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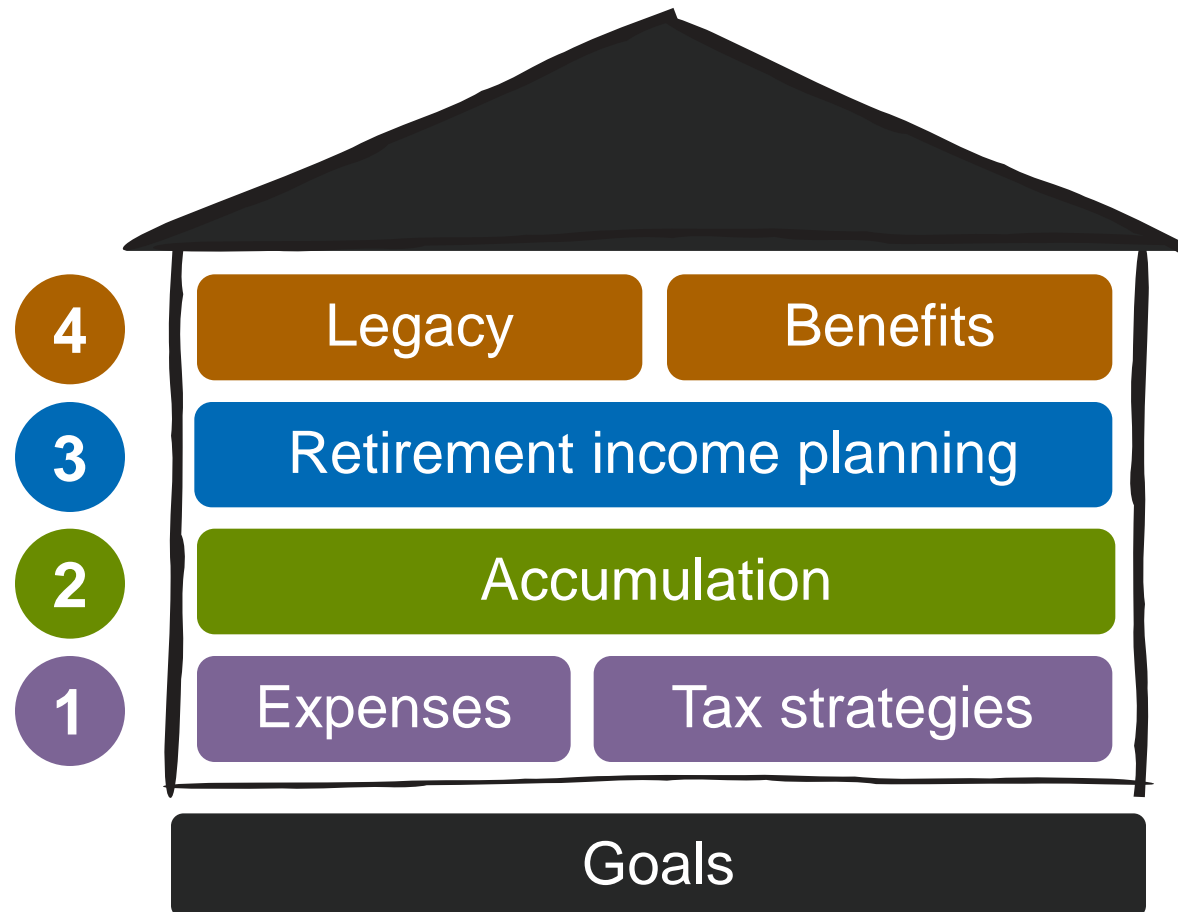
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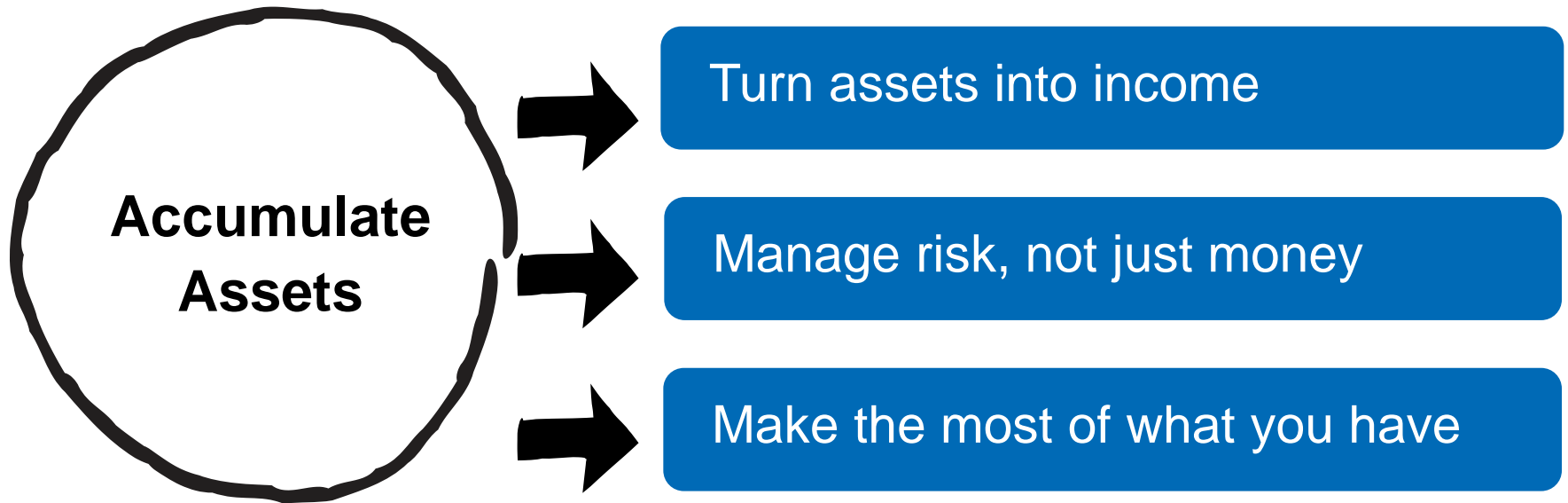
Establishing Your Retirement Income Stream

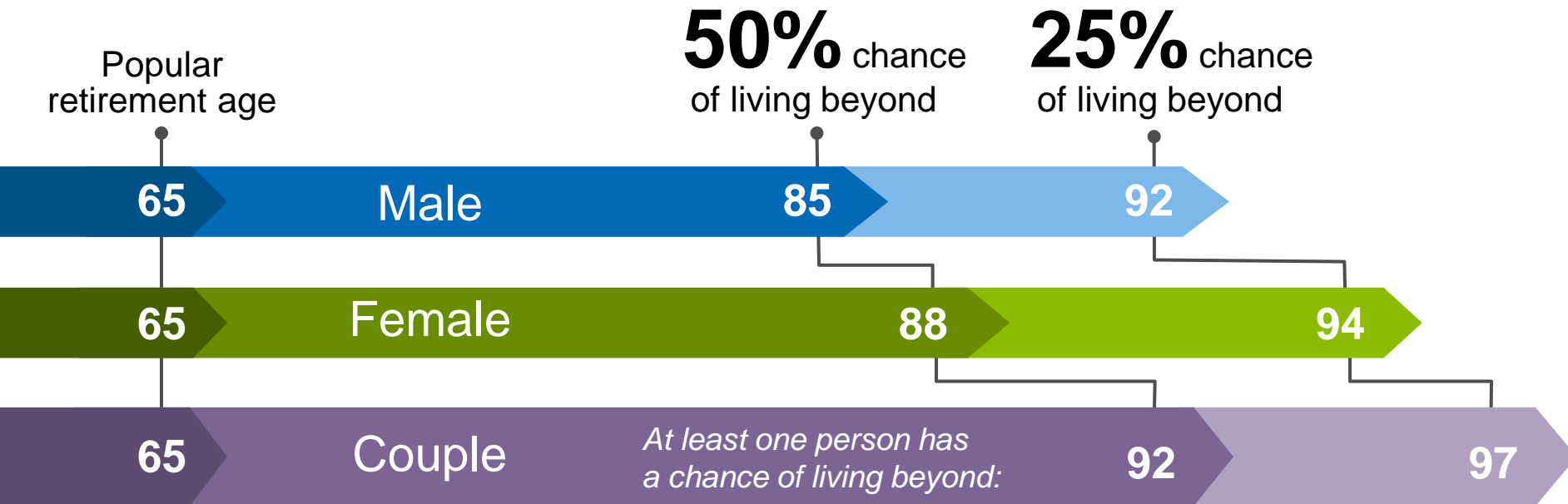
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What is important about  
retirement planning  
to you?







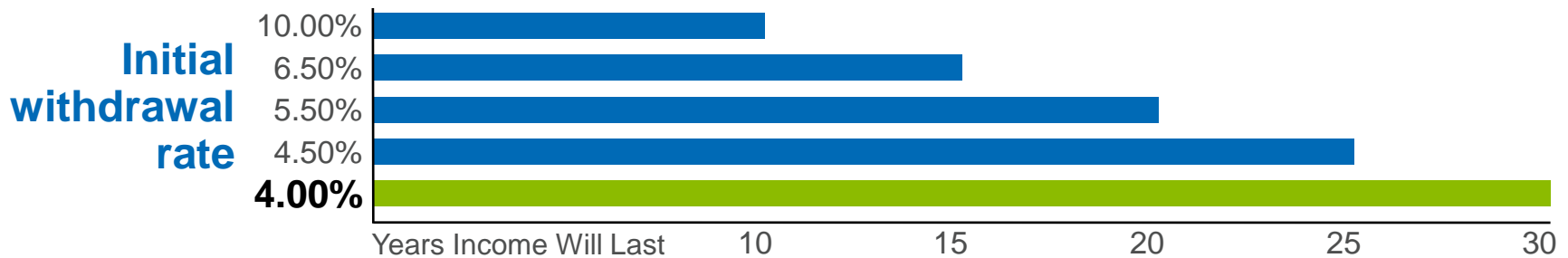


KEY TAKEAWAY

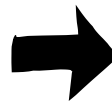


You may have  
a longer retirement  
than you'd think

### 90% probability of success



### KEY TAKEAWAY



**You may not  
be able to take out as  
much of your investments  
as you think**

Source: T. Rowe Price Associates, Inc., 2008. The Monte Carlo simulation used in this example assumes the following: The dollar amount of withdrawals is increased at a rate of 3% per year to account for inflation (historical average from 1926-2006 is 3.07%); the behavior of the hypothetical asset portfolio is based on historical data from Ibbotson Associates: Stock analysis is based on the S&P 500 Composite index. Bond analysis is based on a US Long Term Corporate Bond index. This example uses a hypothetical 60% stock, 40% bond portfolio and the effect 3% inflation-adjusted withdrawal rates have on the end value of the portfolio. We used 5,000 scenarios based on historical averages within the period from 1926 to 2006 to determine how a portfolio might have performed. We reduced the annual performance of the stocks by 1.09%, which we believe is a reasonable assumption for the average fund expenses for equity mutual funds. We reduced the annual performance of the bonds by 0.72%, which we believe is a reasonable assumption for the average fund expenses for bond mutual funds.

Which portfolio, in retirement, has the greatest chance of generating sufficient income in retirement?

Stock/ Bond Mix:	100/0	80/20	60/40	40/60	20/80
At 4% withdrawal rate:	83%	86%	90%	84%	80%

KEY TAKEAWAY



**A moderate portfolio  
with a 4% withdrawal rate has  
the greatest chance of generating  
the income you'll need  
in retirement**

Source: T. Rowe Price Associates, Inc., 2008

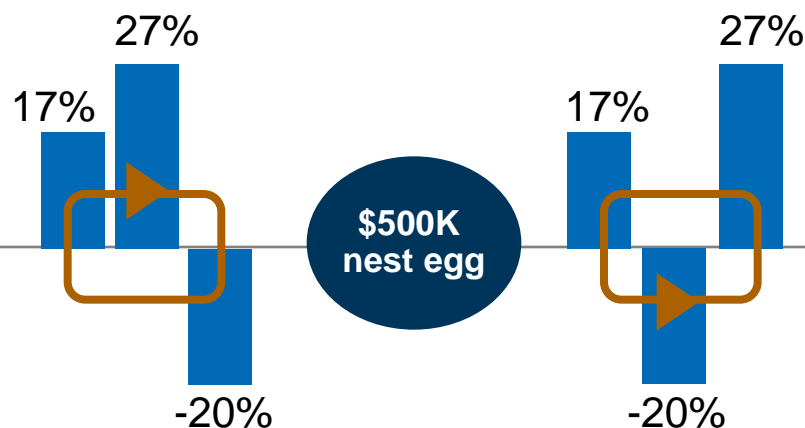
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### The impact of market volatility

**Hypothetical returns based on 3-year cycles for life of investment**

- Moderate portfolio
- \$1,700 monthly withdrawal
- 3% Inflation
- 8% Average rate of return



**KEY TAKEAWAY**



**Nest egg depleted in 30 years**

**Nest egg depleted in 25 years**

Source: Moshe Milevsky, Ph.D.; IFID, a MetLife consultant. Figures, calculations, and graphs are for illustrative purposes only. They are based on hypothetical rates of return and do not represent investment in any specific product. They may not be used to predict or project investment performance. Unless noted, charges and expenses and the effect of taxes that would be associated with an actual investment are not reflected. Assumptions: Hypothetical return of 17%, 27% and -20% in 3 year cycles for life of investment (left side chart) and 17%, -20% and 27% in 3 year cycles (right side chart). Hypothetical investment management fee of 2.05% (0.8% fund company management fee and 1.25% WRAP fee for both left and right charts).



Initial Portfolio Value: \$500,000

Age	Year	Negative Returns First		Positive Returns First	
		Rate of Return	Portfolio Value	Rate of Return	Portfolio Value
65	1	-7.00%	\$ 432,450	16.10%	\$ 539,870
66	2	-7.00%	\$ 368,652	16.10%	\$ 584,940
67	3	-7.00%	\$ 308,314	16.10%	\$ 636,011
68	4	9.20%	\$ 294,915	9.20%	\$ 652,784
69	5	9.20%	\$ 279,030	9.20%	\$ 669,823
70	6	9.20%	\$ 260,393	9.20%	\$ 687,139
71	7	9.20%	\$ 238,722	9.20%	\$ 704,719
72	8	16.10%	\$ 227,182	-7.00%	\$ 615,356
73	9	16.10%	\$ 212,285	-7.00%	\$ 531,048
74	10	16.10%	\$ 193,445	-7.00%	\$ 451,404
Average Annualized Return		6.00%		6.00%	
Value at End of 10 Years		\$ 193,445		\$ 451,404	

Source: ChartSource®, S&P Capital IQ Financial Communications. **This example is hypothetical and for illustrative purposes only.** It assumes a 7% annual withdrawal based on the starting account value, adjusted thereafter for 3% annual inflation. This hypothetical example is for illustrative purposes only and does not represent the performance of any actual investment. Actual investing includes fees and other expenses that may result in lower returns than this hypothetical example. Your results will vary. Copyright © 2013, S&P Capital IQ Financial Communications. All Rights Reserved. Not responsible for any errors or omissions.

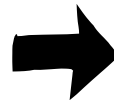
Unexpected events  
can greatly impact  
retirement plans



Running out of money in  
retirement is one of the  
top concerns  
of retirees



KEY TAKEAWAY



Insuring against  
some unexpected events  
can help keep your  
nest egg intact

Long term care is the care you need when you are **unable to independently care for yourself**

The need of a caregiver to **assist you with everyday activities** like bathing and dressing

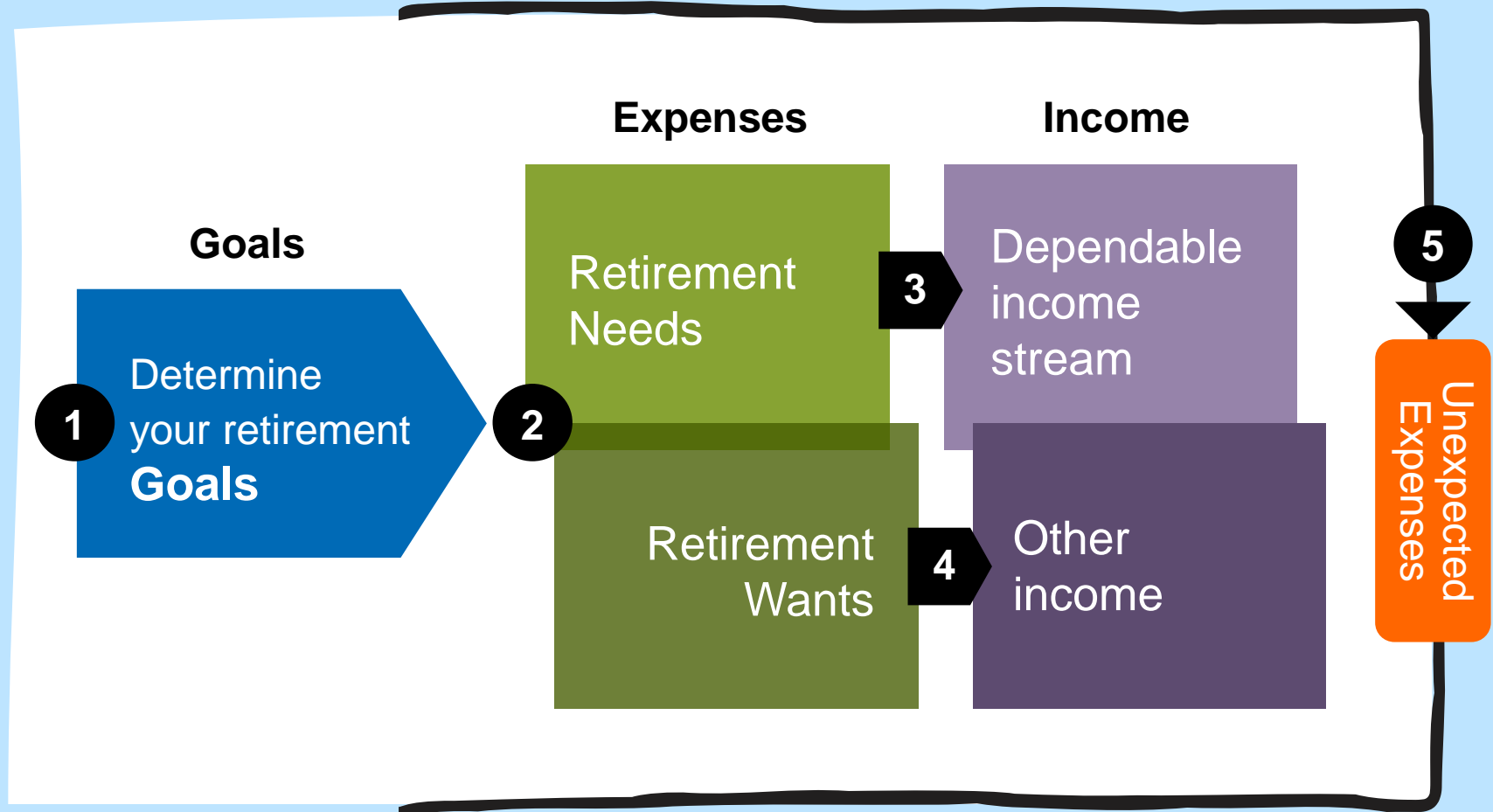
Long term care poses a unique risk because the costs can be very high and it is not typically covered by traditional health insurance plans, HMO Plans or disability income insurance

KEY TAKEAWAY



**The cost of long term care services can deplete your income and savings, even before you retire**

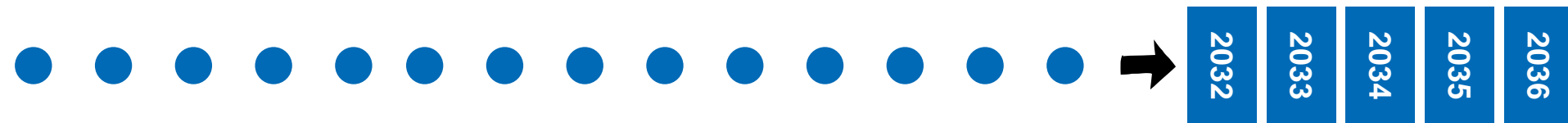
# Retirement income planning process



Are you within  
5 years of retirement?



Are you 6 to 15 years  
from retirement?



Are you 16+ years  
from retirement?

How do you want your retirement **to look?**

How do you want **to live?**

What do you want **to accomplish?**

What about your **legacy?**

How will your expenses  
change to position yourself  
to meet those goals?

#### Envision Your Retirement — Part B

The following questions may help make your vision of retirement more tangible. They are geared to help put perspective on the things that are important to you and help you to achieve these goals as you move forward with your retirement planning.

##### PLACE

1. When you retire, do you plan on living where you are or do you plan to relocate?

- ☐ Remain where I am
- ☐ Move within the same community to a different home
- ☐ Move to a different location (i.e., near children, grandchildren, etc)
- ☐ 50+ community
- ☐ Other

2. What type of home environment do you plan on living in?

- ☐ House
- ☐ Apartment, condo
- ☐ 50+ community
- ☐ Other

4. What are your travel plans? What annual travel costs do you anticipate?

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5. As you look ahead, does your vision of the right place for you offer you the right climate, adequate transportation, healthcare services, and feelings of safety?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

6. If your health were to affect your lifestyle later



# Budget exercise

## MONTHLY EXPENSES

	Current		Retirement	
	Needs	Wants	Needs	Wants
<b>Housing and Related Expenses</b>				
Rent / mortgage				
Condo / association fees				
Heat / AC / electric				
Phone (home and cell)				
Water / sewer / garbage				
Property taxes				
Homeowners insurance				
Property care (lawn, etc.)				
Home maintenance (repairs, etc.)				
Cable TV / internet				
Other:				
Housing Totals:				
<b>Transportation Expenses</b>				
Car payments / lease				
License / registration / maint.				
Gasoline				
Auto insurance				
Parking / bus / train / air / taxi, etc.				
Other:				
Transportation Totals:				
<b>Personal Expenses</b>				
Groceries / dining out / takeout				
Personal care (e.g., hairdresser)				
Clothing / shoes				
Exercise / hobbies / clubs				
Vacation / leisure / entertainment				
Education (you / spouse / children)				
Debts (other than car / mortgage)				
Charitable donations				
Gifts to children / grandchildren				
Gifts to others				
Savings				
Federal income tax				
State income tax				
Other:				
Personal Totals:				
<b>Medical Expenses / Insurance Premiums</b>				
Out-of-pocket medical				
Out-of-pocket prescriptions				
Out-of-pocket eye care / glasses				
In-home care services				
Health Insurance Premiums (Medicaid / Medicare)				
Long-Term Care Insurance Premiums				
Life Insurance Premiums				
Disability Income Insurance Premiums				
Other:				
Medical / Insurance Totals:				
Total Monthly Expenses:				

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**Expenses**

Retirement  
**NEEDS**



**Income**

**DEPENDABLE**  
Income Sources



## **Dependable income sources**

- Social Security
- Defined benefit or pension plan

## **Create dependable income sources**

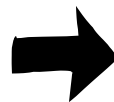
- CD Ladders
- Bond Ladders
- Annuities

- The traditional guaranteed income source
- Benefits are based on your earnings
- All covered workers will receive guaranteed payments for life depending on what age they choose to retire
- Benefits can begin at age 62 but will be at a reduced level
- For 2016, there will be no cost of living adjustment (COLA)



[www.SocialSecurity.gov](http://www.SocialSecurity.gov)

KEY TAKEAWAY



**If you delay taking benefits until your “normal retirement age” or even later, you can receive higher payments**

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016

## Your Estimated Benefits

**\*Retirement** You have earned enough credits to qualify for benefits. At your current earnings rate, if you stop working and start receiving benefits...

At age 62, your payment would be about .....	\$ 1,064 a month
If you continue working until...	
your full retirement age (67 years), your payment would be about.....	\$ 1,543 a month
age 70, your payment would be about .....	\$ 1,924 a month

By starting at age 62..... \$ 1,064

Benefit at full retirement age of 67..... \$ 1,543

By waiting to age 70..... \$ 1,924

By delaying your payments for 8 years, you would receive an extra \$860 dollars monthly for the rest of your life

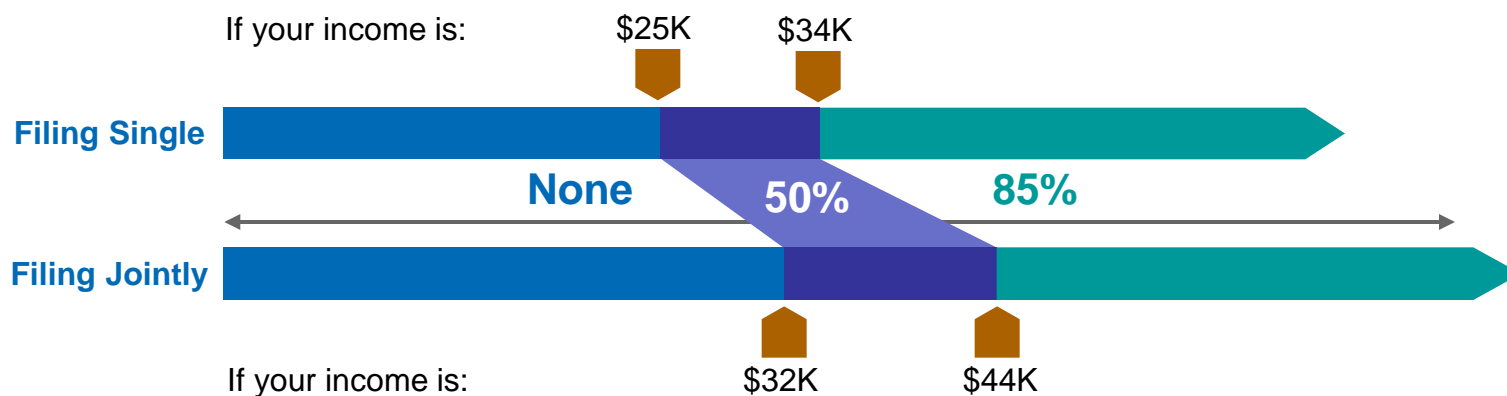
## If your provisional income is:

### Filing Single

### Filing Jointly

below <b>\$25,000</b>	below <b>\$32,000</b>	<b>None</b> of your Social Security benefit is taxed
from <b>\$25,000-\$34,000</b>	from <b>\$32,000-\$44,000</b>	<b>Up to 50%</b> of your benefit is taxable
more than <b>\$34,000</b>	more than <b>\$44,000</b>	<b>Up to 85%</b> of your benefit is taxable

## Percent of Your Social Security Benefit that May Be Taxable



Source: Social Security Administration, 12/2016

If you are:	Based on 2016 limits, you can earn:	Over that amount, \$1 of Social Security benefits is lost for:
Under full retirement age	15,720	Every \$2 you earn
At the <b>year</b> you reach your full retirement age	41,880	Every \$3 you earn
At the <b>month</b> you reach your full retirement age	No limit	There is no loss of benefit

## KEY TAKEAWAY



**If you have earned  
income after your Social  
Security benefits begin, your  
Social Security payments  
can be reduced**

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016

Do you have a plan  
at a former employer?

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Have your beneficiaries changed?

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Have you considered  
survivorship benefits?



## **Dependable income sources**

- Social Security
- Defined benefit or pension plan

## **Create dependable income sources**

- CD Ladders
- Bond Ladders
- Annuities

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Bond matures in 1 year

Bond matures in 2 years

Bond matures in 3 years

To help minimize exposure to interest rate fluctuations, investors purchase bonds that mature at staggered future dates

Use proceeds from Bond to purchase another

Use proceeds of Bond to purchase another

For illustrative purposes only.



Annuity — A tax-deferred contract sold by an insurance company that can **provide an income for a specified time period**, such as a number of years or for life

Annuities are  
a way to provide  
guaranteed  
lifetime income

Two  
types of  
annuities

Immediate

Deferred

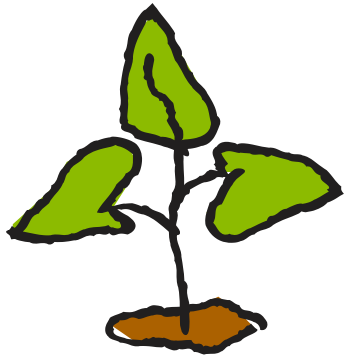
Two  
types of  
annuity  
returns

Fixed

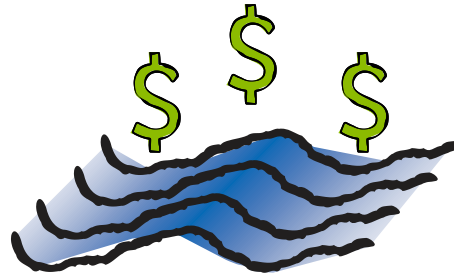
Variable

Guarantees are based on the financial strength and claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company.

Many variable annuities also have **optional living benefit riders available for an additional cost** that can help provide a steady stream of income despite market risk



An income benefit rider can **give your assets potential to grow** if the market goes up



However, if the market goes down, an income benefit rider **can provide you with a steady stream of income** for retirement

It is possible to lose money in a variable annuity even with a protection benefit rider.  
Optional riders may be irrevocable and expire without use.

**Variable annuities are offered by prospectus only, which is available from your registered representative. You should carefully consider the product's features, risks, charges and expenses, and the investment objectives, risks and policies of the underlying portfolios, as well other information about the underlying funding choices. This and other information is available in the prospectus, which you should read carefully before investing. Product availability and features may vary by state. All product guarantees are based on the financial strength and claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company.**

**The amounts allocated to the variable investment options of your account balance are subject to market fluctuations so that, when withdrawn or annuitized, it may be worth more or less than its original value. It is possible to lose money in a variable annuity even with a protection benefit rider. Optional riders may be irrevocable and expire without use.**

## Expenses

Retirement  
**NEEDS**



## Income

**DEPENDABLE**  
Income Sources

Retirement  
**WANTS**



**OTHER**  
Income Sources

## Action

## Tax Effect

Withdrawing money from a retirement account other than a Roth IRA

### **Withdrawal after age 59½**

Withdrawal is subject to ordinary income tax rate

### **Withdrawal before age 59½**

Withdrawal is generally subject to ordinary income tax rate plus a 10% penalty

Transferring your retirement account at work to an IRA when you change jobs

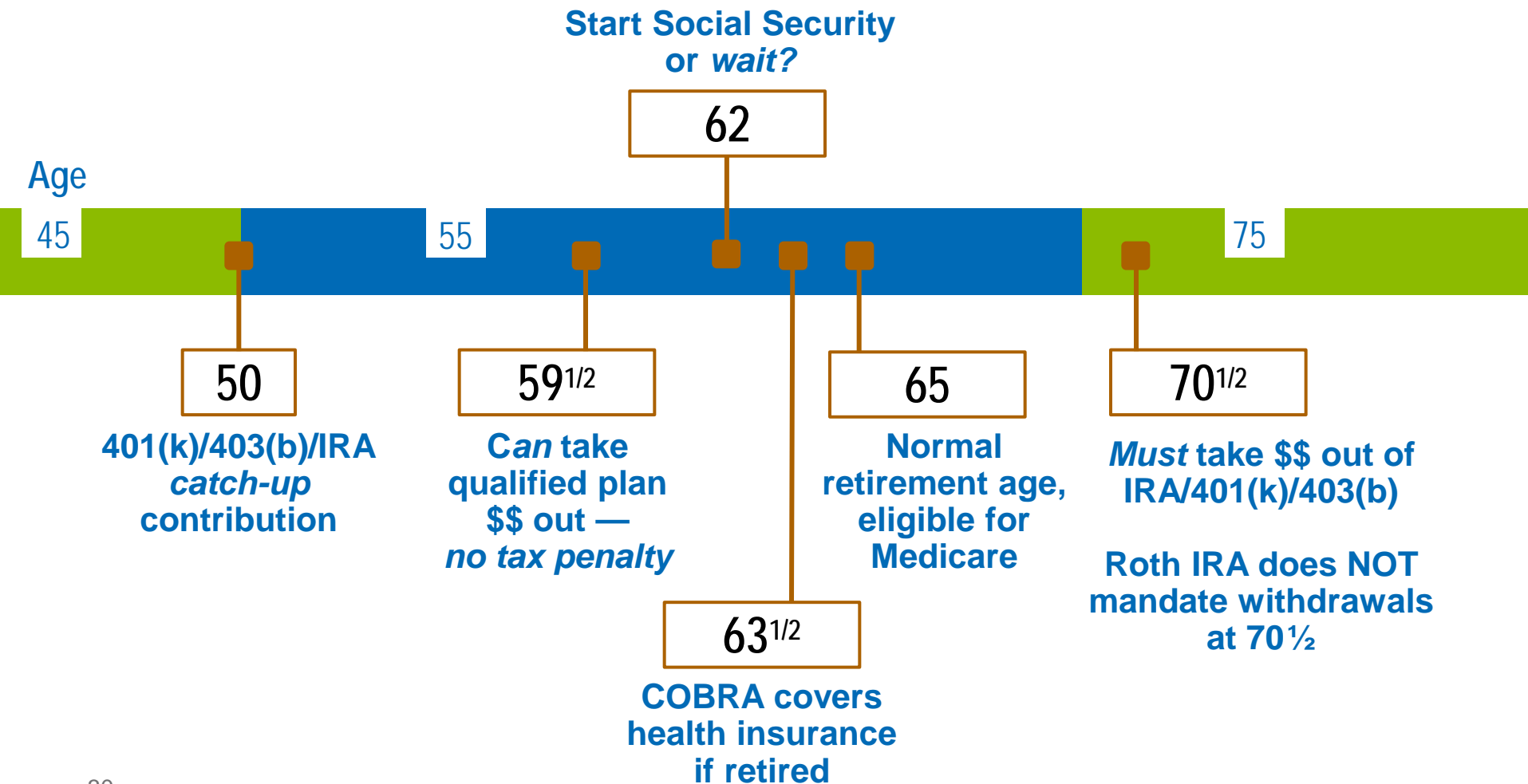
### **A qualified rollover (assuming tax law requirements are met)**

Retirement savings continue to grow with no tax or penalty until you take withdrawals from your IRA

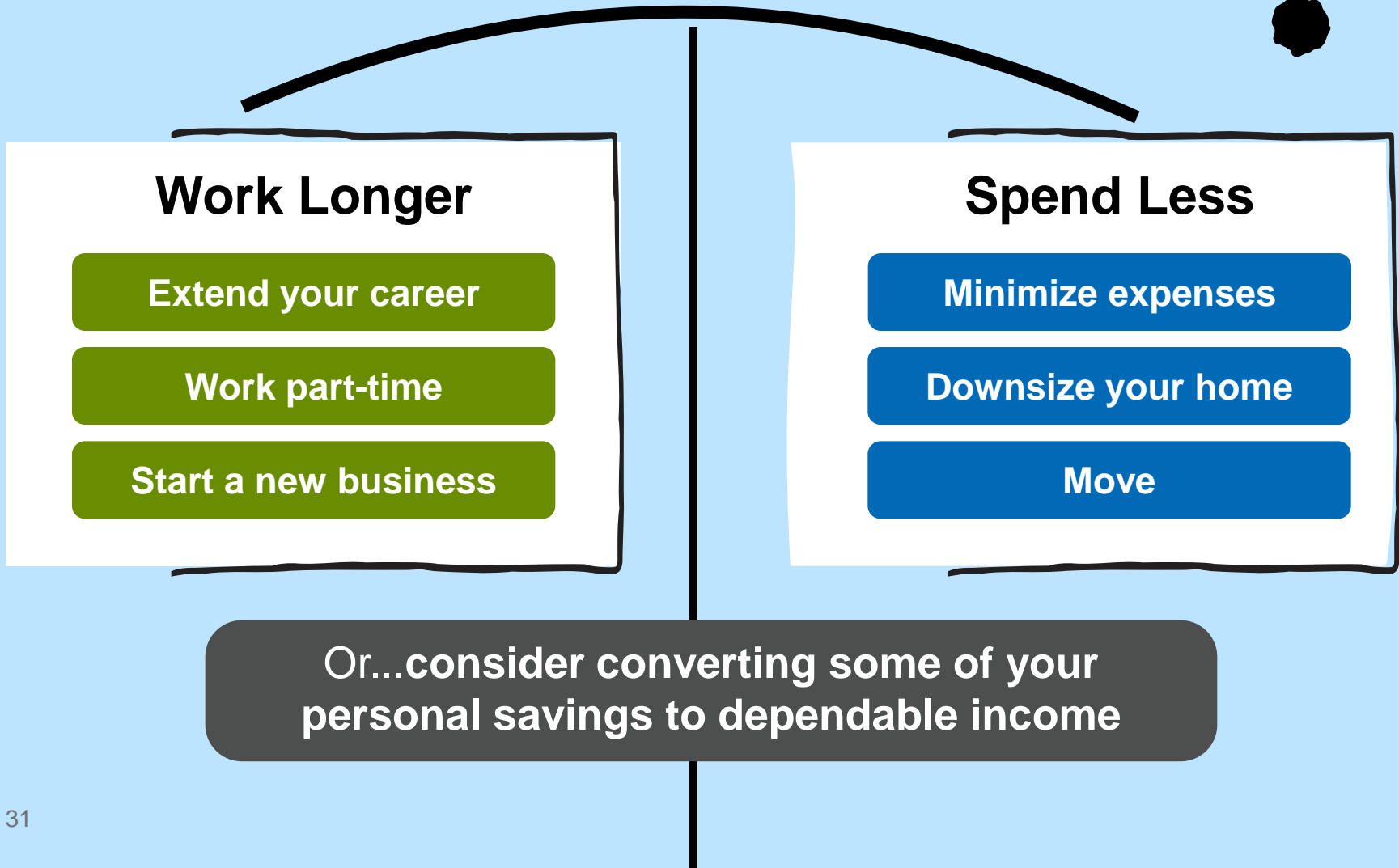
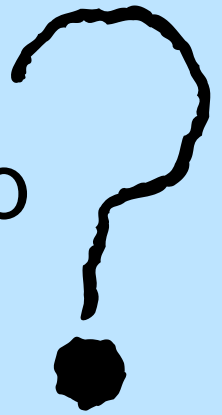
KEY TAKEAWAY



**To avoid paying unnecessary taxes, your tax-deferred income sources must be handled carefully at withdrawal**



# What if you still have an income gap?



## What investment solutions might be included in your income strategy ?



**Stocks, bonds, etc.**



**Variable annuity**



**Fixed annuities**

Access to your money with market participation but no guarantees —

With income guarantees

Guaranteed stream of income but limited access to your cash balance with no market participation

**Most Flexibility**

**Most Guarantees**

Guarantees are based on the financial strength and claims paying ability of the issuing insurance company





**Systematic  
Withdrawals**

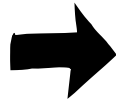


**Annuitization**





**Longevity**



How long your assets last depends on your withdrawal rate and the size of your nest egg

**Withdrawal Rate  
& Timing Risk**



You choose your investments and control your withdrawal rate, but they can be affected by market volatility

**Inflation**



You can increase your withdrawal rate to deal with a loss of purchasing power for as long as your nest egg lasts

**The Unexpected**



You have liquidity to deal with unplanned events for as long as your nest egg lasts



**Longevity**



Provides guaranteed income that can last a lifetime\*

**Withdrawal Rate  
& Timing Risk**



Market conditions have no effect on your dependable, consistent payments

**Inflation**



Often does not provide inflation adjustment to dependable income

**The Unexpected**



While you have guaranteed monthly income, generally there is limited or no flexibility

\*All guarantees are based upon the financial strength and claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company.

## Hypothetical example:

You have \$500K savings available for retirement

You need \$55K per year to cover retirement expenses

You have \$37K of dependable income (\$27K social security + \$10K pension)

You need to create \$18K per year

**Systematic withdrawal**  
from savings

Full flexibility

No dependability

**Annuity**

Joint & survivor payout once  
annuitization is elected

Full dependability

No flexibility

Guarantees based on financial strength and claims paying ability of the issuing insurance company.  
Illustration does not take into account any taxes or fees which will reduce cash payments.

Full flexibility

Full dependability

No dependability

No flexibility

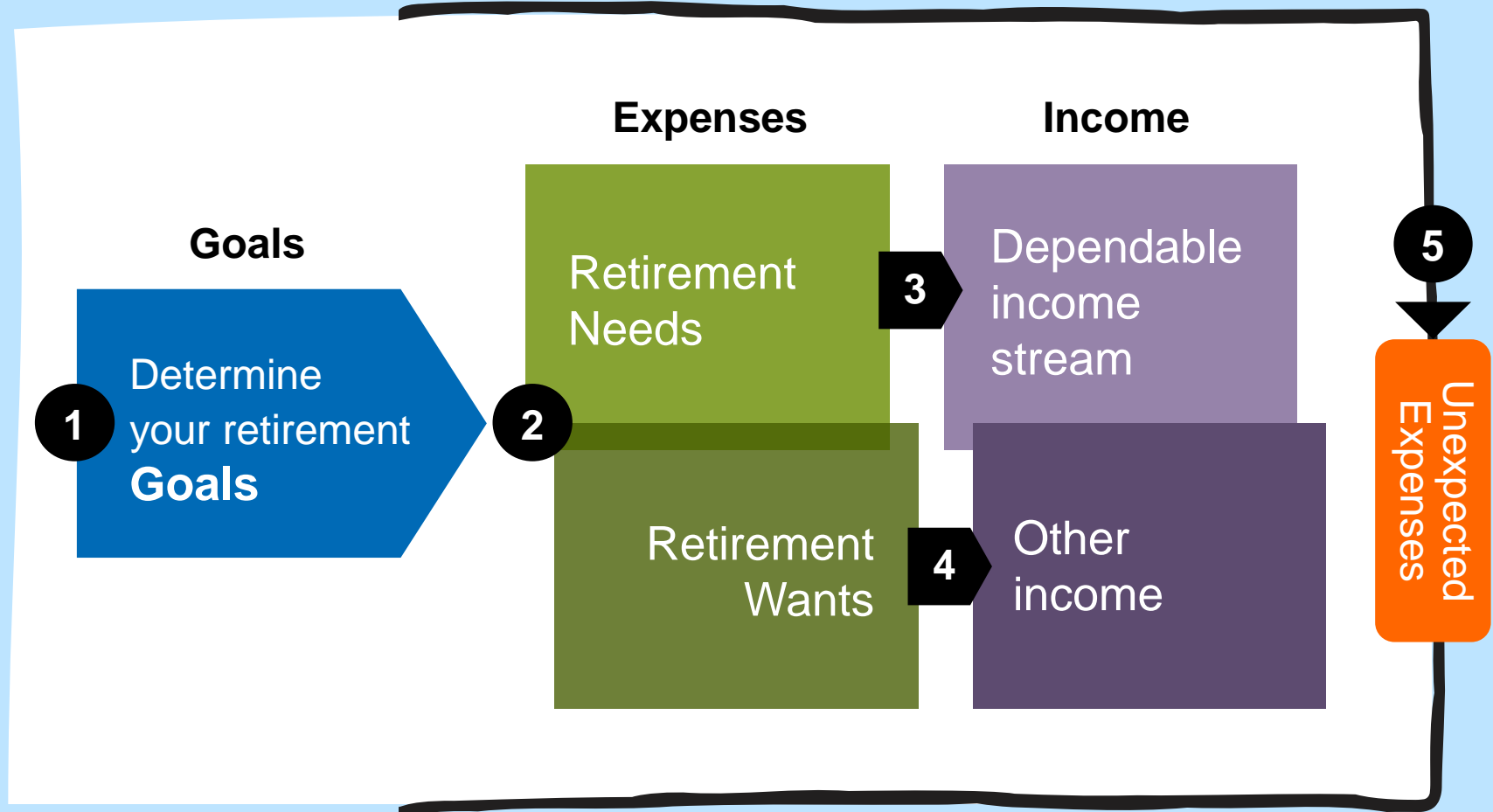
**Traditional  
Investments**



**Annuity Income**

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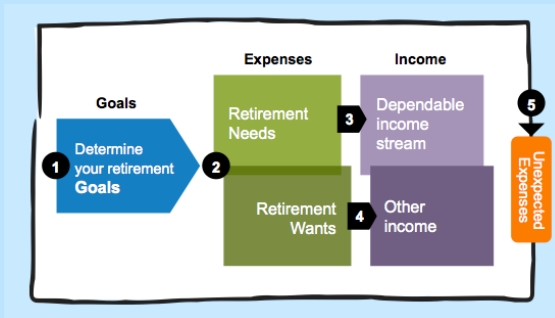
# Retirement income planning process



# Today's **key learnings**

Your ***“needs”*** should be covered by **income sources that last a lifetime**

Your **income allocation** will help you cover both your ***“needs”*** and ***“wants”***



There's an easy **5-step process** to help you get where you're going

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