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Financial Fitness Friday

Elements of Financial Wellness

Webinar Sept 19, noon



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We've muted all attendees to help with audio quality.

Using the "Q&A" Feature

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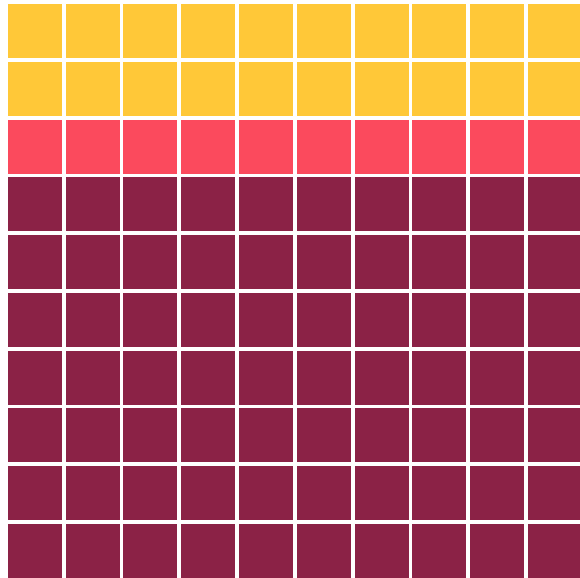


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**What are
your goals?**

Living Below Your Means



We suggest trying to live on

70%-80%

Of your current salary
while saving for goals.

Competing Priorities

Which is the priority – savings or debt repayment?



Cover monthly expenses

Start an emergency fund

Get employer matches

Pay high-interest debt

Increase emergency fund

Invest



Emergency Reserves

- Keep in a high-yield savings account
- Pay yourself first
- Liquid, insured, accessible
- Harvard FCU offers Smart Rewards savings

Avoid Lifestyle Creep

- Raises can go into boosting your savings
- This can be a painless way to save
- Resist the temptation to make big purchases until you are ready



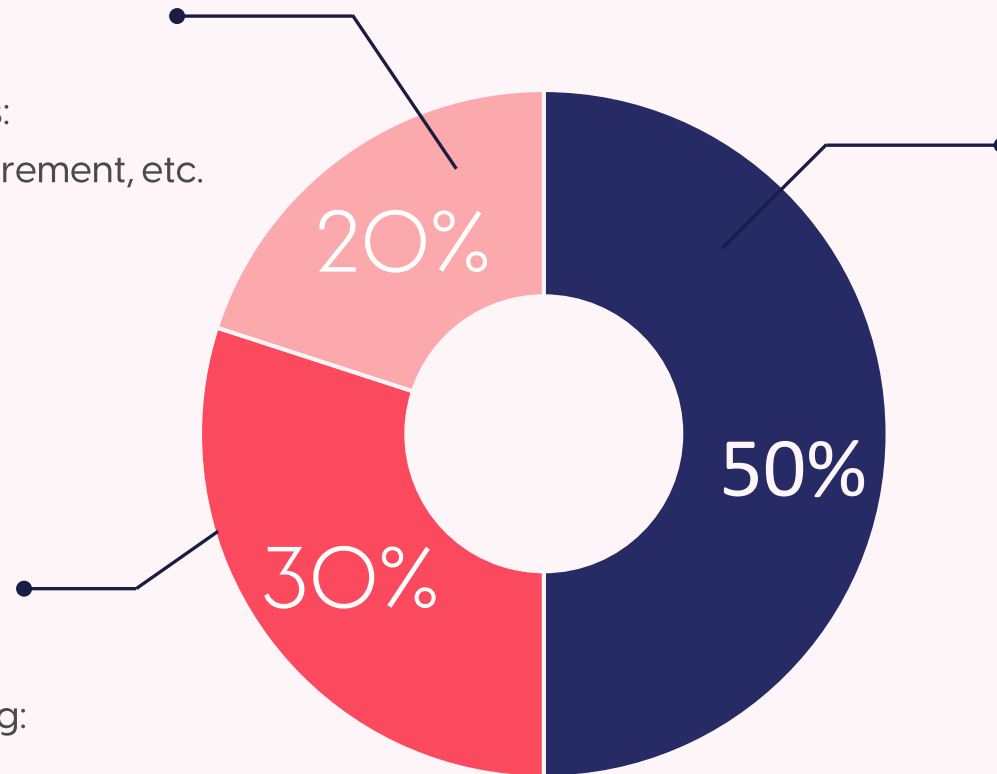
The 50/30/20 Budget

Savings

Savings/Financial Goals:
emergency savings, retirement, etc.

Wants

Wants/Flexible Spending:
entertainment, clothing,
dining out, etc.



Essentials

Needs/Fixed Costs: home,
travel, medical expenses, etc.

\$50,000 Budget

\$4,166 Monthly

\$2,083	Essentials
\$1,250	Wants/fun
\$833	Savings

Managing Debt

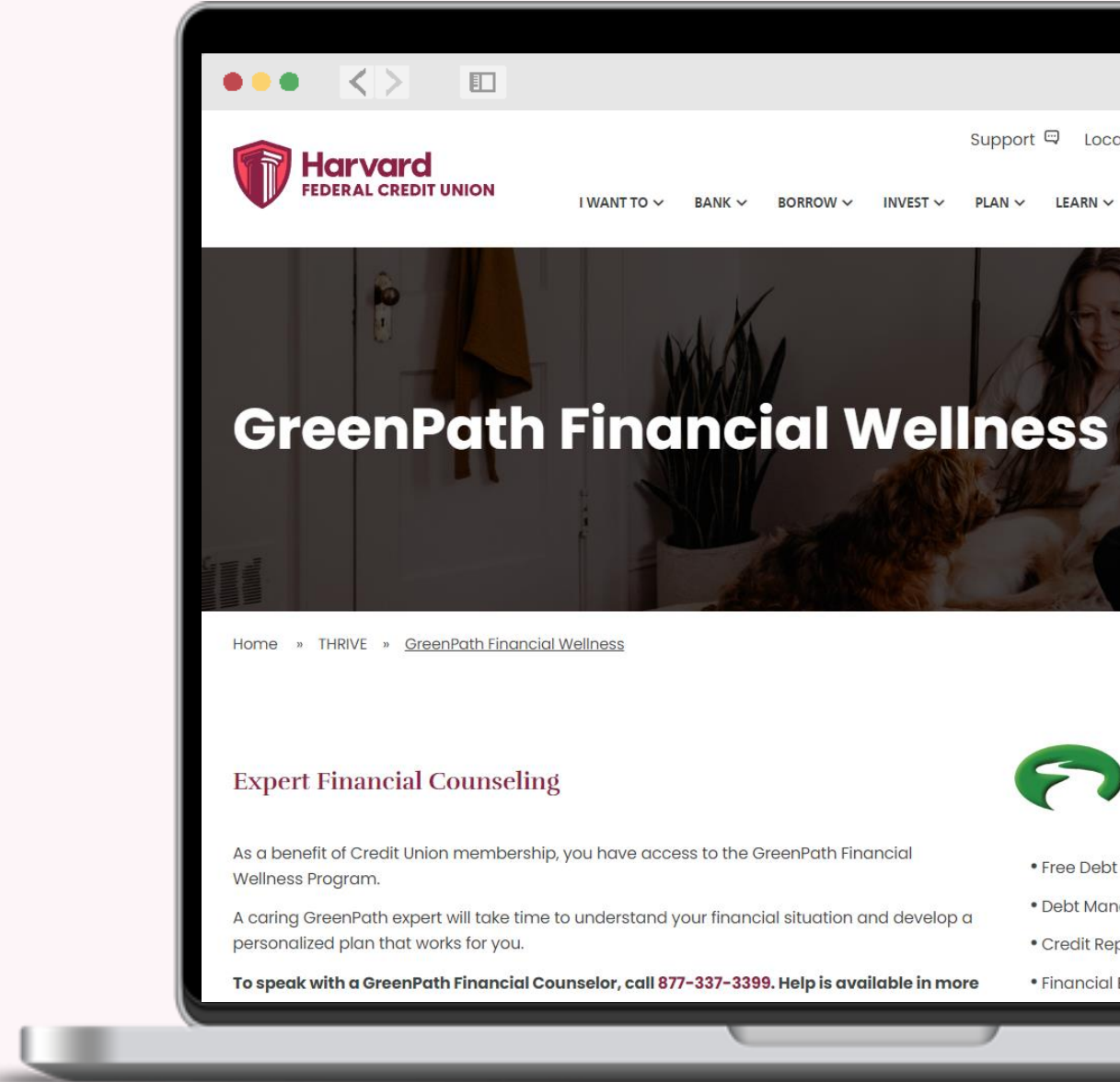
- Pay off high-interest debt like credit cards
- Pay more than the minimum
- As you pay off one card, direct that payment amount to the next card until they are all paid off



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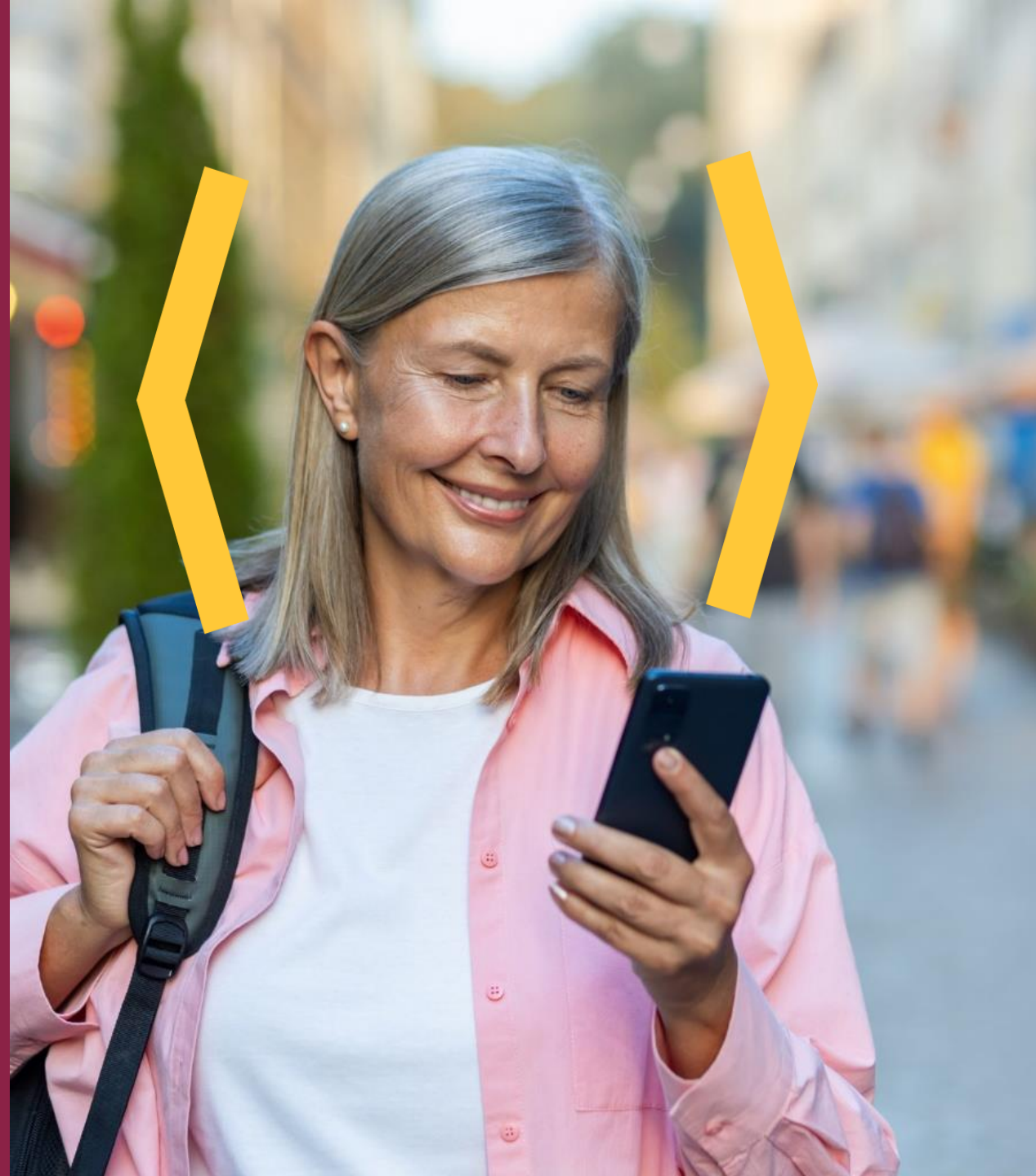
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Retirement Savings



Retirement Savings

Minimum

Try to contribute enough to get your employer match.

Aim for a minimum contribution of 6% to retirement.

Gradually increase your contributions as you get raises.

A 4% raise could be 2% more to retirement, 2% to current needs

Target

Will vary depending on your goals.

15% of your income to retirement will set you up for success.

People who are aiming to “FIRE” will contribute more.

FIRE = Financial Independence, Retire Early

Retirement Savings:

How Much Should I Have?

Investor's Age:	Savings Benchmarks:
30	half of salary saved today
35	1x to 1.5x salary saved today
40	1.5x to 2.5x salary saved today
45	2.5x to 4x salary saved today
50	3x to 5.5x salary saved today
55	4.5x to 8x salary saved today
60	6x to 11x salary saved today
65	7x to 13.5x salary saved today

**Invest in
Your Goals**



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Periodic Portfolio Reviews and Maintenance

- Typically, at least once a year
- After a major lifestyle change
- As the result of a change in your investing outlook



Questions?



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