

Media release

Allianz Partners New Zealand Strengthens Commitment to Trade with Appointment of Phil Wright as Head of Intermediated Distribution

11 August 2025 – Auckland, NZ – Allianz Partners New Zealand is pleased to announce the appointment of Phil Wright as Head of Intermediated Distribution. This appointment further strengthens our commitment to the New Zealand travel trade, demonstrating our dedication to supporting and enhancing the industry.

With over 26 years of experience in the travel industry, Phil brings deep expertise and leadership to the role. He began his career at Gullivers Pacific (which later became Helloworld), before moving to Online Republic, part of the Webjet Group, where he spent 13 years in senior leadership roles, including General Manager of Motorhome Republic and Group Chief Revenue Officer, making him a valuable addition to Allianz Partners.

Phil's strong background in relationship management, paired with operational and commercial acumen, makes him well-positioned to lead Allianz Partners growing account management team.

"It is a great feeling to reconnect with the travel trade, I've already seen many familiar faces," said Phil. "This appointment reflects Allianz Partners clear commitment to supporting the trade. I'm excited to work alongside a team that is passionate about helping our trade partners succeed."

The appointment of Phil comes as Allianz Partners continues to invest significantly in support for its travel trade partners, with a bolstered team of service and claims consultants, including dedicated agent support.



In 2024 alone, Allianz Partners processed over 95.4 million claims globally and facilitated more than 23,525 medical repatriations, reinforcing its reputation for reliability and care when it matters most.

Phil and his team will continue to build trusted partnerships across the industry, giving agents the tools and confidence to support their customers every step of the way.

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Allianz Partners is a world leader in B2B2C insurance and assistance products and services. Customer-driven, our innovative experts are redefining insurance services by delivering future ready, high-tech products and solutions that go beyond traditional insurance. Our products are embedded seamlessly into our partners' businesses, sold through intermediary channels or directly to customers through the Allianz brand. Present in over 73 countries, our 22,600 employees speak 70 languages, handle over 95.4 million cases each year, and are motivated to go the extra mile to our customers worldwide.

About Allianz Partners New Zealand

Based in Auckland, specialising locally in providing and managing assistance services, travel insurance, student insurance and pet insurance through our New Zealand and international business partners. Our strength lies in combining the solidarity and trust that comes with being part of an established global organisation with the local expertise of our New Zealand team.

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