Impact of 2023 Health Insurance Rates set by ARBenefits a.k.a. Employee Benefits Division (EBD)

Employee Benefits Division (EBD) Announcement

- No wellness discounts for 2023.
- No longer required to get a wellness checkup for discounts on premiums.
 - Wellness checkup is still 100% paid in full by insurance.
 - Wellness checkup is still a good practice.
- Release of 2023 Health Insurance Rates to Public School Employees (PSEs).
 - Good for most; bad for FSPS and NWA PSEs.

FSPS v. Most AR Districts in 2022

Monthly District Cost (in dollars)			
Health Insurance Packages	FSPS	Most AR	Extra
Premium Plan			
Employee only	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & spouse	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & children	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & family	250.00	168.52	81.48
Classic Plan			
Employee only	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & spouse	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & children	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & family	250.00	168.52	81.48
Basic Plan			
Employee only	229.78	168.52	61.26
Employee & spouse	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & children	250.00	168.52	81.48
Employee & family	250.00	168.52	81.48

FSPS v. Most AR Districts in 2022

Monthly Employee Cost (in dollars)			
Health Insurance Packages	FSPS	Most AR	Savings
Premium Plan			
Employee only	151.98	233.46	81.48
Employee & spouse	799.72	881.20	81.48
Employee & children	439.06	520.54	81.48
Employee & family	801.96	883.44	81.48
<u>Classic Plan</u>			
Employee only	14.54	96.02	81.48
Employee & spouse	323.14	404.62	81.48
Employee & children	126.94	208.42	81.48
Employee & family	326.84	408.32	81.48
Basic Plan			
Employee only	0.00	61.26	61.26
Employee & spouse	241.30	322.78	81.48
Employee & children	90.38	171.86	81.48
Employee & family	244.14	325.62	81.48

Fort Smith Public Schools

Monthly District Cost (in dollars)			
Health Insurance Packages	2022	2023	Increase
Premium Plan			
Employee only	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & spouse	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & children	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & family	250.00	300.00	50.00
Classic Plan			
Employee only	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & spouse	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & children	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & family	250.00	300.00	50.00
Basic Plan			
Employee only	229.78	300.00	70.22
Employee & spouse	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & children	250.00	300.00	50.00
Employee & family	250.00	300.00	50.00

Most Arkansas School District

Monthly District Cost (in dollars)				
Health Insurance Packages	2022	2023	Increase	
Premium Plan				
Employee only	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & spouse	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & children	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & family	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Classic Plan				
Employee only	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & spouse	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & children	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & family	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Basic Plan				
Employee only	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & spouse	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & children	168.52	300.00	131.48	
Employee & family	168.52	300.00	131.48	

Fort Smith Public Schools

Monthly Employee Cost (in dollars)				
Health Insurance	1,720			
Packages	Enrolled	2022	2023	Increase
Premium Plan	672			
Employee only	542	151.98	221.10	69.12
Employee & spouse	5	799.72	806.66	6.94
Employee & children	111	439.06	496.95	57.89
Employee & family	14	801.96	848.74	46.78
Classic Plan	978			
Employee only	545	14.54	94.83	80.29
Employee & spouse	62	323.14	386.95	63.81
Employee & children	260	126.94	215.40	88.46
Employee & family	111	326.84	414.77	87.93
Basic Plan	70			
Employee only	55	-	54.31	54.31
Employee & spouse	4	241.30	291.61	50.31
Employee & children	8	90.38	161.38	71.00
Employee & family	3	244.14	306.68	62.54

Most Arkansas School Districts

Monthly Employee Cost (in dollars)			
Health Insurance Packages	2022	2023	Increase
Premium Plan			
Employee only	233.46	221.10	(12.36)
Employee & spouse	881.20	806.66	(74.54)
Employee & children	520.54	496.95	(23.59)
Employee & family	883.44	848.74	(34.70)
Classic Plan			
Employee only	96.02	94.83	(1.19)
Employee & spouse	404.62	386.95	(17.67)
Employee & children	208.42	215.40	6.98
Employee & family	408.32	414.77	6.45
Basic Plan			
Employee only	61.26	54.31	(6.95)
Employee & spouse	322.78	291.61	(31.17)
Employee & children	171.86	161.38	(10.48)
Employee & family	325.62	306.68	(18.94)

Additional Revenue in FY23	
Foundation Funding (FF) Increase \$64	
Added FF Revenue in FY23 (rounded)	\$884,000

Additional Cost in FY23		
FSPS Participants (86.52%)	1,720	
Added District Cost - Monthly	\$50	
Added District Cost in FY23	\$516,000	

Excess Revenue Applied to Certified Salary Schedule in FY23		
Additional Revenue in FY23	\$884,000	
Additional District Cost in FY23	\$516,000	
Excess Revenue in FY23	\$368,000	

Excess Revenue was added to FY23 Salary Schedules

Fort Smith Public Schools Employee Benefits Announcement

No premium increases for 2023 for dental or vision insurance!

Monthly Employee Cost (in dollars)		
Insurance Packages	2023	
<u>Dental Plan</u>		
Employee only	-	
Employee & spouse	35.66	
Employee & children	29.22	
Employee & family	74.94	
<u>Vision Plan</u>		
Employee only	-	
Employee & spouse	5.30	
Employee & children	6.24	
Employee & family	11.58	