



ICUBA's AMERIFLEX TRANSITION

About Ameriflex

The Vision, Values & Virtues of Ameriflex

At the heart of everything we do are real people and real families facing the very real challenges associated with finding affordable healthcare solutions. As healthcare consumers ourselves, we certainly understand how important it is for an employee's benefits to be reliable, simple, and accessible whenever unexpected needs arise. At Ameriflex, we are always hard at work, behind the scenes, to maintain the compliance of our clients' plans while delivering a seamless and worry-free experience.

Our commitment to healthcare consumers is more than just an idea – it's our mission. We're proud to be marching toward our goal of helping millions of American families pay for healthcare.

Flexible Spending and Health Reimbursement Account Information

Why did ICUBA choose Ameriflex?

While making the decision to transition to Ameriflex, ICUBA worked closely with Human Resource Advisory Committee members from each school to interview potential partners. Ameriflex was one of the finalists in the initial Request for Proposal (RFP) process. ICUBA identified three potential candidates, and Ameriflex was the best overall fit for ICUBA's mission, vision, and values. We believe Ameriflex will be a better partner, allowing ICUBA the flexibility we require to effectively administer Flexible Spending Accounts and employer-sponsored Health Reimbursement Arrangements for ICUBA members.

Are we still required to substantiate card swipes?

Yes! Substantiation is required by the IRS for every transaction made using your ICUBA debit card. Our goal is to remove as many barriers as possible to the substantiation process to make it easier for you to substantiate your card swipes. We are restructuring and streamlining much of the substantiation process.

When will the transition begin?

The transition will begin on March 14, 2022. Once the transition begins, you will not be able to use your ICUBA debit card or submit claims for reimbursement. For COBRA participants and retirees ICUBA's contract with WEX will end March 31, 2022.

When will I receive my new ICUBA debit card?

Your new card will arrive from Ameriflex by April 1, 2022.



When can I use my new card?

You can use your card on **April 1, 2022**, immediately after activating it. Once you activate your card and register with Ameriflex, you can submit claims for expenses you incurred during the transition period and use your card for eligible healthcare expenses.



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I received an email from Ameriflex about my new card, what should I do?

The email from Ameriflex is to let you know they are processing your card; you should receive it within 10 business days of receiving the email. You can also register with Ameriflex and establish your online account using your social security number and the link in the email. Once you register your account, you can confirm your profile, setup direct deposit, add eligible dependents, and request cards for eligible dependents over age 18.

What happens to my Flexible Spending Account balance?

Ameriflex will be administering your Healthcare Flexible Spending Account (HCFSAs) and Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account (DCFSAs) beginning April 1, 2022. Once the transition begins and your WEX card is deactivated, ICUBA will begin the process of transferring your Flexible Spending Account balances to Ameriflex.

If you still have funds in your HCFSAs and DCFSAs when the transition begins, you will be able to use your new Ameriflex card or submit claims for reimbursement from April 1, 2022, through June 30, 2022, for any eligible expenses you incur through June 15, 2022.

What happens to my Health Reimbursement Arrangement balance?

Ameriflex will be administering your Health Reimbursement Arrangement (HRA) from April 1, 2022. Once the transition begins and your WEX card is deactivated, ICUBA will begin the process of transferring your HRA balances to Ameriflex.

If you still have funds in your HRA when the transition begins, you will be able to use your new Ameriflex card or submit claims for reimbursement for any eligible expenses you incurred in the previous 12-month period.

PLEASE NOTE: Your Health Reimbursement Arrangement (HRA) deposit for March will be delayed until the transition to Ameriflex is complete on April 1, 2022.

I have separated from service and have a vested HRA balance, what happens?

Most employees who separated from service were sent a letter via US mail explaining the blackout period and the transition to Ameriflex. A small number of employees who separated service and were re-employed in non-benefits eligible positions did not receive notification of the transition to Ameriflex. If you have a vested balance in your Health Reimbursement Account, the balance will be transferred to Ameriflex before April 1, 2022.

What if I incur claims during the blackout period?

If you incur claims during the blackout period, you will not be able to use your WEX card for payment. You can submit those claims to Ameriflex on April 1, 2022 for reimbursement once the transition is complete. If you have an existing HCFSAs or DCFSAs, the available balance will be transferred to Ameriflex and you can continue to incur claims through June 15, 2022. The last day to file claims for flexible spending will be June 30, 2022.

What if I submitted a large claim that is being paid as HRA deposits are made by my employer?

On-hold claims that have been approved and currently being paid will be transferred to Ameriflex for on-going payment. These claims are dependent on ICUBA receiving a full close out file with accurate balance information from WEX and may not be fully integrated by April 1. We are working closely with WEX to get as much data ahead of our close out as possible and will keep all member schools informed during the process.



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COBRA and Retiree Benefit Information

When does ICUBA's contract with WEX end?

Our contract with WEX ends March 31, 2022. If you are a COBRA or Retiree Participant enrolled in benefits, your March premium payment will be your last payment to WEX. Future payments will be made to Ameriflex. If you are enrolled in benefits and have not made your March premium to WEX, Ameriflex can process your payment.

How can I contact Ameriflex?

If you have any questions, contact Ameriflex contact Customer Service Monday through Friday from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM and Saturday from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM CST by calling (888) 868-3539 or emailing service@myameriflex.com.

What if I am not changing my benefit elections?

If you are not changing your benefit elections, you will not need to complete any new enrollment or election forms. You will need to setup your Ameriflex account online at <https://cobra.myameriflex.com/> and confirm your information is correct. Completing Annual Enrollment is NOT REQUIRED if you are currently enrolled in benefits. Your current benefit election(s) will rollover to the new plan year, subject to the rate(s) applicable to your election(s). If you do not make any changes to your benefits, your coverage will remain in effect as long as you are eligible and continue to make premium payments to Ameriflex beginning April 2022.

What if I already paid WEX for my benefits?

If you have already paid WEX for benefits in March 2022 or later and that information is not reflected in your Ameriflex packet, email retireeadministration@icuba.org and contact [Customer Service at Ameriflex](#). We will work with Ameriflex to confirm your payments and update your account as quickly as possible.

When are my benefit payments expected by Ameriflex?

Generally, your first premium payment for Ameriflex will be due in April 2022.

Will Ameriflex accept credit card payments for COBRA and Retiree benefit premium?

Ameriflex can only accept credit card payments through their online portal for COBRA and Retiree benefit premium. Credit card payments cannot be setup as recurring payments through Ameriflex, but you may be able to setup a recurring payment through your credit card provider. The only recurring payment you can setup with Ameriflex is through ACH. For additional information about the types of payments Ameriflex accepts contact [Customer Service](#).

What if I have not received any information from Ameriflex?

If you have not received any information from Ameriflex, please be patient and monitor your US mailbox. Our transition started March 14, 2022, and we are working as quickly as possible to transfer your existing benefit elections from WEX to Ameriflex. There will be no disruption to your benefit coverage due to changes in our implementation timeline.