

# 2019 CONTRIBUTION LIMITS

## *for Retirement plans*

On November 1st, 2018, the Internal Revenue Service announced cost of living adjustments affecting dollar limitations for pension plans and other retirement related items for tax year 2019. The following table is provided to help you determine how much to set aside for retirement planning in 2019.

	2019	2018
Compensation	\$280,000	\$275,000
Taxable Wage Base	\$132,900	\$128,400
Highly Compensated Employee (HCE)	\$125,000	\$120,000
Key Employee/Officer	\$180,000	\$175,000
Defined Contribution Limit	\$56,000	\$55,000
Maximum Contributions (401k/403b/457)	\$19,000	\$18,500
Maximum Catch-Up – Age 50+ (401k/403b/457)	\$6,000	\$6,000
Defined Benefit Limit	\$225,000	\$220,000
SIMPLE	\$13,000	\$12,500
SIMPLE Catch-Up – Age 50+	\$3,000	\$3,000
IRA Contribution Limit	\$6,000	\$5,500
IRA Catch-Up – Age 50+	\$1,000	\$1,000

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