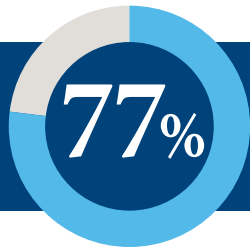


Your retirement confidence can grow — one step at a time.

Money matters. But planning, learning, and reliable income can help turn savings into confidence.



of pre-retirees working with a financial advisor or planner report high preparedness — versus **47%** without one.

BUILD YOUR RETIREMENT READINESS

1

Write it down

Create or update a plan for income, expenses, and assets. A simple written plan is a powerful starting point.

2

Cover the essentials

Estimate housing, food, healthcare, and other must-pay costs. Identify which income sources can reliably cover them.

3

Balance certainty and flexibility

Consider how Social Security, pensions, or annuities can work with savings and investment withdrawals.

4

Ask for guidance

A financial professional can help you compare choices, understand trade-offs, and keep your plan current.

Questions to ask:



Will my reliable income cover basic expenses?



How long could my savings last?



What will I pay in fees?



How much access and control will I keep?