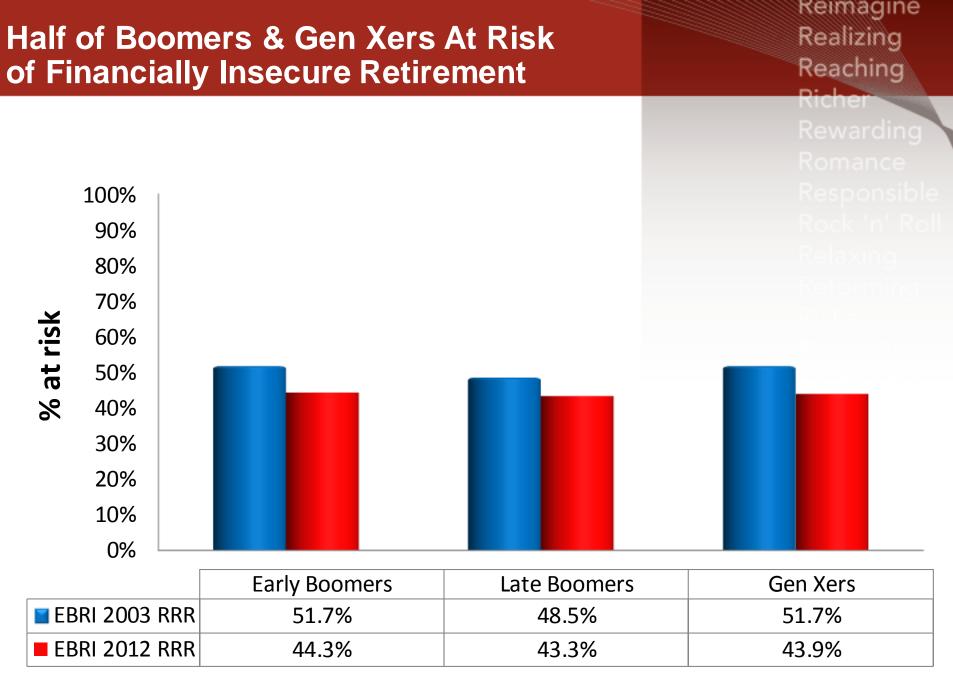
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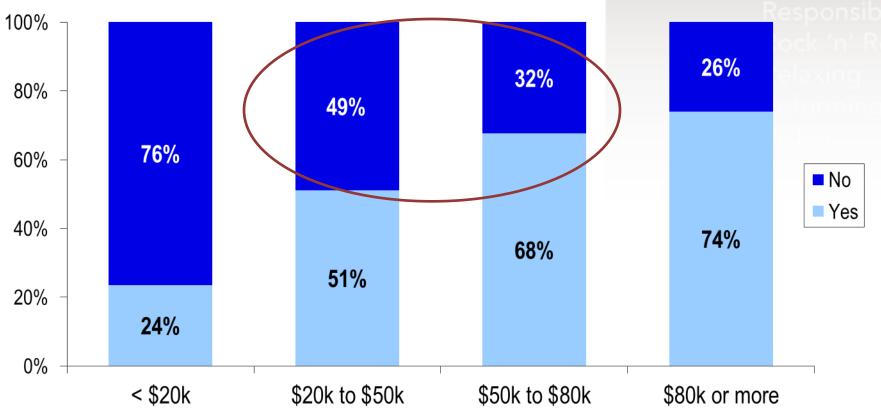
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Source: EBRI Retirement Readiness Rating™: 2003 vs. 2012

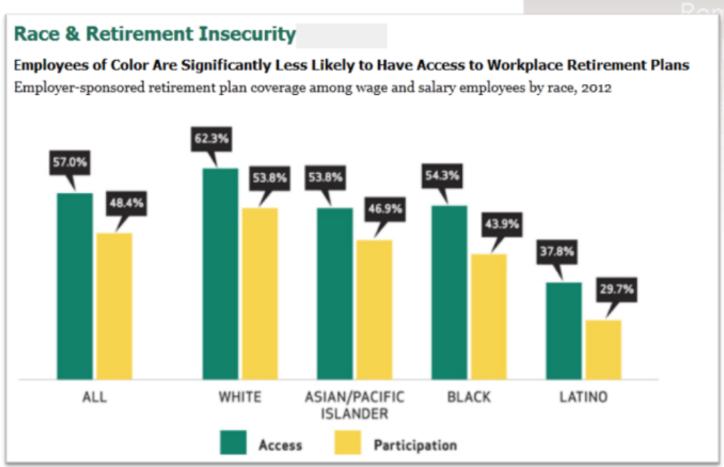
U.S. PRIVATE SECTOR WORKERS: Does your employer offer a pension or retirement plan? By Personal Annual Income



Source: NCPERS, Analysis of Current Population Survey, March 2011 Supplement

Key Determinants: Ethnicity

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Key Determinants: Age

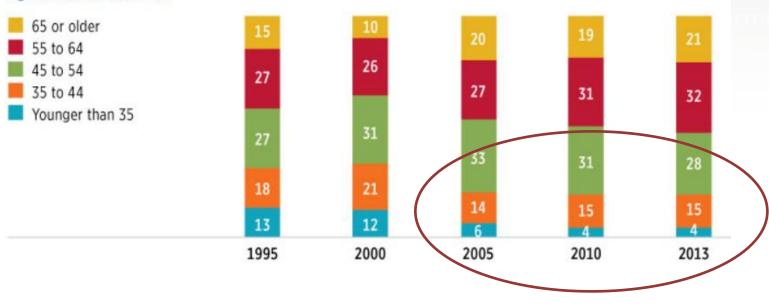
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Mutual Fund Assets by Age Group

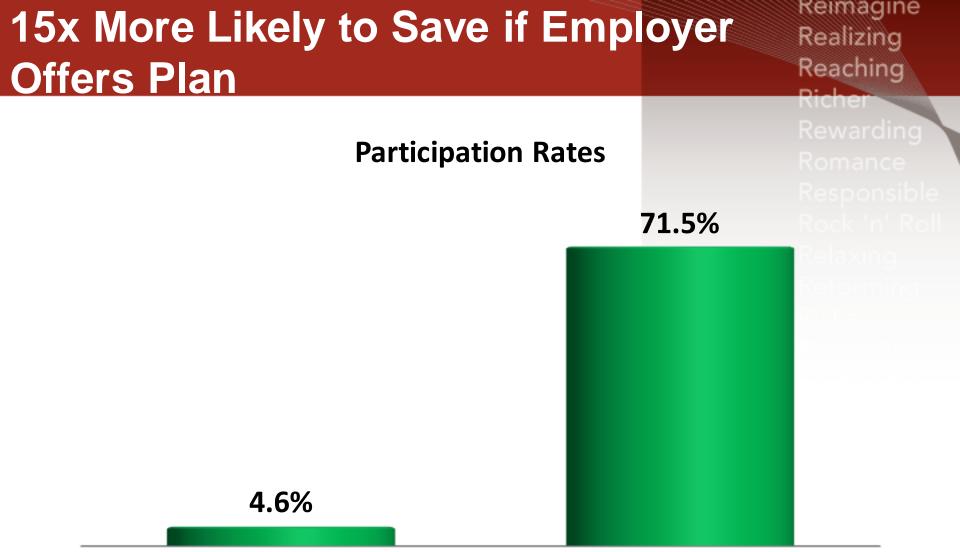
Percentage of households' mutual fund assets, selected years

Age of head of household



Note: Age is based on the age of the sole or co-decisionmaker for household saving and investing.

Source: ICI



Not covered by an Employer Plan - Deductible IRA Only

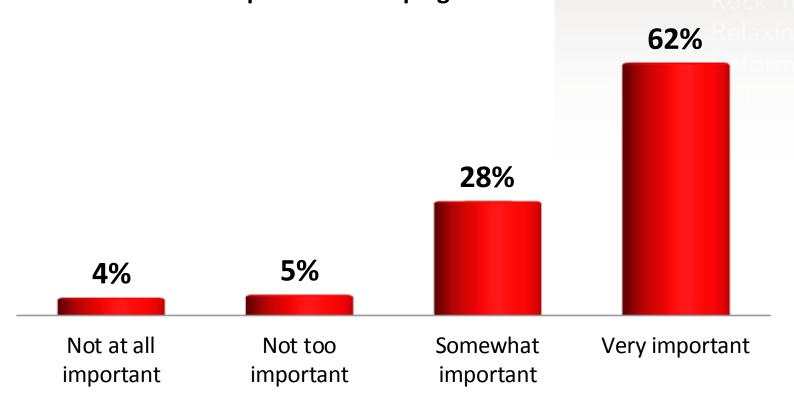
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Data compiled by AARP's Public Policy Institute from unpublished estimates from the Employee Benefit Research Institute of the 2004 Survey of income and Program Participation Wave 7 Topical Module (2006 data). See also Brookings' Retirement Security Project and WhiteHouse.gov

Payroll Deduction Drastically Increases Participation

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Percentage of Respondents who say Payroll Deduction Is Important to Helping them Save



Source: EBRI 2011

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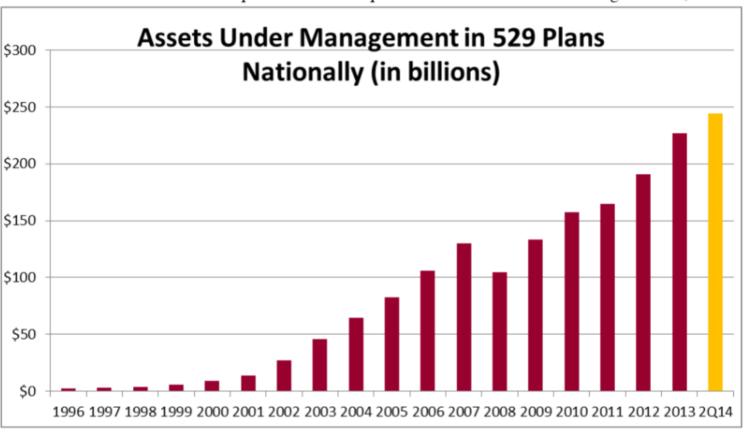
2004 Congressional Oversight Hearing on Section **529 Savings Plans**

529's: A model for retirement?

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The plan-level data collected shows that 529 plan assets reached record amounts as of June 30, 2014, with \$244.5 billion invested nationally. This is a 7.6% increase during the first half of 2014.

The chart below shows annual 529 plan assets based upon data collected from 1996 through June 30, 2014.



Source: College Savings Plan Network

529's: A model for retirement?

District of Columbia DC College Savings Plan	Maryland Maryland Prepaid College Trust	Maryland Maryland College Investment Plan	Virginia Virginia529 inVEST	Virginia Virginia529 prePAID	
Investment Manager(s)	Investment Manager(s)	Investment Manager(s)	Investment Manager(s)	Investment Manager(s)	
Acacia Life Insurance Company Calvert Investment Management, Inc. State Street Global Advisors	College Savings Plans of Maryland Board NA	T. Rowe Price	Aberdeen American Funds Franklin Templeton Investments	Aberdeen Adams Street Partners, LLC Advent Capital	Franklin Templeton Investments Harmonic Alpha Plus Macro Fund
			INVESCO Institutional (N.A.), Inc.	Aether Investment Partners	INVESCO Institutional (N.A.), Inc.
			Morgan Stanley	American Funds	Private Advisors LLC
			Multiple Investment Managers	Aurora Investment Managment, LLC	Prudential Shenkman
			Prudential Rothschild Asset Management, Inc. Stone Harbor Investment Partners	Aventura Holdings, LLC BlackRock	State Street Global Advisors
				Brookfield Mortgage- Backed Securities Commonfund Capital Inc	State Treasury Stone Harbor Investment
			The Vanguard Group®	CS Transition	The Vanguard Group®
				Donald Smith & Co.	The Vanguard Group®
				Ferox Capital	Thompson, Siegel &
				Wellington Capital Management Westfield Capital Management	Walmsley, Inc. UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc.

Source: The College Savings Plan Network

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National Context

2012: Massachusetts passed plan for non-profits
California passed feasibility study

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2013: Oregon passed study of retirement security

2014: Minnesota and Connecticut each passed a feasibility study, appropriating \$400k for the work

Over a dozen states working on this concept nationwide. States that passed one chamber include: **Washington** and **West Virginia**. Additional states considering the concept include: **Indiana**, **Nebraska**, **Wisconsin**, **Ohio**, **Colorado**, and **Arizona**.

2015: Illinois Governor signs Secure Choice into law. **Utah** Senate and **Virginia** pass studies unanimously.

AARP expects ~30+ states advocating on Work and Save

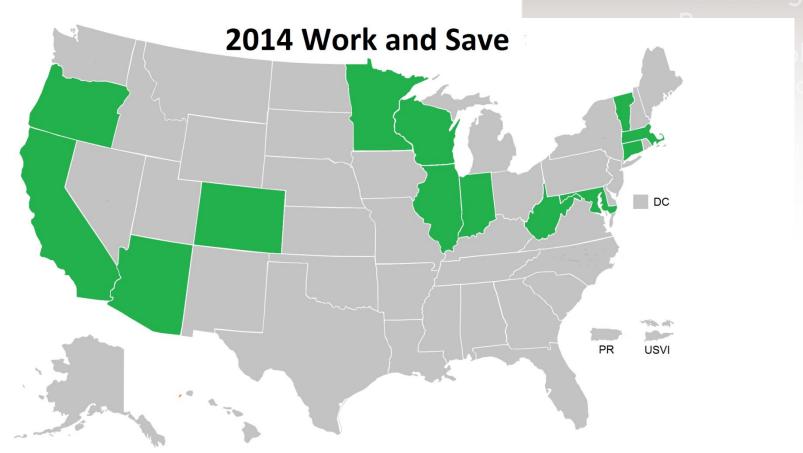
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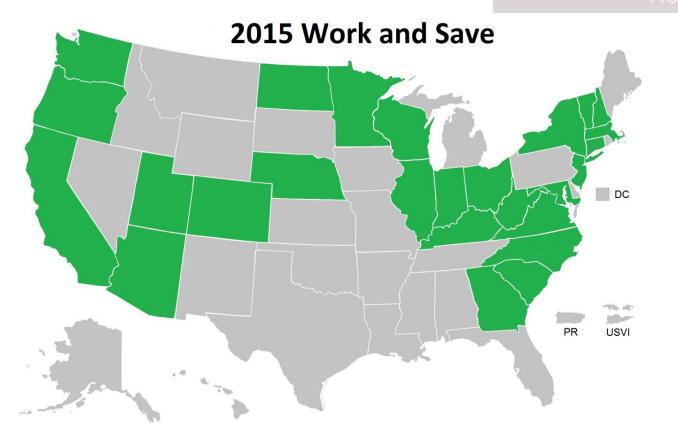
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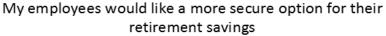
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Small Businesses Support Work and Save

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Small business owners overwhelmingly agree that retirement benefits help recruit good employees

Percent Agree



Offering retirement benefits helps recruitment of good employees

My employees would like a more flexible option for their retirement savings

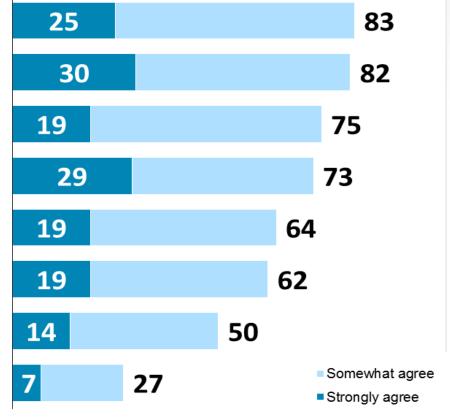
I feel a responsibility to provide some kind of retirement benefits

It would be nice to offer a retirement benefit but it's too expensive

Offering a retirement benefit helps my company's bottom line

It would be nice to offer a retirement benefit but it's too complicated to administer

My employees don't need a retirement benefit



National Media Attention

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Industry Support for Work and Save-Illinois Secure Choice/ Auto IRA

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Supporters:

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Cabrera Capital

Ariel Investments

American Society of Pension Professionals and Actuaries

Illinois Black Chamber of Commerce

National Association of Women Business Owners

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"Secure Choice opens up access to a secure and affordable employment-based retirement savings opportunity from which minority communities have been historically excluded. It will also help to create a culture of saving and financial literacy that will benefit financial services firms."

Martin Cabrera, Jr., Cabrera Capital
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Supporters:

American Council of Life Insurers

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"On behalf of the Securities Industry and Financial Market Association, representing securities firms, banking, and asset management- in strong support of the legislation in front of you ... a long-term retirement plan is in the benefit of the country. This plan itself is a great option in our viewpoint... This state set the national path."

~ Testimony provided by SIFMA representative February 11 on SB 5826

Industry Support for Work and Save-Maryland Task Force/ Secure Choice

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"We are a strong advocate of a plan like this, and highly recommend an option that allows the private sector an opportunity to also manage and administer the program."

> Gary Kleinschmidt, Member Task Force to Ensure Retirement Security for All Marylanders

Sample of Participants:

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Retirement Sales Manager, Legg Mason Global Asset Management

Secretary, Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development

Maryland State Treasurer

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