## **COMPLIANCE BULLETIN**

# Is Your Success Long Lasting?

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#### How solid are your business relationships?

If you're not building and maintaining client relationships, your success will be short lived.

### What is your <u>client</u> investment?

#### Do you invest in?

- Client time (or are you always in a hurry)?
- Listening (do you hear their needs what is important to them)?
- **Understanding** (do you have a good sense of what is important to the consumer)?
- Knowledge (a thorough comprehension of the product you are offering)?
- Offering a solution (only if it's suitable)?
- Attention to detail (do you review carrier paperwork prior to sending)?
- Client appreciation (do you promptly return calls or reach out to the client 30 days after the policy's effective date and 90 days thereafter)?

#### Don't make assumptions – find out:

- Who they are
- Where do they come from?
- What's important to them right now?
- How do they make their decisions?
- What are they afraid of?
- What is important to them in the future?

It takes time and patience to build a relationship and to build trust.