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# By the Numbers

## Workers' Compensation Insurance

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*Business***First**  
Insurance Company®

# SUPERIOR COVERAGE

## About BusinessFirst

BusinessFirst Insurance Company—available in Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia—successfully insures more than 5,000 businesses.

BusinessFirst Insurance Company and affiliate RetailFirst Insurance Company make up RetailFirst Insurance Group, which is rated A- (Excellent) from A.M. Best.\*

BusinessFirst is managed by Summit, a leading provider of workers' compensation products and services throughout the southeastern United States. Summit has more than 40 years of experience in the industry.



\*Rating affirmed 7/8/20

## Reinsurance

BusinessFirst Insurance Company and RetailFirst Insurance Company operate as a pool—RetailFirst Insurance Group—and all premium and loss experience is shared within the pool. BusinessFirst retains 10 percent of any net loss after external reinsurance, and RetailFirst retains 90 percent.

RetailFirst Insurance Group has three layers of reinsurance protection:

- \$7.5 million of coverage per occurrence in excess of \$2.5 million with Safety National, which is rated A+ from A.M. Best
- \$10 million of coverage per occurrence in excess of \$10 million, split between Lloyds and other reinsurers, all rated A from A.M. Best
- Terrorism coverage of \$75 million in excess of \$20 million

## Performance and Stability Measures 2020 *[in millions]*

	BusinessFirst	RetailFirst	Consolidated*
Direct Written Premium	\$61.4	\$81.7	\$143.1
Total Admitted Assets	\$45.7	\$398.7	\$441.8
Policyholder Surplus	\$22.3	\$203.9	\$226.2
Net Income	\$2.2	\$19.1	\$21.3
Direct Dividends Paid to Policyholders	\$1.6	\$2.5	\$4.1

\*The sum of BusinessFirst and RetailFirst does not equal the consolidated total due to consolidation eliminations.

## About Summit

When it comes to your business and your employees, you want insurance that makes a difference. Summit specializes in workers' compensation and has managed the day-to-day operations of BusinessFirst since it was established in 2003.

From innovative claims management, to tailored loss prevention services, to an Online Business Center that puts your policy information at your fingertips—our job is to be your best choice for workers' comp. Your independent agent can give you more information about BusinessFirst and Summit.

# SAFETY **PAYS YOU BACK**



## *For Florida policyholders*

Not only is a safe workplace one of the best benefits you can give your employees, it also pays you back with higher morale and better productivity. Plus, when your workers' compensation coverage is through BusinessFirst, you have the opportunity to earn back a portion of your workers' comp premium through the Safety Rewards program.

## **What is the Safety Rewards program?**

Safety Rewards is BusinessFirst's dividend program that pays out monetary rewards each year to conscientious employers who are dedicated to employee safety. Sure, accidents happen. And not all workplace injuries can be prevented. But smart employers know that safety precautions and an effective return-to-work program can dramatically lower claims costs. **To be eligible, your business must be located in Florida.**

### **How do you benefit?**

It's simple. Safety Rewards may actually put money back in your hands based on your annual losses. The lower you keep your total claims costs during your policy year, the higher your year-end reward could be, which means that you can contribute to your success.

### **How does it work?**

Your reward is based on the amount of premium you have paid and the total costs of your claims during the policy year. In other words, your claims history determines the percentage of your premium that may be returned to you as a reward.

Rewards are declared at the discretion of the board of directors, so they are not guaranteed. However, keep in mind that BusinessFirst has a consistent history of paying rewards to policyholders.

Please ask your independent insurance agent for more information about Safety Rewards. Other eligibility requirements may apply based on your workers' compensation program and your policy type.

### **Help keep losses low**

BusinessFirst provides you with extensive resources and assistance to help you control losses and enhance your ability to receive Safety Rewards. Services include:

- Loss prevention
- Online loss reports
- An innovative claims management process that partners your injured worker with our on-staff adjustor and nurse case manager
- Back2work®, Summit's return-to-work program
- A network of preferred medical providers and hospitals



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