



# Make your workouts pay off

Put money back in your pocket with the Gym Reimbursement program

Exercising regularly is one of the best things you can do for your health. Now, it's good for your wallet, too. When you join Anthem's Gym Reimbursement program, we'll repay up to \$400 of your fitness membership dues.

## Step 1: Choose how you work out



Traditional fitness center<sup>1</sup>



Virtual or livestream fitness classes or subscriptions<sup>1</sup>



A fitness center through the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards™, which includes thousands of locations nationwide

See **Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)** for more details about what kinds of locations qualify.

To enroll in the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program or learn more about it, log in at **[anthem.com](https://www.anthem.com)**. Then, go to My Health Dashboard > Programs > Gym Reimbursement.

## Step 2: Track your workouts

You must log at least 35 workouts during each six-month period in your benefit plan year to qualify for reimbursement.<sup>2</sup>

### How to track workouts:

#### Traditional fitness centers

Get a copy of their records of your visits. You can also fill out the fitness log on the *Visit Submission* form and have a fitness center employee sign it.

#### Virtual classes

You can send screen captures showing your attendance, a workout log from the virtual class, or a combination of the two.

#### Fitness centers through the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program

If you are enrolled in a participating Active&Fit fitness center, you don't need to track your workouts. The fitness center tracks and submits your visits for you.

## Step 3: Submit your receipts

### Traditional fitness centers and virtual classes:

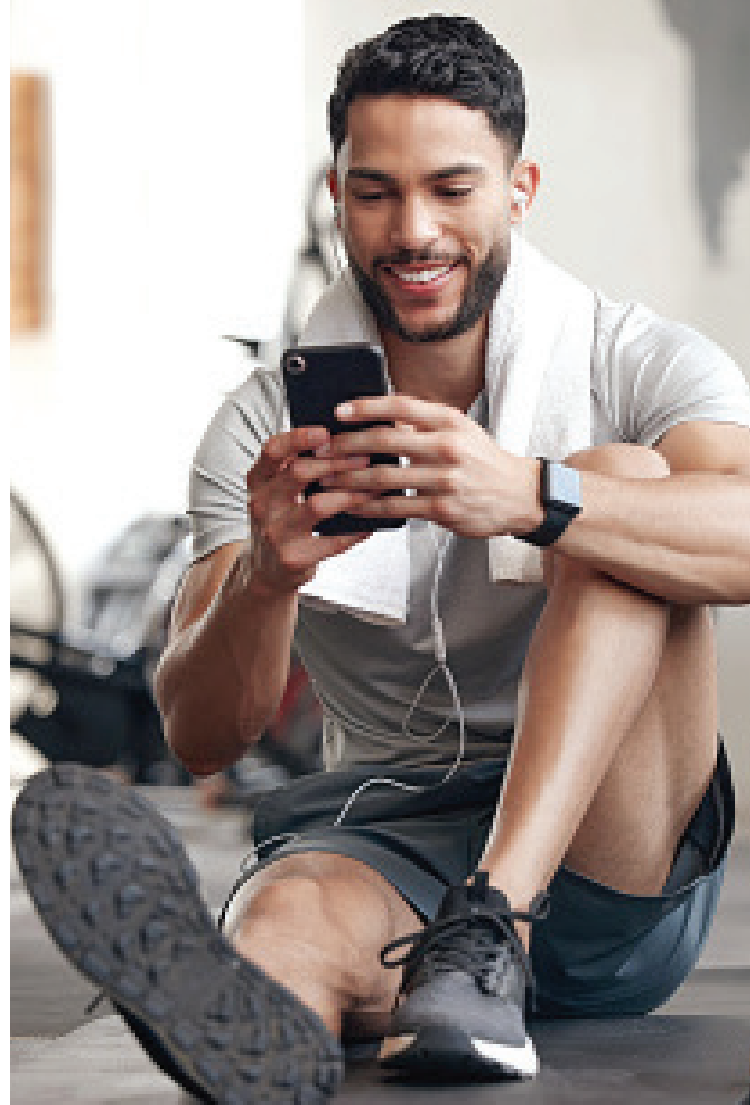
- Download and fill out the *Visit Submission* form.
- Include a copy of a receipt or credit card statement that shows payment for the months you're asking for reimbursement.
- Send the form and your workout records to the mailing address or email listed on the *Visit Submission* form.

### Fitness centers through the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program:

- If you are enrolled in a participating Active&Fit fitness center, you don't need to submit receipts. The fitness center will handle this for you.

## Step 4: Get paid back

Once we receive your completed forms, it can take up to 30 days to process your payment. If you're enrolled in an Active&Fit fitness center, your reimbursements will be processed automatically.



## Start tracking your visits

To download the *Visit Submission* form, log in at [anthem.com](https://www.anthem.com). Go to *My Health Dashboard* and select **Programs**. Then go to the *Gym Reimbursement* section and select **Reimbursement Forms**.

## Choose your favorite workouts, including:<sup>1</sup>

- Barre
- Boxing
- Cardio
- Dance, Zumba®
- High-intensity interval training (HIIT)
- Indoor cycling, Peloton®
- Kickboxing
- Pilates
- Strength training
- Swimming
- Yoga



## Frequently asked questions

### Who is eligible?

This program is open to you as long as you are covered by an Anthem health plan.

If you become eligible after your group's benefit plan year starts, you can still take part in the program. The workout requirements and reimbursement will be based on the number of months you are eligible.

### How much will Anthem pay me back?

Reimbursements are based on the fees you pay, up to \$400 a year for yourself.

### How many times do I need to workout?

To be reimbursed, you must log at least 35 workouts at a qualifying fitness center or virtual classes in each six-month period within the plan benefit year.<sup>1</sup>

### Can I count more than one workout per day?

No, you can only count one workout session per calendar date, and the workouts must be at least eight hours apart.

### What is the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program?

The Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program offers a network of thousands of participating fitness centers nationwide. As a member of the program, you'll enjoy substantially discounted fitness center membership rates, and you can cancel or change anytime. For more information, log in at [anthem.com](https://www.anthem.com). Then, go to My Health Dashboard > Programs > Gym Reimbursement.

### What if I change health plans or lose my Anthem coverage?

You must have Anthem health coverage through your current employer the entire time you take part in the program.

### Which types of fitness-related expenses qualify?

Memberships at qualified gyms, health clubs, and fitness centers, as well as qualified online and app-based fitness programs, are eligible.<sup>1</sup>

### What are qualified fitness centers and online programs?

Qualifying facilities and programs include fitness centers, gyms, and studios that:

- Offer monthly memberships or collect dues.
- Are open to the public.
- Have staff oversight, meaning employees that oversee operations and attend to members during operational hours. Class instructors don't count.
- Hold regularly scheduled cardio, flexibility, and/or weight-training programs.
- Offer virtual on-demand or livestream workout classes.<sup>1</sup>

### Which types of fitness-related expenses don't qualify?

- Rehabilitation, physical therapy, and massages
- Memberships for country clubs, tennis clubs, social clubs, and sports teams or leagues
- Personal training or coaching lessons
- Services at weight loss clinics, spas, or similar facilities
- Exercise sessions before you became eligible for the program
- Exercise sessions at fitness centers where a membership or class agreement isn't offered or there's no staff oversight
- Fees or dues, such as homeowner's association fees or gym access that's included in your rent, or for fitness activities in clubs or centers that don't qualify

### Does the program pay for equipment or gear?

No, items such as exercise or sports equipment, clothing, shoes, and vitamins are not eligible for reimbursement, even if they are sold by the gym you attend.

### When will I be reimbursed?

You must submit your reimbursement forms within 90 days of the end of your benefit plan year. Once we receive your completed forms, it takes up to 30 days to process payment.

Reimbursement requests received more than 90 days after the end of your benefit plan year don't qualify. You also can't request reimbursement for future expenses.

### What if I take a medical leave of absence?

Submit a doctor's note to Anthem and the time period covering your medical leave of absence will be excluded from your eligibility period. Your workout requirements and reimbursement will be based on the number of months you were able to participate.

### How do I renew my participation in the program?

As long as you keep your Anthem plan and your employer stays enrolled in the program, you can participate. Simply continue to complete and submit the forms.



## Do you have questions?

Log in at [anthem.com](https://anthem.com) to live chat with us, or call Member Services at the number on your ID card.

For questions about the Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program, contact their support team at [fitnessservice@ashn.com](mailto:fitnessservice@ashn.com) or **877-771-2746**.

We'll distribute your reimbursements in the order you submit your receipts, until you reach the maximum amount.

The Active&Fit ExerciseRewards program is not a covered service under your group's health plan. It is an addition. The program's features are not guaranteed under your health plan Certificate and could be discontinued at any time.

This program may not be safe for everyone. Talk to your doctor or care provider before you start, especially if you are pregnant or have an injury or health condition. Contact us at 877-809-2746, Monday through Friday, 5 a.m. to 6 p.m. PT, and we'll explain how you can work with your doctor to find an alternative that makes sense for you and your health status.

The reimbursement may be considered income and subject to state and federal taxes in the tax year it's paid. We recommend that you consult with a tax advisor if you have questions about your tax obligations.

This is a summary only. It's subject to the terms, conditions, limitations, and exclusions set forth in additional riders or contracts your group may have bought. Check your benefit contract or Certificate for full details.

1 To be eligible for reimbursement, you must use a qualifying fitness club or center open to the public, or attend online/virtual workout classes that serve the primary purpose of improving or maintaining physical health and require a membership fee that is billed monthly, annually, or semiannually.

2 The benefit plan year is determined by your group's effective and renewal dates. Your benefit plan year is based on 12 months; therefore, this reimbursement program is based on two specific six-month periods within your benefit plan year.

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