



K-9 OFFICER COVERAGE

Protection you need, when you need it

PROPERTY COVERAGE FOR K-9 UNITS

K-9 Officers are on the front line of law enforcement in an increasingly dangerous environment. They perform drug search and seizure operations, pursue and apprehend violent offenders, and help control crowds. They are loyal, hardworking members of the law enforcement team.

CIRMA protects its Liability-Auto-Property members' K-9 units from financial loss if a K-9 Officer is injured or killed while engaged in law enforcement duties. There is **no additional charge** for this coverage.

REPLACEMENT COVERAGE

CIRMA's K-9 Officer coverage ensures the ongoing operation of the unit and public safety by **providing replacement coverage of up to \$25,000**, including travel costs to acquire the dog and training costs when a dog is killed or must be retired because of injuries sustained while engaged in law enforcement duties.

EMERGENCY VETERINARY CARE COVERAGE

K-9 Officer coverage also includes **benefits for emergency veterinary care of up to \$5,000 per covered injury**, helping to protect your budget and assuring that a wounded K-9 Officer gets the veterinary care he or she needs.

PROTECTING THE UNIT

Rising costs, including emergency veterinary care and replacement, remain a hurdle to K-9 unit funding. Many units rely on public fundraising to help pay for the costs of operating the unit. Any police department that has hesitated to start a unit because of the financial risk is now assured that their investment will be protected and that the unit can continue to operate even when a K-9 Officer is injured or is killed in the line of duty.

For more information about this coverage, please contact your CIRMA Underwriter.

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What's covered

A K-9 Officer that is owned by the member municipality and that is specifically trained to assist police and similar law enforcement personnel with their work.

Benefits

- Replacement of a K-9 Officer that is killed or disabled from injuries sustained while engaged in law enforcement duties. Coverage includes the cost of replacing the animal with one of like kind and quality, the travel costs to acquire the animal, and training of that animal. \$25,000 limit
- Coverage for emergency veterinary care for a K-9 Officer that is injured while engaged in law enforcement duties and is able to return to those duties. \$5,000 limit
- There is no deductible.

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