



## **WealthCare Investment Partners LLC**

### **Form ADV Part 2A – Disclosure Brochure**

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This Form ADV Part 2A (“Disclosure Brochure”) provides information about the qualifications and business practices of WealthCare Investment Partners LLC (“WCIP” or the “Advisor”). If you have any questions about the content of this Disclosure Brochure, please contact the Advisor at (401) 682-2335.

WCIP is a registered investment advisor with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”). The information in this Disclosure Brochure has not been approved or verified by the SEC or by any state securities authority. Registration of an investment advisor does not imply any specific level of skill or training. This Disclosure Brochure provides information about WCIP to assist you in determining whether to retain the Advisor.

Additional information about WCIP and its Advisory Persons is available on the SEC’s website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor’s firm name or CRD# 296475.

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## Item 2 – Material Changes

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Form ADV 2 is divided into two parts: *Part 2A (the "Disclosure Brochure")* and *Part 2B (the "Brochure Supplement")*. The Disclosure Brochure provides information about a variety of topics relating to an Advisor's business practices and conflicts of interest. The Brochure Supplement provides information about the Advisory Persons of WCIP which is provided as a separate document to this Disclosure Brochure.

WCIP believes that communication and transparency are the foundation of its relationship with Clients and will continually strive to provide you with complete and accurate information at all times. WCIP encourages all current and prospective clients to read this Disclosure Brochure and discuss any questions you may have with the Advisor.

### Material Changes

There have been no material changes to this Disclosure Brochure since the last filing and distribution to Clients.

### Future Changes

From time to time, the Advisor may amend this Disclosure Brochure to reflect changes in business practices, changes in regulations or routine annual updates as required by the securities regulators. This complete Disclosure Brochure or a Summary of Material Changes shall be provided to you annually and if a material change occurs.

At any time, you may view the current Disclosure Brochure on-line at the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor's firm name or CRD# 296475. You may also request a copy of this Disclosure Brochure at any time, by contacting the Advisor at (401) 682-2335.

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## Item 4 – Advisory Services

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### A. Firm Information

WealthCare Investment Partners LLC (“WCIP” or the “Advisor”) is a registered investment advisor with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”). The Advisor is organized as a Limited Liability Company (LLC) under the laws of the State of Rhode Island. WCIP was founded in April 2018 and is owned and operated by David R. Mailloux (Managing Partner and Chief Compliance Officer) and Brian N. Corriveau (Managing Partner). This Disclosure Brochure provides information regarding the qualifications, business practices, and the advisory services provided by WCIP.

### B. Advisory Services Offered

WCIP offers wealth management services to individuals, high net worth individuals, trusts, estates and retirement plans (each referred to as a “Client”).

The Advisor serves as a fiduciary to Clients, as defined under the applicable laws and regulations. As a fiduciary, the Advisor upholds a duty of loyalty, fairness and good faith towards each Client and seeks to mitigate potential conflicts of interest. WCIP’s fiduciary commitment is further described in the Advisor’s Code of Ethics. For more information regarding the Code of Ethics, please see Item 11 – Code of Ethics, Participation or Interest in Client Transactions and Personal Trading.

#### Wealth Management Services

WCIP may provide Clients with wealth management services, which generally includes a broad range of comprehensive financial planning and consulting services in connection with discretionary management of investment portfolios. These services are described below.

*Investment Management Services* – WCIP provides customized investment advisory solutions for its Clients. This is achieved through continuous personal Client contact and interaction while providing discretionary investment management and related advisory services. WCIP works closely with each Client to identify their investment goals and objectives as well as risk tolerance and financial situation in order to place the Clients into a model portfolio or a variation of a model portfolio. WCIP constructs its model portfolios primarily with low-cost, diversified mutual funds. The Advisor then adds exchange-traded funds (“ETFs”) and individual stocks to the models in order to add diversification. The Advisor may customize its models on a case-by-case basis and in certain circumstances may include bonds to meet the long-term income needs of its Clients. The Advisor may retain certain legacy investments based on portfolio fit and/or tax considerations.

The Advisor may place Client cash balances into their recommended Custodian’s FDIC Insured Deposit Account (“IDA”), which serves as the default cash sweep vehicle for cash balances. Excess cash is swept into interest-bearing FDIC insured savings or checking accounts made available through one or more affiliated banks (“Program Banks”). Clients receive the same interest rates on all funds regardless of the Program Bank in which the funds are held. The Custodian receives a fee from the Program Banks which may exceed the interest rate or effective yield that Clients receive in their balances in the IDAs, and the payment of the fee reduces the yield that Clients receive. Clients may earn lower interest rates than they could receive from comparable bank deposits or money market investments due to the fees the Custodian receives from the banks participating in the IDA program.

WCIP’s investment approach is primarily long-term focused, but the Advisor may buy, sell or re-allocate positions that have been held for less than one year to meet the objectives of the Client or due to market conditions. WCIP will construct, implement and monitor the portfolio to ensure it meets the goals, objectives, circumstances, and risk tolerance agreed to by the Client. Each Client will have the opportunity to place reasonable restrictions on the types of investments to be held in their respective portfolio, subject to acceptance by the Advisor.

WCIP evaluates and selects investments for inclusion in Client portfolios only after applying its internal due diligence process. WCIP may recommend, on occasion, redistributing investment allocations to diversify the portfolio. WCIP may recommend specific positions to increase sector or asset class weightings. The Advisor may recommend employing cash positions as a possible hedge against market movement. WCIP may recommend selling positions for reasons that include, but are not limited to, harvesting capital gains or losses, business or sector risk exposure to a specific security or class of securities, overvaluation or overweighting of the position[s] in the portfolio, change in risk tolerance of the Client, generating cash to meet Client needs, or any risk deemed unacceptable for the Client's risk tolerance.

At no time will WCIP accept or maintain custody of a Client's funds or securities, except for the limited authority as outlined in Item 15 – Custody. All Client assets will be managed within the designated account[s] at the Custodian, pursuant to the terms of the advisory agreement. Please see Item 12 – Brokerage Practices.

*Financial Planning Services* – WCIP will typically provide a variety of financial planning and consulting services to Clients, as part of its wealth management services or pursuant to a written financial planning agreement. Services are offered in several areas of a Client's financial situation, depending on their goals and objectives.

Generally, such financial planning services involve preparing a formal financial plan or rendering a specific financial consultation based on the Client's financial goals and objectives. This planning or consulting may encompass one or more areas of need, including but not limited to, investment planning, retirement planning, personal savings, education savings, insurance needs, and other areas of a Client's financial situation.

A financial plan developed for, or financial consultation rendered to the Client will usually include general recommendations for a course of activity or specific actions to be taken by the Client. For example, recommendations may be made that the Client start or revise their investment programs, commence or alter retirement savings, establish education savings and/or charitable giving programs.

WCIP may also refer Clients to an accountant, attorney or other specialists, as appropriate for their unique situation. For certain financial planning engagements, the Advisor will provide a written summary of the Client's financial situation, observations, and recommendations. For consulting or ad-hoc engagements, the Advisor may not provide a written summary. Plans or consultations are typically completed within six (6) months of contract date, assuming all information and documents requested are provided promptly.

Financial planning and consulting recommendations pose a conflict between the interests of the Advisor and the interests of the Client. For example, the Advisor has an incentive to recommend that Clients engage the Advisor for investment management services or to increase the level of investment assets with the Advisor, as it would increase the amount of advisory fees paid to the Advisor. Clients are not obligated to implement any recommendations made by the Advisor or maintain an ongoing relationship with the Advisor. If the Client elects to act on any of the recommendations made by the Advisor, the Client is under no obligation to implement the transaction through the Advisor.

#### Retirement Plan Advisory Services

WCIP provides retirement plan advisory services on behalf of the retirement plans (each a "Plan") and the company (the "Plan Sponsor"). The Advisor's retirement plan advisory services are designed to assist the Plan Sponsor in meeting its fiduciary obligations to the Plan and its Plan Participants. Each engagement is customized to the needs of the Plan and Plan Sponsor. Services generally include:

- Vendor Analysis
- Plan Participant Enrollment and Education Tracking
- Investment Policy Statement ("IPS") Design and Monitoring
- Investment Oversight (ERISA 3(21))
- Investment Management (ERISA 3(38))
- Performance Reporting

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- Ongoing Investment Recommendation and Assistance
- ERISA 404(c) Assistance
- Benchmarking Services

These services are provided by WCIP serving in the capacity as a fiduciary under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (“ERISA”). In accordance with ERISA Section 408(b)(2), the Plan Sponsor is provided with a written description of WCIP’s fiduciary status, the specific services to be rendered and all direct and indirect compensation the Advisor reasonably expects under the engagement.

### **C. Client Account Management**

Prior to engaging WCIP to provide investment advisory services, each Client is required to enter into one or more agreements with the Advisor that define the terms, conditions, authority and responsibilities of the Advisor and the Client. These services may include:

- Establishing an Investment Strategy – WCIP, in connection with the Client, will develop a strategy that seeks to achieve the Client’s goals and objectives.
- Model Portfolio – WCIP will place Client assets in a model portfolio or a variation of a model portfolio that is targeted to meet the investment objectives, time horizon, financial situation, values profile and tolerance for risk of each Client.
- Portfolio Construction – WCIP will utilize a model portfolio or a variation of model portfolio for the Client that is intended to meet the stated goals and objectives of the Client.
- Investment Management and Supervision – WCIP will provide investment management and ongoing oversight of the Client’s investment portfolio.

### **D. Wrap Fee Programs**

When deemed to be in the Client’s best interest, WCIP includes securities transaction fees for certain mutual funds (“Covered Costs”) together with its investment advisory fees. Including these fees into a single asset-based fee is considered a “Wrap Fee Program”. The Advisor customizes its investment management services for its Clients. The Advisor sponsors the WCIP Wrap Fee Program Brochure solely as a supplemental disclosure regarding the combination of fees. Depending on the level of trading required for the Client’s account[s] in a particular year, the Client may pay more or less in total fees than if the Client paid its own transaction fees. Please see Appendix 1 – Wrap Fee Program Brochure, which is included as a supplement to this Disclosure Brochure.

### **E. Assets Under Management**

As of December 31, 2019, WCIP manages approximately \$185,000,000 in Client assets, all of which are on a discretionary basis. Clients may request more current information at any time by contacting the Advisor.

## **Item 5 – Fees and Compensation**

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The following paragraphs detail the fee structure and compensation methodology for services provided by the Advisor. Each Client engaging the Advisor for services described herein shall be required to enter into one or more written agreements with the Advisor.

### **A. Fees for Advisory Services**

#### Wealth Management Services

Wealth management fees are paid quarterly, in advance of each calendar quarter, pursuant to the terms of the wealth management agreement. Wealth management fees are based on the average daily balance of portfolio assets under management during the prior quarter. Wealth management fees range up to 1.40% based on several factors, including: the complexity of the services to be provided, the level of assets to be managed, and the overall

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relationship with the Advisor. Relationships with multiple objectives, specific reporting requirements, portfolio restrictions and other complexities may be charged a higher fee.

The wealth management fee in the first quarter of service is prorated from the inception date of the account[s] to the end of the first quarter. Fees may be negotiable at the discretion of the Advisor. The Client's fees will take into consideration the aggregate assets under management with the Advisor. All securities held in accounts managed by WCIP will be independently valued by the designated Custodian. WCIP will not have the authority or responsibility to value portfolio securities.

#### Financial Planning Services

WCIP offers financial planning services either on an hourly or fixed fee basis. Hourly fees range up to \$275. Fixed fees will be based upon the expected hours to complete the engagement at the hourly rate. Fees may be negotiable based on the nature and complexity of the services to be provided and the overall relationship with the Advisor. An estimate for total hours and total costs will be provided to the Client prior to engaging for these services.

#### Retirement Plan Advisory Services

Fees for retirement plan advisory services are charged an annual asset-based fee of up to 1.40%, billed quarterly in advance of each calendar quarter, pursuant to the terms of the retirement plan advisory agreement. Retirement plan advisory fees are based on the average daily balance of portfolio assets under management during the prior quarter. Fees may be negotiable depending on the size and complexity of the Plan.

### **B. Fee Billing**

#### Wealth Management Services

Wealth management fees are calculated by the Advisor or its delegate and deducted from the Client's account[s] at the Custodian. The Advisor shall send an invoice to the Custodian indicating the amount of the fees to be deducted from the Client's account[s] at the beginning of the respective quarter. The annual fee is charged quarterly, in advance, based upon the average daily market value of assets under management. Since the asset-based fee is determined by average daily account balance, if assets are deposited into or withdrawn from an account, the base fee payable with respect to such assets is adjusted accordingly. Clients will be provided with a statement, at least quarterly, from the Custodian reflecting deduction of the investment advisory fee. It is the responsibility of the Client to verify the accuracy of these fees as listed on the Custodian's brokerage statement as the Custodian does not assume this responsibility. Clients provide written authorization permitting advisory fees to be deducted by WCIP directly from their account[s] held by the Custodian as part of the investment advisory agreement and separate account forms provided by the Custodian

#### Financial Planning Services

Financial planning fees may be invoiced up to fifty percent (50%) of the expected total fee upon execution of the financial planning agreement. The balance shall be invoiced upon completion of the agreed upon deliverable[s].

#### Retirement Plan Advisory Services

Retirement plan advisory fees may be directly invoiced to the Plan Sponsor or deducted from the assets of the Plan, depending on the terms of the retirement plan advisory agreement.

### **C. Other Fees and Expenses**

Clients may incur certain fees or charges imposed by third parties in connection with investments made on behalf of the Client's account[s]. WCIP includes Covered Costs as part of its overall investment advisory fee through the WCIP Wrap Fee Program Brochure. The Advisor's recommended Custodian does not charge securities transaction fees for ETF and equity trades in Client accounts, but typically charges for mutual funds and other types of investments. Securities transaction fees for Client-directed trades may be charged back to the Client. Please see Item 4.D. above as well as Appendix 1 – Wrap Fee Program Brochure.

In addition, all fees paid to WCIP for investment advisory services or part of the WCIP Wrap Fee Program Brochure are separate and distinct from the expenses charged by mutual funds and ETFs to their shareholders,

if applicable. These fees and expenses are described in each fund's prospectus. These fees and expenses will generally be used to pay management fees for the funds, other fund expenses, account administration (e.g., custody, brokerage and account reporting), and a possible distribution fee. A Client may be able to invest in these products directly, without the services of WCIP, but would not receive the services provided by WCIP which are designed, among other things, to assist the Client in determining which products or services are most appropriate for each Client's financial situation and objectives. Accordingly, the Client should review both the fees charged by the fund[s] and the fees charged by WCIP to fully understand the total fees to be paid. Please refer to Item 12 – Brokerage Practices for additional information.

#### **D. Advance Payment of Fees and Termination**

##### Wealth Management Services

WCIP is compensated for its wealth management services in advance of the quarter in which services are rendered. Either party may terminate the wealth management agreement, at any time, by providing advance written notice to the other party. The Client may also terminate the agreement within five (5) business days of signing the Advisor's agreement at no cost to the Client. After the five-day period, the Client will incur charges for bona fide advisory services rendered to the point of termination and such fees will be due and payable by the Client. Upon termination, the Advisor will refund any unearned, prepaid advisory fees from the effective date of termination to the end of the quarter. The Client's wealth management agreement with the Advisor is non-transferable without the Client's prior consent.

##### Financial Planning Services

WCIP requires an advance deposit as described above. Either party may terminate the financial planning agreement, at any time, by providing advance written notice to the other party. The Client may also terminate the financial planning agreement within five (5) business days of signing the Advisor's agreement at no cost to the Client. After the five-day period, the Client will incur charges for bona fide advisory services rendered to the point of termination and such fees will be due and payable by the Client. Upon termination, the Advisor will refund any unearned, prepaid planning fees from the effective date of termination. The Client's financial planning agreement with the Advisor is non-transferable without the Client's prior consent.

##### Retirement Plan Advisory Services

WCIP is compensated for its services in advance of the quarter in which retirement plan advisory services are rendered. Either party may terminate the retirement plan advisory agreement, at any time, by providing advance written notice to the other party. The Client may also terminate the agreement within five (5) business days of signing the Advisor's agreement at no cost to the Client. After the five-day period, the Client will incur charges for bona fide advisory services rendered to the point of termination and such fees will be due and payable by the Client. Upon termination, the Advisor will refund any unearned, prepaid advisory fees from the effective date of termination to the end of the quarter. The Client's retirement plan advisory agreement with the Advisor is non-transferable without the Client's prior consent.

#### **E. Compensation for Sales of Securities**

WCIP does not buy or sell securities to earn commissions and does not receive any compensation for securities transactions in any Client account, other than the investment advisory fees noted above.

##### Broker-Dealer Affiliation

Advisory Persons are also registered representatives of Private Client Services, LLC ("PCS"). PCS is a registered broker-dealer (CRD No. 120222), member FINRA, SIPC. In one's separate capacity as a registered representative of PCS, an Advisory Person will implement securities transactions under PCS and not through WCIP. In such instances, an Advisory Person will receive commission-based compensation in connection with the purchase and sale of securities, including 12b-1 fees for the sale of investment company products. Compensation earned by an Advisory Person in one's capacity as a registered representative is separate and in addition to the Advisor's fees. This practice presents a conflict of interest because an Advisory Person who is a registered representative has an incentive to effect securities transactions for the purpose of generating commissions rather than solely based on the Client. Clients are not obligated to implement any recommendation

provided by an Advisory Person. Neither the Advisor nor an Advisory Person will earn ongoing investment advisory fees in connection with any products or services implemented in an Advisory Person's separate capacity as a registered representative. Please see Item 10 – Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations.

#### Insurance Agency Affiliation

Certain Advisory Persons are also licensed as independent insurance professionals. These persons will earn commission-based compensation for selling insurance products, including insurance products they sell to Clients. Insurance commissions earned by an Advisory Person are separate and in addition to WCIP's advisory fees. This practice presents a conflict of interest because persons providing investment advice on behalf of the Advisor who are insurance agents have an incentive to recommend insurance products to Clients for the purpose of generating commissions rather than solely based on Client needs. However, Clients are under no obligation, contractually or otherwise, to purchase insurance products through any person affiliated with the Advisor. Please see Item 10 – Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations.

### **Item 6 – Performance-Based Fees and Side-By-Side Management**

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WCIP does not charge performance-based fees for its wealth management services. The fees charged by WCIP are as described in Item 5 above and are not based upon the capital appreciation of the funds or securities held by any Client.

WCIP does not manage any proprietary investment funds or limited partnerships (for example, a mutual fund or a hedge fund) and has no financial incentive to recommend any particular investment options to its Clients.

### **Item 7 – Types of Clients**

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WCIP offers investment advisory services to individuals, high net worth individuals, trusts, estates and retirement plans. The amount of each type of Client is available on WCIP's Form ADV Part 1A. These amounts may change over time and are updated at least annually by the Advisor. WCIP generally requires a minimum relationship size of \$250,000 to effectively implement its investment process. This minimum may be waived at sole discretion of the Advisor.

### **Item 8 – Methods of Analysis, Investment Strategies and Risk of Loss**

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#### **A. Methods of Analysis**

WCIP employs fundamental, technical and cyclical analysis in developing investment strategies for its Clients. Research and analysis from WCIP are derived from numerous sources, including financial media companies, third-party research materials, Internet sources, and review of company activities, including annual reports, prospectuses, press releases and research prepared by others.

*Fundamental analysis* utilizes economic and business indicators as investment selection criteria. This criteria consists generally of ratios and trends that may indicate the overall strength and financial viability of the entity being analyzed. Assets are deemed suitable if they meet certain criteria to indicate that they are a strong investment with a value discounted by the market. While this type of analysis helps the Advisor in evaluating a potential investment, it does not guarantee that the investment will increase in value. Assets meeting the investment criteria utilized in the fundamental analysis may lose value and may have negative investment performance. The Advisor monitors these economic indicators to determine if adjustments to strategic allocations are appropriate. More details on the Advisor's review process are included below in "Item 13 – Review of Accounts".

*Technical analysis* involves the analysis of past market data rather than specific company data in determining the recommendations made to clients. Technical analysis may involve the use of charts to identify market patterns and trends, which may be based on investor sentiment rather than the fundamentals of the company. The

primary risk in using technical analysis is that spotting historical trends may not help to predict such trends in the future. Even if the trend will eventually reoccur, there is no guarantee that WCIP will be able to accurately predict such a reoccurrence.

*Cyclical analysis* is similar to technical analysis in that it involves the analysis of market conditions at a macro (entire market/economy) or micro (company specific) level, rather than the overall fundamental analysis of the health of the particular company that WCIP is recommending. The risks with cyclical analysis are similar to those of technical analysis.

As noted above, WCIP generally employs a long-term investment strategy for its Clients, as consistent with their financial goals. WCIP will typically hold all or a portion of a security for more than a year, but may hold for shorter periods for the purpose of rebalancing a portfolio or meeting the cash needs of Clients. At times, WCIP may also buy and sell positions that are more short-term in nature, depending on the goals of the Client and/or the fundamentals of the security, sector or asset class.

## **B. Risk of Loss**

Investing in securities involves certain investment risks. Securities may fluctuate in value or lose value. Clients should be prepared to bear the potential risk of loss. WCIP will assist Clients in determining an appropriate strategy based on their tolerance for risk and other factors noted above. However, there is no guarantee that a Client will meet their investment goals.

While the methods of analysis help the Advisor in evaluating a potential investment, it does not guarantee that the investment will increase in value. Assets meeting the investment criteria utilized in these methods of analysis may lose value and may have negative investment performance. The Advisor monitors these economic indicators to determine if adjustments to strategic allocations are appropriate. More details on the Advisor's review process are included below in Item 13 – Review of Accounts.

Each Client engagement will entail a review of the Client's investment goals, financial situation, time horizon, tolerance for risk and other factors to develop an appropriate strategy for managing a Client's account. Client participation in this process, including full and accurate disclosure of requested information, is essential for the analysis of a Client's account[s]. The Advisor shall rely on the financial and other information provided by the Client or their designees without the duty or obligation to validate the accuracy and completeness of the provided information. It is the responsibility of the Client to inform the Advisor of any changes in financial condition, goals or other factors that may affect this analysis.

The risks associated with a particular strategy are provided to each Client in advance of investing Client accounts. The Advisor will work with each Client to determine their tolerance for risk as part of the portfolio construction process. Following are some of the risks associated with the Advisor's investment approach:

### Market Risks

The value of a Client's holdings may fluctuate in response to events specific to companies or markets, as well as economic, political, or social events in the U.S. and abroad. This risk is linked to the performance of the overall financial markets.

### ETF Risks

The performance of ETFs is subject to market risk, including the possible loss of principal. The price of the ETFs will fluctuate with the price of the underlying securities that make up the funds. In addition, ETFs have a trading risk based on the loss of cost efficiency if the ETFs are traded actively and a liquidity risk if the ETFs have a large bid-ask spread and low trading volume. The price of an ETF fluctuates based upon the market movements and may dissociate from the index being tracked by the ETF or the price of the underlying investments. An ETF purchased or sold at one point in the day may have a different price than the same ETF purchased or sold a short time later.

### Mutual Fund Risks

The performance of mutual funds is subject to market risk, including the possible loss of principal. The price of the mutual funds will fluctuate with the value of the underlying securities that make up the funds. The price of a mutual fund is typically set daily therefore a mutual fund purchased at one point in the day will typically have the same price as a mutual fund purchased later that same day.

**Past performance is not a guarantee of future returns. Investing in securities and other investments involve a risk of loss that each Client should understand and be willing to bear. Clients are reminded to discuss these risks with the Advisor.**

### **Item 9 – Disciplinary Information**

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**There are no legal, regulatory or disciplinary events involving WCIP or any of its management persons.** WCIP values the trust Clients place in the Advisor. The Advisor encourages Clients to perform the requisite due diligence on any advisor or service provider that the Client engages. The backgrounds of the Advisor and its Advisory Persons are available on the Investment Adviser Public Disclosure website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor's firm name or CRD# 296475.

### **Item 10 – Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations**

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#### Broker-Dealer Affiliation

As noted in Item 5.E, Advisory Persons are also registered representatives of PCS. In one's separate capacity as a registered representative, an Advisory Person will receive commissions for the implementation of recommendations for commissionable transactions. Clients are not obligated to implement any recommendation provided by an Advisory Person. Neither the Advisor nor an Advisory Person will earn ongoing investment advisory fees in connection with any services implemented in an Advisory Person's separate capacity as a registered representative.

#### Insurance Agency Affiliations

As noted in Item 5.E, certain Advisory Persons are also licensed insurance professionals. Implementations of insurance recommendations are separate and apart from one's role with WCIP. As an insurance professional, an Advisory Person receives customary commissions and other related revenues from the various insurance companies whose products are sold. An Advisory Person is not required to offer the products of any particular insurance company. Commissions generated by insurance sales do not offset regular advisory fees. This practice presents a conflict of interest in recommending certain products of the insurance companies. Clients are under no obligation to implement any recommendations made by an Advisory Person or the Advisor.

### **Item 11 – Code of Ethics, Participation or Interest in Client Transactions and Personal Trading**

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#### **A. Code of Ethics**

WCIP has implemented a Code of Ethics (the "Code") that defines the Advisor's fiduciary commitment to each Client. This Code applies to all persons associated with WCIP ("Supervised Persons"). The Code was developed to provide general ethical guidelines and specific instructions regarding the Advisor's duties to Clients. WCIP and its Supervised Persons owe a duty of loyalty, fairness and good faith towards each Client. It is the obligation of WCIP's Supervised Persons to adhere not only to the specific provisions of the Code, but also to the general principles that guide the Code. The Code covers a range of topics that address employee ethics and conflicts of interest. To request a copy of the Code, please contact the Advisor at (401) 682-2335.

#### **B. Personal Trading with Material Interest**

WCIP allows Supervised Persons to purchase or sell the same securities that may be recommended to and purchased on behalf of Clients. WCIP does not act as principal in any transactions. In addition, the Advisor does

not act as the general partner of a fund, or advise an investment company. WCIP does not have a material interest in any securities traded in Client accounts.

### **C. Personal Trading in Same Securities as Clients**

WCIP allows Supervised Persons to purchase or sell the same securities that may be recommended to and purchased on behalf of Clients. Owning the same securities that are recommended (purchase or sell) to Clients presents a conflict of interest that, as fiduciaries, must be disclosed and mitigated through policies and procedures. As noted above, the Advisor has adopted the Code to address insider trading (material non-public information controls); gifts and entertainment; outside business activities and personal securities reporting. When trading for personal accounts, Supervised Persons have a conflict of interest if trading in the same securities. The fiduciary duty to act in the best interest of its Clients can be violated if personal trades are made with more advantageous terms than Client trades, or by trading based on material non-public information. This risk is mitigated by WCIP requiring reporting of personal securities trades by its Supervised Persons for review by the Chief Compliance Officer ("CCO") or delegate. We have also adopted written policies and procedures to detect the misuse of material, non-public information.

### **D. Personal Trading at Same Time as Client**

While WCIP allows Supervised Persons to purchase or sell the same securities that may be recommended to and purchased on behalf of Clients, such trades are typically aggregated with Client orders or traded afterward. **At no time will WCIP, or any Supervised Person of WCIP, transact in any security to the detriment of any Client.**

## **Item 12 – Brokerage Practices**

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### **A. Recommendation of Custodian[s]**

WCIP does not have discretionary authority to select the broker-dealer/custodian for custody and execution services. The Client will engage the broker-dealer/custodian (herein the "Custodian") to safeguard Client assets and authorize WCIP to direct trades to the Custodian as agreed upon in the wealth management agreement. Further, WCIP does not have the discretionary authority to negotiate commissions on behalf of our Clients on a trade-by-trade basis.

Where WCIP does not exercise discretion over the selection of the Custodian, it may recommend the Custodian to Clients for custody and execution services. Clients are not obligated to use the Custodian recommended by the Advisor and will not incur any extra fee or cost associated with using a Custodian not recommended by WCIP. However, the Advisor may be limited in the services it can provide if the recommended Custodian is not engaged. WCIP may recommend the Custodian based on criteria such as, but not limited to, reasonableness of commissions charged to the Client, services made available to the Client, its reputation and/or the location of the Custodian's offices. WCIP will generally recommend that Clients establish their accounts with TD Ameritrade Institutional, a division of TD Ameritrade Inc., member FINRA/SIPC ("TD Ameritrade"). TD Ameritrade will serve as the Client's "qualified custodian." WCIP maintains an institutional relationship with TD Ameritrade, whereby the Advisor receives economic benefits from TD Ameritrade. Please see Item 14 below.

Following are additional details regarding the brokerage practices of the Advisor:

**1. Soft Dollars** - Soft dollars are revenue programs offered by broker-dealers/custodians whereby an advisor enters into an agreement to place security trades with a broker-dealer/custodian in exchange for research and other services. **WCIP does not participate in soft dollar programs sponsored or offered by any broker-dealer/custodian. However, the Advisor receives certain economic benefits from the Custodian. Please see Item 14 below.**

**2. Brokerage Referrals** – WCIP does not receive any compensation from any third party in connection with the recommendation for establishing an account.

**3. Directed Brokerage** - All Clients are serviced on a “directed brokerage basis”, where WCIP will place trades within the established account[s] at the Custodian designated by the Client. Further, all Client accounts are traded within their respective account[s]. The Advisor will not engage in any principal transactions (i.e., trade of any security from or to the Advisor’s own account) or cross transactions with other Client accounts (i.e., purchase of a security into one Client account from another Client’s account[s]). WCIP will not be obligated to select competitive bids on securities transactions and does not have an obligation to seek the lowest available transaction costs. These costs are determined by the Custodian.

#### **B. Aggregating and Allocating Trades**

The primary objective in placing orders for the purchase and sale of securities for Client accounts is to obtain the most favorable net results taking into account such factors as 1) price, 2) size of the order, 3) difficulty of execution, 4) confidentiality and 5) skill required of the Custodian. WCIP will execute its transactions through the Custodian as authorized by the Client. WCIP may aggregate orders in a block trade or trades when securities are purchased or sold through the Custodian for multiple (discretionary) accounts in the same trading day. If a block trade cannot be executed in full at the same price or time, the securities actually purchased or sold by the close of each business day must be allocated in a manner that is consistent with the initial pre-allocation or other written statement. This must be done in a way that does not consistently advantage or disadvantage any particular Clients’ accounts.

### **Item 13 – Review of Accounts**

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#### **A. Frequency of Reviews**

Securities in Client accounts are monitored on a regular and continuous basis by the Principal Owners of WCIP. Formal reviews are generally conducted at least annually or more frequently depending on the needs of the Client.

#### **B. Causes for Reviews**

In addition to the investment monitoring noted in Item 13.A., each Client account shall be reviewed at least annually. Reviews may be conducted more frequently at the Client’s request. Accounts may be reviewed as a result of major changes in economic conditions, known changes in the Client’s financial situation, and/or large deposits or withdrawals in the Client’s account[s]. The Client is encouraged to notify WCIP if changes occur in the Client’s personal financial situation that might adversely affect the Client’s investment plan. Additional reviews may be triggered by material market, economic or political events.

#### **C. Review Reports**

The Client will receive brokerage statements no less than quarterly from the Custodian. These brokerage statements are sent directly from the Custodian to the Client. The Client may also establish electronic access to the Custodian’s website so that the Client may view these reports and their account activity. Client brokerage statements will include all positions, transactions and fees relating to the Client’s account[s]. The Advisor may also provide Clients with periodic reports regarding their holdings, allocations, and performance.

### **Item 14 – Client Referrals and Other Compensation**

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#### **A. Compensation Received by WCIP**

WCIP may refer Clients to various unaffiliated, non-advisory professionals (e.g. attorneys, accountants, estate planners) to provide certain financial services necessary to meet the goals of its Clients. Likewise, WCIP may receive non-compensated referrals of new Clients from various third-parties.

#### Participation in Institutional Advisor Platform

As disclosed under Item 12, above, the Advisor participates in TD Ameritrade's institutional customer program and the Advisor may recommend TD Ameritrade to Clients for custody and brokerage services. There is no direct link between the Advisor's participation in the program and the investment advice it gives to its Clients, although the Advisor receives economic benefits through its participation in the program that are typically not available to TD Ameritrade retail investors. These benefits include the following products and services (provided without cost or at a discount): receipt of duplicate Client statements and confirmations; research related products and tools; consulting services; access to a trading desk serving the Advisor participants; access to block trading (which provides the ability to aggregate securities transactions for execution and then allocate the appropriate shares to Client accounts); the ability to have advisory fees deducted directly from Client accounts; access to an electronic communications network for Client order entry and account information; access to mutual funds with no transaction fees and to certain institutional money managers; and discounts on compliance, marketing, research, technology, and practice management products or services provided to the Advisor by third party vendors. TD Ameritrade may also have paid for business consulting and professional services received by the Advisor's related persons. Some of the products and services made available by TD Ameritrade through the program may benefit the Advisor but may not benefit its Client accounts. These products or services may assist the Advisor in managing and administering Client accounts, including accounts not maintained at TD Ameritrade. Other services made available by TD Ameritrade are intended to help the Advisor manage and further develop its business enterprise. The benefits received by the Advisor or its personnel through participation in the program do not depend on the amount of brokerage transactions directed to TD Ameritrade. As part of its fiduciary duties to Clients, the Advisor endeavors at all times to put the interests of its Clients first. Clients should be aware, however, that the receipt of economic benefits by the Advisor or its related persons in and of itself creates a conflict of interest and may indirectly influence the Advisor's choice of TD Ameritrade for custody and brokerage services.

#### **B. Client Referrals from Solicitors**

WCIP does not engage paid solicitors for Client referrals.

#### **Item 15 – Custody**

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WCIP does not accept or maintain custody of any Client accounts, except for the authorized deduction of the Advisor's fees. All Clients must place their assets with a "qualified custodian". Clients are required to engage the Custodian to retain their funds and securities and direct WCIP to utilize that Custodian for the Client's security transactions. Clients should review statements provided by the Custodian and compare to any reports provided by WCIP to ensure accuracy, as the Custodian does not perform this review. For more information about custodians and brokerage practices, see Item 12 – Brokerage Practices.

#### **Item 16 – Investment Discretion**

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WCIP generally has discretion over the selection and amount of securities to be bought or sold in Client accounts without obtaining prior consent or approval from the Client. However, these purchases or sales may be subject to specified investment objectives, guidelines, or limitations previously set forth by the Client and agreed to by WCIP. Discretionary authority will only be authorized upon full disclosure to the Client. The granting of such authority will be evidenced by the Client's execution of a wealth management agreement containing all applicable limitations to such authority. All discretionary trades made by WCIP will be in accordance with each Client's investment objectives and goals.

#### **Item 17 – Voting Client Securities**

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WCIP does not accept proxy-voting responsibility for any Client. Clients will receive proxy statements directly from the Custodian. The Advisor will assist in answering questions relating to proxies, however, the Client retains

the sole responsibility for proxy decisions and voting.

## **Item 18 – Financial Information**

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Neither WCIP, nor its management have any adverse financial situations that would reasonably impair the ability of WCIP to meet all obligations to its Clients. Neither WCIP, nor any of its Advisory Persons have been subject to a bankruptcy or financial compromise. WCIP is not required to deliver a balance sheet along with this Disclosure Brochure as the Advisor does not collect advance fees of \$1,200 or more for services to be performed six months or more in the future.



## **WealthCare Investment Partners LLC**

### **Form ADV Part 2A – Appendix 1 ("Wrap Fee Program Brochure")**

**Effective: May 11, 2020**

This Form ADV2A - Appendix 1 ("Wrap Fee Program Brochure") provides information about the qualifications and business practices for WealthCare Investment Partners LLC ("WCIP" or the "Advisor") services when offering services pursuant to a wrap program. This Wrap Fee Program Brochure shall always be accompanied by the WCIP Disclosure Brochure, which provides complete details on the business practices of the Advisor. If you did not receive the complete WCIP Disclosure Brochure or you have any questions about the content of this Wrap Fee Program Brochure or the WCIP Disclosure Brochure, please contact the Advisor at (401) 682-2335.

WCIP is a registered investment advisor with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). The information in this Wrap Fee Program Brochure has not been approved or verified by the SEC or by any state securities authority. Registration of an investment advisor does not imply any specific level of skill or training. This Wrap Fee Program Brochure provides information about WCIP to assist you in determining whether to retain the Advisor.

Additional information about WCIP and its Advisory Persons is available on the SEC's website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor's firm name or CRD# 296475.

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## **Item 2 – Material Changes**

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Form ADV 2 - Appendix 1 provides information about a variety of topics relating to an Advisor's business practices and conflicts of interest. In particular, this Wrap Fee Program Brochure discusses wrap fee programs offering by the Advisor.

### Material Changes

There have been no material changes to this Wrap Fee Program Brochure since the last filing and distribution to Clients.

### Future Changes

From time to time, the Advisor may amend this Wrap Fee Program Brochure to reflect changes in business practices, changes in regulations or routine annual updates as required by the securities regulators. This complete Wrap Fee Program Brochure (along with the complete Disclosure Brochure) or a Summary of Material Changes shall be provided to you annually and if a material change occurs in the business practices of WCIP.

At any time, you may view this Wrap Fee Program Brochure and the current Disclosure Brochure on-line at the SEC's Investment Adviser Public Disclosure website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor's firm name or CRD# 296475. You may also request a copy of this Wrap Fee Program Brochure at any time, by contacting the Advisor at (401) 682-2335.

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## **Item 4 – Services Fees and Compensation**

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### **A. Services**

WealthCare Investment Partners LLC (“WCIP” or the “Advisor”) provides customized investment advisory services for its Clients. This Wrap Fee Program Brochure is provided as a supplement to the WCIP Form ADV 2A (“Disclosure Brochure”). This Wrap Fee Program Brochure is provided along with the complete Disclosure Brochure to provide full details of the business practices and fees when selecting WCIP as your investment advisor.

As part of the investment advisory fees noted in Item 5 – Fees and Compensation of the Disclosure Brochure, WCIP includes securities transaction fees for certain mutual funds (herein “Covered Costs”). Securities regulations often refer to this combined fee structure as a “Wrap Fee Program”. The Advisor sponsors the WCIP Wrap Fee Program. Securities transaction fees related to client-directed trades are generally charged back to the Client.

The sole purpose of this Wrap Fee Program Brochure is to provide additional disclosure relating the combination of Covered Costs into the single “bundled” investment advisory fee. This Wrap Fee Program Brochure references back to the WCIP Disclosure Brochure in which this Wrap Fee Program Brochure serves as an Appendix. **Please see Item 4 – Advisory Services of the Disclosure Brochure for additional information on WCIP’s investment philosophy and related services.**

### **B. Program Costs**

Advisory services provided by WCIP are offered in a Wrap Fee Program structure whereby Covered Costs are included in the overall investment advisory fee paid to WCIP. As the level of activity in a Client’s account[s] may vary from year to year, the annual cost to the Client may be more or less than engaging for advisory services where the Covered Costs are borne separately by the Client. The cost of the Wrap Fee Program varies depending on services to be provided to each Client, however, the Client is not charged more if there is higher trading activity in the Client’s account[s]. A Wrap Fee Program structure presents a conflict of interest as the Advisor has an incentive to limit the number of trades placed in the Client’s account[s] or to utilize securities that do not have transaction fees. The Advisor’s recommended Custodian does not charge securities transaction fees for exchange traded funds (“ETFs”) and equity trades in Client accounts, but typically charges for mutual funds and other types of investments. As such, the Advisor is incentivized to utilize ETF and other equity securities to limit the overall cost to the Advisor. The Advisor will only place Client assets into a Wrap Fee Program when it is believed to be in the Client’s best interest. **Please see Item 5 – Fees and Compensation of the Disclosure Brochure for additional information on fees.**

### **C. Fees**

Wealth management fees are paid quarterly, in advance of each calendar quarter, pursuant to the terms of the wealth management agreement. The annual fee is charged quarterly, in advance, based upon the average daily market value of assets under management. Since the asset-based fee is determined by average daily account balance, if assets are deposited into or withdrawn from an account, the base fee payable with respect to such assets is adjusted accordingly. Wealth management fees range up to 1.40% based on several factors, including: the complexity of the services to be provided, the level of assets to be managed, and the overall relationship with the Advisor. Relationships with multiple objectives, specific reporting requirements, portfolio restrictions and other complexities may be charged a higher fee.

The wealth management fee in the first quarter of service is prorated from the inception date of the account[s] to the end of the first quarter. Fees may be negotiable at the sole discretion of the Advisor. The Client’s fees will take into consideration the aggregate assets under management with the Advisor. All securities held in accounts managed by WCIP will be independently valued by the Custodian. WCIP will not have the authority or responsibility to value portfolio securities.

As noted above, the Wrap Fee Program includes Covered Costs incurred in connection with the discretionary investment management services provided by WCIP.

Clients may incur certain fees or charges imposed by third parties in connection with investments made on behalf of the Client's account[s]. All fees paid to WCIP for investment advisory services or part of the Wrap Fee Program are separate and distinct from the expenses charged by mutual funds and ETFs to their shareholders, if applicable. These fees and expenses are described in each fund's prospectus. These fees and expenses will generally be used to pay management fees for the funds, other fund expenses, account administration (e.g., custody, brokerage and account reporting), and a possible distribution fee. Additionally, account activity fees, such as electronic funds and wire transfers fees, certificate delivery fees, markups and markdowns, bid-ask spreads, selling concessions, and other miscellaneous fees and expenses as outlined in the account opening paperwork executed with the Custodian, are generally charged to the Client. Clients are encouraged to refer to the account opening paperwork executed with the Custodian for an outline of all third party fees covered under this Wrap Fee Program.

The Advisor does not control nor share in any of these third party fees. The Client should review all fees charged by the fund[s], third parties and WCIP to fully understand the total fees to be paid. The Advisor does not control nor share in any of these fees. Please see Item 5.C. – Other Fees and Expenses in the Disclosure Brochure (included with this Wrap Fee Program Brochure).

#### **D. Compensation**

WCIP is the sponsor and portfolio manager of this Wrap Fee Program. WCIP receives investment advisory fees paid by Clients for participating in the Wrap Fee Program and pays the Custodian for the costs associated with the normal trading activity in the Client's account[s].

### **Item 5 – Account Requirements and Types of Clients**

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WCIP offers investment advisory services to individuals, high net worth individuals, trusts, estates and retirement plans. WCIP generally requires a minimum relationship size of \$250,000 to effectively implement its investment process. This minimum may be waived at sole discretion of the Advisor. **Please see Item 7 – Types of Clients of the Disclosure Brochure for additional information.**

### **Item 6 – Portfolio Manager Selection and Evaluation**

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#### **Portfolio Manager Selection**

WCIP serves as sponsor and portfolio manager for the services under this Wrap Fee Program.

#### **Related Persons**

WCIP personnel serve as portfolio managers for this Wrap Fee Program. WCIP does not serve as a portfolio manager for any third-party wrap fee programs.

#### **Performance-Based Fees**

WCIP does not charge performance-based fees.

#### **Supervised Persons**

WCIP Advisory Persons serve as portfolio managers for all accounts, including the services described in this Wrap Fee Program Brochure. Details of the advisory services provided are included in Item 4 – Advisory Services of the Disclosure Brochure.

#### **Methods of Analysis**

Please see Item 8.A – Methods of Analysis of the Disclosure Brochure for details on the research and analysis methods employed by the Advisor.

## **Risk of Loss**

Investing in securities involves certain investment risks. Securities may fluctuate in value or lose value. Clients should be prepared to bear the potential risk of loss. WCIP will assist Clients in determining an appropriate strategy based on their tolerance for risk and other factors noted above. However, there is no guarantee that a Client will meet their investment goals.

Each Client engagement will entail a review of the Client's investment goals, financial situation, time horizon, tolerance for risk and other factors to develop an appropriate strategy for managing a Client's account[s]. Client participation in this process, including full and accurate disclosure of requested information, is essential for the analysis of a Client's account[s]. The Advisor shall rely on the financial and other information provided by the Client or their designees without the duty or obligation to validate the accuracy and completeness of the provided information. It is the responsibility of the Client to inform the Advisor of any changes in financial condition, goals or other factors that may affect this analysis.

**Past performance is not a guarantee of future returns. Investing in securities and other investments involve a risk of loss that each Client should understand and be willing to bear. Clients are reminded to discuss these risks with the Advisor. Please see Item 8.B. – Risk of Loss in the Disclosure Brochure for details on investment risks.**

## **Proxy Voting**

WCIP does not accept proxy-voting responsibility for any Client. Clients will receive proxy statements directly from the Custodian. The Advisor will assist in answering questions relating to proxies, however, the Client retains the sole responsibility for proxy decisions and voting.

## **Item 7 – Client Information Provided to Portfolio Managers**

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WCIP is the sponsor and sole portfolio manager for the Wrap Fee Program. The Advisor does not share Client information with other portfolio managers because it is the sole portfolio manager for this Wrap Fee Program. Please also see the WCIP Privacy Policy which is included after this Wrap Fee Program Brochure.

## **Item 8 – Client Contact with Portfolio Managers**

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WCIP is a full-service investment management advisory firm. Clients always have direct access to the Portfolio Managers at WCIP.

## **Item 9 – Additional Information**

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### **A. Disciplinary Information and Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations**

WCIP values the trust you place in the Advisor. The Advisor encourages Clients to perform the requisite due diligence on any advisor or service provider that the Client engages. The backgrounds of the Advisor and its Advisory Persons are available on the Investment Adviser Public Disclosure website at [www.adviserinfo.sec.gov](http://www.adviserinfo.sec.gov) by searching with the Advisor's firm name or CRD# 296475. Please see Item 9 – Disciplinary Information of the Disclosure Brochure as well as Item 3 – Disciplinary Information of each Advisory Person's Brochure Supplement for additional information on how to research the background of the Advisor and its Advisory Persons.

### Other Financial Activities and Affiliations

Please see Item 10 – Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations and Item 14 – Client Referrals and Other Compensation of the Disclosure Brochure.

### **B. Code of Ethics, Review of Accounts, Client Referrals, and Financial Information**

WCIP has implemented a Code of Ethics that defines the Advisor's fiduciary commitment to each Client. This Code of Ethics applies to all persons subject to WCIP's compliance program ("Supervised Persons"). Complete

details on the WCIP Code of Ethics can be found under Item 11 – Code of Ethics, Participation in Client Transactions and Personal Trading of the Disclosure Brochure.

#### Review of Accounts

Securities in Client accounts are monitored on a regular and continuous basis by Advisory Persons of WCIP under the supervision of the Chief Compliance Officer (“CCO”). Details of the review policies and practices are provided in Item 13 – Review of Accounts of the Disclosure Brochure.

#### Other Compensation

*Participation in Institutional Advisor Platform* - The Advisor participates in TD Ameritrade’s institutional customer program and the Advisor may recommend TD Ameritrade to Clients for custody and brokerage services. There is no direct link between the Advisor’s participation in the program and the investment advice it gives to its Clients, although the Advisor receives economic benefits through its participation in the program that are typically not available to TD Ameritrade retail investors. These benefits include the following products and services (provided without cost or at a discount): receipt of duplicate Client statements and confirmations; research related products and tools; consulting services; access to a trading desk serving the Advisor participants; access to block trading (which provides the ability to aggregate securities transactions for execution and then allocate the appropriate shares to Client accounts); the ability to have advisory fees deducted directly from Client accounts; access to an electronic communications network for Client order entry and account information; access to mutual funds with no transaction fees and to certain institutional money managers; and discounts on compliance, marketing, research, technology, and practice management products or services provided to the Advisor by third party vendors. TD Ameritrade may also have paid for business consulting and professional services received by the Advisor’s related persons. Some of the products and services made available by TD Ameritrade through the program may benefit the Advisor but may not benefit its Client accounts. These products or services may assist the Advisor in managing and administering Client accounts, including accounts not maintained at TD Ameritrade. Other services made available by TD Ameritrade are intended to help the Advisor manage and further develop its business enterprise. The benefits received by the Advisor or its Advisory Persons through participation in the program do not depend on the amount of brokerage transactions directed to TD Ameritrade. As part of its fiduciary duties to Clients, the Advisor endeavors at all times to put the interests of its Clients first. Clients should be aware, however, that the receipt of economic benefits by the Advisor or its related persons in and of itself creates a conflict of interest and may indirectly influence the Advisor’s choice of TD Ameritrade for custody and brokerage services.

Please see Item 14 – Other Compensation of the Disclosure Brochure for details on additional compensation that may be received by WCIP or its Advisory Persons. Each Advisory Person’s Brochure Supplement provides details on any outside business activities and the associated compensation.

#### Client Referrals from Solicitors

WCIP does not engage paid solicitors for Client referrals.

#### Financial Information

Neither WCIP, nor its management have any adverse financial situations that would reasonably impair the ability of WCIP to meet all obligations to its Clients. Neither WCIP, nor any of its Advisory Persons have been subject to a bankruptcy or financial compromise. WCIP is not required to deliver a balance sheet along with this Disclosure Brochure, as the firm does not collect advance fees of \$1,200 or more for services to be performed six months or more in advance. Please see Item 18 – Financial Information of the Disclosure Brochure.

## Privacy Policy

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**Effective: May 11, 2020**

### Our Commitment to You

WealthCare Investment Partners (“WCIP” or the “Advisor”) is committed to safeguarding the use of personal information of our Clients (also referred to as “you” and “your”) that we obtain as your Investment Advisor, as described here in our Privacy Policy (“Policy”).

Our relationship with you is our most important asset. We understand that you have entrusted us with your private information, and we do everything that we can to maintain that trust. WCIP (also referred to as “we”, “our” and “us”) protects the security and confidentiality of the personal information we have and implements controls to ensure that such information is used for proper business purposes in connection with the management or servicing of our relationship with you.

WCIP does not sell your non-public personal information to anyone. Nor do we provide such information to others except for discrete and reasonable business purposes in connection with the servicing and management of our relationship with you, as discussed below.

Details of our approach to privacy and how your personal non-public information is collected and used are set forth in this Policy.

### Why you need to know?

Registered Investment Advisors (“RIAs”) must share some of your personal information in the course of servicing your account. Federal and State laws give you the right to limit some of this sharing and require RIAs to disclose how we collect, share, and protect your personal information.

### What information do we collect from you?

Driver’s license number	Date of birth
Social security or taxpayer identification number	Assets and liabilities
Name, address and phone number[s]	Income and expenses
E-mail address[es]	Investment activity
Account information (including other institutions)	Investment experience and goals

### What Information do we collect from other sources?

Custody, brokerage and advisory agreements	Account applications and forms
Other advisory agreements and legal documents	Investment questionnaires and suitability documents
Transactional information with us or others	Other information needed to service account

### How do we protect your information?

To safeguard your personal information from unauthorized access and use we maintain physical, procedural and electronic security measures. These include such safeguards as secure passwords, encrypted file storage and a secure office environment. Our technology vendors provide security and access control over personal information and have policies over the transmission of data. Our associates are trained on their responsibilities to protect Client’s personal information. We require third parties that assist in providing our services to you to protect the personal information they receive from us.

**How do we share your information?**

An RIA shares Client personal information to effectively implement its services. In the section below, we list some reasons we may share your personal information.

Basis For Sharing	Do we share?	Can you limit?
<p><b>Servicing our Clients</b>                      We may share non-public personal information with non-affiliated third parties (such as administrators, brokers, custodians, regulators, credit agencies, other financial institutions) as necessary for us to provide agreed upon services to you, consistent with applicable law, including but not limited to: processing transactions; general account maintenance; responding to regulators or legal investigations; and credit reporting.                      WCIP shares Client information with Private Client Services, LLC (“PCS”). due to the oversight PCS has over certain supervised persons of the Advisor. You may also contact us at any time for a copy of the PCS Privacy Policy.</p>	Yes	No
<p><b>Marketing Purposes</b>                      WCIP does not disclose, and does not intend to disclose, personal information with non-affiliated third parties to offer you services. Certain laws may give us the right to share your personal information with financial institutions where you are a customer and where WCIP or the client has a formal agreement with the financial institution. <b>We will only share information for purposes of servicing your accounts, not for marketing purposes.</b></p>	No	Not Shared
<p><b>Authorized Users</b>                      Your non-public personal information may be disclosed to you and persons that we believe to be your authorized agent[s] or representative[s].</p>	Yes	Yes
<p><b>Information About Former Clients</b>                      WCIP does not disclose and does not intend to disclose, non-public personal information to non-affiliated third parties with respect to persons who are no longer our Clients.</p>	No	Not Shared

**Changes to our Privacy Policy**

We will send you a copy of this Policy annually for as long as you maintain an ongoing relationship with us.

Periodically we may revise this Policy and will provide you with a revised policy if the changes materially alter the previous Privacy Policy. We will not, however, revise our Privacy Policy to permit the sharing of non-public personal information other than as described in this notice unless we first notify you and provide you with an opportunity to prevent the information sharing.

**Any Questions?**

You may ask questions or voice any concerns, as well as obtain a copy of our current Privacy Policy by contacting us at (401) 682-2335.