

Beneficiary Benefits

Beneficiary Benefits

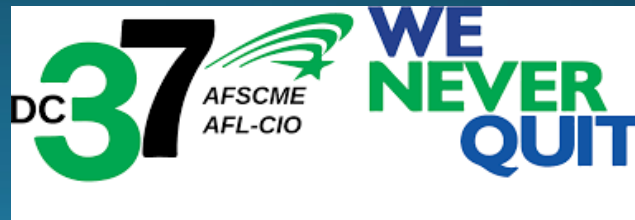
1. Learn about the three systems where a member can list a beneficiary
2. Importance of designating/updating beneficiaries
3. Guide on how to designate a beneficiary in each system (NYCAPS, NYCERS, DC37)



Three Separate Systems

There are three separate systems that provide members with death beneficiary benefits:

1. NYPD through (NYCAPS)
2. NYCERS
3. Union (DC37)



Three Separate Systems

It is important to:

- Designate a beneficiary
- Keep this beneficiary updated when you have a change of status
 - Divorce, marriage, children, death of a previously listed beneficiary, etc.



Three Separate Systems

Currently, ~39,000 NYPD members do not have beneficiaries listed in NYCAPS.

If the member passes away, their loved ones will not be able to easily access the member's vacation time, comp time, sick time, or any other applicable funds. The member's family will have to pay costly legal fees to do so.



NYPD Beneficiary Benefits

As an employee of the City of New York, in the event of your death, your family members or other persons of your choice may receive a cash benefit representing all or some of your:

- Unused annual leave
- Compensatory time
- Accrued sick leave

They may also receive a death benefit if your death results from an injury occurring in the course of your employment through no fault of your own.

NYCAPS provides a form to designate as beneficiaries the persons who you wish to receive those payments

NYPD Beneficiary Benefits

If you do not designate a beneficiary in NYCAPS, any such payment will be paid to your “estate.”

That means that the money will be distributed in accordance with the instructions in your Will, if you have one, or pursuant to an order of a Court under the laws of the State in which you reside, if you do not have a Will.

NYPD Beneficiary Benefits

For all Non-Managerial employees:

The lump sum cash payment for accrued annual leave and accrued compensatory time and any Accidental Death Benefit of \$25,000 that are to be paid upon death.

As per Mayor's Executive Order No. 34 dated March 26, 1971, and Labor Relations Order No. 74/46 and its successors

NYPD Beneficiary Benefits

For all Managerial employees:

The lump sum cash payment for accrued annual leave, accrued sick leave and accrued compensatory time and any Accidental Death Benefit of \$25,000 that are to be paid upon death.

As per Personnel Order No. 88/5, as amended

NYCAPS: Adding Beneficiary



User ID:

Password:

Sign In

[Forgot your password?](#)

NYCAPS News

[November 2, 2020. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.](#)

In order to ensure timely payment, employees are strongly encouraged to enroll in Direct Deposit.

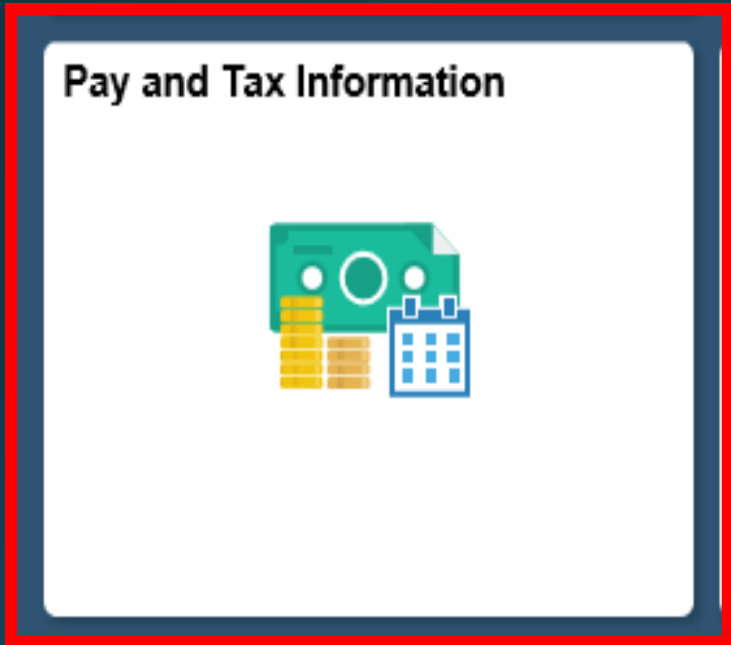
Direct Deposit is faster, more secure, and more reliable than paper checks.

Have you checked out the exams that are open for filing this month ? Please visit DCAS' [exam schedule](#).













~~FCC is currently experiencing compatibility issues with mobile devices and~~

For best results, please use the following supported browsers:
Firefox 53 and above, Internet Explorer 11 and above (compatibility mode on), Edge 39 and above and Safari 10 and above.

NYPD: Adding Beneficiary



Employee Self Service

Personal Details 	Professional Skills Profile 	Health Benefits 	Verification Letters 
Pay and Tax Information 	Electronic W2 Delivery 	Disaster Relief 	View My Leave Statements 
Careers 	I9/Visa Information 	NYC Fleet 	Change My Password 

NYPD: Adding Beneficiary

The screenshot shows the 'Employee Self Service' interface. The top navigation bar includes a back arrow and the text 'Employee Self Service' on the left, and 'Pay and Tax Information' on the right. The left sidebar contains a list of menu items: 'Payroll And Compensation' (highlighted in green), 'Deduction Information' (with a dropdown arrow), 'Pay and Tax Information', and 'Designation of Beneficiary' (highlighted with a red box). The main content area displays the user's name 'DAPHNE MAVRIS' and ID '1320717', followed by a welcome message: 'Welcome to Payroll and Compensation. Please use the links on the left to Navigate through the available options.'

A callout box with a red border highlights the 'Designation of Beneficiary' menu item. It contains a small icon of a document with a list and the text 'Designation of Beneficiary'. A red arrow points from the highlighted item in the sidebar of the screenshot to this callout box.


NYPD: Adding Beneficiary


Personal Information

***First Name:**


Middle Name:

***Last Name:**

Name Suffix: 

Date of Birth: 

SSN:

***Relationship to Employee:** 

Email:


Click "Save and Continue" once you have added your Beneficiary's personal information. You can then return to the Form and find this Beneficiary using the lookup icon.


Personal Information

***First Name:**


Middle Name:

***Last Name:**

Name Suffix: 

Date of Birth: 

SSN:

***Relationship to Employee:** 




Email:

Same Address as Employee

Country: USA

***Address1:**

Address2:

***State:**  ***City:**  ***Postal:** 

Same Phone as Employee

Telephone: (Enter only numbers, no dashes or other special characters.)

* Required Field

[Return](#)

NYPD: Adding Beneficiary

Address and Telephone

Same Address as Employee

Country: USA

*Address1:

Address2:

*State: *City: *Postal:

Same Phone as Employee

Telephone: (Enter only numbers, no dashes or other special characters.)

Click "Save and Continue" once you have added your Beneficiary's personal information. You can then return to the Form and find this Beneficiary using the lookup icon.

Personal Information

*First Name:

Middle Name:

*Last Name:

Name Suffix:

Date of Birth:

SSN:

*Relationship to Employee:

Address and Telephone

Same Address as Employee

Country: USA

*Address1:

Address2:

*State: *City: *Postal:

Same Phone as Employee

Telephone: (Enter only numbers, no dashes or other special characters.)

* Required Field

[Return](#)

NYCERS: New Logo



NYCERS: Beneficiary Benefits

The details of this benefit depend on which Tier you are in.

Check the NYCERS website for details regarding the Death Benefits for your specific Tier.

NYCERS: Adding Beneficiary



Login / Register

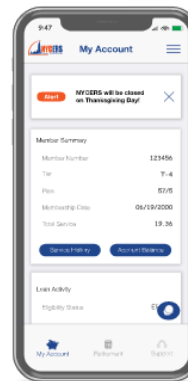
Welcome to the official **NEW** MyNYCERS login page

Even more features at your fingertips!

- New NYCERS forms you can submit online
- More online services to save you time
- Enhanced security for greater protection of your account

A note about using the new MyNYCERS: The new, enhanced site requires a supported browser: the Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Microsoft Edge or Apple Safari browser. Please download if you are not already using one of these browsers.


★ Now Available - the MyNYCERS mobile app!




Download on the App Store or Google Play.



NOTE: There is a one-time re-registration process for the new MyNYCERS.

 Username

 Password

Log in

Forgot your Username or Password?

Register

[How to Register \(PDF\)](#)

NYCERS: Adding Beneficiary

Logged in as Daphne Mavis
Member

Message Center 0

Home

I Want To: —

Manage My Profile

Manage My Beneficiaries

Make a Payment

Apply For: —

Loan

Buyback

Refund

Transfer

Disability Retirement

Service Retirement

Upload a Form

View My:

Documents

Application Tracker

Calculate: —

My Buyback Cost

My Retirement Benefit

I Need Help: —

Contact NYCERS

Current Beneficiary Selection

Below, please find your current beneficiary designation(s) on file with NYCERS.

Primary Beneficiaries

Name	Address	SSN/ITIN	Date of Birth	Relationship	Percentage
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	100%
Total					100%

Contingent Beneficiaries

You have no contingent beneficiaries on file

Use this online application to add, remove, or change beneficiaries, and update a current beneficiary's information (e.g. provide a new address or a missing Social Security Number [SSN] or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number [ITIN]).

Beneficiary selection needs to be in compliance with the DRO on file.

Otherwise, click **Continue** to edit your beneficiary designation(s). Note: The designations you make here, once submitted, will supersede and replace all previous beneficiary designations on file with NYCERS.

Manage My Beneficiaries


Current Beneficiary Selection

Steps


- CURRENT BENEFICIARY SELECTION**
- UPDATE MY PRIMARY AND CONTINGENT BENEFICIARIES
- REVIEW AND AGREE TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
- CONFIRMATION

NYCERS: Adding Beneficiary

Logged in as Daphne Mavris
Member

Message Center 


Home

I Want To: 

Manage My Profile

Manage My Beneficiaries

Make a Payment

Apply For: 

Loan

Buyback


Refund

Transfer

Disability Retirement


Service Retirement

Upload a Form or Document

View My: 


Documents

Application Tracker

Calculate: 

My Buyback Cost

My Retirement Benefit

I Need Help: 

Contact NYCERS

Current Beneficiary Selection

Below, please find your current beneficiary designation(s) on file with NYCERS.

Primary Beneficiaries

Name	Address	SSN/ITIN	Date of Birth	Relationship	Percentage
[REDACTED]					100%
Total					100%

Contingent Beneficiaries

You have no contingent beneficiaries on file

Use this online application to add, remove, or change beneficiaries, and update a current beneficiary's information (e.g. provide a new address or a missing Social Security Number [SSN] or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number [ITIN]).

Please note: You must submit a [paper application](#) if you want to designate:

- More than 5 primary beneficiaries
- More than 5 contingent beneficiaries
- A combination of estate, people, organizations and/or charities

Members with a Domestic Relations Order (DRO) on file – Please note that your beneficiary selection needs to be in compliance with the DRO on file.

Otherwise, click **Continue** to edit your beneficiary designation(s). Note: The designations you make here, once submitted, will supersede and replace all previous beneficiary designations on file with NYCERS.

Current Beneficiary Selection

Steps

-  CURRENT BENEFICIARY SELECTION
-  UPDATE MY PRIMARY AND CONTINGENT BENEFICIARIES
-  REVIEW AND AGREE TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
-  CONFIRMATION



NYCERS: Adding Beneficiary

Logged in as Daphne Mavris Member

Message Center 0

Home

I Want To: —

Manage My Profile

Manage My Beneficiaries

Make a Payment

Apply For: —

Loan

Buyback

Refund

Transfer

Disability Retirement

Service Retirement

Upload a Form or Document

View My: —

Documents

Application Tracker

Calculate: —

My Buyback Cost

My Retirement Benefit

I Need Help: —

Update my Primary and Contingent Beneficiaries

* = Required Field

Members with a Domestic Relations Order (DRO) on file – Please note that your beneficiary selection needs to be in compliance with the DRO on file.

I would like to update my primary beneficiaries to: *

Named Individuals
 My Estate

Upon your death, NYCERS will honor the most current, **valid** beneficiary designation on file.
Edit your beneficiary designation(s) below. If you are returning to provide a missing SSN or ITIN, enter it in the appropriate field and click **Continue**. Although not required, it is **strongly advised** that you provide a Social Security Number (SSN) OR Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) for each of your beneficiaries to ensure payment is made to the right individuals.

Primary Beneficiary 1 Add

First Name *	MI	Last Name *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
SSN/ITIN	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) *	Relationship *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Address Location (choose one): *

U.S. Address
 Foreign Address

Enter Address Here for Google Location *

Update my Primary and Contingent Beneficiaries

Steps

- CURRENT BENEFICIARY SELECTION
- IDENTITY VERIFICATION
- UPDATE MY PRIMARY AND CONTINGENT BENEFICIARIES
- REVIEW AND AGREE TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
- CONFIRMATION

[Chat with us](#)

NYCERS: Adding Beneficiary

Logged in as Daphne Mavris Member

Message Center 0

Home

I Want To: —

Manage My Profile

Manage My Beneficiaries

Make a Payment

Apply For: —

Loan

Buyback

Refund

Transfer

Disability Retirement

Service Retirement

Upload a Form or Document

View My: —

Documents

Application Tracker

Calculate: —

My Buyback Cost

My Retirement Benefit

I Need Help: —

Update my Primary and Contingent Beneficiaries

* = Required Field

Members with a Domestic Relations Order (DRO) on file – Please note that your beneficiary selection needs to be in compliance with the DRO on file.

I would like to update my primary beneficiaries to: *

Named Individuals
 My Estate

Upon your death, NYCERS will honor the most current, **valid** beneficiary designation on file.
Edit your beneficiary designation(s) below. If you are returning to provide a missing SSN or ITIN, enter it in the appropriate field and click **Continue**. Although not required, it is **strongly advised** that you provide a Social Security Number (SSN) OR Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) for each of your beneficiaries to ensure payment is made to the right individuals.

Primary Beneficiary 1 Add

First Name *	MI	Last Name *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
SSN/ITIN	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) *	Relationship *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Address Location (choose one): *

U.S. Address
 Foreign Address

Enter Address Here for Google Location *

Update my Primary and Contingent Beneficiaries

Steps

- CURRENT BENEFICIARY SELECTION
- IDENTITY VERIFICATION
- UPDATE MY PRIMARY AND CONTINGENT BENEFICIARIES
- REVIEW AND AGREE TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
- CONFIRMATION

[Chat with us](#)

DC37: Beneficiary Benefits

If an active employee covered by the Plan dies, a Death Benefit of \$10,000 for a full-timer or \$6,000 for a part-timer will be paid to his/her beneficiaries.

Effective 1/1/2010, if an eligible retiree covered by the Plan dies, a Death Benefit of \$2,000 will be paid to his/her beneficiaries. The retiree Death Benefit for the Cultural Trust remains at \$1,000

DC37: Beneficiary Benefits

The Death Benefit is paid to the person or persons selected by the member on his/her enrollment card or Change of Beneficiary card filed with the Plan office.

The member can change beneficiaries whenever he/she wishes – as long as it is done on the proper Change of Beneficiary form. As soon as the new form is received by the Plan office, it becomes effective and voids any previous designations.

DC37: Beneficiary Benefits

If a member names more than one beneficiary, the Death Benefit will be divided equally among them unless the member indicated otherwise. If children are named, and they are under 18 years of age at the time of the member's death, a custodial letter will be given to the child's surviving natural parent, if the child lives with that parent.

If no natural parent survives, guardianship papers will be requested of the adult individual who has custody of the infant beneficiary. The benefit will be paid to the guardian and will be subject to the control of the court until the child/children is 18 years old.

DC37: Beneficiary Benefits

If there are no living beneficiaries or if the member does not name any beneficiaries, the total benefit will be paid according to the rules and regulations of the Plan.

DC37: Beneficiary Benefits

There is also:

- **Accidental Death and Dismemberment Benefit**
- **Extended Death Benefit**
- **Expanded Death Benefit**
- **Survivor's Benefit**

Please visit <https://www.dc37.net/benefits/health/death> for details regarding these plans