

"I am happy to share with you and all of the retiree leaders that effective October 1, 2016, the 20% AAdvantage Mile redemption program will be expanded to include all retirees as well as parents of both active and retired employees. We are extremely happy that we can extend this program to all of you. This change aligns with the eligibility requirements we currently have in place for the AA20 program. I wanted to provide you with an advanced email as I know that this was important to you. We will be posting a communication on retiree Jetnet around noon today announcing the change. Please hold any of your own communications until information is posted on retiree Jetnet."

Also tickets already purchased with travel after 1 Oct can call the Advantage desk and ask for a refund.

Cari Ulrich, MD Human Resources

From the retiree website:

Mileage Redemption: Yours At 20 Percent Off

Beginning Oct. 1, 2016, retirees are now eligible for a 20 percent mileage discount on select MileSAAver and AAnytime awards for confirmed space travel on flights operated and marketed by American. (Award travel on AAdvantage participating airlines and codeshare flights is not eligible for this offer.) Your spouse/company-recognized domestic partner/registered companion, eligible dependents, and parents listed at D2P (including your in-law(s) if listed as a parent in the Traveler database) are also eligible to save 20 percent on select mileage awards. But note that just like for our customers, award travel is subject to availability.

You'll need an AAdvantage number to benefit from this mileage discount, so if you're not an AAdvantage member yet, join today. With an AAdvantage account, you can earn and redeem miles for airline travel, rental car and hotel rewards, vacation packages, Admirals Club memberships, charitable programs and more.

Additional questions related to employee mileage awards? Check out the complete details on the [Deals & Discounts site](#).

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