

# New Contract Rates (6-Year)

Effective 01/15/2022 through 01/31/2022 and are subject to change

Cap Rates and Step Rates accrue daily and reflect only the potential maximum interest over the entire 1-, 3-, or 6-year term. Rates shown are not annual rates. **At the end of any term, all rates will reset based on then-current renewal rates.**

If positive index performance of the selected index at the end of a term is less than the Cap Rate shown, you will receive the lower rate. For the Step Rates, you will receive the rate reflected only if the index performance at the end of the term is equal to or greater than zero.

If there is negative index performance at the end of a term, Brighthouse Financial absorbs losses up to the level of protection for the Shield Option selected and your account value will be reduced by any negative performance beyond the level of protection. If you do not elect the Fixed Account, you could see a risk of substantial loss if the index declines more than your level of protection.

## Cap Rate

6-Year Term	Shield 10	Shield 15	Shield 25
S&P 500® Index	300.00%	80.00%	45.00%
Russell 2000® Index	80.00%	45.00%	30.00%
MSCI EAFE Index	300.00%	95.00%	45.00%

3-Year Term	Shield 10	Shield 15
S&P 500 Index	60.00%	35.00%
Russell 2000 Index	40.00%	30.00%
MSCI EAFE Index	40.00%	30.00%

1-Year Term	Shield 10	Shield 15	Shield 25
S&P 500 Index	13.00%	9.00%	5.25%
Russell 2000 Index	13.00%	9.00%	5.25%
MSCI EAFE Index	12.50%	7.50%	4.50%

## Step Rate

1-Year Term	Shield 10 With Step Rate
S&P 500 Index	8.50%
Russell 2000 Index	8.50%
MSCI EAFE Index	7.00%

## Fixed Account

1-Year Term	Fixed Account Option <sup>1,2</sup>
Fixed Account	1.10%

For more information, contact your financial professional or visit [brighthousefinancial.com](http://brighthousefinancial.com).

Some options and features available for Brighthouse Shield Level Select 6-Year Annuity may not be available in all states or for all firms. 1-Year Shield 15 and 1-Year Shield 25 Shield Options are not available in New York.

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 • Not Guaranteed by Any Bank or Credit Union • May Lose Value

- **S&P 500 Index<sup>A</sup>** – The Index includes 500 leading companies in leading industries of the U.S. economy, capturing 80% coverage of U.S. equities.
- **Russell 2000 Index<sup>B</sup>** – The Index includes approximately 2000 small-cap companies and provides a comprehensive and unbiased small-cap barometer of U.S. equities.
- **MSCI EAFE Index<sup>C</sup>** – The Index includes over 1000 international stocks intended to measure major developed international equity markets in Europe, Australasia, and the Far East (EAFE).

Please note: Allocations to a Shield Option are not invested directly in an index.

**New Money Rate Lock Procedure:** The Cap Rate, Step Rate, and Fixed Account Option interest rate are guaranteed for 60 days from the date the application is signed if the application is received by Brighthouse Financial Annuity Service Center within seven calendar days of the application signed date. If the application is received after seven calendar days, you will receive a new guaranteed Cap Rate, Step Rate, and Fixed Account Option interest rate for 60 days at the then-current rates. If your contract is issued beyond the 60-day time period, you will be given the then-current rates that are applicable for your Shield Option(s) as of the contract issue date.

<sup>1</sup> The Fixed Account may not be available in all states. Please contact your financial professional for details.

<sup>2</sup> The Fixed Account value is solely guaranteed by Brighthouse Life Insurance Company and, in New York only, by Brighthouse Life Insurance Company of NY.

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