

**Mutual Funds** Municipal – National

Class I FLTRX 67065Q822 Class A FLTDX 67065Q848 Class C FAFJX 67065Q632

# **Nuveen Limited Term Municipal Bond Fund**

Marketing communication | As of 30 Jun 2025

- The Fund underperformed the benchmark S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index during the quarter.
- Municipal bonds ended the second quarter with flat performance. Although the broader fixed income market recovered more quickly from the April tariff-related selloff, municipal bonds were under pressure from elevated supply issuance and concerns about tax policy risks. The municipal yield curve steepened sharply, as long-maturity yields rose while short-maturity yields fell, causing long-maturity municipal bonds to underperform. High yield municipal bonds, which lagged investment grade in the post-April recovery, had negative performance for the quarter.
- The Fund's relative underperformance was driven by duration positioning, although favorable sector allocations partially
  offset it.

### Portfolio review

Despite the short-term market weakness, the Fund remained comfortable with its duration profile and credit quality mix, and there were no material changes to overall positioning. The Fund remained active with tactical trading, taking advantage of

attractive new issue pricing and secondary market dislocations to buy bonds offering relative value and/or higher income earnings capability.

#### **Contributors**

The Fund's sector allocation overall was a positive contributor, led by an overweight to single-family housing bonds, one of the better performing sectors in the quarter.

The Fund's credit quality allocation, composed of overweights to lower-rated, higher yielding bonds and underweights to the highest grade bonds, had a negligible impact on relative performance.

#### **Detractors**

The portfolio's overall longer duration profile versus the benchmark and its distribution along the duration spectrum were disadvantageous as yields rose and the curve steepened in the quarter. The underweight to durations of four to six years, the best performing duration range, detracted from relative performance.

Holdings in the health care sector showed uneven performance, including Tower Health, which underperformed due to ongoing credit-specific issues.

Puerto Rico holdings also lagged during the quarter along with other lower rated bonds, which were slower to recover from April's elevated volatility.

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#### Average annualized total returns (%)

	Inception date	QTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception	SEC 30-day yield
Class I	06 Feb 97	1.02	2.04	2.77	1.21	1.91	3.17	2.71
Class A without sales charge	19 Oct 87	1.06	1.93	2.58	1.02	1.72	3.90	2.44
Class A with max. 2.5% charge	19 Oct 87	-1.48	-0.61	1.71	0.51	1.46	3.83	2.44
S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index		1.25	4.08	2.75	1.14	1.82	1.45	

 Expense ratios

 Gross
 Net

 Class I - FLTRX
 0.43
 0.43

 Class A - FLTDX
 0.63
 0.63

Expense ratios are based on the Fund's most recent fiscal year end. The net expense ratio excludes credits earned on the Fund's cash on deposit with the custodian bank, if any. Please see the prospectus for details.

Performance data shown represents past performance and does not predict or guarantee future results. Investment returns and principal value will fluctuate so that shares redeemed may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be higher or lower than the performance shown. Total returnsfor a period of less than one year are cumulative. Returns without sales charges would be lower if the sales charges were included. Returns assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. For performance current to the most recent month-end visit nuveen.com. Performance shown for benchmark since inception is as of the Fund's oldest share class.

Class I shares have no sales charge and may be purchased by specified classes of investors.

The SEC 30-day yield is computed under an SEC standardized formula and is based on the maximum offer price per share. Some income may be subject to state and local taxes and to the federal alternative minimum tax. Capital gains, if any, are subject to tax.

<b>Overall Mornings</b>	tar
Ratings <sup>TM</sup>	

Category: 215 Muni National Short funds

CLASS I

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#### Credit quality (%)

	Fund net assets
U.S. Guaranteed	1.2
AAA	13.6
AA	40.8
A	28.1
BBB	8.3
BB	2.8
Not Rated	5.3
Not Rated	5.

## **Fund description**

The Fund invests primarily in investment-grade short- to intermediate-term municipal bonds with a targeted average weighted maturity between three to seven years. A large team of credit analysts seeks value, targeting municipal bond market inefficiencies in pursuit of the Fund's goal to provide investors with as high a level of tax-exempt income as possible while also preserving capital.

### Portfolio management

Paul L. Brennan, CFA | 34 years industry experience

Steven M. Hlavin | 22 years industry experience

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#### Glossary

A **basis boint** is one one-hundredth of one percentage point, or 0.01%. For example, 25 basis points equals 0.25%. The **S&P Municipal Bond Short Intermediate Index** contains all bonds in the S&P Municipal Bond Index that mature between 1 and 7.999 years. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

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