



## IAPD Report

# Steven David Chafin

CRD# 4786776

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## IAPD Information About Representatives

IAPD offers information on all current-and many former representatives. Investors are strongly encouraged to use IAPD to check the background of representatives before deciding to conduct, or continue to conduct, business with them.

### What is included in a IAPD report?

IAPD reports for individual representatives include information such as employment history, professional qualifications, disciplinary actions, criminal convictions, civil judgments and arbitration awards.

It is important to note that the information contained in an IAPD report may include pending actions or allegations that may be contested, unresolved or unproven. In the end, these actions or allegations may be resolved in favor of the representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

### Where did this information come from?

The information contained in IAPD comes from the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) and FINRA's Central Registration Depository, or CRD, (see more on CRD below) and is a combination of:

- information the states require representatives and firms to submit as part of the registration and licensing process, and
- information that state regulators report regarding disciplinary actions or allegations against representatives.

### How current is this information?

Generally, representatives are required to update their professional and disciplinary information in IARD within 30 days.

### Need help interpreting this report?

For help understanding how to read this report, please consult NASAA's IAPD Tips page <http://www.nasaa.org/IAPD/IARReports.cfm>

### What if I want to check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage Firm?

To check the background of an Individual Broker or Brokerage firm, you can search for the firm or individual in IAPD. If your search is successful, click on the link provided to view the available licensing and registration information in FINRA's BrokerCheck website.

### Are there other resources I can use to check the background of investment professionals?

It is recommended that you learn as much as possible about an individual representative or Investment Adviser firm before deciding to work with them. Your state securities regulator can help you research individuals and certain firms doing business in your state. The contact information for state securities regulators can be found on the website of the North American Securities Administrators Association <http://www.nasaa.org>



## Report Summary

### Steven David Chafin (CRD# 4786776)

The report summary provides an overview of the representative's professional background and conduct. The information contained in this report has been provided by the representative, investment adviser and/or securities firms, and/or securities regulators as part of the states' investment adviser registration and licensing process. The information contained in this report was last updated by the representative, a previous employing firm, or a securities regulator on **12/03/2025**.

### CURRENT EMPLOYERS

	Firm	CRD#	Registered Since
<b>B</b>	ALLSTATE FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC	CRD# 18272	06/04/2021
<b>IA</b>	ALLSTATE FINANCIAL ADVISORS, LLC	CRD# 109524	06/04/2021

### QUALIFICATIONS

This representative is currently registered in **1** SRO(s) and 1 jurisdiction(s).

Is this representative currently Inactive or Suspended with any regulator? **No**

**Note:** Not all jurisdictions require IAR registration or may have an exemption from registration.

Additional information including this individual's qualification examinations and professional designations is available in the Detailed Report.

### REGISTRATION HISTORY

This representative was previously registered with the following firm(s):

	FIRM	CRD#	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DATES
<b>IA</b>	PEAK AMERICAN INVESTMENT ADVISORS, INC.	145056	SAN ANTONIO, TX	04/15/2019 - 07/21/2020
<b>B</b>	PURITAN BROKERAGE SERVICES, INC.	144445	PLANO, TX	06/20/2019 - 08/02/2019
<b>IA</b>	COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL NETWORK	8032	San Antonio, TX	05/09/2016 - 04/10/2019

For additional registration and employment history details as reported by the individual, refer to the Registration and Employment History section of the Detailed Report.

### DISCLOSURE INFORMATION

Disclosure events include certain criminal charges and convictions, formal investigations and disciplinary actions initiated by regulators, customer disputes and arbitrations, and financial disclosures such as bankruptcies and unpaid judgments or liens.

Are there events disclosed about this representative? **Yes**

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	1



## Qualifications

### REGISTRATIONS

This section provides the SRO, states and U.S. territories in which the representative is currently registered and licensed, the category of each registration, and the date on which the registration becomes effective. This section also provides, for each firm with which the representative is currently employed, the address of each location where the representative works. This individual is currently registered with 1 jurisdiction(s) and 1 SRO(s) through his or her employer(s).

#### Employment 1 of 2

Firm Name: **ALLSTATE FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC**  
Main Address: 151 N 8TH STREET, SUITE 450  
LINCOLN, NE 68508-1380  
Firm ID#: 18272

Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
<b>B</b> FINRA	General Securities Representative	Approved	06/04/2021
<b>B</b> Texas	Agent	Approved	06/07/2021

#### Branch Office Locations

172 Creekside Park Rd Ste 100  
Spring Branch, TX 78070-6221

#### Employment 2 of 2

Firm Name: **ALLSTATE FINANCIAL ADVISORS, LLC**  
Main Address: 151 N 8TH STREET, SUITE 450  
LINCOLN, NE 68508  
Firm ID#: 109524

Regulator	Registration	Status	Date
<b>IA</b> Texas	Investment Adviser Representative	Approved	06/04/2021

#### Branch Office Locations

**ALLSTATE FINANCIAL ADVISORS, LLC**  
172 Creekside Park Rd Ste 100  
Spring Branch, TX 78070-6221



## Qualifications

### PASSED INDUSTRY EXAMS

This section includes all industry exams that the representative has passed. Under limited circumstances, a representative may attain registration after receiving an exam waiver based on a combination of exams the representative has passed and qualifying work experience. Likewise a new exam requirement may be grandfathered based on a representative's specific qualifying work experience. Exam waivers and grandfathering are not included below.

**This individual has passed 0 principal/supervisory exams, 2 general industry/product exams, and 1 state securities law exam.**

#### Principal/Supervisory Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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No information reported.

#### General Industry/Product Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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Securities Industry Essentials Examination (SIE)	SIE	05/20/2016
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General Securities Representative Examination (S7)	Series 7	05/26/2004
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#### State Securities Law Exams

Exam	Category	Date
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Uniform Combined State Law Examination (S66)	Series 66	06/01/2004
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### PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS

This section details that the representative has reported **0** professional designation(s).

No information reported.



## Registration & Employment History

### PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS

This representative held registrations with the following firms:

	Registration Dates	Firm Name	ID#	Branch Location
IA	04/15/2019 - 07/21/2020	PEAK AMERICAN INVESTMENT ADVISORS, INC.	CRD# 145056	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	06/20/2019 - 08/02/2019	PURITAN BROKERAGE SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 144445	PLANO, TX
IA	05/09/2016 - 04/10/2019	COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL NETWORK	CRD# 8032	San Antonio, TX
IA	06/17/2013 - 05/20/2016	INVESTMENT ADVISORS	CRD# 15708	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	06/12/2013 - 05/20/2016	PROEQUITIES, INC.	CRD# 15708	SAN ANTONIO, TX
IA	06/03/2011 - 04/04/2013	EAGLE STRATEGIES LLC	CRD# 110826	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	07/15/2010 - 04/04/2013	NYLIFE SECURITIES LLC	CRD# 5167	SAN ANTONIO, TX
IA	12/01/2006 - 11/05/2009	USAA FINANCIAL PLANNING SERVICES	CRD# 106352	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	11/13/2006 - 11/05/2009	USAA FINANCIAL ADVISORS, INC.	CRD# 129035	SAN ANTONIO, TX
IA	02/13/2006 - 09/21/2006	SECURIAN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 15296	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	01/11/2006 - 09/21/2006	SECURIAN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 15296	SAN ANTONIO, TX
IA	06/02/2004 - 12/21/2005	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6363	SAN ANTONIO, TX
B	05/27/2004 - 12/21/2005	AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	CRD# 6363	MINNEAPOLIS, MN
B	05/27/2004 - 12/21/2005	IDS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	CRD# 6321	MINNEAPOLIS, MN



## Registration & Employment History

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Below is the representative's employment history for up to the last 10 years.

Employment Dates	Employer Name	Position	Investment Related	Employer Location
12/2025 - Present	Chafin Dealer Services	owner	Y	San Antonio, TX, United States
06/2021 - Present	Allstate Financial Advisors, LLC	Representative	Y	Lincoln, NE, United States
05/2021 - Present	Allstate Financial Services, LLC	Agent	Y	Lincoln, NE, United States
05/2021 - Present	Allstate Insurance Co	Agent	Y	Northbrook, IL, United States
05/2021 - Present	The Chafin Agency, LLC	Owner	Y	Spring Branch, TX, United States
07/2020 - 05/2021	Unemployed	None	N	San Antonio, TX, United States
04/2019 - 07/2020	PURITAN BROKERAGE SERVICES INC.	REGISTERED REP	Y	SAN ANTONIO, TX, United States
02/2016 - 04/2019	COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL NETWORK	ADVISORY AGENT	Y	SAN ANTONIO, TX, United States
03/2016 - 04/2018	Sonterra Insurance Group	Owner	N	San Antonio, TX, United States

### OTHER BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

This section includes information, if any, as provided by the representative regarding other business activities the representative is currently engaged in either as a proprietor, partner, officer, director, employee, trustee, agent, or otherwise. This section does not include non-investment related activity that is exclusively charitable, civic, religious, or fraternal and is recognized as tax exempt.

#### CHAFIN DEALER SERVICES

POSITION: owner NATURE: I am starting a new LLC, Chafin Dealer Services, LLC. This LLC is being created solely to operate a new business which will fulfill my responsibilities with Allstate Dealer Services and the affiliated companies. Allstate Dealer Services has dealer direct F&I services provided for auto dealers. I will be working directly with a contract through Allstate Dealer Services. INVESTMENT RELATED: No NUMBER OF HOURS: 20 SECURITIES TRADING HOURS: 10 START DATE: 12/01/2025

ADDRESS: 21103 Promontory Circle, San Antonio TX 78258, United States

DESCRIPTION: I will own the LLC and be solely responsible for the operation of the new business. I will hire and train staff, execute contracts, receive and pay commissions. This is primarily a sales organization and will not require a large staff.



## Disclosure Summary

### Disclosure Information

#### What you should know about reported disclosure events:

##### (1) Certain thresholds must be met before an event is reported to IARD, for example:

- A law enforcement agency must file formal charges before an Investment Adviser Representative is required to report a particular criminal event.;
- A customer dispute must involve allegations that an Investment Adviser Representative engaged in activity that violates certain rules or conduct governing the industry and that the activity resulted in damages of at least \$5,000.

##### (2) Disclosure events in IAPD reports come from different sources:

As mentioned in the "About IAPD" section on page 1 of this report, information contained in IAPD comes from Investment Adviser Representatives, firms and regulators. When more than one of these sources reports information for the same disclosure event, all versions of the event will appear in the IAPD report. The different versions will be separated by a solid line with the reporting source labeled.

##### (3) There are different statuses and dispositions for disclosure events:

- A disclosure event may have a status of *pending*, *on appeal*, or *final*.
  - A "pending" disclosure event involves allegations that have not been proven or formally adjudicated.
  - A disclosure event that is "on appeal" involves allegations that have been adjudicated but are currently being appealed.
  - A "final" disclosure event has been concluded and its resolution is not subject to change.
- A final disclosure event generally has a disposition of *adjudicated*, *settled* or *otherwise resolved*.
  - An "adjudicated" matter includes a disposition by (1) a court of law in a criminal or civil matter, or (2) an administrative panel in an action brought by a regulator that is contested by the party charged with some alleged wrongdoing.
  - A "settled" matter generally represents a disposition wherein the parties involved in a dispute reach an agreement to resolve the matter. Please note that Investment Adviser Representatives and firms may choose to settle customer disputes or regulatory matters for business or other reasons.
  - A "resolved" matter usually includes a disposition wherein no payment is made to the customer or there is no finding of wrongdoing on the part of the Investment Adviser Representative. Such matters generally involve customer disputes.

##### (4) You may wish to contact the Investment Adviser Representatives to obtain further information regarding any of the disclosure events contained in this IAPD report.



## DISCLOSURE EVENT DETAILS

When evaluating this information, please keep in mind that some items may involve pending actions or allegations that may be contested and have not been resolved or proven. The event may, in the end, be withdrawn, dismissed, resolved in favor of the Investment Adviser Representative, or concluded through a negotiated settlement with no admission or finding of wrongdoing.

This report provides the information exactly as it was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository. Some of the specific data fields contained in the report may be blank if the information was not provided.

The following types of events are disclosed about this representative:

Type	Count
Customer Dispute	1

### Customer Dispute

This section provides information regarding a customer dispute that was reported to the Investment Adviser Registration Depository (IARD) by the Investment Adviser Representative (IAR), an investment adviser and/or securities firm, and/or a securities regulator. The event may include a consumer-initiated, investment-related complaint, arbitration proceeding or civil suit that contains allegations of sales practice violations against the individual.

The customer dispute may be pending or may have resulted in a civil judgment, arbitration award, monetary settlement, closure without action, withdrawal, dismissal, denial, or other outcome.

#### Disclosure 1 of 1

<b>Reporting Source:</b>	Individual
<b>Employing firm when activities occurred which led to the complaint:</b>	AMERICAN EXPRESS FINANCIAL ADVISORS INC
<b>Allegations:</b>	WHEN THE CLIENT'S WERE SOLD VUL POLICIES ON NOVEMBER 18, 2004 (GRIFFIN'S ISSUE DATE) AND OCTOBER 4, 2004 (SANTOS ISSUE DATE) THE CLIENTS ALLEGES THE FEATURES AND BENEFITS WERE NOT FULLY EXPLAINED TO THEM. THE CLIENTS ARE REQUESTING A REFUND OF ALL PREMIUMS PAID AND A REFUND OF THEIR FINANCIAL PLANNING FEE.
<b>Product Type:</b>	Other
<b>Other Product Type(s):</b>	VARIABLE UNIVERSAL LIFE
<b>Alleged Damages:</b>	\$7,536.00

### Customer Complaint Information

<b>Date Complaint Received:</b>	06/20/2005
<b>Complaint Pending?</b>	No
<b>Status:</b>	Settled
<b>Status Date:</b>	10/04/2005
<b>Settlement Amount:</b>	\$7,536.00
<b>Individual Contribution Amount:</b>	\$0.00
<b>Broker Statement</b>	THE FIRM FOUND THAT THE VARIABLE UNIVERSAL LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES SOLD TO THEM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN SUITABLE FOR THEIR



INSURANCE NEEDS OR FINANCIAL SITUATION. A FULL REFUND OF THE PREMIUMS PAID INTO THE VARIABLE UNIVERSAL LIFE POLICIES WERE SENT TO THE CLIENTS ON 10/17/05.



## End of Report

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