



**Excess Casualty Claims
Analyst
Jersey City, NJ**



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THE CORE SPECIALTY ADVANTAGE

Core Specialty offers a diversified range of property and casualty insurance products for small to mid-sized businesses. From underwriting offices spanning the U.S., the Company focuses on niche markets, local distribution, and superior underwriting knowledge, offering traditional as well as innovative insurance solutions to meet the needs of its customers and brokers. Core Specialty is an insurance holding company operating through StarStone Specialty Insurance Company, a U.S. excess and surplus lines insurer, and StarStone National Insurance Company, a U.S. admitted markets insurer. The Company is rated A- (Excellent) by AM Best.

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Essential Duties and Responsibilities: *(Position based in Jersey City, NJ)*

Direct handling of Excess Casualty Claims / Oversight of TPA managed claims

Key Accountabilities/Deliverables:

- Ensure compliance with established claim handling guidelines regarding coverage, investigation, liability, damages, evaluation and resolution.
- Provide oversight on claims portfolios handled by TPAs within the excess casualty book.
- Engage in rigorous ALAE control and management, by competently selecting, instructing and managing 3rd party vendors, as appropriate, including TPAs acting on the behalf of StarStone.
- Gather and analyze information necessary to make an accurate evaluation of the claim by delivering effective resolution of claims, make decision within established authority levels and identify settlement issues.
- Establish reserves pursuant to established reserving protocols and reserve authority procedures.
- Successfully and proactively resolve complex, high exposure claims, (excess of \$1M), promptly limiting exposure to the Company, with substantial involvement in mediation negotiations.
- Adhere to the Panel Counsel Program and Litigation Guidelines.
- Meet all Reporting Requirements by completing reports timely and accurately, including Large Loss Reports, etc.
- Liaise with underwriting team with regard to claim trends and other areas of interest;
- Work with external customers to address questions, resolve problems and maintain rapport.
- Occasional domestic travel may be required to attend mediations and / or trials
- Undertaking general office administrative duties as and when required
- Proactively expanding and maintaining awareness of market, industry
- In addition to the above key responsibilities, you may be required to undertake other duties from time to time as the Company may reasonably require.

Technical Knowledge and Understanding:

- Possess a comprehensive understanding and knowledge of state and federal laws (including legislation) applicable to excess casualty claims.
- Computer skills – good working knowledge of MS Office, Excel
- Previously utilized an electronic claim system
- Ability to travel

Experience:

- College degree required
- J.D. preferred
- A minimum of 5 years' experience in the legal or Insurance profession dealing specifically with civil litigation involving bodily injury; or the technical claims analysis, management, and resolution of primary and excess casualty BI / PD claims.

At Core Specialty we believe that our employees are our most important asset. Helping our employees and their families achieve and maintain good health – physical, emotional, and financial – is the reason Core Specialty offers extremely rich and affordable benefits including, but not limited to medical, dental, vision, and life insurances; short and long-term disability; a Company-match of 100% of a 6% contribution 401(k) plan; an Employee Assistance Plan; Health Savings Account, Flexible Spending Account, Health Reimbursement Account, and gym reimbursement.