

Take a look at Horace Mann's Retirement Advantage mutual fund program for Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs)

Horace Mann has partnered with a number of well-known investment firms to provide our clients a full range of mutual funds that span a wide spectrum of investment styles. From large company growth to bond funds, we can help match your personal investment comfort level with the appropriate funds. You can re-allocate your money, or use systematic rebalancing to maintain your desired investment strategy. You can also allocate contributions to a group unallocated fixed annuity issued by Horace Mann Life Insurance Company, with a guaranteed interest rate.

Keep a long-range outlook

This mutual fund program is designed to help meet retirement needs and should be seen as part of a long-term retirement plan. However, we understand investors may want to monitor the performance results of the mutual funds available within the program. Therefore, we provide these monthly performance updates.

Take a few minutes to review the results; we caution you to not make a purchase or allocation decision based solely on the numbers in the following tables. You may be tempted to try to chase the funds providing the best current results. However, for that to work, you have to be right twice. You have to know when to start investing in a fund and when to stop. Those are tough calls, even for professional money managers. Stock market and individual fund performance often comes in spurts easily missed while you're waiting for just the right time to make changes.

At Horace Mann, we recommend you keep a long-range focus, as retirement plans are long-term investments. It is important that you keep your goals and risk tolerance in sync with your investment option choices.

Mutual fund performance as of March 29, 2018

These tables reflect the three-month return and average annual rates of return for each fund.

The three-month return and average annual rates of return assume contributions were made as of the beginning of the period.

All returns in the tables below are based on a \$10,000 investment. The returns assume reinvestment of all dividends (ordinary income and capital gains) and are net of fees and other fund operating expenses. The returns do not include any product level administrative fees, if applicable; if included the returns would be less favorable. The returns measure past performance and do not guarantee future results. The actual experience may also vary based on the amount of the contribution and the date the contribution was made. The investment return and value of a mutual fund will fluctuate, and the value of the mutual fund may be worth more or less than the original investment when redeemed. Current performance may be higher or lower than the performance data quoted. Monthly performance updates which may be higher or lower than the performance data quoted are available by visiting horacemann.com/RetirementAdvantage.

You should consider the investment objectives, risks and charges, and expenses of the funds carefully before investing. The prospectuses contain this and other information. Anyone who wishes to obtain a free copy of the fund prospectuses may call 877-602-1870. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing.

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	Ticker symbol	Gross expenses	Inception Date	3 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Lifecycle									
Vanguard Target Retirement 2015 Inv	VTXVX	0.13%	2003-10-27	-0.52%	7.30%	4.73%	6.17%	5.74%	6.20%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Inv	VTWNX	0.13%	2006-06-07	-0.57%	8.95%	5.65%	7.26%	6.21%	6.34%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Inv	VTTVX	0.14%	2003-10-27	-0.59%	10.20%	6.30%	7.96%	6.48%	6.87%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Inv	VTHRX	0.14%	2006-06-07	-0.56%	11.19%	6.83%	8.60%	6.71%	6.73%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Inv	VTTHX	0.14%	2003-10-27	-0.58%	12.23%	7.35%	9.22%	7.02%	7.54%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Inv	VFORX	0.15%	2006-06-07	-0.53%	13.25%	7.86%	9.73%	7.34%	7.18%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Inv	VTIVX	0.15%	2003-10-27	-0.58%	13.68%	8.10%	9.88%	7.40%	8.02%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Inv	VFIFX	0.15%	2006-06-07	-0.55%	13.69%	8.11%	9.88%	7.41%	7.29%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2055 Inv	VFFVX	0.15%	2010-08-18	-0.56%	13.69%	8.05%	9.85%	--%	11.14%
Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Inv	VTTSX	0.15%	2012-01-19	-0.55%	13.68%	8.05%	9.85%	--%	10.96%
Vanguard Target Retirement Income Inv	VTINX	0.13%	2003-10-27	-0.50%	5.35%	3.68%	4.33%	4.93%	5.25%
Asset Allocation									
Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Inv	VASIX	0.11%	1994-09-30	-0.77%	4.25%	2.97%	3.85%	4.21%	6.21%
Vanguard LifeStrategy Cnsvr Gr Inv	VSCGX	0.12%	1994-09-30	-0.65%	6.91%	4.53%	5.64%	5.11%	6.92%
Vanguard LifeStrategy Moderate Gr Inv	VSMGX	0.13%	1994-09-30	-0.59%	9.60%	6.03%	7.38%	6.01%	7.68%
Large value									
Diamond Hill Large Cap Y	DHLYX	0.55%	2011-12-30	-3.75%	8.95%	9.65%	12.41%	8.78%	13.93%
JPMorgan Equity Income I	HLIEX	0.75%	1987-07-02	-2.18%	11.05%	8.88%	11.72%	9.71%	9.18%
LSV Value Equity	LSVEX	0.65%	1999-03-31	-2.35%	12.09%	9.52%	13.14%	9.03%	8.57%
MFS Value R6	MEIKX	0.49%	2006-05-01	-3.01%	9.10%	8.87%	11.78%	8.57%	7.97%
JHancock Disciplined Value R6	JDVWX	0.72%	2011-09-01	-1.78%	12.84%	8.44%	11.60%	9.67%	14.52%
Large core									
JPMorgan US Equity I	JUESX	0.75%	2001-09-10	-1.13%	12.52%	9.53%	13.28%	10.03%	8.09%
MFS Blended Research Core Equity R6	MUEVX	0.46%	2012-06-01	-1.80%	11.90%	8.55%	12.45%	9.25%	14.91%
American Funds Investment Company of America F3	FFICX	0.31%	2017-01-27	-1.24%	12.12%	10.00%	12.71%	8.60%	12.23%
Vanguard 500 Index Admiral	VFIAX	0.04%	2000-11-13	-0.77%	13.95%	10.75%	13.27%	9.49%	5.98%
Nuveen Santa Barbara Dividend Growth R6	NSBFX	0.65%	2013-03-25	-2.18%	12.57%	8.04%	10.77%	8.47%	11.00%
Large growth									
American Century Growth R6	AGRDX	0.63%	2013-07-26	2.67%	21.88%	12.46%	14.50%	10.15%	14.06%
JPMorgan Large Cap Growth I	SEEGX	0.85%	1992-02-28	5.19%	30.09%	13.59%	16.18%	11.59%	9.19%
MFS Growth R6	MFEKX	0.60%	2011-08-26	5.21%	25.61%	13.64%	15.59%	11.06%	16.81%
Neuberger Berman Socially Rspns R6	NRSRX	0.59%	2013-03-15	0.50%	11.96%	8.99%	11.89%	8.86%	11.90%
T. Rowe Price Growth Stock I	PRUFX	0.52%	2015-08-28	3.86%	25.04%	13.89%	17.11%	11.92%	15.69%
Mid value									
MFS Mid Cap Value R6	MVCKX	0.71%	2013-02-01	-1.89%	7.81%	6.93%	11.04%	9.75%	11.80%
Victory Sycamore Established Value R6	VEVRX	0.54%	2014-03-04	-1.09%	9.22%	10.26%	13.32%	11.28%	11.19%
Wells Fargo Special Mid Cap Value R6	WFPRX	0.75%	2013-06-28	-2.69%	6.13%	7.33%	11.78%	10.83%	11.91%
Mid core									
Aberdeen US Mid Cap Equity Institutional	GUEIX	11.87%	2016-02-29	-1.87%	13.59%	--%	--%	--%	18.02%
Vanguard Extended Market Idx Adm	VEXAX	0.08%	2000-11-13	0.15%	13.13%	8.06%	11.86%	10.41%	8.16%
Vanguard Mid Cap Index Adm	VIMAX	0.06%	2001-11-12	0.01%	12.31%	7.86%	12.26%	10.14%	10.09%
Mid growth									
AMG TimesSquare Mid Cap Growth I	TMDIX	0.98%	2005-03-04	2.65%	18.16%	8.55%	11.52%	10.35%	10.09%
Baird MidCap Inst	BMDIX	0.83%	2000-12-29	4.38%	21.88%	8.85%	11.25%	10.98%	7.51%
Ivy Mid Cap Growth R6	IGREFX	0.87%	2014-07-31	4.79%	25.07%	8.89%	11.49%	10.93%	10.63%
JPMorgan Mid Cap Growth I	HLGEX	1.00%	1989-03-02	3.59%	23.58%	9.13%	14.41%	10.88%	12.11%

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Small value									
Boston Partners Small Cap Value II I	BPSIX	1.19%	1998-07-01	-1.75%	7.73%	7.96%	10.60%	10.68%	11.23%
DFA US Targeted Value I	DFFVX	0.37%	2000-02-23	-2.19%	6.92%	7.25%	10.63%	9.76%	11.54%
JPMorgan Small Cap Value I	PSOPX	1.01%	1995-01-27	-2.22%	3.22%	5.73%	8.93%	8.85%	10.92%
Nuveen NWQ Small-Cap Value R6	NSCFX	0.86%	2013-02-15	-1.14%	8.80%	7.90%	12.28%	9.57%	12.64%
Small core									
DFA US Small Cap I	DFSTX	0.37%	1992-03-19	-1.52%	8.75%	8.06%	11.61%	10.92%	10.62%
T. Rowe Price Small-Cap Value I	PRVIX	0.78%	2015-08-28	-1.59%	10.26%	10.80%	10.51%	9.79%	15.36%
Vanguard Small Cap Index Adm	VSMAX	0.06%	2000-11-13	-0.21%	11.82%	8.06%	11.66%	10.72%	9.26%
Small growth									
Vanguard Explorer Adm	VEVRX	0.32%	2001-11-12	4.17%	20.76%	9.12%	13.04%	10.79%	9.34%
Prudential Jennison Small Company Q	PJSQX	0.68%	2010-11-29	0.68%	13.57%	7.87%	11.73%	9.41%	11.86%
World stock									
MFS Global Equity R6	MWEMX	0.83%	2012-06-01	-1.99%	12.66%	7.74%	9.52%	7.21%	13.49%
Oakmark Global Investor	OAKGX	1.21%	1999-08-04	-2.57%	15.08%	6.66%	9.71%	7.09%	10.48%
Oppenheimer Global I	OGLIX	0.70%	2012-01-27	-0.03%	23.72%	10.13%	11.81%	8.19%	13.23%
Foreign large value									
American Beacon Intl Equity Instl	AAIEX	0.73%	1991-08-07	-1.87%	14.51%	4.65%	6.42%	3.17%	7.42%
DFA International Value I	DFIVX	0.63%	1994-02-15	-1.33%	17.45%	6.66%	7.29%	2.38%	6.64%
Hartford Schroders International Multi-Cap Val R6	SIDRX	0.79%	2014-12-30	-0.23%	13.54%	7.41%	7.01%	4.78%	7.67%
JPMorgan International Value I	JIESX	1.03%	2001-09-10	-1.30%	13.14%	4.73%	4.82%	1.67%	6.32%
Foreign large core									
MFS Research International R6	MRSKX	0.77%	2006-05-01	-0.68%	18.73%	5.58%	5.87%	2.83%	3.46%
Neuberger Berman International Eq R6	NRIQX	0.95%	2013-09-03	-0.94%	17.29%	6.50%	7.21%	4.05%	7.27%
Vanguard Developed Markets Idx Admiral	VTMGX	0.07%	1999-08-17	-1.09%	15.95%	6.60%	7.10%	3.12%	4.44%
Vanguard Total Intl Stock Index Admiral	VTIAX	0.11%	2010-11-29	-0.46%	17.05%	6.92%	6.41%	2.83%	5.87%
Foreign large growth									
MFS International Growth R6	MGRDX	0.82%	2006-05-01	-1.18%	21.23%	8.74%	7.00%	4.93%	5.51%
Invesco International Growth R6	IGFRX	0.91%	2012-09-24	-0.98%	13.06%	4.65%	6.48%	4.12%	7.07%
Oppenheimer International Growth I	OIGIX	0.69%	2012-03-29	0.18%	18.22%	7.53%	7.42%	5.61%	8.68%
American Funds EuroPacific Growth F3	FEUPX	0.51%	2017-01-27	1.03%	21.15%	7.69%	8.52%	4.59%	21.72%
Foreign small/mid core									
DFA International Small Company I	DFISX	0.53%	1996-09-30	-0.38%	19.70%	11.86%	10.32%	6.16%	7.59%
Oakmark International Small Cap Investor	OAKEX	1.36%	1995-11-01	-3.38%	11.15%	6.11%	7.74%	6.22%	9.62%
Foreign small/mid growth									
Oberweis International Opps Instl	OBIIX	1.18%	2014-03-10	1.41%	29.15%	13.44%	--%	--%	8.76%
Wasatch International Growth Instl	WIIGX	1.37%	2016-02-01	4.79%	27.23%	11.51%	8.96%	9.00%	15.21%
Diversified emerging markets									
DFA Emerging Markets I	DFEMX	0.58%	1994-04-25	1.84%	23.06%	8.95%	5.01%	3.66%	7.45%
Neuberger Berman Emerg Mkts Eq R6	NREMX	1.27%	2013-03-15	1.39%	27.05%	11.26%	6.37%	--%	6.19%
Vanguard Emerging Mkts Stock Idx Adm	VEMAX	0.14%	2006-06-23	2.08%	21.00%	7.50%	4.47%	2.62%	6.50%
Real estate									
Invesco Real Estate R6	IARFX	0.80%	2012-09-24	-5.64%	0.37%	2.52%	6.62%	5.86%	7.43%
Morgan Stanley Inst US Real Estate IS	MURSX	0.90%	2013-09-13	-8.07%	-4.36%	-0.07%	5.73%	5.62%	7.07%
Virtus Duff & Phelps Real Estate Securities Fund R6	VRREX	0.97%	2014-11-12	4.05%	11.24%	4.27%	2.95%	5.59%	5.93%
Vanguard Real Estate Index Adm	VGSLX	0.12%	2001-11-12	-8.11%	-4.50%	0.76%	5.76%	6.51%	9.98%

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Global real estate									
DFA Global Real Estate Securities Port	DFGEX	0.37%	2008-06-04	-4.66%	2.15%	2.41%	5.44%	--%	5.03%
Invesco Global Real Estate R6	FGREX	0.81%	2012-09-24	-2.61%	6.76%	2.25%	4.59%	3.54%	6.19%
Prudential Global Real Estate Q	PGRQX	0.80%	2013-08-23	-4.42%	5.26%	1.22%	4.00%	4.26%	5.52%
Intermediate-term bond									
BlackRock Total Return K	MPHQX	0.64%	2001-12-07	-1.39%	1.76%	1.50%	2.80%	4.30%	4.53%
Guggenheim Total Return Bond Instl	GIBIX	0.58%	2011-11-30	-0.27%	4.33%	3.88%	4.31%	--%	5.90%
JPMorgan Core Plus Bond R6	JCPUX	0.43%	2005-02-22	-1.23%	2.08%	1.89%	2.72%	4.97%	4.88%
Prudential Total Return Bond Q	PTRQX	0.41%	2010-12-27	-1.35%	3.37%	2.62%	3.16%	5.78%	4.75%
Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Adm	VBTLX	0.05%	2001-11-12	-1.47%	1.12%	1.12%	1.73%	3.57%	4.04%
Inflation-protected bond									
BlackRock Inflation Protected Bond K	BPLBX	0.40%	2004-06-28	-0.53%	1.14%	1.07%	-0.09%	2.88%	4.31%
Vanguard Inflation-Protected Secs Adm	VAIPX	0.10%	2005-06-10	-0.94%	0.54%	1.17%	-0.07%	2.74%	3.55%
Vanguard Shrt-Term Infl-Prot Sec Idx Adm	VTAPX	0.06%	2012-10-16	0.16%	0.30%	1.06%	0.05%	--%	0.23%
DFA Inflation-Protected Securities I	DIPSX	0.12%	2006-09-18	-1.11%	0.63%	1.23%	-0.15%	2.97%	4.08%
High yield bond									
BlackRock High Yield Bond K	BRHYX	0.54%	1998-11-19	-0.55%	4.77%	4.91%	5.26%	8.25%	7.49%
Columbia Income Opportunities Y	CIOYX	0.66%	2011-03-07	-1.94%	2.19%	3.71%	4.28%	7.25%	5.71%
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	VWEAX	0.13%	2001-11-12	-1.45%	3.28%	4.37%	4.53%	7.03%	6.63%
Lord Abbett High Yield R6	LHYVX	0.60%	2015-06-30	-0.99%	4.69%	5.99%	6.01%	8.60%	6.21%
World Bond									
Legg Mason BW Global Opportunities Bd IS	GOBSX	0.58%	2006-11-01	4.05%	11.24%	4.27%	2.95%	5.59%	5.93%
Loomis Sayles Global Bond N	LSGNX	0.69%	2013-02-01	1.56%	7.87%	3.50%	1.53%	3.34%	1.37%
Vanguard Total Intl Bd Idx Admiral™	VTABX	0.11%	2013-05-31	0.91%	3.35%	2.28%	--%	--%	3.63%
Prudential Global Total Return Q	PGTQX	0.58%	2012-02-03	1.83%	11.31%	5.24%	3.82%	5.36%	4.14%

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