## 2022 · WHAT ISSUES SHOULD I CONSIDER AT THE START OF THE YEAR?



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you need to assess the progress you made toward your als last year? If so, consider the following:			If you are married and your spouse does not have earned income, explore spousal IRA options.
Review and compare your financial models, comparing a snapshot of where you are today to last year and/or a prior time. Inventory your recent accomplishments to identify what strategies worked well.			<b>Do you need to confirm that you are adequately saving toward your goals?</b> If so, review your target savings and funding rates. If you fully fund some goals early in the year, continue saving toward other goals.
ave you identified new goals for this year or the future? so, assign a priority and time horizon, and incorporate them into our overall plan.			Do you have funds left in your FSA from last year? If so, consider spending such funds before the expiration of any grace period.
are there any life events that are likely to occur for yourself or our immediate family this year (e.g., move, marriage, birth, igher education, job change, retirement, illness, death)?			<ul> <li>Are you subject to taking RMDs (inherited IRA or age 72 or older)? If so, consider the following:</li> <li>■ If you are charitably inclined and age 70½ or older, you can do a QCD to satisfy your RMD. Note the "first dollars out" rule.</li> </ul>
o you need to confirm whether you or any family members vill reach a milestone age this year? If so, reference the mportant Milestones" guide.			■ Time the satisfaction of your RMD to support your goals, and be sure to review your withholdings.
are you concerned about any variables or circumstances that			Do you make annual gifts? If so, make a plan to fund strategically, and track the use of your annual exclusion amount for
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Do you need to review your asset location across the account in your portfolio? If so, consider holding tax-efficient investments in taxable accounts, and tax-inefficient investments in tax-prefaccounts.	ents	
If you have a mortgage, should you explore refinancing?		
Are there debts that you would like to eliminate this year? strategically target debts with the least favorable terms first.	If so,	
Are you a co-signer/guarantor on any loans/agreements? If check in with the other interested parties to confirm the terms payment history, current status, etc.		
Will you potentially need to borrow funds this year?		
Do you need to review your credit report/score?		
Do you need to freeze your credit?		
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create a harvesting strategy?

١	INSURANCE ISSUES	YES	NO
	Do you expect any changes with regard to your health or medical treatments? If so, consider reviewing your health insurance coverage and alternate options.		
>	Do you need to review your life insurance coverage?		
>	Do you need new or increased disability insurance coverage?		
>	Is it time to explore (or review existing) LTC insurance?		
	Have you made any improvements to your property or acquired new valuables? If so, consider reviewing your property insurance (homeowners, renters, etc.), increasing coverage and/or adding riders as appropriate.		
١	LEGAL ISSUES	YES	NO
$\sum_{i=1}^{n}$	Do you need to review your estate plan?  Do you need to review the titling/ownership of your assets?		
	<ul> <li>Are you, or will you be, serving as a fiduciary? If so, consider the following:</li> <li>Review your duties and your performance to ensure that you are upholding applicable standards.</li> <li>If you are an Executor or Trustee of an irrevocable trust, consider whether a distribution and election under the 65-Day Rule would be prudent.</li> </ul>		
	Have any new laws gone into effect that might impact your financial plan? If so, consider how your saving strategies, income tax situation, estate plan, etc. might have been affected and what steps might be necessary.		
}	Are you subject to any new contracts/agreements, or did any such arrangements expire?		
	If you own a business, are there any changes on the horizon this year?		
_	Are there any state-specific issues to consider?		