

We are excited to announce **U.S. OMNI** as our **403(b) & 457(b) Third Party Plan Administrator!**

In partnership with **Onondaga-Cortland-Madison BOCES**, OMNI will ensure that the plan sponsor, the participants, each of the investment providers and their agents adhere to the many compliance regulations mandated by the Internal Revenue Service.

Starting or changing your contributions:

If you wish to start contributing or make a change to your current contributions, you will need to submit a **Salary Reduction Agreement (SRA)** form. Changes include: starting a new deduction, stopping an existing deduction, changing the amount of an existing deduction, or changing your investment provider.

The SRA form can be found in the “Employees” tab under “Start | Change Contributions” section of OMNI’s website at www.omni403b.com. From there, you will select your employer state in the dropdown and enter your employer name. You have the option of printing out a form and faxing it to OMNI or completing the form electronically on their secure website. OMNI also now offers a new SRA Express Shortened Online form to streamline the process by which new participants may begin making payroll deductions into a single investment account. It is suggested that you complete the electronic SRA form to expedite your request.



OMNI’s services include the review and approval of all 403(b) & 457(b) transactions, and implementation of Salary Reduction Agreement (SRA) forms.

OMNI is available from 7:30 am to 8:00 pm Monday - Friday EST to assist with any questions you may have.

OMNI’s call center representatives can be reached at:

1-877-544-OMNI (6664)

www.omni403b.com

TRANSACTIONS



Refer to the instructions on the following pages to submit an SRA or any of the transactions below.

*Transactions permitted by plan may vary

- > Distributions (including distributions due to age, death, disability, separation from service, and domestic relations orders).
- > Exchanges/Transfers/Rollovers of 403(b) funds between vendors or 403(b) plans
- > Hardship Withdrawals
- > Loans
- > Purchase of Service Credits
- > Qualified Domestic Relations Orders (QDRO)



Specific plan information is available on OMNI's website at www.omni403b.com.
This information can be viewed by following the steps below:

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> Employees > Employers > Advisors

- > Start | Change Contributions
- > Transaction Forms
- > **Your Plan Page**
- > Education
- > Employee FAQs

The IRS has rec 2020 Maximum Contribution (M and 457 plans.

Go to OMNI's website at www.omni403b.com and select "Your Plan Page" under the "Employees" tab

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Select your Organization:

- ✓ Select Employer State
- AL
- AK
- AZ**
- AR
- CA
- CO
- CT
- DC
- DE
- FL
- GA

Employer Name

Next, under select your org, select your **Employer's State** in the dropdown to the left

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Select your Organization:

AZ

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- Palo Verde Elementary School Dist. 49
- Palominas Elementary Dist.

Next to Employer State enter the **Employer Name**. Begin typing the name, a dropdown box will appear and you can select your organization's name.



You have now reached the **Onondaga-Cortland-Madison BOCES** webpage where you will find the following information:

PLAN DETAILS

403(b)

- 1. Salary Reduction Agreement (SRA)** – You can submit an on-line SRA form to start, stop or make a change to your contribution. You must already have an account established with your selected investment provider before submitting an SRA.
- 2. Participating Investment Providers** – Add or open an account choosing from the investment service providers that have been approved in your plan.
- 3. Plan Transactions** – You'll find the forms needed to initiate transactions such as a distribution, hardship or loan.
- 4. Plan Features** – Find your Plan Features below the listed Participating Investment Providers. Your Plan Features contains what is or is not permitted within the plan based on your current plan document.



The screenshot shows the OMNI 403(b) web portal. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'Financial Wellness Center', 'Select Language', and 'Secure Portal Login'. Below that, the 'Plan Detail' section is visible, with a breadcrumb trail: 'Employees > Employers > Advisors'. The main heading is 'Plan Detail' with a sub-heading 'Plan Details for Your District Name'. A dropdown menu shows '403(b)'. The current status is 'Active'. A sidebar on the right contains four numbered icons: 1. Start | Change Contributions, 2. Transaction Forms, 3. Universal Availability, and 4. Catch Up Contribution. The main content area is titled '2 OMNI 403(b) Participating Investment Providers'. It lists investment types: Fixed Annuity (F), Fixed Index Annuity (FI), Variable Annuity (VA), Investment Advisory Service (RIA), and Mutual Funds (MF). A table lists providers with their phone numbers. Below this is the '4 Plan Features' section, which details eligibility, contributions, loans, financial hardship distribution, transfers, and distributions.

APPROVED 403(b) PROVIDERS

American Century Services LLC
 Ameriprise Financial/RiverSource
 Aspire Financial Services
 Equitable (formerly AXA)
 GWN/Employee Deposit Acct
 Invesco OpenheimerFunds
 Mass Mutual
 MetLife
 NY Life Ins. & Annuity Corp.
 PenServ SmartSAV (formerly Foresters)
 Primerica Financial Services
 ROTH - Equitable (formerly AXA)
 ROTH - Invesco OppenheimerFunds
 ROTH - MetLife
 The Legend Group, A Lincoln Investment Company

Vanguard Fiduciary Trust Co.
 Voya Financial (Natl NY)

The following Investment Providers are no longer authorized to establish new accounts for this plan. Employees currently contributing to one of these Investment Providers may continue their contributions without interruption.

American Fund/Capital Guardian
 Brighthouse Life Ins (MetLife CT/Travelers)
 Columbia Mutual Life Ins Co
 Fidelity Management Trust
 Fiduciary Trust Intl-Franklin Templeton
 Modern Woodmen of America
 Putnam Investments
 T.Rowe Price Trust Company