







# Four Steps to a Prosperous and Healthy Retirement

**Retirement Planning Workshop** 

Worksheets **Used in Presentation** 

#### **Retirement Resources Inventory**

#### Defined benefit pension plans

Current plan			
Plan name:			
Normal retirement age (NRA):			
Estimated monthly			
retirement income			
• At NRA:			
<ul><li>Reduced for</li></ul>			
spouse's coverage:			
• At early retirement:			
<ul><li>Reduced for</li></ul>			
spouse's coverage:			
Vested benefit from prior employer, if any			
Plan name:			
Normal retirement age (NRA):			
Estimated monthly			
retirement income			
• At NRA:			
<ul> <li>Reduced for</li> </ul>			
spouse's coverage:			
• At early retirement:			
<ul><li>Reduced for</li></ul>			
spouse's coverage:			

#### 401(k) plans/IRAs/Savings

401(k) plans	
Balance current plan: as of:	
Balance other plan: as of:	
Balance other plan: as of:	
IRAs Balance first IRA: as of: Balance second IRA: as of:	
Savings Institution: balance: as of:	
Institution: balance: as of:	
Grand total:	

#### **Notes to the Retirement Resources Inventory**

- Include spouse's benefits, if applicable
- Use extra pages, if necessary.
- For savings, do not include the value of assets that you do not intend to use to generate retirement income. For example, do not include the value of homes, cars, jewelry, etc. *unless* you plan to sell them and use the proceeds to generate retirement income. If this is the case, reduce any sales proceeds by applicable taxes and selling costs.

#### **Optional Preparation**

- Think about what you want to do in retirement and where you want to live. Discuss these issues with your spouse.
- What most people really want is to be happy for their *rest-of-life*, and they think retirement will get them this happiness. What really makes you happy? How much money do you need for that?
- If you have close friends or relatives that are retired and seem happy, ask them what they did to prepare. And what do they do now? They will be glad to share.









## **Estimating Your Total Retirement Income**

Pr	epared on:	
Yo	our current age:	
1.	Desired retirement age	
2.	Years until retirement age	
3.	Estimated Social Security monthly income at retirement age (include spousal benefit)	
4.	Estimated total monthly defined benefit pension*:  Plan 1  Plan 2  Plan 3	
5.	Total monthly draw from savings/401(k) balances (from page 5)	
6.	Other income	
7.	Total monthly income	

<sup>\*</sup>Apply appropriate reduction for spouse's coverage and early retirement









### **Estimating Income From Savings/401(k) Plans**

Desired	retirement age	
balar	l savings/401(k) nces (from Retirement ources Inventory)	
	r factor appropriate for s until retirement (see e 6)	
desir	ected account balance at red retirement age imes (2)	
Simp  N  N  O  II  A  II  II  A  II  II  II  II  I	ected annual income plified approaches: Multiply (3) by .03 if use ncome method Multiply (3) by .04 or 05 for withdrawing ncome plus principal* If you want to buy an unnuity, input item (3) nto calculator at www.immediateannuities.com	
	l monthly income livided by 12	

<sup>\*</sup>Use .03 for retirement in late 50s or early 60s. Use .04 for retirement in mid-60s or after. Use an online calculator for a more refined approach.









### **Factor for Projecting Savings Balances**

Years until	
retirement	Factor
1	1.03
2	1.06
3	1.09
4	1.13
5	1.16
6	1.19
7	1.23
8	1.27
9	1.30
10	1.34
11	1.38
12	1.43
13	1.47
14	1.51
15	1.56
16	1.60
17	1.65
18	1.70
19	1.75
20	1.81
25	2.09
30	2.43

Assumes 3% real growth. In other words, it adjusts for future inflation.









#### **Estimating Your Retirement Expenses**

Regular Expenses	Current Monthly Expenses	Estimated Monthly Retirement Expenses	Periodic Expenses	Current Expenses (Annual)	Estimated Retirement Expenses (Annual)
Mortgage or rent			Property taxes		
Utilities, telephone			Household maintenance		
Groceries			and repair		
Work expenses (commuting, lunches, etc.)			New major household purchases and repairs (appliances, new roof, etc.)		
Entertainment, eating out			Casualty insurance premiums		
Recreation			(auto, home, etc.)		
(boating, hobbies, etc.)			Life, disability, medical		
Clothing			insurance premiums		
Laundry, cleaning			Vacations		
Personal (hair cuts, health club)			Gifts (birthdays,		_
Auto operation			anniversaries, holidays)		
Other transportation			Income taxes (local,		
Education (adult courses)			state, federal)		
Education of children			Legal services		
(college expenses, etc.)			Medical, dental, veterinarian		<del></del>
Donations			Savings/investment deposits		
Support of others			Miscellaneous expenses		
(alimony, elderly relative)			Other:		
Loans (auto, other)					
Regular services (lawn service, etc.)			Total Periodic Expenses	\$	\$
Other:					
Total Regular Expenses	\$	\$			

Total Regular Expenses:	\$	\$
times 12 = Total Annual:	\$	\$
plus Total Periodic Expenses:	\$	\$
equals		
Total Annual Expenses:	\$	\$
	Estimated	Estimated
	Annual Current	Annual Retirement
	Expenses	Expenses

<sup>\*</sup> Assume prices will be the same as they are today.









## **Estimating Your "Replacement Ratio"**

	Current	Retirement
Total Periodic Expenses, plus		
Total Regular Expenses		
Total Annual Expenses		

Your Replacement Ratio =
(Total Annual Retirement Expenses / Total Annual Current Expenses)
How close is it to the simple conventional wisdom?
70% to 100% of your pay before retirement?









## Calculating the Gap Between Your Income and Needs

	Retire at age	Retire at age
1. Annual income needed		
2. Minus Social Security		
3. Minus Pension		
4. Minus Draw from Savings		
5. Equals the Gap in Annual Income		









## **Closing the Gap**

	Retire at age	Retire at age
1. Gap in income needed from item 5, page 9		
2. Factor Use 33 (safest) Use 25 (conservative) Use 20 (most aggressive)		
3. Total additional savings needed at retirement: (1) times (2)		









## **Closing the Gap - Continued**

	Retire at age	Retire at age
Additional savings needed from item 3, page 10		
Years until retirement		
Factor appropriate for years until retirement (see page 12 Savings Accumulation Factor)		
Needed monthly savings: (1) times (3)		









## **Savings Accumulation Factor**

Years until	
retirement	Factor
1	.0820
2	.0404
3	.0265
4	.0196
5	.0154
6	.0127
7	.0107
8	.0092
9	.0081
10	.0071
11	.0064
12	.0058
13	.0052
14	.0048
15	.0044
16	.0041
17	.0038
18	.0035
19	.0033
20	.0030
25	.0022
30	.0017

Assumes 3% real growth. In other words, it adjusts for future inflation. It also assumes monthly contributions.