

SIMPLE IRA Notification to Eligible Employees

(4% matching or 3% nonelective employer contributions)

Information for the plan sponsor:

This document applies to plans with **more** than 25 employees (who received compensation of at least \$5,000 in the preceding year) that will make 4% matching or 3% nonelective employer contributions.

Do NOT use this form if either of the following apply. Instead, use the regular *Notification to Eligible Employees* included in annual enrollment materials and/or the plan sponsor guide.

- The employer previously had 25 or fewer employees (who received compensation of at least \$5,000 in the preceding year) and grew to more than 25 employees in a subsequent year. There is a 2-year grace period in which the employer will continue to be treated as having 25 or fewer employees. Do not use this document during the 2-year grace period.
- The employer offered another retirement plan in the 3-year period before offering the SIMPLE IRA plan.

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*The maximum amount of your compensation used to calculate nonelective contributions is limited to \$360,000 for 2026, as indexed for inflation.

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Elective deferral limits

The following elective deferral limits (including catch-up contributions¹ for employees who will attain age 50 or older before the end of the calendar year) apply to this plan:

2026² SIMPLE IRA elective deferral limits

2026 ²	Deferral limit	Catch-up limit ¹ Ages 50-59	Catch-up limit ¹ Ages 60-63	Catch-up limit ¹ Ages 64+
Higher limits	\$18,100	\$3,850	\$5,250	\$3,850

Footnotes:

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Administrative procedures

If you decide to start or change your salary deferral election, you must complete the appropriate Salary Deferral Election or Enrollment/ Change form provided by your employer by:
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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¹ The applicable catch-up limit is based on the age the participant will attain by the end of the calendar year.

² For later years, the limits may be increased for cost-of-living adjustments.