

Table of the main subjects recognized in different subject areas

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Examples of recognized subjects	Subject area				Additional information
	General	Insurance of persons	Group insurance of persons	Compliance	
Accident or health insurance plans		■			
Accounting	■				
Actuarial sciences	■				In broad terms.
Anti-money laundering				■	
Behavioral biases				■	Behavior swayed by media, loved ones, culture. Irrational elements.
Benefits and underwriting		■	■		
Business development	■				Sales tactics, motivational conference.
Business planning for clients	■	■			Co-owner insurance, company FNA.
Civil code (The)	■	■	■		
Client counseling	■	■	■		Vulnerability, well-meaning recommendations, understanding the client's psychology.
Code of ethics				■	
Compliance program				■	
Conflicts of interest				■	Putting the client's interests first. Dual employment or outside activities. Being in business with a client. Offering a gift. Being in a position of control over the client's affairs.
Critical illness insurance		■	■		
Cybersecurity				■	
Deferred income plans		■			
Defining the scope of the advisor's mandate		■	■		Service agreement.
Disability insurance		■	■		



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Economics	■				
Ethical concepts, standards of conduct, and professional conduct				■	Regulation.
Financial needs analysis		■	■		
Financial planning	■	■			Family patrimony, civil union and marriage, separation.
finances	■	■			
insurance and risk management	■	■			
investments	■	■			Asset allocation.
legal aspects and succession	■	■			
taxation (trusts...)	■	■			
retirement	■	■			Accumulation and disbursement.
Funds		■	■		
Group health insurance plans		■	■		
Group insurance and group pension plans			■		
Intergenerational transfer		■			
Investment strategy		■			
Investor profile and asset allocation		■			
Issuing a recommendation		■	■		
Judicial decisions related to the practice of representatives				■	
Laws and regulations related to the practice of registrants and representatives				■	
Legal and regulatory obligations of registrants and representatives				■	Any other law pertaining to ethical obligations.



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Legislative environment	■				Laws not directly related to the conduct of business.
Leveraging	■	■			
Life insurance		■	■		
Notice of replacement				■	
Plan management			■		
Planning or managing a financial services business	■				
Preparing a rate schedule and analyzing quotes			■		
Processing claims		■	■		As with life insurance, critical illness.
Professional development	■				Skills audit, career plan.
Protecting investors	■				Assuris, AMF, CDIC.
Protecting personal information				■	
Protection mandate and/or power of attorney	■				
Public prescription drug insurance plans		■	■		
Registered plans		■	■		FHSA, LIF, LIRA, RDSP, RESP, RRIF, RRSP, TFSA, VRSP.
Renewal process in group insurance and group annuity plans			■		
Representation				■	Rules of representation, business cards, promoting services.
Responsible investing (ESG)	■	■			
Retirement plan		■	■		QPP, OAS, pension funds.
Reverse mortgage		■			As a tax strategy, the reverse mortgage may include a life insurance policy, annuity.
Risk selection or management		■	■		



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Role of the Disciplinary Committee and disciplinary process				■	
Role of the syndic and inquiry process				■	
Setting up a group insurance and group annuity program			■		Coordination and integration clauses.
Strategy of wealth accumulation and use		■			
Underwriting		■			
Understanding the client		■	■		Vulnerability, personal and financial situation, assessing needs, collecting data, goals of the client.