

## Outstanding Contributions FAQs

Q. Do outstanding contributions have to be paid in a one off lump sum?

A. No, if a lump sum would cause the member hardship they can pay the outstanding contributions in instalments.

Q. Is there a timescale for the outstanding contributions to be paid?

A. We have no set time scale but ask that any outstanding contributions be paid as quickly as possible.

Q. What if the member leaves our employment and the outstanding contributions have not been paid in full?

A. Record the outstanding amount on the terminal SD55 and we will arrange for the new employer to collect the outstanding contributions.

*HSC Pensions will notify employers if arrears have arisen with another employer and what information you need to provide.*

Q. What happens if the member has outstanding contributions at pension stage?

A. The outstanding contributions may be deducted from the member's benefits at retirement with the member's consent.

Q. Is interest added to the member's outstanding contributions?

A. No, interest is not included.