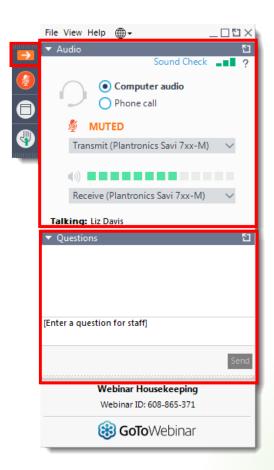
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Land acknowledgement

"We acknowledge that our office sits on the traditional territory of many nations, including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples, and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit, and Métis peoples. We also acknowledge that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit."

Pronunciation

Anishnabeg: (ah-nish-naw-bek)

Haudenosaunee: (hoodt-en-oh-show-nee)

Métis: (may-tee)





DBplus Employers

Eligibility and Enrolment of Plan Members





Agenda

- 1. Eligibility rules
- 2. Enrolment process

Eligibility rules

If a member enrols

New members:

- Build a secure, lifetime pension
- Contribute with every pay
- Cannot opt out once enrolled



Eligibility for enrolment

- Eligibility rules are determined within your Participation of Agreement or Memorandum of Agreement
- Employment relationship
 - New hire
 - Rehires
 - Concurrent employment

Rehired members

- A member is "rehired" if they have a past relationship with the Plan:
 - Concurrent
 - Employed at another participating employer
 - EOM
 - On extension of membership with the Plan
 - Past member
 - Paid out
 - Deferred
 - Retired member

Concurrent employment

- Member begins working at another employer
 - Must begin contributing
 - Annual contributions from all participating employers are limited by the Money Purchase Limit
 - In 2023, it is set to \$31,560

Rehired employees – within 24 months EOM

- Applies to all rehired members
- Must resume participation in the Plan
- A completed, new enrolment is required

Rehired employees – Transferred to another pension plan

Employee should be treated as a new hire (as per eligibility requirements)

Rehired employees – After 24 months EOM

- Transferred the commuted value out of the Plan
 - Treat as new employee
 - Eligibility criteria applies
- Did not transfer the commuted value out of the Plan
 - Deferred pension
 - Must resume participation in the Plan

Rehired retired members

- Options available for all members
 - Have the choice to:
 - Continue to receive their pension, but not contribute
 - Suspend pension payments and contribute to the Plan as an active member

Best practices

- Ask all new hires:
 - Currently a member of the CAAT Pension Plan?
 - Have they ever been a member of the CAAT Pension Plan?

If you need assistance, contact your Employer Pension Analyst



Questions?

Enrolment process

Enrolment process overview

- Employer sends enrolment to the Plan via payroll file or PAL
- Employer begins deducting contributions
- CAAT Pension Plan sends member a welcome letter



Enrolment process – part-time employees

- Upon hire, provide information on right to join the Plan as outlined in your participation agreement
- Part-time enrolment resources
 - Websites
 - DBplus Evaluation Tool

Enrolment process – Part-time employee

If a part time employee has enroled:

- Remind them that they cannot opt out
- Submit enrolment via PAL or payroll file

Best practices

- Always ask the employee if they have been, or are currently, a member of the CAAT Pension Plan.
- If they have prior pension from a former pension plan:
 - They can transfer it into the CAAT Pension Plan if they choose
 - Refer them to the <u>DBplus Purchase Tool</u> if applicable.

Enrolment service-level standards

Send enrolment to the Plan and start contribution deductions:

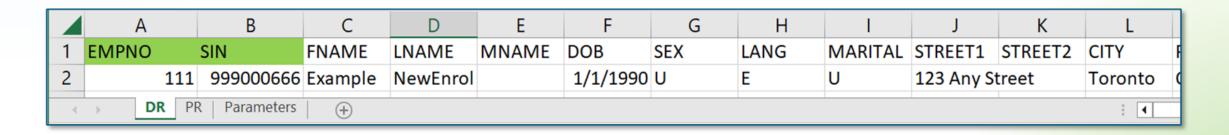
Within 10 business days of member enrolment

CAAT Plan processes enrolment:

Within 10 business days of receipt of signed enrolment form

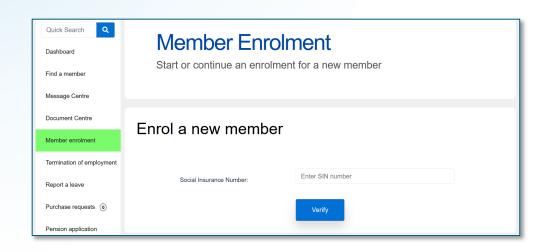
Enrolments – Payroll file

- Enrolments can be reported on your payroll files
- Add information in the appropriate columns in your demographic record (DR) tabs
- Instructions available on Employer Manual
 - New Enrolments



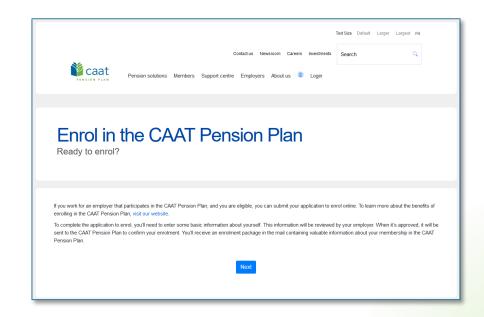
Enrolments – Report on PAL

Employer initiated



https://employer.caatpension.ca/#/enrolment

Employee initiated



https://member.caatpension.ca/enrolnow



Questions?

