

TAX YEAR END DEADLINES 2020/2021

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Remember, existing clients can continue to top up their plan, increase any regular contributions or transfer in from other pension schemes.

For the Retirement Wealth Account (Phoenix Wealth Pension funds only option), The Personal Pension, The Executive Pension and The Section 32

	Deadline	More information
Additional contributions We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Thursday 1 April. You must email them to: customerservices@phoenixwealth.co.uk		
Cheques	Thursday 1 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cheques made payable to: Phoenix Life Ltd Post-dated cheques will not be accepted Address: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Postal - Phoenix Wealth, Unit Linked Life & Pensions, PO Box 1393, Peterborough, PE2 2TP Hand/courier - Phoenix Wealth, 2nd Floor, Winterthur Way, Basingstoke, RG21 6SZ
BACS payments	Initiated by Friday 26 March to reach us by Thursday 1 April	Bank: NatWest Bank Account name: Phoenix Life Ltd Sort code: 60-00-01 Account number: 36378739 Reference: Please quote the policy number The client must contact their bank to send payments to us. We don't collect payments from client bank accounts.
CHAPS payments	Initiated by Wednesday 31 March to reach us by Thursday 1 April	The client will need to check their bank's daily cut-off times to ensure payments are initiated in time. Payment will only be accepted provided we receive an application form (or written request) by Thursday 1 April.
Drawdown – applications and income changes We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Tuesday 23 March. You must email them to: customerservices@phoenixwealth.co.uk		
Taking benefits (If PCLS is needed by Thursday 1 April)	Tuesday 23 March	This deadline applies for full, partial and phased drawdown applications.
Changes to regular income payments	We must receive a request in writing, either posted or scanned (email), no later than Wednesday 24 March	
One-off income payment request		

For the Retirement Wealth Account – Self invested option

	Deadline	More information
<p>Additional contributions We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Thursday 25 March. You must email them to: sippenquiries@sipp-phoenixwealth.co.uk</p>		
Cheques	Must be received by Thursday 25 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cheques made payable to: Phoenix Wealth Trustee Services Ltd Post-dated cheques will not be accepted Address - Phoenix Wealth, Self Invested Pensions, PO Box 1394, Peterborough, PE2 2TQ
BACS payments	Initiated by Friday 26 March to reach us by Thursday 1 April	<p>Bank: NatWest Bank Account name: Phoenix Wealth Trustee Services Ltd Sort code: 60-00-01 Account number: 39405605 Reference: Please quote the policy number</p> <p>The client must contact their bank to send payments to us. We don't collect payments from client bank accounts.</p>
CHAPS payments	Initiated by Tuesday 30 March to reach us by Tuesday 30 March	<p>The client will need to check their bank's daily cut-off times to ensure payments are initiated in time.</p> <p>Payment will only be accepted provided we receive an application form (or written request) by Tuesday 30 March.</p>
<p>Drawdown – applications and income changes We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Monday 22 March. You must email them to: sippenquiries@sipp-phoenixwealth.co.uk</p>		
Taking benefits including UFPLS (If PCLS is needed by Thursday 1 April)	Monday 22 March	<p>Cleared funds must be available in the SIPP cash account to cover PCLS and any charges due. For SIPPs set up before April 2012, where there are former NPR and PR cash accounts, it is important the correct amount of cash is available in each account to cover PCLS and charges due.</p> <p>If assets need to be disinvested to provide enough cash, the proceeds must be received in the cash account before the deadlines stated.</p> <p>We can't guarantee that funds will be disinvested in time in order to make cash available for PCLS and charges before Thursday 1 April. External third parties and DFMs will have their own service standards to take into account.</p>
Changes to regular income payments	We must receive a request in writing no later than Monday 22 March.	There must be enough cash available in the SIPP cash account to cover the income required. If there isn't enough cash available, the income payment could fall into the next income year or tax year if it isn't paid in time.
One-off income payment request		

Submission guidelines 2020/2021 - anything we receive after the deadlines can't be back-dated

Transfers and new regular contributions

We must receive completed new business applications for any transfers or new regular contributions.

Regular increments and single contributions

We accept written instructions from the client or employer, together with their payment, if they're making a single, or increasing an existing regular, contribution.

We will only apply the contribution once we've received written instructions that include either:

- The new regular contribution amount. Increments will be invested in the existing fund selection.
- The single contribution amount and where it is to be invested. If you don't provide investment details, the contribution will be invested in our default fund choice:
 - The Phoenix Wealth Money Market fund for the Retirement Wealth Account (Phoenix Wealth Pension funds only option), The Personal Pension, The Executive Pension and The Section 32.
 - The SIPP Cash account for the Retirement Wealth Account (Self-invested option).

If you want adviser charges to be paid you must also send an **Adviser charges payment request** form with the written instructions.

HMRC guidelines

We have to abide by strict HMRC Guidelines and we will reject applications where any of the following occurs:

- Cheques not signed, dated or incomplete in any other respect.
- Cheques with an incorrect payee.
- Cheques incorrectly dated or with a date after 5 April.

Contribution reminders

- Contribution limits – we only accept personal tax relievable contributions up to a client's relevant UK earnings (gross) for the tax year, subject to the Annual Allowance.
- Pension Input Period - all contributions are received into the existing Pension Input Period ending on 5 April 2021. If the contribution received is the first one, the Pension Input Period will start on the date the contribution is paid and end on 5 April 2021. An alternative end date cannot be nominated.

Family Suntrust only

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New member to an existing scheme We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Thursday 18 March. You must email them to: SIPPenquiries@sipp-phoenixwealth.co.uk		
	Thursday 18 March	The contribution must be sent by automated credit to make sure we receive cleared funds by Friday 26 March.
Additional contributions We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Thursday 18 March. You must email them to: SIPPenquiries@sipp-phoenixwealth.co.uk		
Cheques	Must be received by Monday 22 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cheques made payable to: Phoenix Wealth Trustee Services Ltd• Post-dated cheques will not be accepted• Address: Phoenix Wealth, Self Invested Pensions, PO Box 1394, Peterborough, PE2 2TQ
BACS/CHAPS payments	Cleared funds by Monday 29 March	Account name: PWTS Collections Account Sort code: 60-00-01 Account number: 48711993 Reference: Use the FST scheme number
Drawdown – applications and income changes We accept both posted and scanned (email) copies of applications as long as we receive them by Thursday 18 March. You must email them to: SIPPenquiries@sipp-phoenixwealth.co.uk		
Taking benefits	Monday 22 March	
Changes to income payments	We must receive a request in writing no later than Monday 22 March	We can only make payment if there are enough cleared funds in the scheme cash account.
Ad-hoc income payment request		

CONTACT US

If you have any questions please:

Call us on **0345 129 9993**

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