



Have you registered for your online PSRS or PEERS account? With an online account you can check your years of service, estimate retirement benefits, verify and update your beneficiary information, and register for retirement seminars or webinars.

Member Tools

These tools and more are available in [Web Member Services](#), the PSRS/PEERS online, self-service membership information portal. Click the links below if you already have a Web Member Services account or [register to activate your account](#).

Tools for Active Members

- [View Member Statements](#)
- [Estimate Service Retirement Benefits](#)
- [Calculate a Purchase Cost](#)
- [File for Service Retirement Online](#)
- [Designate or Update Beneficiaries](#)

Retirement Planning Checklist: Retiring in a Few Years



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Even if retirement is still a few years away, it's smart to start preparing now.

Understanding your options early can help you make confident decisions. Use this checklist to get started.

- **Set Up Your Web Member Services Account**

Web Member Services is available 24/7 and gives you access to important tools and information. You can:

- Update your membership details
- Create benefit and purchase cost estimates
- Apply for retirement online
- View and print documents in your Document Center

Register at <https://wms.psrs-peers.org>.

- **Attend PSRS/PEERS Education Programs**

PSRS/PEERS offers a variety of educational opportunities to fit your schedule, including:

- In-person and virtual seminars
- Webinars
- In-person, web, and phone counseling sessions

These programs help you understand your retirement benefits and options. See schedules and register on [Web Member Services](#).

- **Consider Purchasing Service**

Buying service may help you retire sooner or increase your benefit. Before making a purchase, ask:

- Will it help me retire earlier or with a higher benefit?
- Will I recover the cost through benefits within a reasonable time after retirement?

PSRS members, learn more at

<https://www.psr-peers.org/PSRS/Purchases-and-Reinstatement>.

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- **Keep Your Beneficiaries Up to Date**

Make sure your pre-retirement beneficiaries are current with PSRS/PEERS. This ensures any benefits payable upon your death are distributed according to your wishes.

- Review and update beneficiaries on [Web Member Services](#).

- **Review Your *Member Statement* Each Year**

Your *Member Statement* includes valuable information about your membership, service, retirement eligibility, and estimated benefits. Reviewing it annually helps you stay informed and on track. You can find your past statements in your Document Center on [Web Member Services](#).