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Feature	Guidelines
Loan purpose	Purchase or construction of an owner-occupied residential property for first home buyers.
	 Additional or top-up loans are ineligible for first home buyer discount unless part of a house and land construction package.
Eligible borrowers	Individuals who are purchasing or building a residential property for owner-occupation who are either:
	Eligible to receive the first home owners grant, or
	Eligible to receive stamp duty concessions or exemptions, or
	Able to demonstrate ¹ that they haven't or do not currently own a home.
Location limits	Refer section 11 of the LMI Guide for ImiFirst Home™ product parameters.
	The maximum LVR is 95% excluding premium capitalisation and 100% including premium capitalisation.
Security	Subject to security type and loan purpose parameters.
	The property must be in good condition in an active property market and be acceptable to QBE LMI.
	2nd Mortgages are unacceptable.
Maximum policy term	30 years.
Borrower exposure	One policy per Borrower.
	 Additional loans or subsequent top-up loans will be assessed under ImiHome™ guidelines and pricing.
Loan payment type	Principal & Interest (P&I); or
	 Interest only (max 10 years) converting to P&I.
Genuine savings	 Where the LVR is above 90%, at least 5% of the purchase price must be provided by the borrower from genuine savings.
	 Where 3 months savings account history is not available, QBE LMI will accept a Borrowers rental history for the past 6 months. One of the following options must be provided along with the savings account history that is available:
	 The past 6 consecutive months rental statements, from the real estate agent managing the property, evidencing rent paid in the name of at least one borrower; or
	 The past 6 consecutive months transaction account statements of an account in the name of at least one of the borrowers, showing clearly identified rental payments being paid.
	 Rental history must show consistent and timely payments. Any payment overdue by 7 days or more is unacceptable. The latest rental statement must be less than 30 days at the time of the home loan application. and include the:
	 Full name of the tenant or tenants (one or more of which must be the borrower or borrowers); and
	 Address of the property; and
	 Commencement date of the tenancy; and
	 Amount of rent paid per cycle.

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Servicing capacity calculation	Based on calculation of net servicing ratio (NSR) using QBE LMI assessment interest rate. For loan amounts: • Up to and including \$750,000: maximum NSR is 100%. • Greater than \$750,000: maximum NSR is 95%.
Employment	Permanent full-time employed and contract PAYG A borrower must have completed probation in their current role and have had no more than 2 jobs in the past 12 months. Self-employed borrowers Minimum 2 years in the same business verified by an online ABN / ACN search. Full income documentation required with 2 years tax return and ATO assessment notices.