2025 KPERS Employer Conference

Pay Period Reporting

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Questions?





Contact Fiscal Services

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Compensation to Include

 Located in the Employer Manual under Helpful Resources



Compensation to Include in Contributions

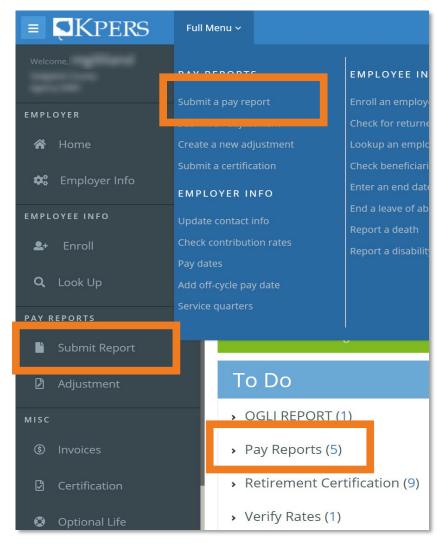
Generally, withhold employee KPERS contributions from gross compensation before any deductions or reductions.

Compensation means, except as otherwise provided, all salary, wages and other remuneration payable to an employee for personal services performed for the employer. But for a few exceptions, (e.g., long-term disability, some military leave), KPERS contributions must be linked to actual participating service or paid leave. Contributions need to have service tied to them.

| Compensation Type | Include | Don't Include |
|--|---------|---------------|
| Pay eligible for federal withholding | ✓ | |
| Pay eligible for Social Security tax | ✓ | |
| Pay eligible for Medicare tax | ✓ | |
| Any pay sheltered for 403(b), 457 plans and 125 plans (flex spending accounts) | ✓ | |
| Employer-paid service purchase | ✓ | |
| Employer-paid moving expense reimbursement (effective July 1, 2019) | ✓ | |
| Maintenance, board, lodging, tuition assistance, goods and services, and other allowances in lieu of money eligible for federal withholding | ✓ | |
| Fringe benefits that are considered part of gross compensation unless they are specifically excluded from gross income by a section of the IRS code. Consult your fiscal or financial office or tax professional for guidance. | ✓ | |
| (Hired before July 1, 1993) Lump-sum payments for annual, vacation, sick leave and compensatory time at termination or retirement | ✓ | |
| Pay deducted for health insurance, even if pre-tax | ✓ | |
| Cash in lieu of health insurance | ✓ | |
| "Back" pay | ✓ | |
| Bonus payment (e.g. incentive pay, longevity pay, Christmas bonus, performance bonus, etc. before termination) | ✓ | |
| Value of health insurance paid by the employer | | ✓ |
| Any amount not counted in final average salary at retirement | | ✓ |
| Taxable amount of life insurance premium for coverage over \$50,000 | | ✓ |
| Reimbursement for actual expenses | | ✓ |
| Early retirement incentive paid before retirement | | ✓ |
| Membership date before July 1, 1996: Pay over \$450,000 for 2022 | | ✓ |
| Membership date on or after July 1, 1996: Pay over \$305,000 for 2022 | | ✓ |
| Severance: Payment by an employer to an employee beyond his wages on termination of employment. | | ✓ |













1. Which plans would you like to report on?

| Pay Date | Due Date | Plan | Cycle |
|------------|------------|------------------------|-------|
| 02/18/2022 | 02/24/2022 | KPERS | 01 |
| 02/18/2022 | 02/24/2022 | KPERS After Retirement | 02 |
| 02/18/2022 | 02/24/2022 | KPERS After Retirement | 01 |
| 02/18/2022 | 02/24/2022 | KPERS | 02 |

2. How will you input your data?

O Manual Entry

O Upload File

Download KPERS file to populate in excel

Download KPERS File

3. Total contributions from your records

\$0.00

4. Did any employees RETURN to or BEGIN work since your last report?



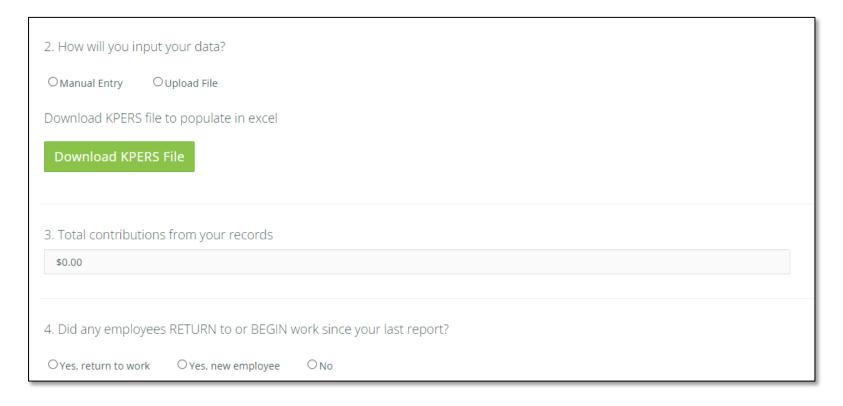




- Can report for multiple pay cycles at same time, if same pay dates
- When starting reports together, must be completed together
- Click "start over" to go back and separate reports



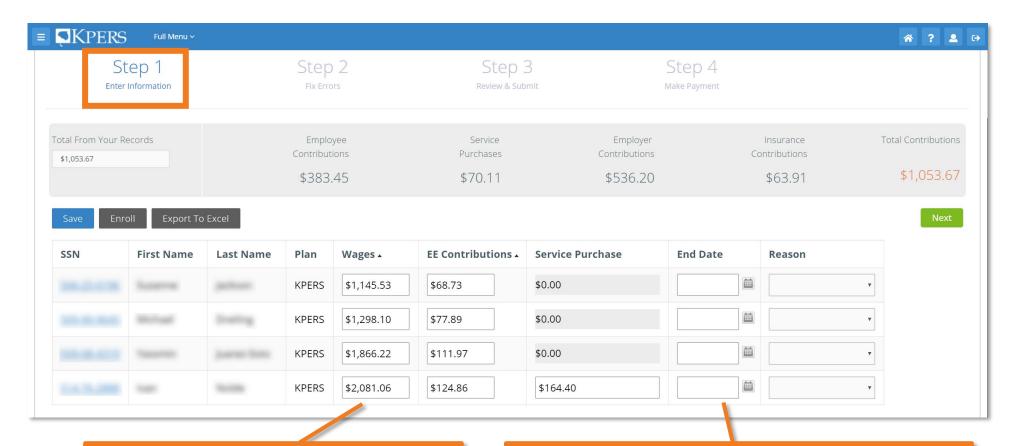




- Enter data manually or upload a file
- Total contributions includes employee, employer, and service purchase contributions.





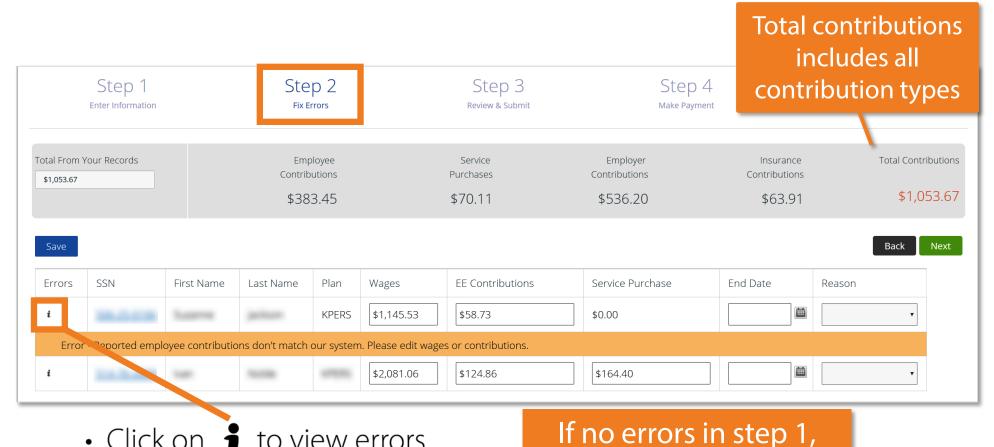


Enter wages & contributions (if uploading, skip Step 1)

End dates entered here and anywhere on the EWP populate entire system







- Click on it to view errors.
- Fix errors to go to next step.
- Make sure total from your record match total contributions.



screen will skip to step 3

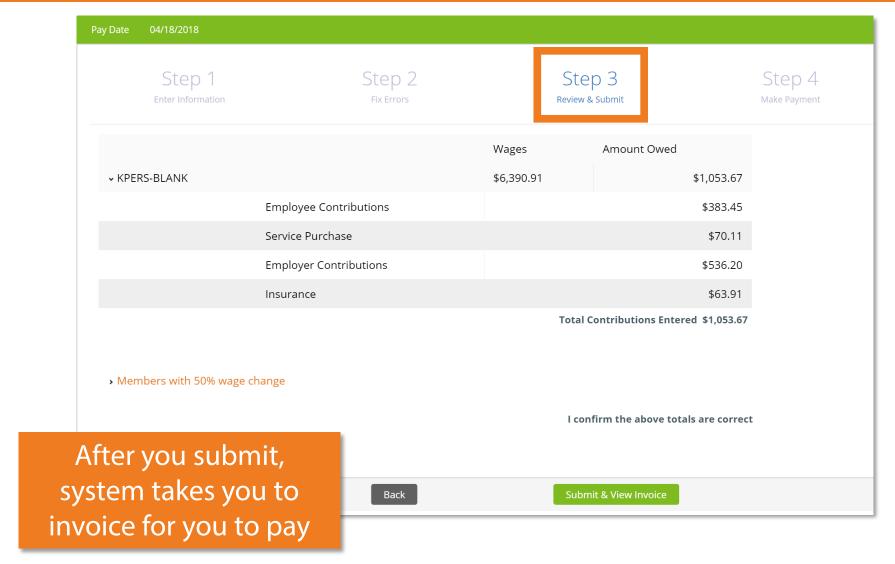
Warnings

Contact Fiscal Services to suppress the Warning.



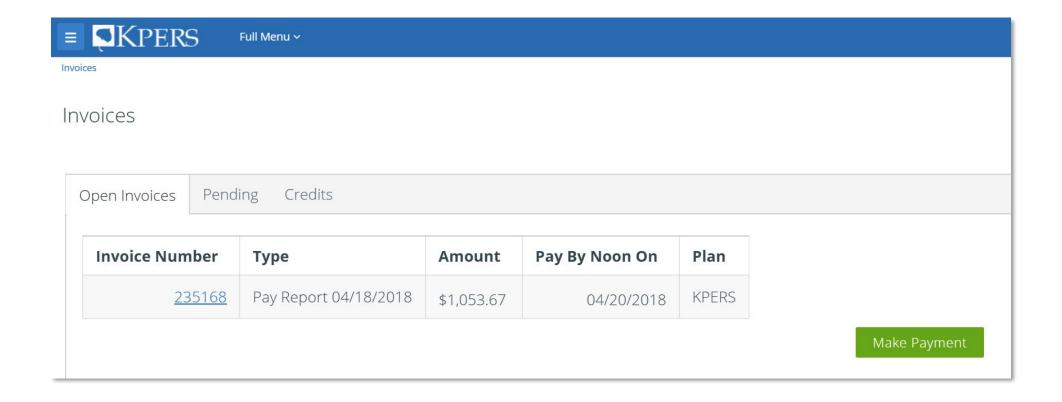






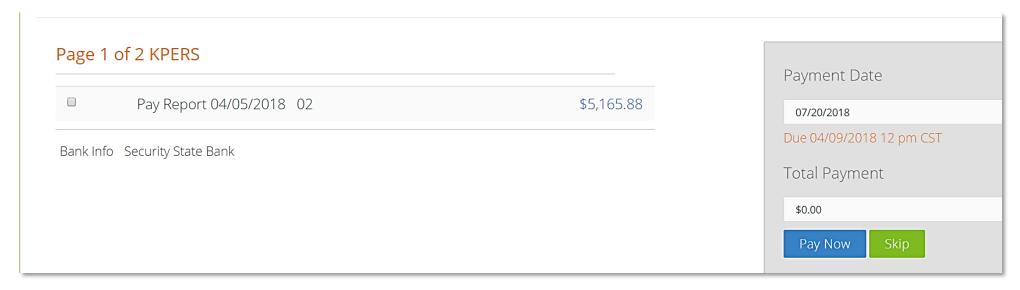








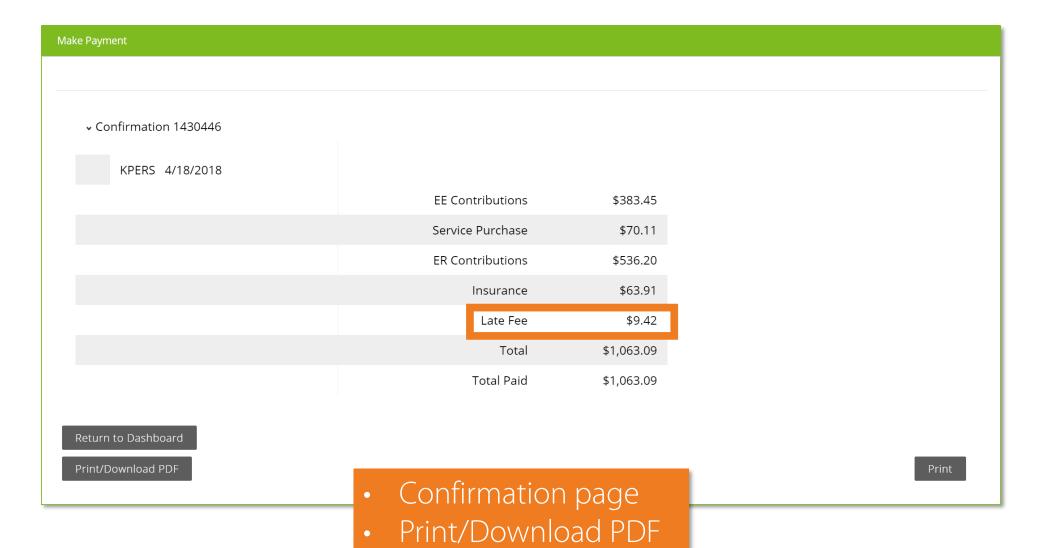




- Select invoice to pay click Skip for next one
 - When invoice is selected, the system will populate amount in Total Payment field
 - Employer can override by ± \$1.00 (one dollar) to override, enter corrected amount AFTER invoice amount is auto-populated
- Choose what bank account to use (most have just one)
- Select Payment Date (defaults to next available date)
- When paying 2+ invoices, system adds total payments together











Adjustments

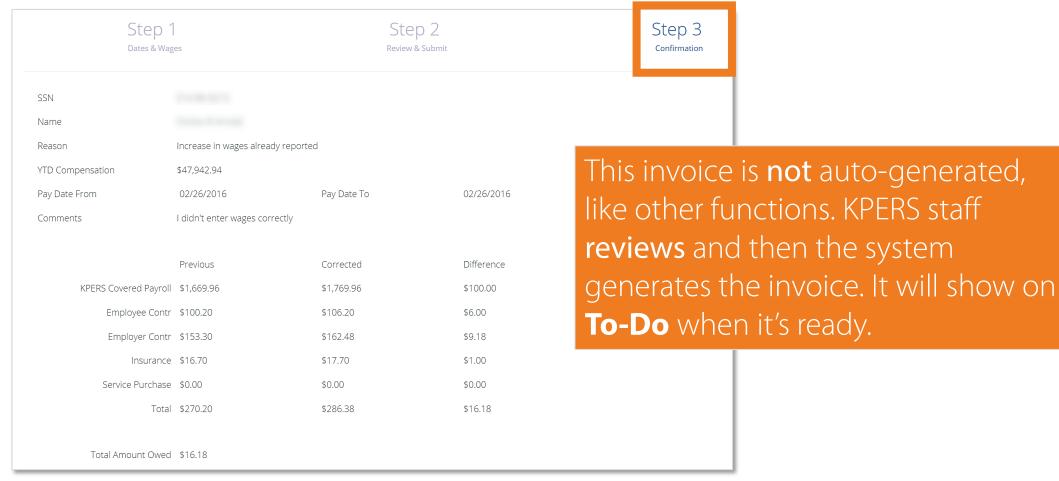
Make Adjustments When Need to:

- Change previously reported contribution amounts for a member.
- Change contribution amounts because of a service purchase
- Report contributions that were not made while mistakenly waiting a year to begin employee's membership.
- Refund contributions employee should not have made.
- Pay any arrearages for unpaid contributions.





Adjustments







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- Create an adjustment in the EWP.
- Adjustments change the record. They are not payments.
- KPERS will then send an invoice in the To Do list.
- You must make a payment using the EWP remittance process.





Take Aways

- Contact the correct department <u>kpersfs@kspers.gov</u> 1-844-468-8929
- Use "Compensation to Include" handout.
- Fiscal Services must suppress warnings
- Complete Pay Report well before Due Date.





Thank you!

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