



# Changes to your retirement plan investment options

Important news  
about your employer's  
retirement plans

Equitable Retirement Plan Services<sup>SM</sup> is pleased to have been selected as one of the providers for the Ohio University Alternative Retirement Plan (ARP), 403(b) and 457(b) plans. Since you already participate in one of these plans and currently have a contract issued by Equitable Financial, we are providing you with additional details affecting your retirement plan account.

## New options available on November 1, 2020

You will have access to new investment choices, including mutual funds in a variety of asset classes, a Guaranteed Interest Option and a self-directed brokerage option.\*

Investment plan options	Ticker	Investment plan options	Ticker
<b>Fixed Interest</b>		<b>Small-Cap Stocks</b>	
Equitable Fixed Account <sup>SM</sup>	N/A	American Century Small Cap Value	ASVDX
<b>Cash Equivalent</b>		Federated Kaufman Small Cap	FKALX
Vanguard Federal Money Market Investor	VMFXX	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Small Cap Index	FSSNX
<b>Bonds</b>		Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Small Growth Index	FECGX
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> U.S. Bond Index	FXNAX	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Small Value Index	FISVX
PGIM High Yield R6	PHYQX	Goldman Sachs Small Cap Equity Insights	GCSUX
PIMCO International Bond	PFORX	<b>International/Global Stocks</b>	
Vanguard Inflation-Protected Secs Adm	VAIPX	American Funds New World R6	RNWXG
Vanguard Total International Bond Index	VTABX	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Global ex U.S. Index	FSGGX
Western Asset Core Plus Bond IS	WAPSX	MFS International Diversification	MDIZX
<b>Large-Cap Stocks</b>		<b>Other</b>	
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> 500 Index	FXAIX	1919 Socially Responsible	LMRNX
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Large Cap Growth Index	FSPGX	<b>Real Estate</b>	
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Large Value Index	FLCOX	Cohen & Steers Real Estate Securities	CSZIX
JP Morgan Equity Income R6	OIEJX	<b>Target Date Funds</b>	
MFS Growth Fund	MFEKX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index Ret Inc Instl	TRILX
T. Rowe Price Dividend Growth	PDGIX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2010 Instl	TLTIX
<b>Mid-Cap Stocks</b>		TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2015 Instl	TLFIX
American Century Mid Cap Value R6	AMDVX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2020 Instl	TLWIX
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Mid Cap Index	FSMDX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2025 Instl	TLQIX
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Mid Cap Growth Index	FMDGX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2030 Instl	TLHIX
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Mid Cap Value Index	FIMVX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2035 Instl	TLYIX
MFS Mid Cap Growth	OTCKX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2040 Instl	TLZIX
Touchstone Mid Cap	TMPIX	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2045 Instl	TLXIX
		TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2050 Instl	TLIX
		TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2055 Instl	TTIIX
		TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2060 Instl	TVIIX
		<b>Other</b>	
		Self-directed brokerage option*	N/A

\* The self-directed brokerage account has a \$50 setup fee, a \$125 annual maintenance fee and a \$6.95 fee per trade. See your financial professional for complete details.



## Fees and expenses

Plan servicing fees and investment expenses have always been a part of the Ohio University retirement plans. The recordkeeping fee and other service fees pay for Equitable Retirement Plan Services<sup>SM</sup> management and cover the costs of reporting, communications, investment consulting and legal advice to operate the plan.

The Equitable 360 Retirement product has an annual recordkeeping fee of 0.15% and an additional annual fee of .01% for plan-related expenses that will be deducted from your account value on a quarterly basis. Each investment option under the plan also charges an investment expense for amounts allocated under the plan. These fees range from 0.01% to 0.97% annually.

In comparison, your current 403(b) and/or 457(b) contract with Equitable Financial has a total expense range of 1.78%-3.45% based on the investment options selected. Your current ARP account with Equitable Financial has a total expense range of 1.23%-2.18% based on the investment options selected.

There are additional fees and charges under Equitable 360 Retirement that apply for special services. For more information, please refer to the current product prospectus and any supplements, or speak to your financial professional.



## New accounts for future contributions

If you have an existing Ohio University ARP, 403(b) and/or 457(b) plan account with Equitable Financial, we will establish a new account for each plan on October 1, 2020. All plan contributions will be invested in these new accounts beginning November 1, 2020. Please note that existing automated programs will not carry over to your new account. New paperwork will need to be completed to reestablish automated programs.



## Assets in 403(b) and 457(b) plan accounts

403(b) and 457(b) assets will remain in your current Equitable Financial account with this change. If you'd like to consolidate accounts, please contact your financial professional for assistance.

# Key transition dates

### October 1, 2020

Equitable Financial will establish new accounts for your 403(b), 457(b) and/or ARP.

### November 1, 2020

All existing plan assets in your ARP will transfer to your new accounts. Contributions will be directed to your new 403(b), 457(b) and/or ARP accounts beginning on or after this date.

## Asset transfers from ARP plan accounts

All assets in your current Equitable Financial ARP account will automatically transfer to your newly established ARP account on November 1, 2020. Balances in each of your current investment options will transfer into new investment options with similar objectives and risk levels through a process called “mapping.” Details on how your funds will map are listed below:

	Current investment option	Replacement investment option effective November 1, 2020
<b>Fixed Interest</b>	Guaranteed Interest Option	Equitable Fixed Account <sup>SM</sup>
<b>Cash Equivalent</b>	Money Market	Vanguard Federal Money Market Investor
<b>Bonds</b>	Charter <sup>SM</sup> Multi-Sector Bond	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> US Bond Index
	EQ/Core Bond Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> US Bond Index
	EQ/Global Bond Plus	PIMCO International Bond
	EQ/Intermediate Government Bond	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> US Bond Index
	EQ/PIMCO Ultra Short Bond	Vanguard Federal Money Market Investor
	EQ/Quality Bond PLUS	Western Asset Core Plus Bond IS
	Multimanager Core Bond	Western Asset Core Plus Bond IS
<b>Asset Allocation</b>	EQ/Aggressive Allocation	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund
	EQ/Conservative Allocation	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund
	EQ/Conservative-Plus Allocation	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund
	EQ/Moderate Allocation	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund
	EQ/Moderate-Plus Allocation	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund
	Target 2015 Allocation	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2015 Instl
	Target 2025 Allocation	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2025 Instl
	Target 2035 Allocation	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2035 Instl
	Target 2045 Allocation	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Index 2045 Instl
<b>Large-Cap Blend</b>	EQ/Common Stock Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> 500 Index
	EQ/Equity 500 Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> 500 Index
	EQ/Large Cap Core Managed Volatility	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> 500 Index
<b>Large-Cap Growth Stocks</b>	EQ/Capital Group Research	MFS Growth R6
	EQ/Clearbridge Large Cap Growth	MFS Growth R6
	EQ/Large Cap Growth Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Large Cap Growth Index
	EQ/Large Cap Growth Managed Volatility	MFS Growth R6
	EQ/Loomis Sayles Growth Portfolio	MFS Growth R6
	EQ/T. Rowe Price Growth Stock	MFS Growth R6
	Multimanager Aggressive Equity	MFS Growth R6
<b>Large-Cap Value Stocks</b>	1290 VT Equity Income	JP Morgan Equity Income R6
	EQ/BlackRock Basic Value Equity	JP Morgan Equity Income R6
	EQ/Invesco Comstock Portfolio	JP Morgan Equity Income R6
	EQ/JP Morgan Value Opportunities	JP Morgan Equity Income R6
	EQ/Large Cap Value Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Large Value Index
	EQ/Large Cap Value Managed Volatility	JP Morgan Equity Income R6
<b>Mid-Cap Stocks</b>	EQ/American Century Mid Cap Value	American Century Mid Cap Value
	EQ/Janus Enterprise	MFS Mid Cap Growth
	EQ/Mid Cap Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Mid Cap Index
	EQ/Mid Cap Value Managed Volatility	American Century Mid Cap Value
<b>Small-Cap Stocks</b>	1290 VT GAMCO Small Company Value	American Century Small Cap Value
	1290 VT Small Cap Value	American Century Small Cap Value
	EQ/AB Small Cap Growth	Federated Kaufman Small Cap
	EQ/Franklin Small Cap Value Managed Volatility	American Century Small Cap Value
	EQ/Morgan Stanley Small Cap Growth	Federated Kaufman Small Cap
	EQ/Small Company Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Small Cap Index
<b>International/Global Stocks</b>	EQ/Global Equity Managed Volatility	MFS International Diversification
	EQ/International Core Managed Volatility	MFS International Diversification
	EQ/International Equity Index	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> Global ex U.S. Index Fund
	EQ/International Value Managed Volatility	MFS International Diversification
	EQ/MFS International Growth	MFS International Diversification
<b>Specialty</b>	1290 VT GAMCO Mergers & Acquisitions	Fidelity <sup>®</sup> 500 Index
	1290 VT Socially Responsible	1919 Socially Responsible
	Multimanager Technology	Age Appropriate Target Date Fund

## Attend a meeting for more information

We understand navigating change and selecting new investment options can be challenging. Virtual meetings are being scheduled to give you an opportunity to learn more and ask questions. Please visit [www.ohio.edu/hr/benefits/retirement-plan-options](http://www.ohio.edu/hr/benefits/retirement-plan-options) for more information.

## Meet with a financial professional

Our financial professionals are also available to virtually meet with you one-on-one for more personalized guidance. They can be an important resource to help you develop an investment strategy for a successful retirement. You can schedule a meeting through a link located at [www.ohio.edu/hr/benefits/retirement-plan-options](http://www.ohio.edu/hr/benefits/retirement-plan-options) or contact your financial professional directly.

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Let us help you develop a retirement plan and stay on track toward your goals. Visit [equitable.com/retirement](http://equitable.com/retirement).

## Next steps

**Make sure you're prepared for these upcoming changes by taking the following steps:**

- Attend a virtual group meeting to learn more.
- Select your new investment options.
- Contact your financial professional for additional help.

Mutual funds are sold by prospectus only. Be sure to review your prospectus that contains complete information on charges, risks, expenses and investment objectives before sending any additional funds.

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