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# 2021 BENEFIT PLANS: LIMITS, DEDUCTIBLES & OUT OF POCKETS

### 401(K) PLANS

# \$19,500: 401(k) pretax contribution limits

The IRS isn't increasing employee contribution limits for 401(k)s next year. Limits will remain the same, with employees being able to defer up to \$19,500 into a 401(k), 403(b) and most 457 plans at work.

### \$6,500: 401(k) catch-up contribution limit

For participants age 50 and over, the additional 401(k) catch-up contribution limit, which is set by law, is staying at \$6,500 for 2021.

#### **HSA PLANS**

### \$3,600: Annual HSA contribution limit for individuals

In 2021, the annual HSA contribution limit will rise to \$3,600 for individuals in a high-deductible plan, the IRS said. That's up from \$3,550 in 2020.

#### \$7,200: HSA contribution limit for family coverage

Those with family plans will be able to stash up to \$7,200 in 2021—up from \$7,100 in 2020.

#### \$1,000: HSA catch-up contributions

Individuals 55 or older can contribute an extra \$1,000 to their health savings account in 2021. The amount remains unchanged from 2020.

# **FSAs**

#### \$2,750: FSA contribution limit

The dollar limit for employee contributions to flexible spending accounts, made on a pretax basis through salary reductions, remains unchanged for 2021 at \$2,750.

# \$550: FSA carryover amount limit

For health FSA plans that permit the carryover of unused amounts, the maximum carryover amount for 2021 is \$550, an increase of \$50 from the original 2020 carryover limit.

# **HDHPs**

# \$1,400: HDHP minimum deductible for individuals

The minimum deductible for a qualifying high-deductible health plan will remain unchanged and stay at \$1,400 for self-only coverage.

# \$2,800: HDHP minimum deductible for family

The minimum deductible for a qualifying high-deductible health plan will remain unchanged and stay at \$2,800 for family coverage.

### \$7,000: HDHP maximum out-of-pocket amounts (individuals)

Deductibles, copayments and other amounts that do not include premiums will have a maximum limit of \$7,000 for individual coverage next year, up \$100 from 2020.

# \$14,000: HDHP maximum out-of-pocket amounts (family)

Deductibles, copayments and other amounts that do not include premiums will have a maximum limit of \$14,000 for family coverage, up \$200 from 2020.

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