction with our general liability insurance. This combined offering can be bought alongside our property or healthcare liability policies.

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#### RISK MANAGEMENT AND LOSS CONTROL

Risk management and loss control is core to Allied World's proactive approach to insurance. It is embedded in our underwriting process and is a key differentiator of our client service offering.

In addition, to our core risk engineering surveys, we offer a menu of risk management services to address the employers' liability risks faced by our clients' including:

- Slips and trips audit
- · Manual handling and lifting assessment and training
- Workplace transport risk assessments
- · Gap analysis of risk assessments
- Workshops dedicated to addressing key risk exposures
- · Claims defence audits

This list is not exhaustive and we can offer a full suite of services to support initiatives that drive continuous improvement. By providing the tools and information necessary to avoid or mitigate losses, we can help to prevent problems and control outcomes before they happen, yet we are here to assist should a loss occur.

#### **CLAIMS SUPPORT CLIENTS CAN COUNT ON**

Our claims team has significant expertise across numerous product lines and is committed to the highest levels of professionalism, responsiveness and good faith in claims handling.

#### **FINANCIAL STRENGTH**

We recognise how important it is that a carrier has the financial strength to ensure that it will be there when your clients need it. We believe that our ratings, conservative balance sheet, expanding scope of operations and solid capital base put Allied World in a superior position to withstand future economic upheavals and to provide our insureds with the protection they need.

Allied World's Lloyd's Syndicate 2232 benefits from the ratings assigned to Lloyd's: A (Excellent) from A.M. Best, A+ (Strong) from Standard & Poor's and AA- (Very Strong) Fitch Ratings. In addition, we are part of the Lloyd's chain of security and as a result all policies written by Syndicate 2232 are backed by the Lloyd's central fund.



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