



### **POPULAR WORKSHOP TOPICS**

### **TAXES & THE IRS**

- WHERE DO OUR TAXES GO?
- Do I NEED A TAX ADVISOR?
- TAX AVOIDANCE
- TAX-FREE SAVINGS
- TAX-DEFERRAL VS. TAX-DEDUCTIBLE VS. TAX-FREE
- TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT OF 2017

### FINANCIAL PITFALLS

- Lack of Plan or Inadequate Plan
- IMPROPER DEBT MANAGEMENT
- LACK OF ESTATE PLAN
- Lack of tax planning strategy
- BUYING ADVICE OVER THE INTERNET
- LACK OF EXIT STRATEGY

### **RETIREMENT PLANNING**

- How not to outlive your money
- RUNNING THE RETIREMENT MARATHON
- HOW TAXES AND INFLATION IMPACT RETIREMENT
- EXIT STRATEGIES
- RMDs
- STRETCH IRAS
- LONG-TERM CARE CONSIDERATIONS

### **FINANCIAL TRANSITIONS**

- BUDGETING FOR CHANGES
- SURVIVAL GUIDE
- TSP/IRA/401(k) PLANNING
- BENEFIT PLANNING
- RETIREMENT
- PUBLIC SERVICE LOAN FORGIVENESS

### **FINANCIAL FITNESS**

- CASH FLOW MANAGEMENT
- BASICS OF TAX PLANNING
- CREATING A FINANCIAL ROAD MAP
- INTRODUCTION TO ESTATE PLANNING
- OVERCOMING OBSTACLES TO CREATING WEALTH
- MAXIMIZE SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT PLANS

### **COLLEGE PLANNING 101**

- THE MYTH ABOUT FINANCIAL AID
- SOURCES OF MONEY
- NEED-BASED VS. NON NEED-BASED
- COLLEGE FUNDING VS. FINANCIAL AID
- ADVICE
- THE REWARD

#### **MAXIMIZING YOUR FINANCIAL PLAN**

- MACRO MANAGER
- FINANCIAL PLANNER
- COMMON FINANCIAL MYTHS
- THE RULES OF THE GAME ARE CHANGING
- EXIT STRATEGIES
- WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE

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- LIVING WITH A DISABLED PERSON
- DISABLED DEPENDENTS
- WORKING AND RECEIVING BENEFITS
- RESOURCE LEVELS
- APPLYING FOR AND MAINTAINING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY





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## FINANCIAL PLANNING IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

- BUDGETING FOR CHANGE
- RETIREMENT HORIZONS
- TSP PLANNING
- BENEFIT PLANNING
- EXIT STRATEGIES

### SOCIAL SECURITY 101

- UNDERSTANDING THE BASICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY
- How to optimize your benefits
- ADVANTAGES OF APPLYING AFTER FULL RETIREMENT AGE
- How are your benefits calculated?
- How cost-of-living adjustments AFFECT YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

## ADVANCED SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING

- How cost-of-living adjustments AFFECT YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY
- BREAKEVEN ANALYSIS: SHOULD YOU COLLECT AT AGE 62, 66, OR 70?
- How are your benefits calculated?
- How to collect IRAs & LET YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY GROW 8% PER YEAR
- DELAYED RETIREMENT CREDITS: GUARANTEED 8% FOR 4 OR 8 YEARS

### IRA, TSP, & 401 K ROLLOVERS

- CONSOLIDATING ASSETS
- IRS SECTION 525
- ACCESSING YOUR RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS FOR CURRENT NEEDS
- SAVING/AVOIDING TAXES
- Leaving IRAs Behind/STRETCH IRA

### PUBLIC SERVICE STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM

- How to qualify for the program
- WHAT IS QUALIFYING EMPLOYMENT?
- THE TYPES OF FEDERAL LOANS THAT QUALIFY
- REPAYMENT PLANS
- How to APPLY

### LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE

- LTC BY THE NUMBERS
- FEDERAL LTC PROGRAM
- ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING
- QUALIFYING FOR LOW/NO-COST COVERAGE
- LTC INSURANCE ALTERNATIVES
- MEDICAID PLANNING
- LTC DURING RETIREMENT