

Providing the flexibility to help you achieve your retirement goals.

At Nationwide, we carefully select experienced money managers to deliver a wide range of investment options that seamlessly align with your investment goals, strategies and investment style.

This Investment Options Guide can help you make decisions with the money you invest in a Monument Advisor® variable annuity. Use our guide to pick your investment choices by asset class or fund family.

\$20

Flat fee: \$20/month² M&E

No M&E

\$O

No surrender charges

320+

More than 320 individual funds

Understanding variable annuities: The condensed version

Before we discuss Monument Advisor's investment options, let's go over some important points about variable annuities.

Variable annuities are long-term, tax-deferred investments you buy from an insurance company to help you save for retirement. They are called "variable" because their value fluctuates based on the performance of the underlying investment options you and your advisor pick.

They allow you to create a stream of income, available for a specified amount of time or for life, accessed either through systematic withdrawal,³ annuitization (at no extra cost) or the purchase of an optional rider. When discussing variable annuities, it's important to note that they have limitations and aren't right for all investors. If you decide to take your money out early:

 If you're not yet 59½, you may have to pay an additional 10% early withdrawal federal tax penalty on top of ordinary income taxes If a death benefit is available, the amount of your death benefit and the contract value will be reduced

Any guarantees are based on the policy terms and conditions and are subject to the claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company. These guarantees don't apply to the performance of the underlying investment options, which are subject to investment risk, including possible loss of the money you've invested. The investment options in a variable annuity are underlying subaccounts and cannot be purchased directly by the public. They are available only through variable annuity policies issued by life insurance companies.

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Fund category definitions

Government Money Market Funds:

Funds are not insured or guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other government agency. The funds are open to all investors and although they seek to preserve the value of the investment at \$1 per share, they cannot guarantee they will do so. You could lose money by investing in a fund. A fund may impose a fee upon sale of shares or temporarily suspend the ability to sell shares if the fund's liquidity falls below required minimums because of market conditions or other factors. The fund's sponsor has no legal obligation to provide financial support to the fund, and you should not expect that the sponsor will provide financial support to the fund at any time.

International/emerging market funds:

Funds that invest internationally involve risks not associated with investing solely in the United States, such as currency fluctuation, political risk, differences in accounting and the limited availability of information.

Small/mid-cap funds:

Funds investing in stocks of small-cap, mid-cap or emerging companies may have less liquidity than those investing in larger, established companies and may be subject to greater price volatility and risk than the overall stock market.

High-yield funds:

Funds that invest in high-yield securities are subject to greater credit risk, liquidity risk, and price fluctuations than funds that invest in higher-quality securities. The prices of high-yield bonds tend to be more sensitive to adverse economic and business conditions than are higher-rated corporate bonds. Increased volatility may reduce the market value of high-yield bonds. They are also subject to the claims-paying ability of the issuing company.

Government funds:

While the funds invest primarily in the securities of the U.S. government and its agencies, the values are not guaranteed by these entities.

Real estate funds:

Funds that focus on real estate investing are sensitive to economic and business cycles, changing demographic patterns and government actions.

Fund-of-funds:

These funds are designed to provide diversification and asset allocation across several types of investments and asset classes, primarily by investing in underlying funds. Therefore, in addition to the expenses of the portfolio, you are indirectly paying a proportionate share of the applicable fees and expenses of the underlying funds.

Bond funds:

These funds have the same interest rate, inflation and credit risks associated with the underlying bonds owned by the fund. Interest rate risk is the possibility of a change in the value of a bond due to changing interest rates. Inflation risk arises from the decline in value of cash flows due to loss of purchasing power. Credit risk is the potential loss on an investment based on the bond issuer's failure to repay on the amount borrowed.

Managed volatility funds:

These funds are designed to offer traditional long-term investment allocations blended with a strategy that seeks to mitigate risk and manage portfolio volatility. These funds may not be successful in reducing volatility, and it is possible that the funds' volatility management strategies could result in losses greater than if the funds did not use such strategies.

Asset allocation funds:

These funds may invest across multiple asset classes including, but not limited to, domestic and foreign stocks, bonds, and cash. The use of diversification and asset allocation as a part of an overall investment strategy does not guarantee to make a profit or protect against loss in a declining market.

Commodities/natural resources funds: Specific uncertainties associated with commodities and natural resources investing include changes in supply-and-demand relationships due to environmental, economic and political factors, which may cause increased volatility and decreased liquidity.

Defined outcome buffered funds: These funds seek to produce predetermined investment outcomes based on the performance of an underlying index up to a preset cap, while buffering investors against a portion of the index's losses over a specific period of time. There is no guarantee that these funds will achieve their investment objective, and their performance may be different than the underlying index. The investment outcomes being sought are based on a specific period, approximately 12 months, so investors not in the fund for the entire period may not realize the full potential benefit of the fund.

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ALLOCATION

Asset Allocation Funds

ALPS Morningstar Aggressive Growth ETF Allocation

ALPS Morningstar Balanced ETF Allocation

ALPS Morningstar Conservative ETF Allocation

ALPS Morningstar Growth ETF Allocation

ALPS Morningstar Income & Growth ETF Allocation

Fidelity® Freedom Income

NVIT Investor Destinations Capital Appreciation

NVIT Investor Destinations Moderate Fund Class II

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TOPS Managed Risk Balanced ETF

TOPS Managed Risk Growth ETF

TOPS Managed Risk Moderate Growth ETF

Aggressive Allocation

Franklin Mutual Shares

Macquarie VIP Balanced

TOPS Aggressive Growth ETF

TOPS Growth ETF

Conservative Allocation

TOPS Conservative ETF

Vanguard Conservative Allocation³

Global Allocation

American Funds Capital Income Builder

BlackRock Global Allocation

DFA VA Global Moderate Allocation³

Lazard Retirement Global Dynamic Multi Asset

Macquarie VIP Asset Strategy

Moderate Allocation

American Century Balanced

American Funds Asset Allocation

American Funds Managed Risk Asset Allocation

Calvert VP SRI Balanced

Fidelity® VP Balanced

Invesco Equity and Income

Janus Henderson Balanced

TOPS Balanced ETF

TOPS Moderate Growth ETF

Vanguard Balanced³

Vanguard Moderate Allocation³

ALLOCATION

Tactical Allocation

Federated Hermes Managed Volatility II

PIMCO VIT All Asset

PIMCO VIT Global Managed Asset Allocation

ALTERNATIVE

Global Macro

Invesco VI Balanced - Risk Allocation

Long-Short Equity

Rydex Guggenheim Long Short Equity

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Managed Futures

Rydex Global Managed Futures Fund

Multistrategy

Goldman Sachs Multi-Strategy Alternatives

Rydex Multi-Hedge Strategies Fund

Nontraditional Fixed Income

Columbia Strategic Income

PIMCO Dynamic Bond

Redwood Managed Volatility

Specialty: Defined Outcome Buffered Funds⁴

Goldman Sachs VIT Buffered S&P 500 Fund Jan/Jul

Goldman Sachs VIT Buffered S&P 500 Fund Mar/Sep

Goldman Sachs VIT Buffered S&P 500 Fund May/Nov

Invesco VI Nasdag 100 Buffer Fund - December

Invesco VI Nasdaq 100 Buffer Fund - June

Invesco VI Nasdaq 100 Buffer Fund - March

Invesco VI Nasdaq 100 Buffer Fund - September

Invesco VI S&P 500 Buffer Fund - December

Invesco VI S&P 500 Buffer Fund - June

Invesco VI S&P 500 Buffer Fund - March

Invesco VI S&P 500 Buffer Fund - September

EQUITY

Foreign Large Blend

NVIT International Equity

Foreign Large Value

American Funds International Growth & Income

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Foreign Small/Mid Value

American Funds Global Small Cap

Global Equity

Janus Henderson Global Research

NVIT Columbia Overseas Value

Third Avenue Value Portfolio

International Equity — Core

First Eagle Overseas Variable Fund

Janus Henderson Overseas

Lazard Retirement International Equity

NVIT International Index

Virtus Duff & Phelps International Growth

International Equity - Emerging Markets

American Funds New World

Fidelity VIP Emerging Markets Portfolio

John Hancock Emerging Markets

International Equity - Growth

AB Sustainable International Thematic

American Century International

Fidelity® VIP International Capital Appreciation

Fidelity® VIP Overseas

MFS International Growth

Vanguard International³

International Equity — Small

DFA International Small³

International Equity — Value

DFA International Value

Putnam VT International Value

Large Cap Core

American Funds Growth-Income

BlackRock Large Cap Core VI

BNY Mellon Stock Index³

BNY Mellon Sustainable U.S. Equity

ClearBridge Variable Dividend Strategy

DFA Equity Allocation³

Fidelity® VIP Growth and Income

Franklin Rising Dividends

Lord Abbett Dividend Growth

Lord Abbett Growth and Income

Northern Lights VT Donoghue Forlines Momentum

NVIT S&P 500 Index³

Pioneer Fund

Vanguard Equity Index³

Vanguard Total Stock Market Index³

Large Cap Growth

Alger Capital Appreciation

Alger Large Cap Growth

Allspring VT Opportunity

American Century Ultra

American Funds Growth

BlackRock Large Cap Focus Growth

ClearBridge Variable Large Cap Growth

Fidelity® VIP ContrafundSM

Fidelity® VIP Growth

Fidelity® VIP Growth Opportunities

Guggenheim StylePlus - Large Growth

Janus Henderson Forty

Janus Henderson Research

MFS® Growth Series

NVIT Calvert Equity Fund

NVIT Jacobs Levy Large Cap Growth

T. Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth

Vanguard Capital Growth³

Vanguard Growth³

Large Cap Value

AB VPS Relative Value Portfolio

American Century Disciplined Core Value

American Century Large Company Value

American Funds Managed Risk Washington Mutual Investors

American Funds Washington Mutual Investors

BlackRock Large Cap Value

BlackRock Equity Dividend

Columbia Select Large Cap Value

DFA U.S. Large Cap Value³

Fidelity® VIP Equity-Income PortfolioSM

Fidelity® VIP Value

Fidelity® VIP Value Strategies Portfolio

Invesco Comstock

Invesco Diversified Dividend

Invesco Growth and Income

Macquarie VIP Value

MFS® Value Series

NVIT BNY Mellon Dynamic US Equity Income

Pioneer Equity Income

Putnam VT Large Cap Value

T. Rowe Price Equity Income

Vanguard Diversified Value³

Vanguard Equity Income³

Large Core

NVIT AQR Large Cap Defensive Style

Putnam VT Sustainable Leaders

Mid Cap Core

NVIT Mid Cap Index³

Vanguard Mid-Cap Index³

Mid Cap Growth

Alger Mid Cap Growth

Fidelity® Mid Cap

Guggenheim StylePlus - Mid Growth

Janus Henderson Enterprise

Macquarie VIP Mid-Cap Growth

Neuberger Berman Mid-Cap Growth

T. Rowe Price Mid-Cap Growth

Mid Cap Value

AB Discovery Value

Janus Henderson Mid Cap Value

Pioneer Mid Cap Value

Mid Core Value

NVIT Victory Mid Cap Value (formerly NVIT Multi-Manager Mid Cap Value)

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Sector Equity

Columbia Seligman Global Technology

Fidelity® VIP Energy

Invesco Health Care

Invesco Technology

Macquarie VIP Energy

Macquarie VIP Science and Technology

T. Rowe Price Health Sciences

VanEck Global Gold

Small Cap Core

BNY Mellon Small Cap Stock Index

Columbia Select Small Cap Value

Fidelity® VIP Disciplined Small Cap

Guggenheim Small Cap Value

Lazard Retirement US Small-Mid Cap Equity

NVIT Small Cap Index

Royce Micro-Cap

Small Cap Growth

ClearBridge Variable Small Cap Growth

MFS New Discovery

Vanguard VIF Small Company Growth

Small Cap Value

DFA US Targeted Value³

Macquarie VIP Small Cap Value

Royce Small-Cap

World Large Growth

American Funds Global Growth

MFS® International Growth Portfolio

NVIT NS Partners International Focused Growth Fund

World Large Value

American Funds Capital World Growth and Income

World Stock

Janus Henderson Global Sustainable Equity

NVIT iShares Global Equity ETF

Vanguard VIF Total International Stock Market Index Portfolio

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Bank Loans

Guggenheim Floating Rate Strategies

Bonds - Floating Rate

Fidelity® Floating Rate High Income

Bonds - Intermediate

American Funds Mortgage

American Funds The Bond Fund of America

BlackRock Total Return

Fidelity® Investment Grade Bond

Franklin U.S. Government Securities

Guggenheim Total Return Bond

Invesco Core Plus Bond

Invesco Government Securities

Janus Henderson Flexible Bond

Macquarie VIP Corporate Bond

NVIT Bond Index

PIMCO Total Return

Pioneer Bond Fund

Putnam Mortgage Securities

Vanguard Total Bond Market Index³

Bonds - Long Term

PIMCO Long-Term U.S. Government

Bonds - Short Term

DFA Short-Term Fixed³

Marcquarie VIP Limited Term Bond

Neuberger Berman Short Duration Bond

PIMCO Short-Term

T. Rowe Price Limited-Term Bond

Vanguard Short-Term Investment Grade³

Bonds - Convertible

MainStay MacKay Convertible

FIXED INCOME Cont.

EM Bonds

PIMCO Emerging Markets Bond

VanEck Emerging Markets Bond

Global Bonds

American Funds Capital World Bond

DFA Global Bond

PIMCO Global Bond (Unhedged)

PIMCO Global Core Bond (Hedged)

PIMCO International Bond (US Dollar Hedged)

High Yield

American Funds High-Income Trust

BlackRock High Yield

Federated Hermes High Income Bond II

Fidelity® High Income

Invesco High Yield

Lord Abbett Bond Debenture

Macquarie VIP High Income

PIMCO High Yield

Pioneer High Yield

Putnam High Yield

Vanguard High Yield Bond³

Intermediate Government

American Funds US Government Securities

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Intermediate-Term Bond

NVIT DoubleLine Total Return Tactical

NVIT BNY Mellon Core Plus Bond

Multisector Fixed Income

Fidelity® Strategic Income

Franklin VIP Strategic Income

Invesco V.I. Global Strategic Income

NVIT Amundi Multi Sector Bond

PIMCO Income

Pioneer Strategic Income

Virtus Newfleet Multi-Sector Intermediate Bond

Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS)

PIMCO Real Return

FIXED INCOME Cont.

World Bond

NVIT iShares Fixed Income ETF Vanguard VIF Global Bond Index Portfolio

MONEY MARKET

Invesco Government Money Market NVIT Government Money Market

REAL ASSETS

Commodities

Advisors Preferred Trust - Gold Bullion Strategy Credit Suisse Trust - Commodity Return Strategy PIMCO CommodityRealReturn Strategy

Global Real Estate

Franklin Global Real Estate

Natural Resources Equity

Macquarie VIP Natural Resources VanEck VIP Global Resources

Real Estate

Vanguard Real Estate Index³ Virtus Duff & Phelps Real Estate Securities

TRADING

Trading - Inverse

ProFund Access VP High Yield

ProFund VP Asia 30

ProFund VP Banks

ProFund VP Basic Materials

ProFund VP Bear

ProFund VP Biotechnology

ProFund VP Bull

ProFund VP Consumer Goods

ProFund VP Consumer Services

ProFund VP Emerging Markets

ProFund VP Europe 30

ProFund VP Falling U.S. Dollar

TRADING Cont.

ProFund VP Financials

ProFund VP Health Care

ProFund VP Industrials

ProFund VP International

ProFund VP Internet

ProFund VP Japan

ProFund VP Large-Cap Growth

ProFund VP Large-Cap Value

ProFund VP Mid-Cap

ProFund VP Mid-Cap Growth

ProFund VP Mid-Cap Value

ProFund VP NASDAQ-100

ProFund Oil and Gas

ProFund VP Pharmaceuticals

ProFund VP Precious Metals

ProFund VP Real Estate

ProFund VP Rising Rates Opportunity

ProFund VP Semiconductor

ProFund VP Short Emerging Markets

ProFund VP Short International

ProFund VP Short Mid-Cap

ProFund VP Short NASDAQ-100

ProFund VP Short Small-Cap

ProFund VP Small Cap

ProFund VP Small-Cap Growth

ProFund VP Small-Cap Value

ProFund VP Technology

ProFund VP Telecommunications

ProFund VP U.S. Government Plus

ProFund VP UltraBull

ProFund VP UltraMid-Cap

ProFund VP UltraNASDAQ-100

ProFund VP UltraShort NASDAQ-100

ProFund VP UltraSmall-Cap

ProFund VP Utilities

Rydex VT Banking Fund

Rydex VT Basic Materials Fund

Rydex VT Biotechnology Fund

Rydex VT Commodities Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Dow 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Electronics Fund

Rydex VT Energy Fund

Rydex VT Energy Services Fund

Rydex VT Europe 1.25x Strategy

Rydex VT Financial Services Fund

Rydex VT Government Long Bond 1.2x Strategy Fund

TRADING Cont.

Rydex VT Health Care Fund

Rydex VT High Yield Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Internet Fund

Rydex VT Inverse Dow 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Inverse Government Long Bond Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Inverse Mid-Cap Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Inverse NASDAQ-100® Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Inverse Russell 2000® Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Inverse S&P 500 Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Japan 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Leisure Fund

Rydex VT Mid-Cap 1.5x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT NASDAQ-100® 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT NASDAQ-100® Fund

Rydex VT Nova Fund

Rydex VT Precious Metals Fund

Rydex VT Real Estate Fund

Rydex VT Retailing Fund

Rydex VT Russell 2000 1.5x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Russell 2000 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT S&P 500 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT S&P 500 Pure Growth Fund

Rydex VT S&P 500 Pure Value Fund

Rydex VT S&P MidCap 400 Pure Growth Fund

Rydex VT S&P MidCap 400 Pure Value Fund

Rydex VT S&P SmallCap 600 Pure Growth Fund

Rydex VT S&P SmallCap 600 Pure Value Fund

Rydex VT Strengthening Dollar 2x Strategy Fund

Rydex VT Technology Fund

Rydex VT Telecommunications Fund

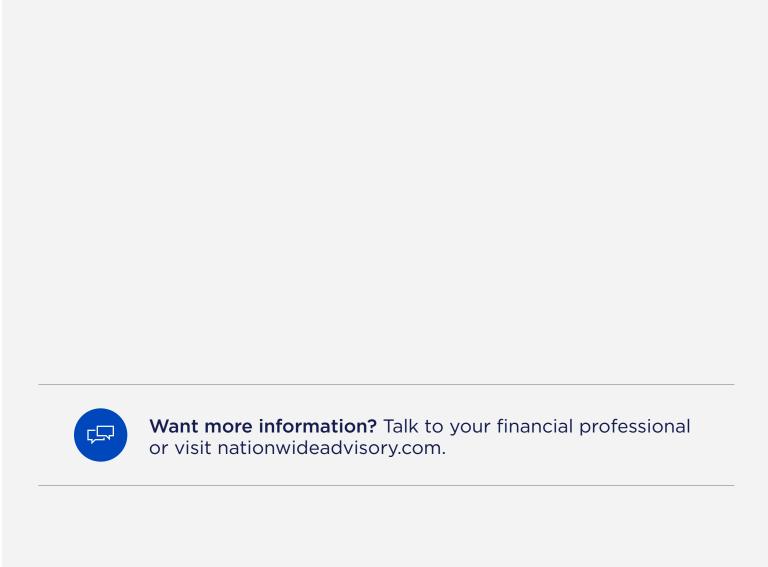
Rydex VT Transportation Fund

Rydex VT Utilities Fund

Rydex VT Weakening Dollar 2x Strategy Fund

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⁴These funds are not approved for use in New York and may not be available at all firms.



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