

# MADISON WEALTH MANAGEMENT

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## **Item 1: Introduction.**

Madison Wealth Management is registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission as an investment adviser. Brokerage and investment advisory services and fees differ and it is important for you to understand the differences.

Free and simple tools are available to research firms and financial professionals at [Investor.gov/CRS](https://www.investor.gov/CRS), which also provides educational materials about broker-dealers, investment advisers and investing.

## **Item 2: What investment services and advice can you provide to me?**

Madison offers wealth management services, which includes a combination of financial planning, investment management and consulting services. Not every retail investor client utilizes all of these services, as some are not requested or are being provided by other professionals. If specifically requested by you, Madison may provide limited consultation services on investment and non-investment related matters, and such services are usually not subject to a separate fee unless mutually agreed prior to providing. We tailor your investment management services to match your financial objectives which you provide to us. We monitor the holdings and performance of your account on a periodic basis and may provide you with periodic reports regarding the performance and holdings of your account. In addition, you are encouraged to engage in an account review with one of our financial professionals on at least an annual basis. We provide investment management services on a discretionary basis pursuant to authority granted to us in your investment advisory agreement. Pursuant to this discretionary authority we are authorized to determine which securities are bought and sold, the total amount to be bought and sold, and the costs at which transactions will be effected. However, there are certain clients for which we provide investment management services on a non-discretionary basis. We do not limit the provision of investment management services to proprietary products. In addition, we generally do not limit the types of investments we utilize for clients, and may utilize individual equity securities, mutual funds, exchange traded funds, fixed income securities, closed-end funds, options and private funds/private partnerships, as well as third party managers. We generally impose an annual minimum fee of \$10,000 for new clients. Regardless, we reserve the right to accept or decline a potential client for any reason in our sole discretion.

For additional information, please refer to our [Form ADV Part 2A Brochure](#), especially [Item 4 Advisory Business](#), [Item 7 Types of Clients](#), [Item 8 Methods of Analysis, Investment Strategies and Risk of Loss](#), and [Item 13 Review of Accounts](#).

### ***Conversation Starter. Ask Us:***

*Given my financial situation, should I chose an investment advisory service? Why or why not?*

*How will you choose the investments that you recommend to me?*

*What is your relevant experience, including your licenses, education and other qualifications? What do these qualifications mean?*

## **Item 3 (1): What fees will I pay?**

For investment management services we charge an asset based fee, which is billed on a monthly or quarterly basis. If you require extraordinary planning and/or consultation services, there will be an additional charge for these services as agreed between you and Madison before provision of the services. For an asset based fee, the more assets that are in a client's advisory account, the more a client will pay in fees. Therefore, we may have an incentive to encourage clients to increase the assets in his or her account.

In addition to our fees you will be responsible for other fees and expenses, such as, transaction charges and fees/expenses charged by any custodian of your account, subadvisor, mutual fund, exchange traded fund, separate account manager and any taxes or fees required by federal or state law.

You will pay fees and costs whether you make or lose money on your investments. Fees and costs will reduce any amount of money you make on your investments over time. Please make sure you understand what fees and costs you are paying. For additional information, see [Item 5 Fees and Compensation](#) of our [Form ADV Part 2A Brochure](#).

**Conversation Starter. Ask Us:**

*Help me to understand how these fees and costs might affect my investments.*

*If I give you \$10,000 to invest, how much will go to fees and costs, and how much will be invested for me?*

**Item 3 (2): What are your legal obligations to me when acting as my investment adviser? How else does your firm make money and what conflicts of interest do you have?**

When we act as your investment adviser, we have to act in your best interest and not put our interest ahead of yours. At the same time, the way we make money creates conflicts with your interests. You should understand and ask us about these conflicts because they can affect the investment advice we provide to you. As an example, we receive various benefits and services from custodians that we may recommend to you. For additional information, please refer to our [Form ADV Part 2A Brochure](#), [Item 12 Brokerage Practices](#).

**Conversation Starter. Ask Us:**

*How might your conflicts of interest affect me, and how will you address them?*

**Item 3 (3): How do your financial professionals make money?**

Our financial professionals are paid pursuant to a combination of salary and a bonus structure. The bonus structure takes into consideration new business fee revenue growth for the financial professional and professional incentive/achievement oriented factors. Financial professionals paid pursuant to a bonus structure that encompasses factors such as an increase in client account revenue are subject to a conflict of interest. Since the firm charges an asset-based advisory services fee, the more assets you have in your account the more you will pay in fees and, therefore, the firm and the financial professional have an incentive to encourage you to increase the assets in your account.

**Item 4: Do you or your financial professionals have a legal or disciplinary history?**

Yes. You can visit [Investor.gov/CRS](http://Investor.gov/CRS) for a free and simple search tool to research our firm and our financial professionals.

**Conversation Starter. Ask Us:**

*As a financial professional, do you have any disciplinary history? For what type of conduct?*

**Item 5: Additional Information**

For additional information about our investment advisory services and to request a copy of our Form CRS, please contact us at 888-943-4198.

**Conversation Starter. Ask Us:**

*Who is my primary contact person? Is he or she a representative of an investment adviser or a broker-dealer?*

*Who can I talk to if I have concerns about how a person is treating me?*