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Web Update Speeds Signup for EBRI Publications, Data

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A feature of the nonpartisan Employee Benefit Research Institute's newly updated and redesigned Web site, www.ebri.org, allows individuals to sign up for information on EBRI research publications, data, and other activities by providing three pieces of information—their name, e-mail address, and type of organization where they work. The signup process can easily be completed by clicking the "Sign Up for Updates" box at the top of the Web site (www.ebri.org/notifications/).

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The updated EBRI Web site continues the practice of making the Institute's major monthly publications, *EBRI Issue Briefs* and *EBRI Notes*, available free to the public. Those publications, the Web-based *EBRI Databook on Employee Benefits* as well as *Fundamentals of Employee Benefit Programs* and other research information can be found by clicking the appropriate heading on the Web site.

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