

“Age settings for the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System will change in accordance with the increase in Employees' Pension recipient age. “

To be eligible for the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System, one must be eligible for Old-Age (retirement) Employees' Pension (must be 60 or older and retired), and be either one of the following:

1. An insured person under the IBM Health Insurance Society for 20 years or more.
2. An insured person under the IBM Health Insurance Society for 10 years or more after and including the month he/she turned 40.

Since the Old-Age Employees' Pension recipient age will increase incrementally starting April 2, 2013, the eligibility age for the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System will likewise increase incrementally.

Therefore, those who retire at the retirement age of 60 will not be eligible to join immediately. (see table below)

The relationship between birth date and the Old-Age Employees' Pension's earliest recipient age (the earnings-related component) in joining the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System

	Man					Woman				
	Age:60	Age:61	Age:62	Age:63	Age:64	Age:60	Age:61	Age:62	Age:63	Age:64
S28/4/2~S29/4/1		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	◎
S29/4/2~S30/4/1		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
S30/4/2~S31/4/1			○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
S31/4/2~S32/4/1			○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
S32/4/2~S33/4/1				○	○	○	○	○	○	○
S33/4/2~S34/4/1				○	○		○	○	○	○
S34/4/2~S35/4/1					○		○	○	○	○
S35/4/2~S36/4/1					○			○	○	○

Note:

1. Notes: 1. If you wish to join the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System, you will be in the Voluntarily and Continuously Insured Persons System (up to 2 years) or the National Health Insurance System until you reach the age of receiving Old-Age Employees' Pension.
2. It is possible to start receiving Old-Age Employees' Pension early at age 60 in order to join the Special-Case Retired Persons Medical Care System, but the amount of pension benefits will be reduced, and the individual will no longer be eligible to receive disability pension.
3. The double circle (◎) stands for Old-Age Employees Pension comprised of the earnings-related component and the fixed component.