



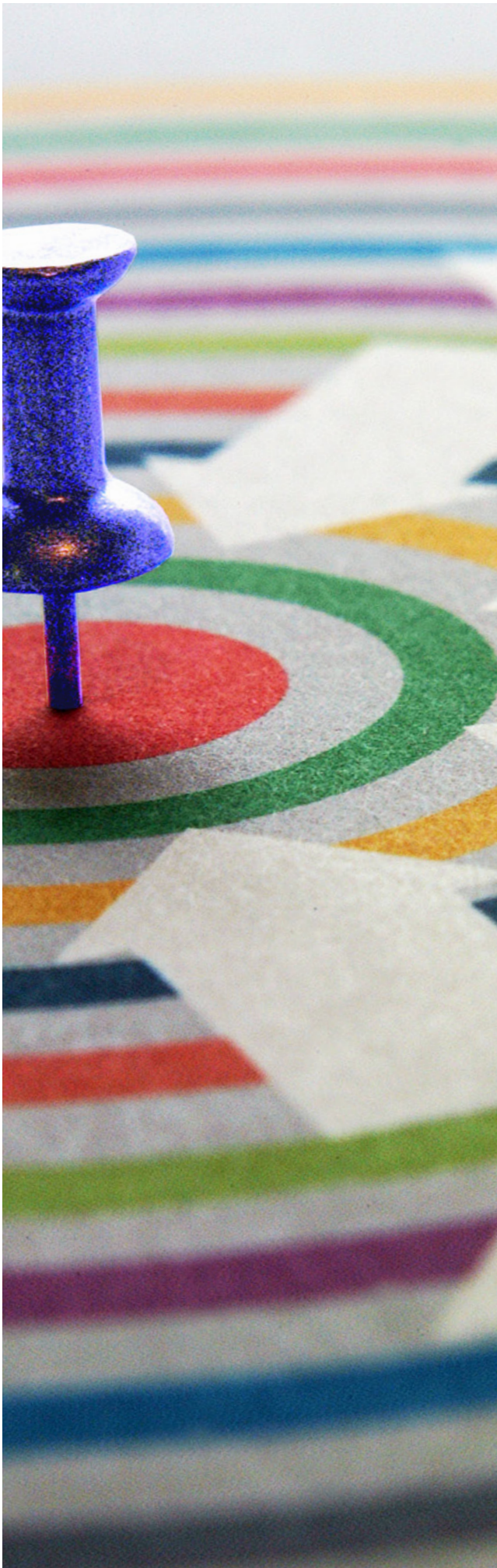
# Annuitization payment options guide

## All you need to know about your annuitization options

When your contract reaches its maturity date, it can be annuitized. Annuitization is when your accumulated contract value is converted into a stream of periodic payments. Your payment options are based on the type of your annuity contract product.

Refer to the charts within this guide to determine the payment options available to you. Note that we may reduce the period certain on qualified accounts if it exceeds their life expectancy based on IRS tables. Included in the last page of this guide is a glossary of terms for your reference.

**Important: Once you choose to annuitize, that decision is irrevocable.**



# Annuitization options

Determine the payment options available to you by referring to the chart applicable to your annuity product.

## Annuitization options

### John Hancock Legacy products

Accommodator 2000	GPA Plus	National City JH Spectrum
Allegiance	Hancock I and II	NY Wealthmark
Allegiance Preferred	Hancock Plus	NY Wealthmark ML3
Calfed Investment Custom Annuity	HSBC Wealthbuilder	Paine Webber GPA Five
Company Specific GPA Choice	Independence	Patriot
Company Specific GPA Choice 2003	Independence One GPA	Revolution Access
Company Specific GPA Plus (i.e. Fidelity, HSBC)	Independence Preferred	Revolution FX
Compass Performa Five	Inflation Guard	Revolution I Extra
Compass Performa Plus	JH Choice	Revolution I Value
Declaration	JH Elect	Revolution II Extra
Fifth Third JH Signature	JH Elite	Revolution II Value
Flexible Premium	JH Liberty	Salomon Smith Barney GPA Five
Generator	JH Signature	Sound Solution
GPA Care	JH Spectrum	Sound Solution 2003
GPA Choice	Legacy Assuremark 6	Venture Fixed
GPA Choice 2003	Legacy Assuremark 10	Wealthmark
GPA I	Marketplace	Wealthmark ML3
GPA II	National City GPA Elite	

- Joint life ½ survivor<sup>1</sup>
- Joint life ⅔ survivor<sup>1</sup>
- Joint life with 5 years guaranteed
- Joint life with 10 years guaranteed
- Joint life with 20 years guaranteed
- Joint life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Life with 5 years guaranteed
- Life with 10 years guaranteed
- Life with 20 years guaranteed
- Life with installment refund
- Life with cash refund
- Life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Set period between 3–30 years (whole number)

### John Hancock Venture products (excluding Venture Fixed)

NY Venture	Venture Frontier
NY Venture 2006	Venture III
NY Venture 4	Venture MVA
NY Venture III	Venture Opportunity A Series & EMP Series
NY Venture Vantage	Venture Opportunity A Share
NY Venture Vision	Venture Opportunity B Share
NY Venture Vision 2007	Venture Opportunity O Series
Venture	Venture Replacement
Venture 2006	Venture Strategy
Venture 4	Venture Vantage
Venture 4 Series	Venture Vision
Venture 7 Series	Venture Vision 2007
Venture Exchange 2009	

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- Joint life with 10 years guaranteed
- Joint life with 20 years guaranteed
- Joint life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Life with 5 years guaranteed
- Life with 10 years guaranteed
- Life with 20 years guaranteed
- Life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Set period of 10, 15, or 20 years

### John Hancock AnnuityNote products

AnnuityNote
AnnuityNote Portfolios

- Joint life with cash refund<sup>2</sup>
- Life with cash refund

<sup>1</sup> Beneficiary changes not permitted.  
<sup>2</sup> **Only** available for AnnuityNote Portfolios.



## Get your payments via EFT

Receive your payments quickly and securely in the account of your choice by electing electronic funds transfer (EFT) as your payment delivery method.<sup>6</sup>

### To elect EFT, just do one of the following:

- Call us at **800-344-1029** to complete a verification and authorization process.
- Submit the EFT form entirely online or download, print, and return the form to us from the forms page at **johnhancock.com/annuities**.

### Annuitization options

#### John Hancock Accommodator products

Accommodator

- Life with 5 years guaranteed
- Life with 10 years guaranteed
- Life with 20 years guaranteed
- Life with no refund<sup>1</sup>

#### John Hancock TBOT products<sup>3</sup>

FPRA—Policy Service Deferred

FRA—Policy Service Deferred

PSDA—Policy Service Deferred

PWA—VA Multi-Account

PWA2—Lifestyle Variable

PVFPFA—Flexible Premium

SMRA—Dominion Life

SPDA—Policy Service Deferred

SPDA2—Single Premium

SPRA—Policy Service Deferred

- Joint life with 10 years guaranteed
- Joint life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Life with 5 years guaranteed
- Life with 10 years guaranteed
- Life with 20 years guaranteed
- Life with no refund<sup>1</sup>
- Life with installment refund
- Set period between 5–10 years<sup>4</sup> (whole number)
- Interest income<sup>5</sup>

## How John Hancock can help

### Go online

View your maturity date by logging in or registering at **johnhancock.com/annuities**.

- Once logged in, click the My Contracts tab and view your maturity date under your Registration Summary.
- Once logged in, you can also change your maturity date. Click on the Contract Maturity Date link under the Change menu to the left.

If you prefer not to register, visit the forms page at **johnhancock.com/annuities** to print, complete, and return to us the applicable annuitization form.

### Call us

Hear your contract maturity date by calling our automated service line at **800-344-1029**.

- Press 1 to indicate you are an owner or annuitant, enter the requested information, then say “contract maturity date.”
- You can press 0 at any time to speak to a representative.

#### Registration Summary

Owner:	JOHN SMITH	Status:	ACTIVE
Co-owner:	MARY SMITH	Inception date:	10/19/2007
Annuitant:	JOHN SMITH	Maturity date:	09/01/2040
Co-annuitant:		Line of business:	NONQUALIFIED
Beneficiary	MARY SMITH 50.0%	Product name:	VENTURE III
	JOHN SMITH 50.0%	Trade authorization:	OWNER(S) & ADVISOR
		Telephone withdrawal authorization:	NO AUTHORIZATION
		IRS Form W-9 on file:	YES

#### Contract Maturity Date

This contract is scheduled to enter an annuity payout phase at its maturity date under its terms. We often refer to this as the “annuitization” phase.

Please refer to the Contract Maturity Q & A for more information.

#### Current Contract Maturity Information

Contract #: XXXXXXXXX  
 Owner: JOHN SMITH  
 Annuitant: JOHN SMITH  
 Annuitant's Current Age: 70 years 3 months  
 Maturity Date: 09/01/2040

#### Update Contract Maturity Information

New Maturity Age:   
 A new maturity age has been set to our maximum allowable age of 100. If you would like to elect an alternative age, please enter that age above. We use the maturity age to determine the new contract maturity date.

By submitting this transaction I authorize John Hancock to defer annuitization. I understand that dates of maturity that occur when the oldest of either the annuitant or co-annuitants is at an advanced age, e.g., past age 95, may have adverse tax consequences. Please consult with your tax professional for advice on any tax matter.

<sup>3</sup> Not all annuitization options may be available for all products.

<sup>4</sup> **Only** available for SPDA and SPDA2.

<sup>5</sup> **Only** available for SMRA.

<sup>6</sup> Not all annuitized contracts are eligible for EFT.

# Glossary of terms

**Accumulation**—While an annuity contract is in force but not annuitized, investment units are accumulated, and the contract owner has control of the annuity contract, meaning that withdrawals may be taken, units are accumulated, death benefits are available, additional payments can be made, and the annuity contract can be surrendered or annuitized.

**Annuitant**—The individual whose lifetime is used to measure the length of time annuitized payments are payable under the annuity contract and who has no rights under the contract unless they are also an owner. The annuitant becomes the owner of the contract during the annuitization phase. The owner stays the owner on legacy contracts, even when annuitized.

**Annuitization**—The period when an annuity's accumulated contract value is converted into a stream of periodic payments, either for the annuitant's and/or co-annuitant's lifetime(s) or for a period-certain (specific period of time, wherein if death occurs, the remaining payments are passed along to beneficiaries), and the contract owner no longer has access to that contract value.

**Beneficiary**—A person or entity named by the contract owner to receive any benefits due upon the contract owner's or, in certain circumstances, the annuitant's death.

**Joint life**—Payments continue for the life of an annuitant and co-annuitant.

**Joint life ½ survivor**—Half of the payment amount due continues to the surviving annuitant for their life upon either annuitant's death.

**Joint life ⅔ survivor**—Two-thirds of the payment amount due continues to the surviving annuitant for their life upon either annuitant's death.

**Joint life with no refund**—Payments are made for the life of both annuitants. Upon the death of an annuitant, payments continue to the surviving annuitant. Upon the death of the surviving annuitant, no further payments are due.

**Joint life with cash refund**—An additional payment is made to the beneficiary(ies) if a balance remains between total payments and the initial investment once both annuitants have passed.

**Joint life with X years guaranteed**—Payments are made for the life of both annuitants. Upon the death of an annuitant, payments continue to the surviving annuitant. Upon the death of the surviving annuitant within the X-year guarantee period, the death benefit is payable to the beneficiary. Upon the death of the surviving annuitant after the X-year guarantee period, no further payments are due.

**Life with X years guaranteed**—Payments are made for the annuitant's lifetime. Upon the death of the annuitant within the X-year guarantee period, the death benefit is payable to the beneficiary. Upon the death of the annuitant after the X-year guarantee period, no further payments are due.

**Life with cash refund**—An additional payment is made to the beneficiary(ies) if a balance remains between total payments and the initial investment when the annuitant passes.

**Life with installment refund**—Payments will continue to the beneficiary until the annuitized amount has been completely paid out if the annuitant passes before the annuitized amount has been paid in full.

**Life with no refund**—Payments are made for the annuitant's life and cease upon the death of the annuitant with no further payments due.

**Maturity date**—The date selected by the contract owner during the application process (but may be extended under certain circumstances) on which the annuity contract transitions from the accumulation phase to the annuitization phase.

**Set period between X-XX years**—Payments are made for a specific period of time. Upon the annuitant's death prior to the end of the payment term, the death benefit is payable to the beneficiary.



For any questions, please call 800-344-1029 Monday–Friday, 8 A.M. – 5:30 P.M. Eastern time.



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