



Money Matters



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This issue of Money Matters covers personal financial readiness, including topics such as 2020 entitlement changes and SGLI.

End of Year Reminders

As 2019 comes to an end, don't forget to attend to your personal financial needs, such as:

Thrift Savings Plan (TSP) Contributions

You can change the percentage of your base pay allocated to your TSP through myPay at:

<https://mypay.dfas.mil/>

Click Thrift Savings Plan (TSP) under the Pay Changes tab, then click the pen icon in the bottom right-hand corner to alter your TSP allocation amount and/or your domestic address.

To change the types of funds in which you invest your money, go to tsp.gov. Log in using your user name and password, then click on Contribution Allocation under the Online Transactions tab. Click "Request Contribution Allocation," and make your adjustments on the following page.

Financial Service Knowledge Base

The Financial Service Knowledge Base is a vast repository of military pay information. All Airmen may access it through the Air Force Portal and log in via CAC reader. Use the link below to log in:

<https://fmkb.cx.usd.oraclecloud.com/app/home>

Once logged in, users will find answers to over 900 specific questions related to military pay, travel pay, and leave entitlements. The site also covers topics such as Permanent Change of Station (PCS), debts, special/incentive pays, etc. through the Instant Advice tab.

Check it out today!

End of Year Charitable Donations

Remember, all charitable donations must be made before 1 Jan 2020 to be factored into next year's taxes. Get those last charitable donations in before end of year!

Financial Management Flight (FMF)

Did you know...

- The following items can be done *completely* within e-Finance, which is accessed through the AF Portal:

- Request advance BAH
- Start, stop, or change BAH
- PCS Advance Pay
- Family Separation Allowance
- Change your state of legal residence
- Start, stop, or change an allotment
- BAS request, authorization, and pay order
- Initiate a Waiver/Remission of Indebtedness
- PCS travel vouchers

Helpful Finance Links:

Defense Travel Office: <https://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/>

Virtual Finance: Enter the Air Force Portal, scroll to "Finance & Travel" section, and select "Virtual Finance Page on AF Portal."

Defense Finance & Accounting Service: <https://www.dfas.mil/>

Financial Management Analysis (FMA)

Did you know...

The Defense Enterprise Accounting and Management System (DEAMS) was down from 1-17 Nov for a scheduled update. This means that all payments in DTS are backlogged by approximately three weeks.

Contact Us

For any questions or concerns relating to military pay, PCS, retirements/separations, etc., please utilize www.23cpts.setmore.com to make an appointment, or email our Help Desk at moody.finance@us.af.mil.

We also have walk-in hours indicated below.

Hours of Operation:

Mon-Fri: 0900-1400

Mon/Wed/Fri: Appointments Only

Tues/Thurs: Walk-ins

Briefings:

PCS In-Processing - Mon/Wed @ 0930

Retirements/Separations - Wed @ 1330