



# Live Better Bulletin

Learn how to own your well-being with your Walmart benefits.

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You earn two kinds of PTO. With each, you'll earn more the longer you're with Walmart. They are:

**Regular PTO:** For just about anything—as long as you have an approved request—like vacation, spending time with your family, or celebrating holidays that are important to you.

**Protected PTO (PPTO)**<sup>1</sup>: For when life happens and you need to take time off unexpectedly, like when you're sick, need to take care of a family member, or have transportation issues. PPTO will authorize or approve your absence.



Talk to your manager when you want to take PTO or PPTO. Schedule your time and view your available hours in the Global Time & Attendance Portal (GTA).

### Learn more

1 Drivers do not earn Protected PTO (PPTO). Hourly corporate/Home Office associates earn PPTO in work locations where required by law.





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## Physical therapy

Work through a customized care plan from home.

#### **Gut health**

Feel better faster when you work with a dietitian and health coach.

#### Lab work

Save time and hassle doing some basic labs from home. Download the Cylinder app or register at **go.cylinderhealth.com/** 

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At-home lab work can be ordered by a Doctor On Demand by Included Health provider during a virtual visit.

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Taking the time to manage your money each month helps you pay for food, housing, transportation, and other critical expenses. Future you will have needs, too, and investing today can help you meet them if your savings grow over time.

# Consider these questions when you're trying to pick the better use for your money.

	Saving: Short-term needs	Investing: Longer-term goals
Will you need to withdraw your money quickly?	A savings account can mean easier access to your money.	Investments may not be as easy to convert to cash—and selling them may have tax implications.
Can you tolerate a little risk?	Savings accounts are lower risk—but typically have lower returns, so your balance doesn't earn as much money.	Investments such as stocks or bonds have a higher risk, but also the potential for higher returns.
When will you need to use the money?	Save for short-term needs and goals, such as next month's rent or building a rainy-day fund.	If you won't need your money in the short term, investing it can help it grow through the years.





# Three things to know when you're ready to invest

## Consistency can pay off.

Investing the same amount from each paycheck can help you take advantage when stock prices drop. When prices are low, that amount can buy more stock. When stock prices swing back up, you'll have more shares that can gain value.

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Saving or investing a small portion of your paycheck each pay period lets you take advantage of "compounding." That's when the interest your savings or investments earn starts to earn its own interest. The sooner you start, the more time your money has to make money for you.

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Use your PTO to:



Spend time with family



Manage your life



Celebrate holidays that mean the most to you



Rest while you or your family member are ill

**Annual PTO-eligible associates:** On Feb. 1, the first day of the plan year, you'll have a certain number of PTO days available for use: an annual PTO amount and any days you've carried over from the previous plan year. The annual PTO amount is based on the years of service you will celebrate during the plan year and your weekly work schedule. Work with your manager when planning time off.

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