

PERA	4.4%	13.0%	20.6%	72.2%
DB/DC Side-by-Side	0.8%	11.7%	20.1%	54.4%
Cash Balance	2.7%	9.1%	17.1%	26.3%
Self-Directed DC	3.0%	10.0%	19.7%	28.3%

PERA Hybrid Defined Benefit Plan

This type of plan blends the defined benefit structure (uses a formula which creates the promised benefit at retirement) and defined contribution features (employer match on a member's account balance, payable at termination or retirement).

Defined Benefit (DB) and Defined Contribution (DC) Side-by-Side Plan

Side-by-Side Plan
This type of plan
provides a smaller
defined benefit and
defined contribution
benefit with the goal
that both benefits
combined will provide
adequate retirement
resources.

Cash Balance Plan This type of plan functions like a defined contribution plan, building a member's account balance yearby-year through the addition of mandated employer and employee contributions as well as

the addition of a

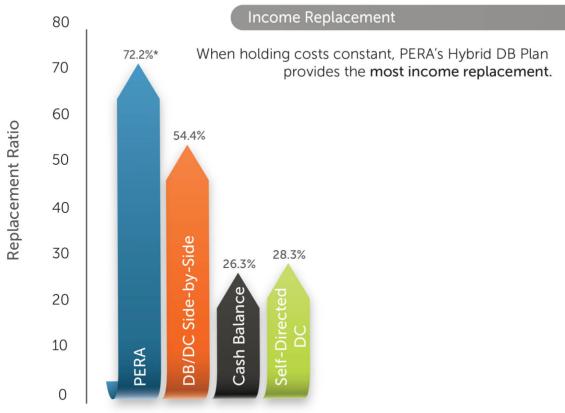
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Self-Directed Defined Contribution (DC) Plan

This type of plan builds a member's account balance year-by-year through the addition of employee contributions with an employer match and grows with actual investment returns.

COMPARED TO OTHER TYPES OF PLANS, PERA'S HYBRID PLAN IS MORE EFFICIENT AND USES DOLLARS MORE EFFECTIVELY



*Assumes age 35 at hire with 30 years of service and retiring at age 65.

