Know Your Limits...

Many benefit plan amounts have changed for the 2020 calendar year.

Here's a glimpse...



2020 ANNUAL BENEFIT PLAN AMOUNTS			
CONTRIBUTION & BENEFIT LIMITS	2019 LIMIT	2020 LIMIT	
Section 401(k), 403(b), or 457(b) Annual Deferral	\$19,000	\$19,500 ↑	
SIMPLE Plan Annual Deferral	\$13,000	\$13,500 ↑	
Section 415 Maximums			
Annual Benefit From Defined Benefit Plan	\$225,000	\$230,000 ↑	
Annual Additions To Defined Contribution Plan	\$56,000	\$57,000 ↑	
Maximum IRA Contribution	\$5,500	\$6,000 ↑	
Catch-Up Contribution Limits			
Retirement Plan	\$6,000	\$6,500 ↑	
SIMPLE Plan	\$3,000	\$3,000	
IRA	\$1,000	\$1,000	
Compensation Amounts			
Annual Compensation Limit	\$280,000	\$285,000 1	
Grandfathered Governmental Plan Participants	\$415,000	\$425,000 ↑	
Highly Compensated Employees			
Any Employee*	\$125,000**	\$ 130,000** ↑	
5% Owner	no minimum	no minimum	
Due to the look-back rule, applies in determining HCEs during following year* Employer may elect to limit to top-paid 20%**			
Key Employees			
Officer	\$180,000	\$185,000 ↑	
1 % Owner	\$150,000	\$150,000	
5 % Owner	no minimum	no minimum	
Small Employer Health Insurance Credit Average Wage Phase-Out	\$27,100	\$27,600 ↑	

SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE	2019 LIMIT	2020 LIMIT
OASDI Taxable Wage Base	\$132,900	\$137,700 ↑
OASDI Tax Rate - Employer	6.2%	6.2%
OASDI Tax Rate - Employee	6.2%	6.2%
Medicare Tax Rate - Employer	1.45%	1.45%
Medicare Tax Rate - Employee	1.45% ¹	1.45% ¹
Maximum Income w/out Reducing Social Security Retirement Benefits		
SSRA ² or Over	no limit	no limit
Year Individual Attains SSRA ²	\$46,920/yr. ³	\$48,600/yr. ³ ↑
Under SSRA ²	\$17,640/yr.	\$18,240/yr. ↑
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1 Employer must withhold additional 0.9% from compensation in excess of \$200,000 (single, head of household with qualifying person, or qualifying widow with dependent child), \$250,000 (married filing jointly), \$125,000 (married filing separate) 2 Social Security Retirement Age (age at which an individual may receive an unreduced monthly benefit) 3 No limit on earnings beginning the month an individual attains SSRA

HEALTH PLAN LIMITS	2019 LIMIT	2020 LIMIT
Maximum Health FSA		
Employee Deferral	\$2,700	\$2,750 ^
Carryover	\$500	\$500
Maximum HSA Contribution		
Individual	\$3,500	\$3,550 ↑
Family	\$7,000	\$7 ,100
Catch-Up	\$1,000	\$1,000
Minimum HDHP Deductible		
Individual	\$1,350	\$1,400 ↑
Family	\$2,700	\$2,800 ↑
Maximum HDHP Out-of-Pocket		
Individual	\$6,750	\$6,900 ↑
Family	\$13,500	\$13,800 ↑
Maximum Out-of-Pocket (Non-Grandfathered Plans)		
Individual	\$7,900	\$8,150 🕇
Family	\$15,800	\$16,300 ↑
Transitional Reinsurance Fee (per person)	Only paid through	the 2016 plan year