



## **Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement**

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# FuneralPlan Pre-Paid

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#### **Important Notice**

This is a Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement (SPDS) to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) dated 5 October 2021.

The information in this document updates the PDS. You should read this SPDS together with the PDS. Except to the extent amended by this SPDS, or updated on the website, the PDS and SPDS remain in full force.

#### **Purpose of this SPDS**

The purpose of this SPDS is to:

- 1) provide disclosure relating to labour standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations; and
- 2) advise new applicants that Travel Protection Plan will not be available from 30 June 2023.

#### Labour standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations

The following disclosure is an addition to the 'Additional Important Information' section from page 23 of the PDS.

We do not specifically take into account the investment manager's labour standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations in our selection and retention process.

However, we may consider these factors to the extent to which they impact on an investment manager's organisational stability, reputation and performance and therefore review our decision to include these investments on our investment menu. The investment managers have their own policies on the extent to which labour standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations are taken into account when making investment decisions.

These policies are not specifically considered when selecting investment managers.

#### **Travel Protection Plan**

From 1 July 2023, the Travel Protection Plan will not be available to new applicants.



Dated 5 October 2021

# **FUNERALPLAN PRE-PAID**

# PRODUCT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Incorporating the Travel Protection Plan





#### **Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited**

Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited ABN 78 087 649 492 AFS License No. 237989 ('Lifeplan') is a leading provider of tax effective investment products, such as investment bonds, education bonds and funeral bonds. Lifeplan is a subsidiary of Australian Unity Limited ABN 23 087 648 888 ('Australian Unity') and is part of the group of companies undertaking investment activities at Australian Unity, generally known as Australian Unity's Wealth & Capital Markets.

#### **Funeral Plan Management**

Funeral Plan Management is a specialist business of Australian Unity and is dedicated to providing funeral benefits, investment management and customised administration services for funeral directors and their clients. Funeral Plan Management was founded in 1984 and since then has become the leader in its field, providing security and peace of mind for over 170,000 clients.

### **Important Information**

This document is a Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) which is a summary of significant information about the:

- The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid, and
- The Travel Protection Plan (which is a complement to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid funeral expense policy).

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and Travel Protection Plan are investment products issued by Lifeplan, which has prepared this PDS. In this PDS, the terms 'us', 'we' and 'our' refer to Lifeplan. All times referred to in this document are Australian Central Standard Time or, in the case of daylight saving, Australian Central Daylight Time and all business days are South Australian business days.

The information in this document can change, and the most up-to-date information can be accessed at fpmanagement.com.au

#### Investments in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid

If you choose to invest, you will become a member of a benefit fund established under the Lifeplan Constitution. A choice to invest in the capital guaranteed investment option will create membership in the benefit fund established under Rule 44 ('Tax Minimiser Funeral Bond Fund'). Where the Conservative or Moderate investment options are selected, membership is created in the benefit fund established under Rule 33 ('Funeral Plan Bond Fund'). Each benefit fund is maintained separate from the other. Those who also choose to invest in the Travel Protection Plan will also become members of the benefit fund established under Rule 32 ('Travel Protection Funeral Fund').

In accordance with the deferred sales model for add-on insurance, any applications to invest in the Travel Protection Plan must occur after the completion of the deferral period (please refer to page 8 of the PDS for further details).

#### **Guarantees**

For the Capital Guaranteed investment option, we guarantee to repay the net contributions and declared bonuses.

The value of investment in either of the Conservative and Moderate investment options is not guaranteed, and the value could be less than the net contributions made. Neither the tax benefits nor the level of future investment performance is guaranteed.

#### **Applications**

Applications for investment in FuneralPlan Pre-Paid or the Travel Protection Plan can only be made using the Application Form which forms part of this PDS or otherwise provided by Lifeplan.

This PDS is available in electronic format, including access via our website, fpmanagement.com.au. If you receive it electronically, please ensure that you have received the entire PDS and Application Form. A paper copy of this document is available free of charge by contacting your financial advisor, funeral director or by calling us on 1800 804 731 (Funeral Directors and Investors) and 1300 133 285 (Advisers). A copy can be mailed free of charge. This PDS may only be used by investors receiving it (electronically or otherwise) in Australia. All dollar amounts referred to in this PDS are referenced to Australian currency.

#### Tax information

The tax information provided in this document is current at the time of its preparation. The social security and tax information provided in this PDS and is only intended to provide general guidance on how Australian social security and tax laws may affect an investor. These laws may change from time to time.

#### Is this product for you?

The information in this PDS is general information only and does not take into account your personal objectives, financial situation or needs.

You should consider these factors and read this PDS in full before making any decision about whether to invest in FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan (please note – any application to invest in the Travel Protection Plan must be after the deferral period for add-on insurance (refer to page 8 for further details)). We recommend you speak to your financial and/or tax adviser who can help you understand the risks associated with investing and assess whether the investment is appropriate for you.

# **FuneralPlan Pre-Paid**

- a simple and effective way to meet the future cost of funeral expenses
- choice of capital guaranteed and growth investment options
- tax and social security advantages
- may be held in single or joint names

# **Incorporating the Travel Protection Plan**

• optional protection to cover the cost of transportation from the place of death to your specified funeral home (to a maximum of \$3,200)

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# WHY INVEST IN THE FUNERALPLAN PRE-PAID?

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is specifically designed to securely hold your pre-paid funeral contract payments until such time as the funeral service is required. FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is managed by specialist fund manager Lifeplan, part of Australian Unity, a mutual company with a history of over 175 years.

When you arrange a pre-paid funeral contract with your funeral director, your payment is safeguarded independently until such time as your funeral service is required.

### To plan ahead is to show you care

A funeral affects family and loved ones both emotionally and financially. While it is not a subject that any of us feel comfortable with, planning for a funeral is the most thoughtful thing you can do for your loved ones. With some forethought, you can relieve your family of any future financial burden of funeral expenses.

### Planning is easy

You can start the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid with as little as \$100 and make regular instalments of \$50 per month.

You can assign your policy to the funeral director, making that funeral director the owner of the policy and therefore able to receive the benefit payment directly upon death. The payment of benefits will be made only when we receive satisfactory evidence that the funeral service under your funeral contract has been completed.

It is important to tell your family, or the executor appointed under your Will about your pre-paid funeral contract and your chosen funeral director so that they are aware of your arrangements.

#### Flexible investment range

Three investment options are offered to accumulate benefits to help meet the future cost of your funeral:

- Capital Guaranteed
- Conservative
- Moderate

### The benefits of investing in FuneralPlan Pre-Paid

- Your investment for your funeral is held independently of your chosen funeral director.
- The funeral director will only be paid the proceeds of your investment when proof of the agreed funeral service has been provided with the necessary supporting documentation.
- If your assigned funeral director is unable to provide the services under a pre-paid funeral contract, your policy can be used to pay for alternative funeral services in conjunction with the executor of your estate and in accordance with the specified conditions under the pre-paid funeral contract. Please read 'What happens when your assigned funeral director ceases to operate or is unable to provide the services?' on page 21.
- In either case, no benefits will be paid out until the funeral services are required to be performed.

#### **Taxation advantages**

The investment grows in a tax effective environment and you are not required to report any investment returns in your personal tax return each financial year.

#### Social security advantages

Your age pension, service pension or any other means tested government pension could be improved by your investment in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

# KEY FEATURES AT A GLANCE

The following table is a summary of key attributes of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

This document should be read in full before you make a decision to invest in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

ATTRIBUTES	DESCRIPTION	PAGE(S)
Special purpose design with potential social security advantages	The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is specifically designed to save for future funeral expenses. Your investment is currently exempt from means-testing applicable to many government benefits, which may lead to improved social security entitlements.	7
Taxation advantages	The investment grows in a tax effective environment and you are not required to include allocated bonuses or returns in your personal tax return at any time.	7
Joint applications	A FuneralPlan Pre-Paid can be opened in single or joint names.	5
Choice of investment options	The Conservative and Moderate investment options provide scope for improved returns.	6
Travel Protection Plan	Optional cover for the cost of transportation from the place of death to the funeral home of your specified funeral director (to a maximum of \$3,200). For joint applicants, the Travel Protection Plan benefit will be paid for transportation costs incurred by each applicant.	8
Security is guaranteed for the Capital Guaranteed investment option	The Capital Guaranteed investment option preserves net contributions and declared bonuses.	19
Planning made simple	Assign your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid to a funeral director in conjunction with a pre-paid funeral contract.	21
Initial contribution	\$500 (or \$100 with an Instalment Plan)	11
Additional contribution	\$50 minimum	11
Instalment plan	\$50 per month minimum	11
Management fee	Capital Guaranteed investment option: 1.50% p.a. Conservative investment option: 1.00% p.a. Moderate investment option: 1.25% p.a.	14
Cooling off period	Generally, you have 30 days to decide if this product is right for you.	24

# HOW THE FUNERALPLAN PRE-PAID **WORKS**

#### What is the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid?

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is a funeral bond policy whereby your benefit becomes payable on death and must be used to meet the cost of your funeral expenses.

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is specifically designed to securely and independently hold your pre-paid funeral contract payments until such time as the funeral service is required.

### **Eligibility**

Eligibility to contribute is not restricted by health or age (other than being at least 16 years of age).

### Single or joint applications

A FuneralPlan Pre-Paid can be held in single or joint names. Importantly, if a policy is held jointly the benefit can only be used to provide for a single funeral. Upon the death of one joint owner, the surviving owner must choose within 30 days to either continue the policy, or have the benefits paid towards the funeral expenses of the deceased.

To ensure the funeral expenses of both joint applicants are provided for, you should consider opening individual FuneralPlan Pre-Paid policies.

## What payments do I make?

Payments to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid must be made in accordance with your pre-paid funeral contract. You can choose to make your pre-paid funeral contract payments in one lump sum amount or by regular instalments.

It is important instalment payments are made at the agreed times to avoid any consequences specified in your pre-paid funeral contract.

#### **Contributions**

Subject to your pre-paid funeral arrangements with your funeral director, the payment or contribution limits for the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid are:

#### Minimum contribution

You can start a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid with an initial contribution of \$500, or \$100 where you have entered into an Instalment Plan. Additional contributions of \$50 can be made at any time.

#### **Maximum contribution**

The amount calculated as the cost of your funeral service under your pre-paid funeral contract.

## Target Market Summary for the FuneralPlan Bond

This product is intended for individual or joint applicants who want to:

- invest in a tax effective, long term investment to accumulate savings for the costs of their funeral(s);
- make an active investment choice by selecting from investment options of varying risk/return profiles;
- access a concessional tax structure, where investment returns do not need to be reported in their personal income tax return;
- potentially improve their access to age pension, service pension or any other means tested Government pensions, as capital and investment returns from funeral bonds are not included in these means tests;
- access additional tax benefits at the time a funeral benefit is claimed, in the form of a tax deduction for tax paid on the investment over the period of the funeral bond; and
- leave their investment in funeral bond for the sole purpose of paying for the costs of their funeral, knowing that it cannot be withdrawn until a claim is made to cover their funeral cost.

### **Investment options**

If you assign the membership and ownership to a funeral director, the investment choice in respect of the investment options will be made by the funeral director. The funeral director will bear the risks relating to the investment choice, as the funeral requirements that you have chosen must be provided by the funeral director, irrespective of the value of the account at the relevant time.

You can choose to invest in one of three investment options.

The Capital Guaranteed investment option guarantees the return of net contributions and declared bonuses, while the Conservative and Moderate investment options are linked to financial market performance which may provide higher returns.

Alternatively, if you assign the membership and ownership of your policy to a funeral director, the investment choice in respect of the investment options will be made by the funeral director. The funeral director will bear the risks relating to the investment choice, as the funeral requirements that you have chosen must be provided by the funeral director, irrespective of the value of the account at the relevant time.

If you do not wish to assign ownership of the policy to the funeral director and would like to make the investment choice for your policy yourself, you should read the 'Understanding the investment options' section on page 16.

CAPITAL GUARANTEED	CONSERVATIVE	MODERATE
Is more likely to suit an investor whose main focus is the protection of their net contributions and declared bonuses.	Is more likely to suit an investor who seeks to increase the value of their policy, and outperform the Capital Guaranteed option through returns from a combination of income and capital growth.	Is more likely to suit an investor who seeks investment options that aim to outperform the Capital Guaranteed and Conservative options.

### Money cannot be withdrawn from your policy

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is designed for the sole purpose of meeting your future funeral expenses. You cannot withdraw any money from your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid policy prior to death. If you assign your policy interest to a funeral director, monies will only be paid out to the funeral director when the funeral service is performed.

# TAX AND SOCIAL SECURITY **ADVANTAGES**

## **Social Security advantages**

Your age pension, service pension or any other means-tested government pension or allowance is not impacted, and could be enhanced by your investment in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

Under current laws, an investment in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid (including allocated bonuses or investment returns) is designed to be exempt from both the assets test and deeming provisions of the income test for individuals in receipt of the age pension, service pension or any other means-tested Government benefit.

#### How an investment is taxed

Tax on investment income is paid within the benefit fund at the current corporate rate of 30%.

#### FuneralPlan Pre-Paid tax benefit

The FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is a "tax paid investment". A tax concession occurs because Lifeplan is entitled to claim a deduction for the investment income component of a funeral benefit when paid.

Through this deduction, we expect to recover the tax paid on the investment income over the period of the funeral bond and will include its value in the benefit paid to you. Payment of the tax benefit is subject to sufficient assessable income being available for the deduction to be claimed. The value of any tax recovered by us is referred to in this document as the 'FuneralPlan Pre-Paid tax benefit'.

#### How does this affect you?

You do not need to include the amount of bonus or investment returns allocations in your personal tax return at any time either before or after your death. The benefit paid after your death is assessed in the hands of the funeral director.

### Laws may change

The social security and tax information provided in this document is current at the time of its preparation and is only intended to provide general guidance on how Australian social security and tax laws may affect a contributor to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid. These laws may change from time to time. You should seek independent tax and/or financial advice relevant to your particular circumstances.

#### Goods and Services Tax (GST)

GST will not apply to your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid investment or to the benefits payable on death. However, the provision of funeral services by a funeral director may be subject to GST. If you have assigned your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid to a funeral director, you should discuss the application of GST to any pre-paid funeral contract you might enter into.

# THE TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN

The information in this section relates to the Travel Protection Plan only.

The Travel Protection Plan is an optional feature which provides a valuable and low-cost benefit that helps protect against the potentially significant costs of transportation from the place of death to the funeral home of your specified funeral director.

# Purchasing Travel Protection Insurance – your rights under the deferred sales model

The Australian Government has introduced a deferred sales model for add-on insurance, providing a four-day pause between the sale of a primary product and the sale of an add-on insurance product, to help individuals make informed decisions when purchasing insurance.

The four-day pause is referred to as the 'deferral period' and during this period there are certain conditions the funeral director or adviser must adhere to, allowing you time to decide on purchasing Travel Protection Insurance.

### What happens during the deferral period?

When you commit to investing in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid product, you will be provided with a copy of the PDS and the application form to sign. Under the deferred sales model you must also be provided with a Customer Information form, which must be provided to consumers in order for the deferral period to begin.

During the deferral period, the funeral director:

- cannot initiate a discussion about travel protection insurance (following the sale of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid product),
- may respond to questions about travel protection insurance only if discussion is initiated by you,
- may provide you with written information about travel protection insurance,
- cannot sell travel protection to you, even if you requested it, until the deferral period has ended.

Once the deferral period has ended the funeral director is permitted to re-engage with you to discuss, offer and sell you Travel Protection Insurance where you have requested they do so. You are also permitted at any time during the deferral period to opt-out of receiving information or being contacted by contacting the funeral director directly.

For more information on the deferred sales model for add-on insurance, visit moneysmart.gov.au/add-on-insurance.

#### How much does it cost?

A one-off premium of \$175 for an individual, and \$125 for each additional applicant.

#### **Joint applicants**

The Travel Protection Plan benefit (to a maximum of \$3,200) will be paid for transportation costs incurred by each eligible applicant.

#### Eligibility to apply for the Travel Protection Plan

You may only apply for Travel Protection Plan benefits if:

- you are an owner or applying to become an owner of a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid, a FuneralPlan Bond (another product issued by us), or are an owner of another eligible friendly society funeral policy; or
- you have entered into a pre-paid funeral contract with a funeral director; and
- at the time of making your application, you are not hospitalised at a place of 70km or more to the funeral home of your specified funeral director.

# When is the Travel Protection Plan benefit payable?

A benefit becomes payable:

- 1. if your normal place of residence is within 70km of your nominated funeral home;
- 2. your death occurs at a place within Australia which is more than 70km from the funeral home of your specified funeral director.

No benefit is payable if death occurs other than in the circumstances set out above.

# What does the benefit payable under the Travel Protection Plan cover?

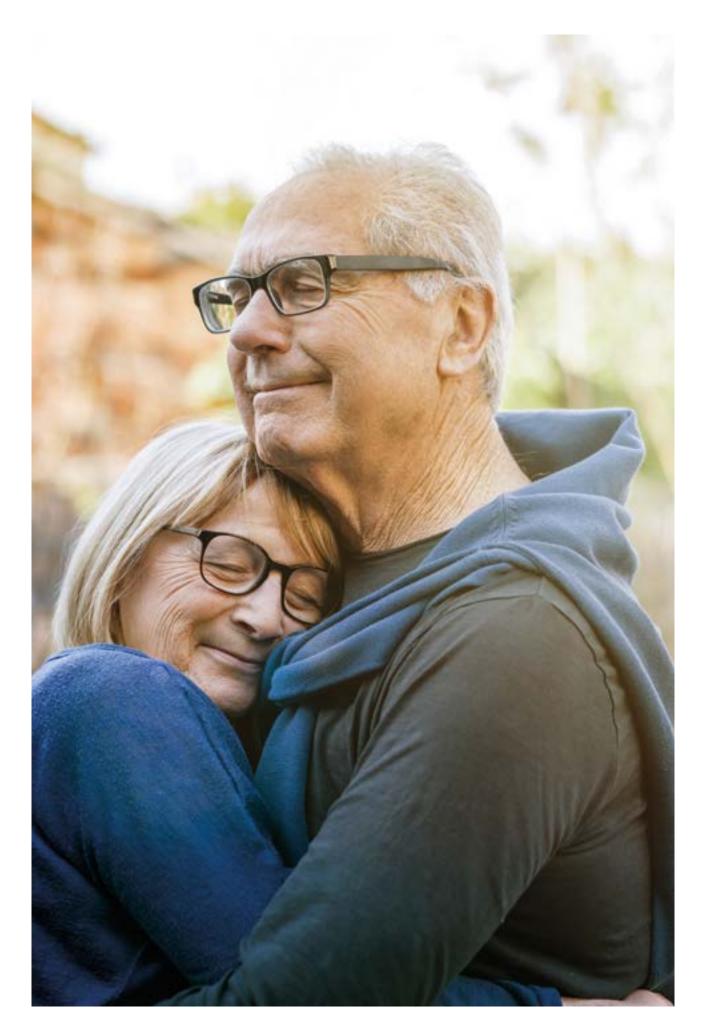
If you are eligible for a benefit, the Travel Protection Plan includes the following costs incurred to a maximum of \$3,200 in transportation from the place of death to the funeral home of your specified funeral director:

- funeral director's transfer fees (including the cost of obtaining any necessary documentation associated with your death);
- necessary mortuary preparation prior to shipping;
- container for transportation (excluding coffin or casket); and
- transportation such as air freight.

The costs claimed must be reasonable and supported by appropriate documentary evidence.

# Will your estate be subject to income tax on payment of a benefit?

No.



# START YOUR FUNERALPLAN PRE-PAID

# Starting a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid is easy

You can start a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid by making a single lump sum contribution or with a regular Instalment Plan. Contributions can be made by direct debit from your Australian financial institution account, by cheque or BPAY®.

### **Submitting your application**

Simply complete and return the Application Form using the step by step instructions included in this document.

We can only process your investment and accept your initial contribution when we receive a fully completed Application Form and your initial contribution.

If you wish to assign the ownership to a funeral director, you should also complete Part B - Assignment of Ownership form and return with the Application Form. We will create the membership in the relevant benefit fund in your name, and then transfer ownership to the funeral director.

## Making contributions to your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid

OVERVIEW	MINIMUM
Initial contribution	\$500 initial one off lump sum or \$100 with an Instalment Plan
Additional contribution	\$50  If the optional Travel Protection Plan is selected, then additional contributions include:  • a one-off premium of \$175 for an individual, and \$125 for each additional applicant
Instalment plan	\$50 per month debited fortnightly, monthly or quarterly
Payment methods	Initial and additional contributions: Direct debit, BPAY®, cheque Instalment Plan: Direct debit

#### **BPAY®** payments

Please call our Investor Services team and they will issue a customer reference number for you to use in the BPAY® online process.

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# FEES AND OTHER COSTS

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Small differences in both investment performance, fees and costs can have a substantial impact on your long-term returns. For example, total annual fees and costs of 2% of your total fund balance rather than 1% could reduce your final return by up to 20% over a 30-year period (for example, reduce it from \$100,000 to \$80,000).

You should consider whether features such as superior investment performance or the provision of better member services justify higher fees and costs. You may be able to negotiate to pay lower contribution fees and management costs where applicable. Ask your financial adviser.

#### TO FIND OUT MORE

If you would like to find out more or see the impact of the fees based on your own circumstances, the **Australian Securities and Investments Commission ('ASIC')** website (www.moneysmart.gov.au) has a managed funds fee calculator to help you check out different fee options.

This section shows fees and other costs that may be deducted from your account balance, from the returns on your investment or from the investment options assets as a whole.

Taxes are set out on page 7.

You should read all the information about fees and costs because it is important to understand their impact on your investment.

TYPE OF FEE OR COST	AMOUNT <sup>1</sup>	HOW AND WHEN THE FEE IS PAID		
Fee when you make contributions or when a claim is made on your FuneralPlan Pre-paid policy				
Establishment Fee The fee to open your investment	Nil	Not applicable		
Contribution fee <sup>2</sup> The fee on each amount contributed to your investment.	Nil	Not applicable		
Withdrawal fee The fee on each amount you take out of your investment	Nil	Not applicable. You cannot withdraw any money from your policy. Proceeds can only be paid upon death.		
Exit fee The fee to close your investment	Nil	Not applicable		
Switching service fee <sup>2</sup> Fee for changing investment options.	Nil	There are no switching fees.  However, you may incur an investing transaction cost when you invest or switch into an investment option.  See 'Investing Transaction Costs' on page 14.		

TYPE OF FEE OR COST	AMOUNT <sup>1</sup>	HOW AND WHEN THE FEE IS PAID
Management costs		
Management costs <sup>3,4</sup> The fees and costs of managing your investment	Management costs comprising:  • A fund management fee of between 1.00% to 1.50% p.a.	Management fees – calculated and expressed as a percentage of the daily gross market value of the investment option.
		The management fee is deducted periodically (usually monthly) from the investment option's assets
		We do not charge management fees on the value of any FuneralPlan Pre-Paid tax benefits.

- 1 All fees shown are inclusive of the impact of goods and services tax (GST) less any input tax credits (including approximate reduced input tax credits) that we and the underlying investment funds may be entitled to claim.
- 2. You may incur an investing transaction cost when you invest or switch into an investment option.
- 3. The management cost, and any other costs are expenses before the impact of tax deductions that may be available to us or the underlying investment. The tax impact of these deductions is reflected in the investment value.
- 4. For more information about management costs see 'Management costs' under the heading 'Additional explanation of fees and costs'.

#### Example of annual fees and costs for a Capital Guaranteed investment option

The following table gives an example of how fees and costs in the Capital Guaranteed option for this product can affect your investment over a one-year period. You should use this table to compare this product with other managed investment products. The following example assumes an initial investment balance of \$10,000 in the Capital Guaranteed option and an additional contribution of \$100 at the end of the year which has a negligible impact on the total management costs.

	INVESTMENT BALANCE OF \$10,000 WITH TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$100 AT END OF THE YEAR		
NIL	For every additional \$100 you put in, you will be charged \$0.		
1.55%²	And, for every \$10,000 you have in the investment option, you will be charged \$155 each year.		
	If you had an investment of \$10,000 at the beginning of the year and you contribute an additional \$155 at the end of that year, you will be charged fees of \$155  What it costs you will depend on the investment option you choose and the fees you negotiate.		
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- 1. Additional fees and costs may apply. For the above example, an investing transaction cost is not applicable to the Capital Guaranteed option.
- 2. Management costs are made up of a management fee of 1.50% and estimated indirect costs of 0.05%

### Additional explanation of fees and costs

#### **Management costs**

Management costs for each investment option comprise a management fee, recoverable expenses and indirect costs. Further information about recoverable expenses and indirect costs are set out below.

The table below provides a summary of each investment option's estimated management costs which are expressed as a percentage of the net asset value of the Capital Guaranteed investment option and the gross asset value for the Conservative and Moderate investment options. The figures in the table relate to the 12 months to 30 June 2021.

OPTION	MANAGEMENT FEE P.A.	OTHER ESTIMATED INDIRECT COSTS	TOTAL ESTIMATED MANAGEMENT COSTS P.A.
Capital Guaranteed	1.50%	0.05%	1.55%
Conservative	1.00%	0.00%	1.00%
Moderate	1.25%	0.08%	1.33%

#### **Indirect costs**

Indirect costs are generally amounts that FuneralPlan knows, or estimates, will reduce a Fund's returns. They refer to fees and other management costs arising from the underlying funds, which are incurred in implementing their respective investment strategy.

Estimated indirect costs are between 0 and 0.08%. The costs are paid from a Fund's assets, or the assets of underlying funds in which a particular investment option may invest from time to time. The appointed investment manager(s) are entitled to be reimbursed directly from any underlying investment funds they manage, a range of ongoing operating expenses (such as audit, taxation advice and offer documents).

#### **Investing transaction costs**

An investment into, or switching of an investment option will incur an investing transaction cost to recover the cost of brokerage and certain other costs of investing incurred by the investment option(s). It is not a cost retained by Lifeplan. The cost is deducted from the investment or switch amount.

Capital Guaranteed investment option: no investing transaction costs apply

- Conservative investment option: 0.19%
- Moderate investment option: 0.30%

The investing transaction costs for each investment option may change from time to time. Details of current investing transaction costs can be obtained from fpmanagement.com.au.

#### Recoverable expenses

We are entitled to reimbursement for, or have an investment option pay, all expenses and taxes we may incur in the proper performance of our duties. Recoverable expenses are generally incurred in the day-to-day operation of a Fund and include, for example: registry costs, legal, custodian services, compliance and related administration functions, accounting, printing, audit and asset management fees.

Under certain circumstances we have the right to seek reimbursement of any additional, extraordinary expenses that may arise from time to time.

No recoverable expenses are currently charged. We will give you 30 days' notice if we introduce any recoverable expenses.

#### What is paid to your funeral director?

Your funeral director may charge an establishment fee for setting up the pre-paid funeral contract. This fee is determined by your funeral director and is not a fee charged by us. The funeral director may also receive other benefits in a variety of ways (for example, specialised product training and co-operative advertising). If these benefits are provided, they are paid for by us and are not an extra amount paid from the investment options or the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

#### Changes to fees and costs charged by Lifeplan

We may change the fees and costs specified in this document or introduce new fees or costs at any time at our discretion in accordance with the governing rules of the applicable benefit funds. Fees may increase or decrease for many reasons, including changes in the competitive, industry and regulatory environments or simply from changes in costs.

The governing rules of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid provide for:

- the contribution fee, establishment fee, withdrawal fee, termination fee and switching service fee to be set at a level determined at our discretion. The current levels of those fees are shown in the table on page 12;
- a maximum management fee of 4% p.a. (of the daily gross market value) for each investment option. This maximum is provided for your information only and is not the current fee charged.

We will give 90 days' notice before changing any of the fees.

#### Dishonour fees and costs

Dishonour fees may be charged when there are insufficient funds in your Australian financial institution account to meet an Instalment Plan direct debit, resulting in the contribution being dishonoured.

#### Stamp duty and other government charges

Stamp duty may be payable in some States on establishment of a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and is currently absorbed by us.

# UNDERSTANDING WHICH INVESTMENT OPTION IS RIGHT FOR YOU

The nature of a funeral bond policy means that once an investment has been made it cannot be withdrawn. The policy must remain open until the funeral has taken place. The date the policy will terminate cannot be known or controlled, so the choice of investment option is very important.

Understanding the level of risk in each investment option will help you make that choice.

If you decide to assign ownership of the funeral policy, the funeral director, however, will make the investment choice. The risks of investment choice are assumed by the funeral director, as the funeral director is required to provide the funeral services that you have chosen, irrespective of the account value.

If you do not wish to assign ownership of the policy to the funeral director and would like to make the investment choice for your policy yourself, you should read this section to understand the risks associated with this investment.

#### The following information is provided for each of:

- a) those who do not choose to assign ownership to a funeral director, and
- b) a funeral director who has accepted the terms of the assignment of ownership.

When considering risk, you should think about it in terms of a likely time frame: short, medium and long term.

For example, a low risk investment option such as Capital Guaranteed investment option can have a low risk level in the short term, and no risk of capital loss. However, since the policy may remain open longer than originally anticipated, the risk is the value of the policy may not keep pace with inflation, or may not generate the level of growth in the policy value compared to other investment options.

Conversely, if the death of the member occurs earlier than anticipated the realised value of the account, if invested in the Moderate investment option, may be affected by short term volatility of investment return. All investments involve some risk and some investments are considered riskier than others. Below is a summary of the main risks that may affect your investment. You should consider these risks before investing:

- Market risk changes in market performance such as economic activity, interest rates and world events could adversely impact your investment returns.
- Security risk your investment in securities such as shares and property could be impacted positively or negatively by unexpected changes in company management or the business environment.
- Interest rate risk fluctuations in interest rates can impact all security and asset classes, in particular cash and fixed interest investments. If interest rates are higher than that on fixed interest investments, your return may not be as competitive.
- Inflation risk inflation may erode the purchasing power of your money (this means that your investment may not keep up with the future costs of funeral expenses).
- Liquidity risk refers to the ease with which a security or asset can be bought or sold in the market place. Where a security cannot be sold quickly, it may need to be sold at a discount to attract buyers, therefore impacting its value and return on your investment.
- Regulatory or taxation risk changes to government policies that may impact the tax treatment of your funeral bond and its underlying investments.

These investment risks could have the following impact on your investment:

- the potential for the Conservative and Moderate investment options to record a value less than the net contributions made;
- the return for the Conservative and Moderate investment options may vary significantly from year to year;
- the return to the policy may be less than expected;
- the rate of inflation may be greater than the value of the investment return;
- death can occur sooner, or later, than the planned investment time frame.

### How investment risk is managed

The appointed investment managers of the underlying portfolios of each investment option are unable to eliminate all investment risks, but they do analyse, manage and aim to reduce the impact of risks through the use of carefully considered investment guidelines. The appointed investment managers seek to spread the risk of each underlying portfolio across different investments and sectors, as diversification can achieve long-term objectives while reducing the impact of short-term volatility.

### You choose your investment option

You can choose to invest in one of the three investment options. Before deciding where to invest, you should consider a range of issues including the following:

- the risks of investing;
- your age, health and personal factors; and
- the anticipated costs of your desired funeral.

The key features of the three investment options are summarised:

FEATURES	CAPITAL GUARANTEED	CONSERVATIVE	MODERATE
Your risk/ return profile	'I want to know my net contributions and declared bonuses will be protected' 'I realise this approach will mean the end benefit is less likely to keep up with inflation'	'I want to increase the value of my policy through returns from a combination of income and capital growth, with the potential to outperform the return from the Capital Guaranteed option'  'I realise that returns will be relatively stable, and understand that there is a low possibility of negative returns'	'I want access to investment options that are likely to outperform the Capital Guaranteed and Conservative risk profiles' 'I realise there is a higher level of variability in returns, and that there may be periods of negative returns'.
Investment objective	To provide capital security and consistent, reliable and competitive returns generated from a portfolio of predominantly fixed interest and cash investments.	To provide post-fee returns in excess of the Australian Consumer Price Index <sup>1</sup> plus 1.0% p.a., over rolling three-year periods.	To provide post-fee returns in excess of the Australian Consumer Price Index <sup>1</sup> plus 1.5% p.a., over rolling three-year periods.
Investment strategy	Invests in a diversified portfolio of high quality fixed interest, mortgages, cash and cash-like investments.	Invests in a diversified portfolio including growth assets such as shares and property, with a bias towards defensive assets such as highly-rated cash and fixed interest.	Invests in a diversified portfolio with an increased allocation to growth assets such as shares and property and a reduced exposure to defensive assets as compared to the Conservative option.
Current underlying portfolio(s)	A range of portfolios managed by Australian Unity	Vanguard Conservative Index Fund	Pro-D Balanced Fund  Australian Unity Sustainable Short Term Income Fund

<sup>1.</sup> Australian Consumer Price Index – All Groups, weighted average of Capital Cities

# HOW YOUR MONEY IS MANAGED

### **Investment manager**

We have appointed Australian Unity Funds Management Limited ABN 60 071 497 115 AFS Licence 234454 ('AUFM') as investment manager for the investment options. AUFM may invest the benefit funds' assets into investment portfolios managed by it, by its related entities and external investment portfolios.

# What investments can the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid hold?

In order to provide the benefit, the governing rules of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid provide us with discretion to choose investments (within the prescribed parameters) that may be held by the investment options. Investments may be held directly or

indirectly via managed investment schemes. If financial derivative instruments are permitted, these will only be used for hedging purposes. The governing rules of the benefit funds do not permit us to borrow on behalf of the investment options.

We manage and operate the benefit funds in the best interests of members and to do this it is sometimes necessary for us to:

- add to or remove from the range of investments in which each of the investment options may invest; and
- change the investment approach within each investment option.

We will notify members of any material change as soon as required by law.

The minimum and maximum allowable asset allocation ranges are outlined in the table below.

ASSET CLASS	CAPITAL GUARANTEED %	CONSERVATIVE %	MODERATE %
Cash & short-term securities	0-100	0-100	0-100
Fixed interest	0-100	0-100	0-100
Mortgages	0-25	0-50	0-50
Total defensive assets	100	70-100	60-100
Australian shares	-	0-30	0-40
International shares	-	0-30	0-40
Property	-	0-30	0-40
Other investments (growth)	-	0-30	0-40
Total growth assets	0	0 - 30	0 - 40

Up-to-date information about the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid, including current asset allocation and performance will be made available at the website fpmanagement.com.au.

# HOW ARE INVESTMENTS **VALUED?**

## **Managing your investments**

When you invest, you are allocated units that represent your interest in the selected investment options. We pool your investment with the investments of other investors and process them into the underlying investment option.

The appointed investment manager will buy and sell assets on behalf of each respective investment option.

# The Capital Guaranteed investment option

The unit price for the Capital Guaranteed investment option is \$1.00.

As at 30 June each year, we declare a rate of return (called a bonus rate) that takes into account the investment income over that financial year, tax on that income, the requirement to maintain sufficient reserves to support the capital guarantee and ongoing fees and expenses.

The value of a bonus is calculated on the daily investment balance in the benefit funds and is allocated to your investment as at 30 June each year. The bonus is automatically reinvested so that you benefit from the effect of compound interest (interest earning interest).

An interim bonus rate is used for any period where a payment is made prior to an annual bonus declaration. The interim rate is set by us based on actuarial advice and is a conservative estimate of the anticipated earning rate of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

# An investment in the Capital Guaranteed investment option is guaranteed

We guarantee to pay the sum of net contributions and declared bonuses, excluding any FuneralPlan Pre-Paid tax benefit. Our Capital Guaranteed investment option

is supported by separate reserves that we are required to maintain in accordance with legislation and on the advice of an independent actuary. These reserves are built up from the investment earnings before any bonus is allocated or we receive a management fee. We do not guarantee the level of future investment performance, which will fluctuate from year to year.

# The Conservative and Moderate investment options

For the Conservative and Moderate investment options the value of units changes to reflect the value of the underlying investments. As the value of the underlying assets held in the investment options can rise and fall, so too will the unit prices and the value of an investment.

Valuations are usually undertaken each business day. A unit price is calculated by taking the close of business day total market value of the assets held in each investment option, less ongoing costs, taxes and any other relevant expenses, divided by the total number of units allocated to investors. This process is generally completed within two business days.

Unit pricing is conducted on a 'forward' basis which is considered the industry practice. This means we use the next applicable valuation after the processing time of your application, switch or benefit payment. This minimises exposure to market timing practices, that is, where an investor gains from price movements known but not yet reflected in the unit price.

If we consider it appropriate to do so, we may calculate unit prices more or less frequently than daily or may suspend the daily calculation of unit prices. We calculate one unit price for each of the Conservative and Moderate investment options. We do not calculate different entry and exit unit prices as some products do, but may do so in the future if we consider it appropriate.

## Delays or suspension of processing transactions or unit pricing

We may temporarily delay or suspend processing of investment applications, switches, and/or calculating unit prices on any business day as a result of any of the following:

- normal accounting practices around half-year (December) and end of financial year (June);
- financial markets are closed or in other extraordinary circumstances;
- we are unable to obtain a price for valuation purposes;
- an appointed investment manager delays or suspends transactions and/or unit pricing;
- there are liquidity issues in the investment option, the underlying portfolio or financial markets; or
- other events outside of our control that impact our ability to accurately calculate a unit price.

# PAYMENT **OF BENEFIT**

### How can a benefit payment be claimed?

Where you have assigned the policy to the funeral director, we will pay the proceeds of your benefit to your funeral director upon receiving satisfactory evidence the funeral service under your funeral contract has been completed.

# Assigning your rights to a funeral director

You may assign your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and Travel Protection Plan benefit entitlement to a funeral director or to an approved trustee (i.e. a trustee that will hold monies pursuant to a pre-paid funeral contract for payment to your funeral director in accordance with the pre-paid funeral contract).

If you assign your interest in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid to a funeral director or trustee, you pass the benefit fund entitlement, including membership in the benefit fund, to the assignee. You may not assign your benefit fund membership rights and benefit entitlement to any other person.

If you are a member of Australian Unity Limited (AUL) upon assignment, you will cease to be a member of AUL. The assignee is not eligible to become a member of AUL (refer to 'Your relationship with Lifeplan and Australian Unity Limited' on page 23). To assign your membership rights and benefit entitlement complete the Part B - Assignment of Ownership form. Depending on your state or territory of residence, stamp duty may be payable on assignment and would be debited from your plan.

# What happens if your assigned funeral director ceases to operate or is unable to provide the services?

When you enter into a pre-paid funeral contract, you should carefully choose a reputable funeral director, so you can feel confident your pre-arranged services are as you want them to be.

The provision of the specific arrangements detailed under a pre-paid funeral contract is the responsibility of the funeral director.

If your assigned funeral director is unable to provide the services under a pre-paid funeral contract, your policy can be used to pay for alternative funeral services in conjunction with the executor of your estate and in accordance with the specified conditions under the pre-paid funeral contract.

It is important to note that the services under your original pre-paid funeral contract may cost more or be varied with an alternate funeral director.

### Nominating a funeral director

You may nominate a funeral director to simply receive your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid benefit entitlement. You may not nominate any other person.

We will pay the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid benefit entitlement to the nominated funeral director upon receipt of satisfactory evidence of completion of funeral services. Any FuneralPlan Pre-paid benefit entitlement in excess of the funeral service costs will be paid to your Estate. You will retain your membership in the benefit fund and AUL (if applicable).

# Changing your assigned funeral director after you have entered into a pre-paid funeral contract

An assigned FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan may only be re-assigned with the consent of the existing funeral director.

Changing your assignment without first obtaining consent may mean you are in breach of the pre-paid funeral contract and this may have consequences for you or your estate and for the funeral director who ultimately carries out your funeral service. You should therefore make sure you understand the terms of your pre-paid funeral contract before changing your assignment.

If you own a Travel Protection Plan, the funeral home of your new funeral director must be within 70km of your place of residence.

Any changes must be notified to Funeral Plan Management in writing.

# KEEPING YOU INFORMED

## **Investor online portal**

You can view your account details, balance and transaction history via a secure portal at australianunity.com.au/wealth.

Annual statements can also be accessed online, and you will receive an email alert when the statements are available (not applicable to the Travel Protection Plan). You can also opt to receive your statements by mail.

You can also update your contact details in the portal or by emailing us on funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au (Funeral Directors and Investors) or investmentbonds@australianunity.com.au (Advisers). If you change your details, you should notify us of your new details as soon as possible using one of these options.

## **Keeping you informed**

To keep up to date with the latest information on FuneralPlan Pre-Paid, please visit:

- fpmanagement.com.au,
- Funeral Directors/Investors phone Funeral Plan Management on 1800 804 731
- Advisers <u>australianunity.com.au/wealth</u> or phone 1300 133 285.

We will provide you with a paper copy of the most recent information free of charge upon request. If there is a change to the product or the information in this document which is materially adverse, we will either issue a new Product Disclosure Statement or a Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement setting out the updated information.

## What information will you receive

To help keep you informed, we will send you the following:

INFORMATION	FREQUENCY
Confirmation of your contribution and acceptance to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and the Travel Protection Plan (if applicable)	At the time of the transaction
Confirmation of any Instalment Plan direct debit arrangements	At the time of the transaction
Confirmation of subsequent contributions excluding those made using an Instalment Plan	At the time of the transaction
Annual statement (not applicable to the Travel Protection Plan)	Annually

Importantly, if you have assigned your policy to a funeral director, all correspondence including the annual statement will be sent to your funeral director.

# ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## Your relationship with Lifeplan and Australian Unity Limited

On acceptance of your application in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or the Travel Protection Plan, you will become a member of the Tax Minimiser Funeral Bond Fund (Capital Guaranteed investment option) or the Funeral Plan Bond Fund (Conservative and Moderate investment options) and if the Travel Protection Plan is chosen the Travel Protection Funeral Fund. If you complete the Part B – Assignment of Ownership Form, your membership will be assigned to the assignee that you have selected. After two continuous years following acceptance of your application in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan, you are eligible to become a member of AUL subject to acceptance by AUL, provided you retain the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan for that period.

You will be taken to have applied for and have consented to become a member of AUL. Membership of AUL is subject to the rights and obligations set out in the constitution of AUL which operates as a contract between AUL and its members

If you complete the Assignment of Ownership Form, both your membership in the Benefit Fund and AUL membership (if applicable) will be assigned to the assignee that you have selected.

The provision of the specific arrangements detailed under a pre-paid funeral contract is the responsibility of the funeral director.

### **How is Lifeplan regulated?**

Lifeplan is registered as a Life Company under the Life Insurance Act 1995. The operations of Lifeplan are governed by its Constitution (which may be amended from time to time), the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) and the Life Insurance Act 1995.

Lifeplan is regulated by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority under the Life Insurance Act and the Australian Securities and Investments Commission under the Corporations Act. As an Australian financial services provider operating under Australian laws, we are required to comply with a range of State and Commonwealth laws, and with directions and orders of Courts and legal, statutory and Government bodies. We must act in accordance with these requirements including any lawful order to withdraw funds from your Lifeplan Bond account(s) and pay the proceeds as required.

Lifeplan's Constitution contains the Rules that govern the operation of the Tax Minimiser Funeral Bond Fund ('Rule 44'), the Funeral Plan Bond Fund ('Rule 33') and Travel Protection Funeral Fund ('Rule 32') respectively, all of which are Lifeplan benefit funds. Your investment in the FuneralPlan Bond Capital Guaranteed investment option, FuneralPlan Bond Conservative and Moderate, and the Travel Protection Plan are issued under Rules 44, 33 and 32 of Lifeplan's Constitution.

Lifeplan benefit funds are kept separate and distinct from the other benefit funds and assets held by Lifeplan. This structure means that the assets of each benefit fund are protected from financial matters which could occur to the detriment of Lifeplan and can only be used for meeting Lifeplan's contractual liabilities to investors of the particular benefit fund.

A benefit fund may be terminated in accordance with legislation. Your investment gives you a proportional interest in the assets of each chosen investment option as a whole, but not in any particular asset of the investment option or in any other Lifeplan benefit fund.

## Lifeplan's rights under its Constitution

The Constitution provides us with certain rights and powers, some of which have already been disclosed in this document. In accordance with the Constitution, other rights and powers include, but are not limited to the following:

- we may decide to not accept or to defer your application to invest at our discretion, without giving any reason; or
- if we reject your application, we will notify you and return your money with any interest earned being retained by us.

#### **Related party transactions**

Any transactions entered into by us in relation to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and Travel Protection Plan, including those with related parties, are on arm's length commercial terms. Entities within Australian Unity may provide services to Lifeplan, and fees are charged at a commercial rate, including investment management services. Policies and guidelines are in place to manage the risk of any actual or perceived conflict of interest as a result of a related party transaction. Any fees for these services are included in the management fee for each investment option in the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid.

#### **Cooling-off period**

If you choose to cancel your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid you have 30 days to cancel your application, by written notice to Lifeplan.

If you wish to cancel your Travel Protection Plan you have one month and 14 days to cancel your application, by written notice to Lifeplan, in accordance with provisions permitted under the deferred sales model for add-on insurance products.

In both instances the cancellation period starts when you receive notification your application has been accepted or five days after your contribution was processed and allocated to your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid or Travel Protection Plan, whichever is earlier (unless otherwise specified by your State or Territory legislation).

If you cancel during this cooling off period, you will not incur any exit fees from us, however some States or Territories provide for the funeral director to receive a processing fee determined in accordance with the relevant legislation. Any applicable processing fee will be deducted from your refund and remitted to the funeral director. In addition, the Conservative and Moderate investment options, will also take into account any applicable investing transaction costs and any movement in the value of your investment. As a result, for the Conservative and Moderate investment options only, the amount refunded to you may be less than your original investment.

#### **Changing your personal details**

It is important that we maintain accurate records about you. Please inform us of any changes to your personal details:

- using the secure online portal,
- emailing us at funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au;
- contacting us on 1800 804 731; or
- sending us a request by mail.

You are taken to have agreed and understood that neither Lifeplan nor any part of Australian Unity accept any responsibility or liability for any payment or action we make and reasonably believe to be a genuine instruction authorised by the member.

### **Changing your Instalment Plan**

You can change your regular Instalment Plan at any time by notifying us in writing at least three business days before the next automatic contribution is due.

# Changing your Australian financial institution account details

Please complete the 'Additional Contribution and Instalment Plan' form and provide your new direct debit details. This form is available by visiting our website, fpmanagement.com.au, or calling us on 1800 804 731.

#### **BPAY®** payments

#### **New investor**

Please call our Investor Services team and they will issue a customer reference number for you to use in the BPAY® online process.

#### **Current investor**

To make additional deposits using BPAY® use your customer reference number (CRN) located on the bottom of your statement and welcome pack. If you cannot locate your CRN, please contact us on 1800 804 731.

It is important that you supply your CRN when using BPAY® to avoid processing delays.

### **Switching between investment options**

You can transfer your full investment between the Conservative or Moderate investment option. A switch in or out of the Capital Guaranteed investment option is not permitted. The switching option is only available to the policy owner.

#### Handling of applications

No interest will be paid on application amounts for the period from receipt until your application amount is accepted and the issue of units to you occurs. Similarly, no interest will be paid to any investor whose application (or part of an application) is returned by us unfilled or incomplete. Any interest earned on the application amount during this period will be retained by the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and form part of its income for the benefit of all investors. We may, in our absolute discretion, reject in whole or in part any application. We need not give any reason for the rejection.

#### **Incomplete applications**

Please take your time to complete the Application Form, ensuring that all of the required information is included, or we may not be able to process your application.

#### **Complaints resolution**

We take complaints seriously and aim to resolve them as quickly as possible. If you would like to make a complaint, you can call us on 1800 804 731 (Funeral Directors and Investors) and 1300 133 285 (Advisers), email us at <a href="mailto:funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au">funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au</a> or write to us at the following address:

The Client Services Manager Australian Unity – Investment Bonds Reply Paid 89 (no stamp required) Adelaide SA 5001

We will promptly acknowledge your complaint, investigate it and decide in a timely manner what action needs to be taken. We will notify you of our decision within 30 days after receipt of the complaint, together with any remedies that are available, or other avenues of appeal against the decision.

If you are not satisfied with our handling or resolution of your complaint, then you may contact the external independent body that has been established to provide recourse for consumers, free of charge.

#### **Australian Financial Complaints Authority**

Website: <a href="www.afca.org.au">www.afca.org.au</a>
Email: <a href="mailto:info@afca.org.au">info@afca.org.au</a>
Phone: <a href="mailto:1800.931.678">1800.931.678</a> (free call)

In writing to: Australian Financial Complaints Authority,

GPO Box 3.

Melbourne VIC 3001

This service operates as an independent body for the industry to determine unresolved complaints. There is no cost to you for using this service.

# APPLICATION FORM **GUIDE**

### 1. Your personal information

We collect your personal information for the following purposes:

- to administer and provide products and services and to manage our relationship with you;
- to process transactions, to answer queries and for security purposes;
- to develop products and services;
- to meet regulatory requirements; and
- to allow Australian Unity to market products and services to you (subject to your right to opt-out of receiving various direct marketing materials at any time).

In managing your account, we may need to disclose your personal information to:

- your financial adviser, funeral director or their firms, either directly or through other service providers (such as Funeral Plan Management);
- reputable service providers who may carry out functions associated with our products and services on our behalf (e.g. mailing houses who conduct mailings for us);
- our Australian financial institution to initiate the drawing from or payment to your nominated account (where you have selected the direct debit or credit facility); and
- a third party, as required by law.

You are entitled to access information we have about you. You should notify us immediately if any of the information we hold about you changes, so that we can ensure your information is always complete, accurate and up to date. If you do not provide the information requested on the Application Form, we may be unable to process your application request. If a financial adviser's details appear on the Application Form, you authorise us to give information relating to your investment account and investments to your financial adviser, in doing so you acknowledge that your financial adviser is your agent for the purpose of receiving this information.

Your personal information will be collected, used and disclosed by us in accordance with our Privacy Policy and in accordance with the law. Our Privacy Policy can be found at: <a href="mailto:australianunity.com.au/privacy-policy">australianunity.com.au/privacy-policy</a> or by telephone on 1800 804 731.

If you have any complaints or questions about the privacy of your personal information, please contact our Privacy Officer by writing to:

Privacy Officer
Australian Unity – Investment Bonds
Reply Paid 89 (no stamp required)

Adelaide SA 5001

If we do not satisfy your complaint to your satisfaction, you may write to the Privacy Commissioner at:

Office of the Australian Information Commissioner GPO Box 5218 Sydney NSW 2001

# 2. Direct Debit Request ('DDR') Service Agreement

This is your Direct Debit Request Service Agreement with Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited (Lifeplan), ABN 78 087 649 492 FuneralPlan Pre-Paid (User ID 086326).

It explains what your obligations are when undertaking a Direct Debit arrangement with us. It also details what our obligations are to you as your Direct Debit provider.

Please keep this agreement for future reference. It forms part of the terms and conditions of your Direct Debit Request and should be read in conjunction with your Direct Debit Request authorisation. If you require a copy of a Direct Debit Service Agreement, please contact us (see below in the section 'Notice' for our mailing address).

The terms for this Direct Debit Service Agreement are for the purpose of an investment into FuneralPlan Pre-Paid by:

1) Initial/additional contribution or Instalment Plan by direct debit

#### **Definitions**

**account** means the account held at your nominated Australian financial institution from which we are authorised to arrange for funds to be debited.

**agreement** means this Direct Debit Request Service Agreement between you and us.

**business day** means a day other than a Saturday or a Sunday or a public holiday listed throughout Australia.

**debit day** means the day that payment from you to us is due.

**debit payment** means a particular transaction where a debit is made.

**Direct Debit Request** means the written, verbal or online request between us and you to debit funds from your account.

**our, us** or **we** means [Australian Unity Funds Management Limited / Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited], (the Debit User) you have authorised by requesting a Direct Debit Request.

**PDS** means the offer document to which this agreement is incorporated by reference and which sets out the terms of the offer of the fund.

fund means the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid (User ID 086326).

**you** or **your** means the customer who has signed the Direct Debit Request.

**your financial institution** means the Australian financial institution as nominated by you on the Direct Debit Request at which the account is maintained.

#### Our commitment to you

- By signing a *Direct Debit Request, you* have authorised us to arrange for funds to be debited from your account. You should refer to the *Direct Debit Request* and this *agreement* for the terms of the arrangement between us and you.
- We will only arrange for funds to be debited from your account as authorised in the Direct Debit Request.
- Where you request a one-off debit, the payment will be drawn from your nominated account after we accept your application.

- Where you request a one-off debit, the payment will be drawn from your nominated account on the date you have indicated on your application. (Lifeplan funds only).
- For regular debits, payment will normally start to be drawn from *your* nominated *account* from the date *you* have indicated on *your* application.
- Where the due date for a drawing falls on a nonbusiness day, it will be drawn from your account on the next business day. If you are unsure about which day your account has or will be deducted you should ask your financial institution.
- We may vary any terms of this agreement or a Direct Debit Request at any time by giving you at least fourteen (14) days written notice sent to the preferred email/address you have given us in the Direct Debit Request.
- We will keep the details of your nominated account and financial institution private and confidential.
- We will investigate and deal promptly with any queries, claims or complaints regarding debits.

#### Your commitment to Lifeplan (us)

- It is your responsibility to check with your nominated Australian financial institution to confirm that direct debits are available on your account as direct debiting through the Bulk Electronic Clearing System (BECS) may not be available on all accounts.
- If there are insufficient clear funds in *your account* to meet a debit payment:
  - (a) you may be charged a fee and/or interest by your financial institution;
  - (b) we may charge you reasonable costs incurred by us on account of there being insufficient funds;and
  - (c) you must arrange for the debit payment to be made by another method or arrange for sufficient clear funds to be in your account by an agreed time so that we can process the debit payment.
- It is your responsibility to ensure that the authorisation at the 'Direct Debit Request' section of this Application Form matches the signing instructions on your nominated Australian financial institution account.

- It is your responsibility to ensure that there are sufficient cleared funds in the nominated Australian financial institution account to allow a debit payment to be made on the drawing date in accordance with the Direct Debit Request. We may reject your application if we are unable to draw funds from your nominated Australian financial institution.
- It is your responsibility to cover any charges resulting from the use of the direct debit program. This may include transaction fees charged by us or your nominated Australian financial institution due to dishonoured drawing.
- It is your responsibility to check your account details which you have provided to us are correct by checking them against a recent account statement from your Australian financial institution.
- It is your responsibility to check with your financial institution before completing the 'Direct Debit Request' section of this Application Form, if you have any queries about how to complete the Direct Debit Request.
- It is *your* responsibility to check *your* account statement to verify that the amounts debited from *your account* are correct.

#### Changes to the arrangement

If you want to make changes to the drawing arrangements, please notify us in writing (see below section 'Notice' for our mailing address), at least five (5) business days prior to the drawing date. You can also contact your own financial institution, which must act promptly on your instructions. These changes may include:

- deferring the drawing;
- altering the details of the drawing;
- stopping an individual debit; or
- cancelling the Direct Debit Request completely.

#### **Enquiries**

All your personal customer information held by us will remain confidential, except for information that may be provided to our financial institution to initiate the drawing to your nominated account, or information that may be disclosed to a third party as required by law.

Information may also be provided to any entity within the Australian Unity Group to enable the *Direct Debit Request* to be effected as required by law.

#### **Disputes**

- If you believe there has been an error in debiting your account, you should notify us directly in writing by mail, emailing us at enquiries@australianunity.com.au or contacting us on 1300 300 38 (see below section 'Notice' for our mailing address) and then confirm that notice in writing with us as soon as possible so that we can resolve your query more quickly.
- If we conclude, as a result of our investigations that your account has been incorrectly debited, we will respond to your query by arranging within a reasonable period for your Australian financial institution to adjust your account (including interest and charges) accordingly. We will also notify you in writing of the amount by which your account has been adjusted.
- If we conclude, as a result of our investigations that your account has not been incorrectly debited we will respond to your query by providing you reasons and any evidence for this finding in writing.
- If you do not receive a satisfactory response from us, then please follow up with your nominated Australian financial institution regarding your claim.
- You will receive a refund of the drawing amount if we cannot substantiate the reason for the drawing.

#### Confidentiality

- We will keep any information (including your account details) in your Direct Debit Request confidential.
   We will make reasonable efforts to keep any such information that we have about you secure and to ensure that any of our employees or agents who have access to information about you do not make any unauthorised use, modification, reproduction or disclosure of that information.
- We will only disclose information that we have about you:
  - (a) to the extent specifically required by law; or
  - (b) for the purposes of this *agreement* (including disclosing information in connection with any query or claim).

#### **Notice**

If you wish to notify us in writing about anything relating to this agreement, you should write to:

#### GPO Box 89, Adelaide SA 5001

or email us at enquiries@australianunity.com.au

We will notify you by:

- (a) sending a notice in the ordinary post to the address you have given us in this Application Form to the PDS; or
- (b) by sending a notice electronically to the email address *you* have given *us* in the Application Form to the *PDS*.

Any notice received after 1:30pm in our Adelaide office on any Adelaide *Business Day* will be deemed to have been received on the next Adelaide *Business Day*.

# 3. Terms and conditions for email instructions

We offer an email service that allows you to send us instructions on your account. Any instructions which are submitted to us by email must have your signature or that of an authorised signatory on your account.

By using our service, you are taken to have agreed and understood that neither we nor any part of Australian Unity accept any responsibility or liability for any payment or action we make based on any instruction (even if not genuine) that we receive by email bearing your account number, a signature which is apparently yours, or that of an authorised signatory on your account.

This means that you cannot make a claim for such a thing as a fraudulent email redemption request made by someone who has access to your investor code and a copy of your signature.

You use the service entirely at your own risk.

#### Requirements for email

If you wish to give us instructions by email in relation to your account (e.g. amend your records in any way), you must:

 send the email to <u>funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au</u> or any other email address we may advise from time to time;

- ensure that you attach a PDF document to your email that contains the instructions and is signed by all the authorised signatories to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid investment and is dated correctly; and
- include the name of all the investors, the account number(s) and sufficient information to enable us to complete the action required.

#### 4. Completing the Application Form

The following information is provided to assist you in completing and lodging the Application Form.

- Use the Application Form checklist;
- Answer all sections unless otherwise indicated (if a section does not apply, please indicate using 'N/A');
- Please ensure you provide your signature on the Application Form; and
- Complete the Direct Debit Request section or if you are paying by cheque, make it payable to: 'Funeral Plan Management Pty Ltd' – <Investor Name(s)> and crossed 'Not Negotiable'.

#### 5. Lodgement

You can lodge your completed Application Form by mailing it to the following reply-paid address or by emailing it to funeral.plans@lifeplan.com.au.

#### Funeral Plan Management Pty Ltd Reply Paid 89, Adelaide SA 5001

(No stamp required if mailed in Australia)

The application will be considered lodged when it is received in our Adelaide office on an Adelaide business day prior to 2:30pm. Your application (including the completed Part B – Assignment of Ownership Form – if applicable) will not be accepted unless personally signed by the applicant(s) and we have received your initial contribution.

If you prefer, you may lodge your application with your funeral director, financial adviser or agent who will forward it on to us.

Please note we do not accept cash or credit card payments.

# APPLICATION FORM CHECKLIST

mandatory deferral period has ended to apply for

the Travel Protection Plan.

To ensure that we are able to process your Application Form quickly and efficiently, please 'X' that you have completed all of the following. Applicant must be at least 16 years of age. Travel Protection Plan only applicants should complete the Travel Protection Plan Application Form. STEP 1 STEP 5 **Product Selection Criteria Payment Instructions** Under the Design and Distribution Obligations Provide details on your initial contribution (DDO) framework, Lifeplan Australia Friendly amount. Specify how you want to pay for your Society, as Issuer of the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid initial contribution: product, is required to ascertain the key criteria on **Direct debit:** If you are investing by direct which customers have based their decision to take debit, please provide your Australian financial out the product and their investment choice. institution account details in step 7 and sign the Direct Debit Request Authorisation in step 8. STEP 2 **Pre-paid Funeral Contract Number** BPAY®: Please contact us on 1800 804 731 to obtain your customer reference number and Provide the pre-paid funeral contract number. our BPAY® Biller code. Please note a FuneralPlan Pre-Paid benefit can only be **Cheque:** Please make the cheque payable to used to provide for one funeral. So, if a policy is held in 'Funeral Plan Management Pty Ltd', <Investor joint names, the benefit can only be used to pay for the name(s)>' and cross it 'Not Negotiable'. expenses of a single funeral. STEP 6 STEP 3 **Instalment Plan Pre-paid Funeral Contract Details** If you wish to start an Instalment Plan, please Please provide details on the pre-paid funeral specify your total contribution amount (minimum contract. initial contribution of \$100, minimum additional contribution of \$50 per month), your regular instalment amount and the contribution STEP 4 frequency to be debited from your nominated **Travel Protection Plan (optional)** Australian financial institution account. Confirm that you have received the Customer Information form and that you are comfortable to be contacted by the funeral director, after the

# STEP 7 **Direct Debit Request Authorisation** and Declaration Account holders have signed and dated the Direct Debit Request Authorisation section (if applicable). Applicants have signed and dated the Declaration STEP 8 **Nomination of a Funeral Director** (optional) If you wish to involve a funeral director and you do not wish to use your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid in conjunction with a pre-paid funeral, you may nominate your preferred funeral director to receive your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid. STEP 9 **Investment Option** Select your investment option (only one option permitted). If you assign ownership to your funeral director, your funeral director selects the investment option on the Part B – Assignment of Ownership form. **STEP 10** Part B – Assignment of Ownership (optional) Please complete the Assignment of Ownership form if you want to assign your rights as a benefit fund member and vour FuneralPlan Pre Paid benefit entitlement and/or Travel Protection Plan benefit entitlement to your funeral director or if you have arranged a pre-paid funeral. Your funeral director selects the investment option on this form.

## STEP 11 Travel Protection Plan Application Form (optional)

NOTE – applications for the Protection Plan can only be completed after the completion of the deferral period (refer to page 8 for further details)

Please complete the Travel Protection Application Form if you wish to apply for the Travel Protection plan.

Select single or joint application.

Nominate your funeral director or assign your Travel Protection Plan (unless you have already nominated a funeral director in your previous funeral bond policy application).

Travel Protection Plan applicants must at a minimum nominate a preferred funeral director. Otherwise, please complete Part B- Assignment of Ownership form (see step 10) if you wish to assign your Travel Protection Plan benefit entitlement to your preferred funeral director.

# Client Care Statement – Queensland residents only

Queensland State legislation (Funeral Benefit Business Act 1982) requires distributors (selling agents) of funeral bonds to provide clients/investors with a Client Care Statement prior to purchasing a funeral bond product. The Client Care Statement provides warnings about signing contracts, fees, financial advice and cooling off. Queensland residents are required to complete and sign the Client Care Statement and send this together with the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid Application Form to us.

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# FUNERALPLAN PRE-PAID APPLICATION FORM





Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited ABN 78 087 649 492 AFS Licence No. 237989

Applications for FuneralPlan Pre-Paid will only be processed on receipt of the completed Application Form issued in this Product Disclosure Statement dated 5 October 2021. Refer to page 29 for instructions on how to complete this form. Call Investor Services on 1800 804 731 if you have any questions.

Please use **BLACK INK** and print within the boxes in CAPITAL letters. Mark any boxes with a cross (X) where applicable. Please provide a Client Care Statement with your completed Application Form – Queensland residents only.

We will contact you if the Application Form is incomplete. If no new Application Form is received within 30 days, your Application Form will not be processed and your money returned (with any interest earned being retained by us).

#### 1. PRODUCT SELECTION CRITERIA What level of decision making are you seeking when selecting your investment strategy? Selection criteria **Criteria Description** Selection from an You seek to invest in a product with investments chosen from an extensive investment menu (more than 15 investment options available), with administration extensive investment provided by the fund menu Selection from a limited You seek to invest in a product where investments can be chosen by the customer investment menu from a limited investment menu (less than 15 investment options available), with administration provided by the fund You seek to invest in a product with a default investment strategy applied where Not seeking investment choice, and would prefer a no investments selection can be made by the customer, with administration is default investment option provided by the fund. How would you describe your risk (ability to bear a loss on your investment) and return profile? Selection criteria **Criteria Description** You are naturally conservative or have a low risk appetite, you seek to minimise Low potential losses (e.g. have the ability to bear up to 1 negative return over a 20 year period) and you are comfortable with a low target return profile. You typically prefer defensive assets such as cash and fixed income. You have a moderate or medium risk appetite, you seek to minimise potential Medium losses (e.g. have the ability to bear up to 4 negative returns over a 20 year period) and are comfortable with a moderate target return profile. You typically prefer a balance of growth assets such as shares, property, alternative assets and defensive assets such as cash and fixed income. You have a higher risk appetite and can accept higher potential losses (e.g. have High the ability to bear up to 6 negative returns over a 20 year period in order to target a higher target return profile. You typically prefer predominantly growth assets such as shares, property and alternative assets with only a smaller or moderate holding in defensive assets such as cash and fixed income. You have a more aggressive or very high risk appetite, seek to maximise returns and Very high can accept higher potential losses (e.g. have the ability to bear 6 or more negative returns over a 20 year period) and possibly other risk factors, such as leverage). You typically prefer growth assets such as shares, property and alternative assets.

2. PRE-PAID FUNERAL CONTRACT NUMBER				
This application is made in conjunction with pre-paid funeral contract number				
3. PRE-PAID FUNERAL CONTRACT DETAILS				
Your initial deposit must be sufficient to cover the total pre-paid funeral contract	t cost inclusive of GST.			
Contract amount (GST excluded) \$				
GST on pre-paid funeral \$	Please indicate if GST is included in the amount sent to Funeral Plan Management:			
Total amount (GST included) \$	Yes No			
4. TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN DETAILS				
Complete this section if you are interested in being contacted about the Travel P	Protection Plan.			
I confirm that I am interested in being contacted after the end of the deferral period to further discuss the Travel Protection Plan				
I confirm that I have been given a copy of the Customer Information relating to the Travel Protection Plan, to begin the deferral period.				
How long does the deferral period last?				
The deferral period relating to the Travel Protection Plan will last:  From D D / M M / Y Y Y to D D / M M / Y Y Y				

This is a compulsory four (4) day deferral on your ability to apply for the Travel Protection Plan, beginning from the date you agree to invest in the FuneralPlan Bond.

5. PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS				
Please specify your initial contribution amount below.				
The <b>minimum</b> initial contribution is <b>\$500</b> (or \$100 with an Instalment Plan).				
Please specify how you want to pay for your initial contribution below:				
Direct Debit Direct Debit collection date  D D M M M Y Y Y Y Y (Please complete step 7)				
BPAY®  If paying by BPAY®, please contact us on 1800 804 731 to obtain your Customer Reference Number and our BPAY® Biller code.				
Cheque If paying by cheque, please make the cheque payable 'Funeral Plan Management Pty Ltd, <investor name="">' and cross it 'Not Negotiable'.</investor>				
Please note – your initial contribution will be allocated towards the amounts outlined in your pre-paid funeral contract in the following order: -				
(i) payment of the GST amount specified to the Funeral Director,				
(ii) payment of the Establishment Fee specified to the Funeral Director and				
(iii) investment of the balance of the Total Payable (Investment Amount) in the benefit fund linked to your selected investment option.				
6. INSTALMENT PLAN				
If you wish to start an Instalment Plan, please specify your total contribution amount, your regular instalment amount and the contribution frequency to be debited from your nominated Australian financial institution account.				
I wish to invest the total amount of: \$				
Regular instalments: \$ (minimum \$50)				
Instalment Plan direct debit frequency: Fortnightly Monthly Quarterly				

#### 7. DIRECT DEBIT REQUEST AUTHORISATION AND DECLARATION

ne terms of this Direct Debit are for the purpose of an investment into the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid (User ID 086326 by n [initial/additional investment] or [Regular Savings Plan/Regular Instalment Plan]. If you would like us to deduct your nvestment directly from your nominated Australian financial institution account (or you have selected the Regular avings Plan/Regular Instalment Plan), please complete the section below.
Initial/additional investment by direct debit to be deducted from my account at the time of application
Initial/additional contribution by direct debit to be deducted from my account on DD/MM/YYYY
Regular Savings Plan/Regular Instalment Plan direct debits to commence from DD/MM/YYYY
lote:
Where your initial contribution is not sufficient to cover GST and/or an Establishment Fee payable to your Funeral Director, in accordance with your pre-paid funeral contract, any additional contributions will be allocated to paying these amounts to the Funeral Director before they are invested in the benefit fund linked to your nominated investment option;  Quarterly debits will only occur in the months of March, June, September and December.  roviding your nominated Australian Financial Institution details below means that you authorise the use of this information for all future deposit transaction requests that you initiate.
lame of Australian inancial Institution
lame of account older(s)
ranch name
Franch number Account number Account number

#### Confirmation

I/we request and authorise Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited (Lifeplan) FuneralPlan Pre-Paid (User ID 086326)

- to debit funds through the Bulk Electronic Clearing System (BECS) according to the details specified above from my/our nominated Australian financial institution account and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the *Direct Debit Service Agreement*.
- I/we are authorised to operate my/our nominated Australian financial institution account.
- I/we have read, understood and agree to the terms and conditions set out in this Request and in the *Direct Debit Request Service Agreement* in the PDS dated 5 October 2021.
- I/we acknowledge and agree this Direct Debit arrangement is governed by the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement.
- I/we agree to indemnify Lifeplan against all losses, costs, damages and liability (including, without limitation, legal costs and expenses on a full indemnity basis) that Lifeplan may suffer as a result of my/our breach of the *Direct Debit Request Service Agreement* or providing an invalid or non-binding direct debit request or Lifeplan otherwise acting upon any unauthorised direct debit request. This indemnity is a continuing obligation, separate and independent from other obligations and survives termination of this agreement. It is not necessary for Lifeplan to incur expenses or make payment before enforcing this right of indemnity. I/we agree to pay Australian Unity all or any sum due without deduction or set-off. This indemnity does not apply to the extent of any fraud, negligence or breach of trust by Lifeplan.
- I/we acknowledge and agree that by signing and/or providing Lifeplan with a valid instruction in respect to my/our Direct Debit Request, I/we confirm that I/we have understood and agreed to the terms and conditions governing the debit arrangements between myself/us and Lifeplan as set out in this Direct Debit Request and in my/our Direct Debit Request Service Agreement.

All account signato	ries must sign below:					
Signature of Austral holder or company	ian financial institution account officer 1	Signature of <i>F</i> holder or com			stitution acc	count
X		X				
Investor 1 surname		Investor 2 sur	name			
Investor 1 given nan	me(s)	Investor 2 giv	en name	e(s)		
Company position (i	if applicable)	Company pos	ition (if	applicable)		
Date  D D / M M	/ Y Y Y Y	Date D D / N	M /	YYY	Υ	
By signing and/or providing us with a valid instruction in respect to your Direct Debit Request, you have understood and agreed to the terms and conditions governing the debit arrangements between you and Lifeplan as set out in this request and in your <i>Direct Debit Service Agreement</i> .						
8. NOMINATION	OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR					
Use this section to nominate a funeral director to receive your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid entitlement as a beneficiary upon your death. Please refer to page 21 for details on nominating a funeral director. You can assign ownership of your FuneralPlan Pre-Paid to a funeral director by completing the Part B - Assignment of Ownership form.						
I nominate my fune	ral director named below:					
• to receive payme	nt upon the policy maturity;					
Name of funeral director						
Business address (nominated funeral home address)						
	Suburb		State		Postcode	
Mobile/phone			-			
Email						

Please continue to complete the Application Form overleaf and ensure you sign and date the form.

#### **Declaration**

I wish to invest in FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and agree and acknowledge:

- the information I have provided in relation to this Application Form is true and correct;
- I have read the Product Disclosure Statement dated 5 October 2021 and any relevant Supplementary Disclosure Documents relating to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan;
- if I have received this Application Form from the internet or other electronic means, I declare that I have received it personally, or a printout of it, accompanied by or attached to the Product Disclosure Statement and any relevant Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement
- I agree to be contacted by Australian Unity Limited (AUL) to receive further information about AUL's services, products and news. AUL respects your privacy and complies with all applicable privacy laws including the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) and the Australian Privacy Principles as stated in our Privacy Policy. To be removed from our email distribution list, please phone: Adviser Services in 1300 133 285;
- by providing my email address in this Application Form, Lifeplan may use this address to provide me, where permitted by law or regulation, with information via email about my investment and the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid, including any communications such as annual statements to satisfy any continuous disclosure requirements. To alter the communication method, please contact us on 1800 804 731;
- if this Application Form is signed under a Power of Attorney, the Attorney verifies that no notice of revocation of that power has been received at the date of completing this Application Form;
- the amount paid to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid together with that paid to other funeral funds does not exceed the amount reasonably required to meet the cost of my desired funeral arrangements;
- the funeral director may charge an establishment fee for setting up the pre-paid funeral contract which is determined by the funeral director and is not a fee charged by Lifeplan;
- units in the investment option(s) will not be allocated until Lifeplan has received a completed Application Form and investment monies; and
- where I have expressed an interest in being contacted about the Travel Protection Plan after the deferral period, I have reviewed the PDS and understand my rights under the deferral sales model and have been provided with a copy of the Customer Information.

**Signature(s)** (all applicants must sign and date this form)

Signature of Applicant 1	Signature of Applicant 2
X	X
Date	Date
D D / M M / Y Y Y	D D / M M / Y Y Y
9. INVESTMENT OPTION (FuneralPlan Pre-Paid applic	ants only)
If you wish to assign the membership to a nominated funera The funeral director will select the investment option. <b>Go to</b>	•
I have <b>not</b> assigned the ownership to a funeral director, (only <b>one</b> option allowed):	and wish to select the investment option
Capital Guaranteed Conservative	Moderate
If you do not select an investment option, the default investment, which will apply for the life of the bond and cannot be applied, which will apply for the life of the bond and cannot be applied.	estment option of the Capital Guaranteed is automatically not be changed. <b>A switch in or out of the Capital</b>

# PART B ASSIGNMENT OF OWNERSHIP





This form is for the purpose of assigning your entitlement to benefits under the policy created by your Application Form for membership in the Lifeplan benefit fund.

The assignment will have the effect:

- a) of recording the assigned funeral director as the absolute owner of the policy;
- b) to enable the funeral director to determine the investment allocation of benefits held under the assigned policy in the Lifeplan benefit fund; and
- c) to enable the funeral director to receive your Travel Protection Plan benefit entitlement.

This assignment will take effect after the initial creation of your membership in the Lifeplan benefit fund.

Please use **BLACK PEN** and print within the boxes in **CAPITAL** letters. Mark any boxes with a a cross (X) where applicable.

1. MEMBER DETA	AILS				
Member 1 (Individ	dual inve	stor)			
Title	Mr	Mrs	Ms	Miss	Other – Please specify:
Given name(s)					
Surname					
Mobile/Phone					Date of birth DD/MM/YYYYY
Email					
Member 2 (Joint i	nvestor)				
Title	Mr	Mrs	Ms	Miss	Other – Please specify:
Given name(s)					
Surname					
Mobile/Phone					Date of birth DD/MM/YYYYY
Email					

2. NOMINATED A	SSIGNEE					
Name of funeral director						
Business address						
	Suburb		State		Postcode	
Mobile/phone						
Email						
3. MEMBER DECL	ARATION (ASSIGNOR)					
separately entered in	n agreement with the nominated assign to with the assignee I have effected this ership of the policy issued in the Lifepla	s assignment fre	ely and v	vith full unde	erstanding th	nat its effect
Signature(s) (all me	mbers must sign and date this form)					
Signature of Membe	r 1	Signature of I	Member	2		
X		X				
Date    D   M   M	/	Date D / M	1 M /	YYY	Υ	
4. FUNERAL DIRE	CTOR DECLARATION (ASSIGNEE)					
I have accepted the a	assignment proposed by this documen	ıt with full under	rstandin	g that:		
i. the direction as to available) will be	o the investment allocation of the value exercised by me;	e of the member	r accoun	t in the Lifep	lan benefit f	und (where
	assume full responsibility for the risks eplan benefit fund;	attaching to a d	ecision a	s to the inve	stment alloc	ation of the
iii. each of and all of the funeral requirements specified by the assignor in the pre-paid funeral plan agreement executed by the assignor will be provided irrespective of the value of the account in the Lifeplan benefit fund at the relevant date;						
and I nominate the investment option for the account as:						
Investment option	Capital Guaranteed Co	nservative	Me	oderate		
Name of Funeral Director						
Signature	Χ	С	Date D	D / M	M / Y	YYY

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### TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN APPLICATION FORM





Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited ABN 78 087 649 492 AFSL 237989.

- Applications for Travel Protection Plan, where they are linked to an existing FuneralBond policy, will only be
  accepted and processed where the deferral period has been observed in accordance with the deferred sales
  model for add-on insurance (refer to page 8 of the PDS for further details).
- If the application for Travel Protection Plan is not linked to a FuneralBond policy, the deferral period does not need to be observed.

Please use BLACK PEN and print within the boxes in CAPITAL letters. Mark any boxes with a cross (X) where applicable.

We will contact you if the Application Form is incomplete. If no new Application Form is received within 30 days, your Application Form will not be processed and your money returned (with any interest earned being retained by us).

1. PERSONAL DETAILS								
Applicant 1 (Indiv	idual)							
Title	Mr M	rs Ms	Miss	Other – Pl	ease speci	fy:		
Given name(s)								
Surname								
Mobile/Phone				Date of bi	rth D	D / M	M / Y	YYY
Email								
Residential address for Applicant 1 (not a P.O. Box)								
Residential address								
	Suburb				State		Postcode	
Correspondence ad	dress							
All correspondence assigned to a Funera		•						ntract or
Same as resider	ntial address. Oth	erwise please co	mplete po	stal address	s details b	elow.		
Postal address								
	Suburb				State		Postcode	

### TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN **APPLICATION FORM**

Applicant 2 (Joint)					
•	cy is held in joint names, the Travel Protection Plan will I incurred by each applicant at the time of the respective				
Address details	s same as applicant 1				
Title	Mr Mrs Ms Miss Other – Ple	ease spe	cify:		
Given name(s)					
Surname					
Mobile/Phone	Date of bi	rth D	D/M	M / Y	YYY
Email					
2. PRE-PAID FUN	ERAL POLICY DETAILS				
Will this application	be linked to an existing Funeral Plan Management pre-	paid fun	eral policy?	Yes	No
•	Yes' to the previous question, please provide your ement pre-paid policy number:				
3. TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN DETAILS					
Complete this section	on if you wish to apply for the Travel Protection Plan.				
Single (\$175 one-off premium)					
Joint (\$300 one-off premium: \$175 for the first applicant and \$125 for the second applicant)					
	n benefit will be paid to a maximum of \$3,200 for transp ective funerals provided the entitlement criteria are met		n costs incur	red by each	applicant at
Is the funeral directo	or the same as that assigned to your pre-paid policy?				
Yes No	o. If you have answered 'No' to this question, provide the	e details	of the Fune	ral Director b	elow:
Name of funeral director					
Business address (nominated funeral home address)		, -			
	Suburb	State		Postcode	
I/We confirm th	at my/our normal place of residence is within 70km of n	ominate	ed funeral h	ome	

4. PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS				
One-off premium payment				
Please specify your one-off premium payment amount below.  \$				
Please specify how you want to pay for your initial contribution below:				
Direct Debit Direct Debit collection date  D  M  M  Y  Y  Y  Y  (Please complete step 6)				
BPAY® If paying by BPAY®, please contact us on 1800 804 731 to obtain your Customer Reference Number and our BPAY® Biller code.				
Cheque If paying by cheque, please make the cheque payable 'Funeral Plan Management Pty Ltd, <investor name="">' and cross it 'Not Negotiable'.</investor>				
5. AUSTRALIAN FINANCIAL INSTITUTION ACCOUNT DETAILS				
Please provide your account details below. This account will be used to debit your one-off premium payment.				
Name of Australian Financial Institution				
Name of account owner(s)				
Branch name				
Branch number (BSB) Account number				

Please ensure that you complete the Direct Debit Request Authorisation section. If the above account is held in joint names, please ensure that both account holders sign.

Company position (if applicable)

Date

#### 6. DIRECT DEBIT REQUEST AUTHORISATION AND DECLARATION

The terms of this Direct Debit are for the purpose of an investment into the Travel Protection Plan through a one-off premium payment. If you would like us to deduct your investment directly from your nominated Australian financial institution account, please tick the box below. One-off premium payment to be deducted from my account at the time of application Confirmation • I/we request and authorise Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Limited (Lifeplan) User ID Funeral Plan Bond (User ID 086326) to debit funds through the Bulk Electronic Clearing System (BECS) according to the details specified above from my/our nominated Australian financial institution account and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Direct Debit Service Agreement. • I/we are authorised to operate my/our nominated Australian financial institution account. • I/we have read, understood and agree to the terms and conditions set out in this Request and in the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement in the PDS dated 5 October 2021. • I/we acknowledge and agree this Direct Debit arrangement is governed by the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement. • I/we agree to indemnify Lifeplan against all losses, costs, damages and liability (including, without limitation, legal costs and expenses on a full indemnity basis) that Lifeplan may suffer as a result of my/our breach of the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement, or providing an invalid or non-binding direct debit request or Lifeplan otherwise acting upon any unauthorised direct debit request. This indemnity is a continuing obligation, separate and independent from other obligations and survives termination of this agreement. It is not necessary for Lifeplan to incur expenses or make payment before enforcing this right of indemnity. I/we agree to pay Australian Unity all or any sum due without deduction or set-off. This indemnity does not apply to the extent of any fraud, negligence or breach of trust by Lifeplan. • I/we acknowledge and agree that by signing and/or providing Lifeplan with a valid instruction in respect to my/our Direct Debit Request, I/we confirm that I/we have understood and agreed to the terms and conditions governing the debit arrangements between myself/us and Lifeplan as set out in this Direct Debit Request and in my/our Direct Debit Request Service Agreement. All account signatories must sign below: Signature of Australian financial institution account Signature of Australian financial institution account holder or company officer 2 holder or company officer 1 Investor 1 surname Investor 2 surname Investor 1 given name(s) Investor 2 given name(s)

By signing and/or providing us with a valid instruction in respect to your Direct Debit Request, you have understood and agreed to the terms and conditions governing the debit arrangements between you and Lifeplan as set out in this request and in your *Direct Debit Service Agreement*.

Date

Company position (if applicable)

#### 7. DECLARATION

I/We wish to invest in the Travel Protection Plan and agree and acknowledge:

- the information I have provided in relation to this Application Form is true and correct;
- I have read the Product Disclosure Statement dated 5 October 2021 and any relevant Supplementary Product Disclosure Statements relating to the FuneralPlan Pre-Paid and/or Travel Protection Plan;
- that where this application is linked to an existing FuneralPlan Pre-Paid policy, the deferral period under the deferred sales model for add-on insurance has been observed;
- if I have received this Application Form from the internet or other electronic means, I declare that I have received it personally, or a printout of it, accompanied by or attached to the Product Disclosure Statement and any relevant Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement;
- Lifeplan is authorised to supply relevant information about me to my financial adviser (where applicable) and the financial adviser's dealer group;
- I agree to be contacted by Australian Unity Limited (AUL) to receive further information about AUL's services, products and news. AUL respects your privacy and complies with all applicable privacy laws including the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) and the Australian Privacy Principles as stated in out Privacy Policy. To be removed from our email distribution list, please phone Adviser Services on Funeral Directors 1800 804 731;
- by providing my email address in this application, Lifeplan may use this address to provide me, where permitted by law or regulation, with information via email about my investment and the FuneralPlan Bond, including any communications to satisfy any continuous disclosure requirements. To alter the communication method, please contact us on 1800 804 731; and
- if this Application Form is signed under a Power of Attorney, the Attorney verifies that no notice of revocation of that power has been received at the date of completing this Application Form.

**Signature(s)** (all applicants must sign and date this form)

Signature of Applicant 1	Signature of Applicant 2
X	X
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