

# Progressive Employers Revolutionize HRA Claims Administration with HRA Debit Cards

BRADENTON, FL, UNITED STATES, August 5, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Progressive employers are transforming employee benefits by leveraging Health Reimbursement Arrangement (HRA) debit cards to streamline claims administration, enhance employee experience, and ensure compliance with IRS regulations. This innovative approach empowers workers to manage healthcare expenses efficiently while reducing administrative burdens for businesses.



CoreAdmin's HRA Debit Card for Claims Administration

Simplifying Healthcare Spending

<u>HRA debit cards</u> allow employees to access employer-funded HRA accounts directly at the point



HRA debit cards are a gamechanger for our workforce," *Loretta Graham-Giles, CoreAdmin*  of service, covering eligible medical expenses such as copays, deductibles, and prescriptions. Unlike traditional reimbursement processes, which require employees to pay out-of-pocket and submit claims, HRA debit cards provide instant access to funds, eliminating delays and paperwork. According to industry insights, these cards reduce administrative time by streamlining claims adjudication

and minimizing manual claim submissions.

Benefits for Employers and Employees

Progressive employers adopting HRA debit cards report multiple advantages:

- Employee Convenience: Employees can use debit cards at pharmacies, doctor's offices, and other healthcare providers, with many transactions automatically substantiated through merchant systems. This reduces the need for additional documentation, though manual claims may still be required for non-IIAS-compliant providers.

- Cost Efficiency: Employers maintain control over contribution amounts and eligible expenses, ensuring funds are used solely for IRS-approved medical costs. Contributions are 100% tax-deductible for employers and tax-free for employees, offering significant tax advantages.
- Compliance and Flexibility: Advanced HRA administration platforms, paired with debit cards, automate compliance tasks such as plan document updates and claim reviews, ensuring adherence to IRS and ERISA regulations. Employers can customize HRA plans to fit their workforce's needs, from individual coverage HRAs (ICHRAs) to Qualified Small Employer HRAs (QSEHRAs).

## Overcoming Challenges

While HRA debit cards offer convenience, some challenges remain. Not all providers accept these cards, and certain transactions, such as over-the-counter drug purchases, may require manual substantiation with itemized receipts. Progressive employers mitigate these issues by partnering with specialized third-party providers like <u>CoreAdmin</u>, which offer user-friendly platforms for employees to track expenses, submit claims online, and access 24/7 support.

# A Strategic Tool for Talent Retention

In a competitive job market, offering HRA debit cards signals a commitment to employee well-being. "HRA debit cards are a game-changer for our workforce," said Loretta Graham-Giles, Manager at CoreAdmin. "They simplify healthcare spending and allow us to focus on what matters most—supporting our employees' health and financial security." By integrating debit cards with robust benefits administration software, employers enhance enrollment rates and employee satisfaction, with some reporting up to a 15% increase in plan participation through targeted campaigns.

### The Future of Benefits Administration

As consumer-directed healthcare grows, HRA debit cards are becoming a cornerstone of progressive benefits packages. Employers are expanding their use to cover diverse expenses, including education assistance plans and commuter benefits, further enhancing flexibility. With ongoing advancements in technology, such as mobile apps and automated payment systems, the adoption of HRA debit cards is poised to accelerate, setting a new standard for efficient and employee-centric claims administration.

#### About CoreAdmin

CoreAdmin is a leader in innovative employee benefit solutions for FSA and HRA claims administration, dedicated to empowering organizations to create health-focused workplaces. With a commitment to compliance, flexibility, and employee satisfaction, CoreAdmin partners with Core Documents to deliver cutting-edge FSA and HRA administration services. To learn more about HRA debit cards and how it can benefit your business, visit CoreDocuments.com or

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