

# 12-Point Retirement Readiness Inspection

A Personalized Guide by Future U Financial

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# Your 12-Point Retirement Readiness Checklist

#### 1. Income Plan

Do you have a strategy for generating income throughout retirement?

 $\rightarrow$  I'm not sure where my money will come from once the paychecks stop.

## 2. Expense Tracking

Are you clear on your monthly and annual spending needs?

→ I don't know how much I'll need each month — or how long my savings will last.

#### 3. Inflation Protection

Does your plan account for rising costs over time?

→ What if my retirement income doesn't keep up with rising prices?

## 4. Healthcare Coverage

Have you planned for Medicare, supplemental insurance, and long-term care?

→ Medical bills could wipe out my nest egg if I'm not properly covered.

## 5. Tax Strategy

Are you minimizing taxes on Social Security, IRA withdrawals, and investments?

 $\rightarrow$  I've saved diligently, but I might lose more than I should to taxes.

# 6. Social Security Timing

Have you optimized when and how to claim your benefits?

ightarrow I don't know when to file — and I'm worried about leaving money on the table.

#### 7. Investment Allocation

Is your portfolio aligned with your retirement timeline and risk tolerance?

 $\rightarrow$  I'm not sure if my portfolio is too risky — or too conservative.

## 8. Withdrawal Strategy

Do you have a sequence for pulling from accounts (e.g., taxable, tax-deferred, Roth)?

→ What's the smartest order to pull money from my accounts?

## 9. Estate Planning

Are your wills, powers of attorney, and beneficiaries up to date?

→ I haven't updated my will — and I'm unsure who gets what.

## 10. Emergency Fund

Do you have reserves for unexpected expenses?

→ What if my water heater breaks, or I need a new roof — where will that money come from?

## 11. Debt Management

Is high-interest debt under control or eliminated?

→ I still have credit cards and a car loan — will that derail my retirement?

## 12. Lifestyle Goals

Have you defined what a meaningful retirement looks like to you?

 $\rightarrow$  I haven't thought about what retirement looks like — just how to afford it.

## Ready to take the next step?

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