

How Does Your Standalone Personal Umbrella Carrier Compare to RLI?

	RLI	Your Umbrella Carrier
	Ease of Doing Business	
Application	RLI's application is self-underwriting so you know whether a submission qualifies before you submit it without waiting for an underwriter's approval.	Does your umbrella carrier need to get special approval or to collect additional information for certain risk characteristics?
Signing Policy & Paying Online	RLI offers esign and pay online options so the entire transaction can be done without mailing anything to RLI.	Does your carrier require you to mail in the payment to complete the transaction?
Mid Term Changes	Homes, cars, rentals, motorhomes, etc. that are acquired mid- term are covered but do not have to be reported to RLI until renewal, provided proper underlying limits are maintained.	Do you need to report mid-term purchases to your carrier, thus increasing your E & O exposure?
Details on Underlying Policies	RLI does not ask for the details on underlying policies so your insured can switch carriers without it impacting their umbrella coverage.	Does your carrier require your insured to list details about their underlying coverages?
MVRs	RLI runs MVRs as needed.	Does your carrier require an MVR with the application?
Policy Fees	RLI does not have any fees beyond the quoted premium.	Does your carrier have a policy expense fee?
	Coverage	
Stability	RLI has written umbrellas through the Big I for over 30 years.	Has your administrator changed carriers often, with different underwriting guidelines, rates, etc.?
UM/UIM Limits	RLI offers UM/UIM with \$1 million limits.	What limits does your carrier offer for UM/UIM coverage?
High Profile Occupations	RLI accepts police officers, teachers, some athletes and staff, and most political/court figures at the city or county level.	What restrictions does your carrier have on high profile occupations?
Prior Losses	RLI declines coverage if there has been a liability loss of more than \$50,000 in the past 5 years, or any open liability claim.	Does your carrier require special authorization for multiple losses or for combined losses as low as \$25,000?
Types of Rentals	RLI does not have any restrictions on rentals with public funding, migrant/temporary workers, foster care, senior-assisted living, student housing, security bars on windows, or mobile homes, as long as the required underlying personal liability is maintained.	Does your carrier need to get special authorization for these unique rental risks?

Course of Construction	RLI accepts properties under construction as long as the required underlying limits are in place.	Does your carrier accept course of construction?
Trampolines & Swimming Pools	RLI does not exclude coverage for injury relating to trampolines or swimming pools.	Does your carrier exclude coverage for injury relating to trampolines or swimming pools unless covered by the underlying policy?
Earth Movement	RLI does not exclude coverage for loss resulting from earth movement.	Does your carrier exclude coverage for loss resulting from earth movement unless covered by the underlying policy?
Controlled Substances	RLI does not have a controlled substances exclusion.	Does your carrier exclude coverage for loss arising from use and possession of controlled substances?
Underlying Auto Limits	RLI accepts limits as low as 100/300/50 for most households.	Does your carrier go below limits of 250/500/100?
Farms	RLI accepts farms and land up to 640 acres with no additional charge or cap, and up to 1280 acres with a charge and \$1M cap	Does your carrier accept farms or any location covered under a farm policy?
Age-Related Caps	RLI caps the limit at \$1M if a driver 80+ or under 22 ONLY if they have a driving incident.	Does your carrier cap limits on older drivers regardless of their driving history?
Motor Homes	RLI counts motor homes as licensed vehicles so 100/300/50 auto limits are acceptable for most households. Full-timers are acceptable if they have an underlying personal liability for the motor home as their residence (often via a full-timers policy).	Does your carrier accept motor homes and full-timers?
Unlicensed Recreational Vehicle Limitations	RLI allows unlicensed recreational vehicles, including those for farm, garden, ranch and maintenance equipment as long as the max speed is less than 25MPH, it is not a commercial vehicle, and does not require a CDL.	Does your carrier exclude maintenance, farming and construction vehicle that could be used for personal use to plow the driveway, mow the yard, clear a ditch, etc.?
Unlicensed Recreational Vehicle Rates	RLI does not charge for unlicensed recreational vehicles but extends coverage as long as the required underlying limits are maintained.	Does your carrier charge for each recreational vehicle?
Car Pooling	RLI extends coverage for share-the-expense carpooling. Uber- type risks are excluded.	Does your carrier provide coverage for share-the-expense carpooling?
Trusts/LLCs	RLI extends coverage to a trust or LLC if the "basic policy" for the property covers it and lists the trust/LLC as an additional or second named insured, along with RLI's named insured.	Does your carrier cover trusts or LLCs?

For more information on RLI's Personal Umbrella, contact Ridge at rli@wainsurance.org/ (425) 336-0847.

Umbrella insurance policies are underwritten by RLI Insurance Company. Coverage is subject to the policy terms, conditions, limitations, exclusions, underwriting review, and approval, and may not be available for all risks. Rates and discounts vary, are determined by many factors, and are subject to change. For complete details, including exclusions and limitations, please refer to the policy you will receive when you purchase the coverage. Umbrella insurance claims are processed by RLI Insurance Company.