



SmartBenefits

For *employers* providing the Metrochek transit benefit...

For *employees* who use Metrochek...

SmartBenefits is a Web-based program that lets an employer digitally "load" the dollar value of an employee's [Metrochek](#) benefit directly into the employee's [SmarTrip card](#) account, instead of distributing paper Metrochek cards.

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SmartBenefits. This saves time, reduces administrative costs, and streamlines the entire process of providing employees with the Metrochek transit benefit. ([Enroll as a SmartBenefits employer.](#))

Employees: Employees get the convenience and security of using SmarTrip cards instead of paper Metrochek cards. With a registered SmarTrip card, there are no more worries about demagnetized and damaged paper cards or lost cards. A lost SmarTrip card can be replaced, with its remaining Metro value, for a \$5 replacement cost.

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SmartBenefits 1-2-3's

1. Employees who use their Metrochek cards as Metrorail farecards* provide their SmarTrip card's serial number to their employer.
2. Employers manage employee Metrochek SmartBenefits online, loading the Metrochek benefit dollar value into their employee's registered SmarTrip card account.
 - [SmartBenefits employer login](#)
(Requires either Netscape 4.6 or higher or Internet Explorer 4.01 SP1 or higher)
 - [PDF version of Metrochek/SmartBenefits Quick Start Reference Guide](#) (Updated 7/9/01)
 - [PDF version of Getting Started With SmartBenefits](#)

(These documents require Adobe Acrobat Reader. [Information on downloading this free software.](#))

3. Employees take their SmarTrip card to any Metro station's Passes/Farecard machine between the first and last day of the benefit month and claim their transit benefit with the SmarTrip card. ([PDF version of "Welcome to SmartBenefits/How to claim SmartBenefits"](#))

*NOTE: Employees who exchange their Metrocheks for Metro bus and rail weekly and monthly passes, or the fares and passes of MARC, VRE, county and commuter buses, van pools or other types of public transportation cannot use SmarTrip or SmartBenefits at this time.

SmartBenefits info

To learn more about SmartBenefits, call your Metro Account Representative, or Metro's Office of Marketing: 202-962-1326.

For help or other questions concerning the SmarTrip contact the SmarTrip helpline at 202-962-5719.



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