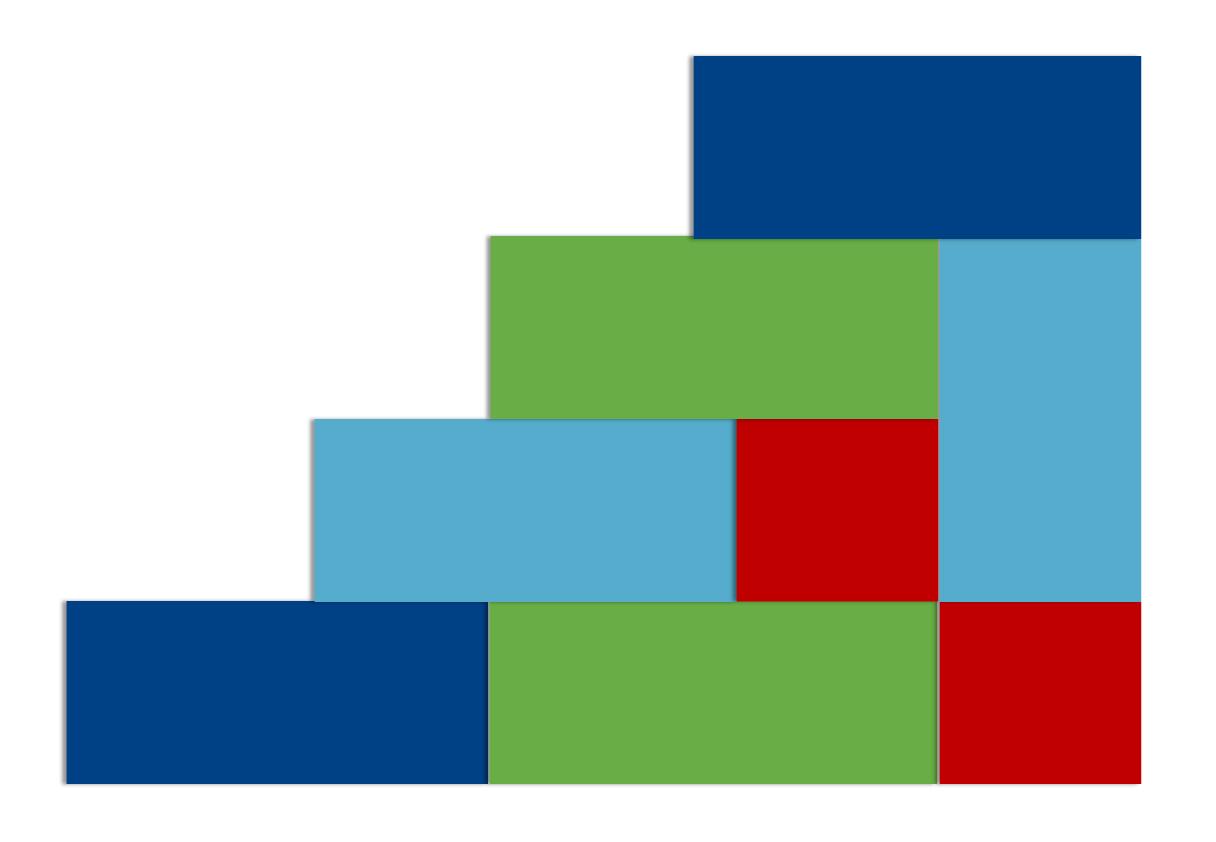


Building on curiosity

Asking questions to gain insights on what matters most



INSIGHTS INSPIRE AN EVER-EVOLVING INNOVATION BLUEPRINT

- Client and employee feedback
- Customer experiences
- Data analytics
- Market and industry trends
- Cybersecurity advancements

Progress with purpose

Results driven by innovation





FOR YOUR EMPLOYEES

Simplify experiences

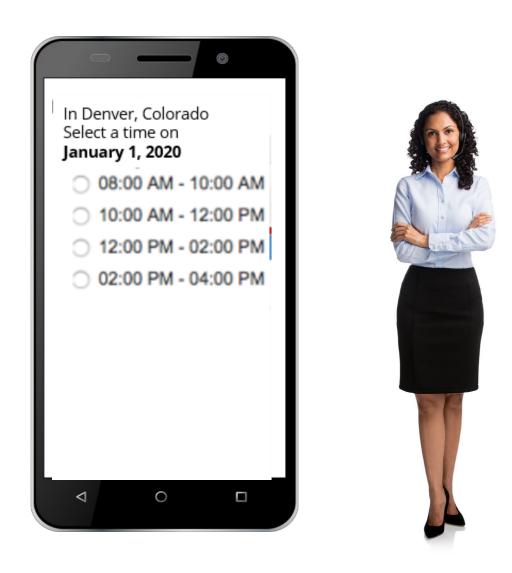
Create intuitive engagements

Motivate action

FOR YOUR PLAN

Make administration easier
Improve plan performance
Protect plan and participant data

Innovation with impact



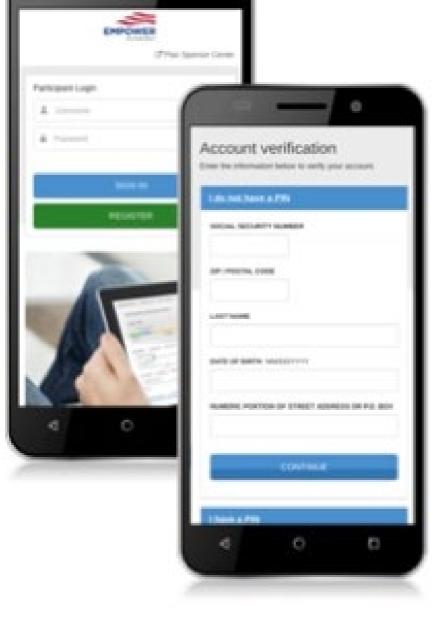
EMPOWER RETIREMENT PLAN ADVISORS PROVIDE ADVICE AND SERVE AS FIDUCIARY

62%

Of employees take action when provided 1:1 advice¹

9.3

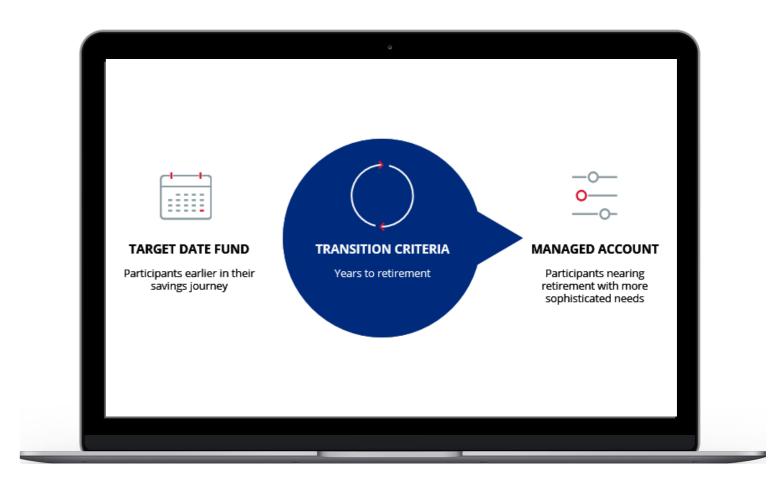
Average satisfaction rating²



MOBILE EXPERIENCE

33 seconds

Actual time to complete enrollment²



EMPOWER DYNAMIC RETIREMENT MANAGER™

Empower client wins DCIIA Innovation & Excellence Award³



Dedicated to enhancing retirement security

1As of December 31, 2020.

2 Analysis based on participant services center phone calls and in-person meetings with retirement plan advisors as of December 31, 2020. 3 As reported in Pensions & Investments.

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Empower innovation blueprint

VISION

Cybersecurity

Optimizing Social Security

Drawdown guidance

Debt management solutions

BUILD

Highly personalized participant experience

Simplified hardship withdrawals

Streamlined investment views

Natural-language recognition

Insights to maximize benefits

Customized reporting

Plan performance insights

Enhanced advice

LAUNCH

On-the-go technology

Thorough Spanish experience

Holistic financial wellness

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Student debt solutions

Comprehensive financial planning

Intelligent and integrated plan data

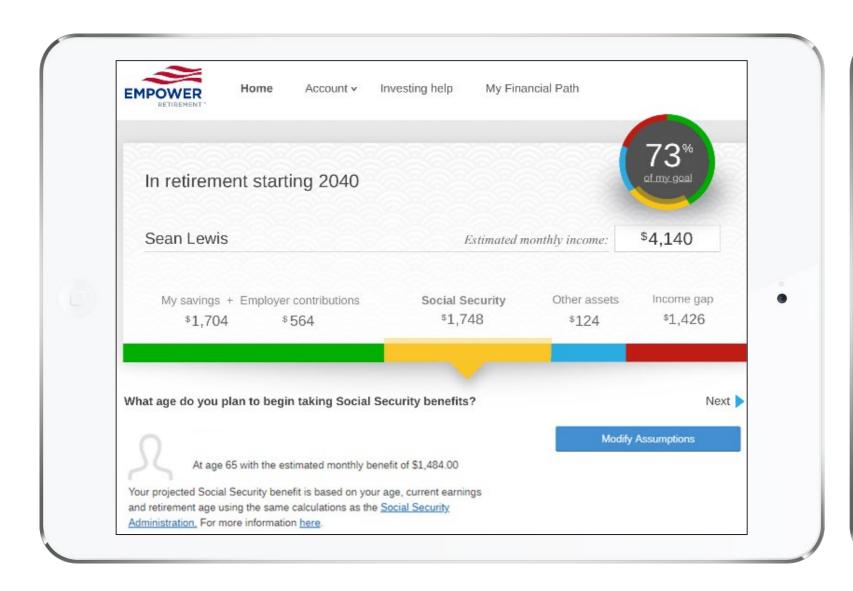
Jargon-free communications

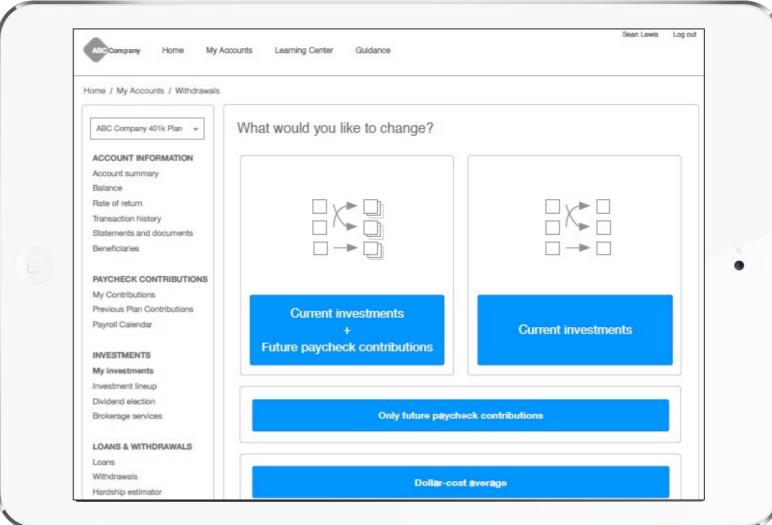
Drawdown view for those over 50

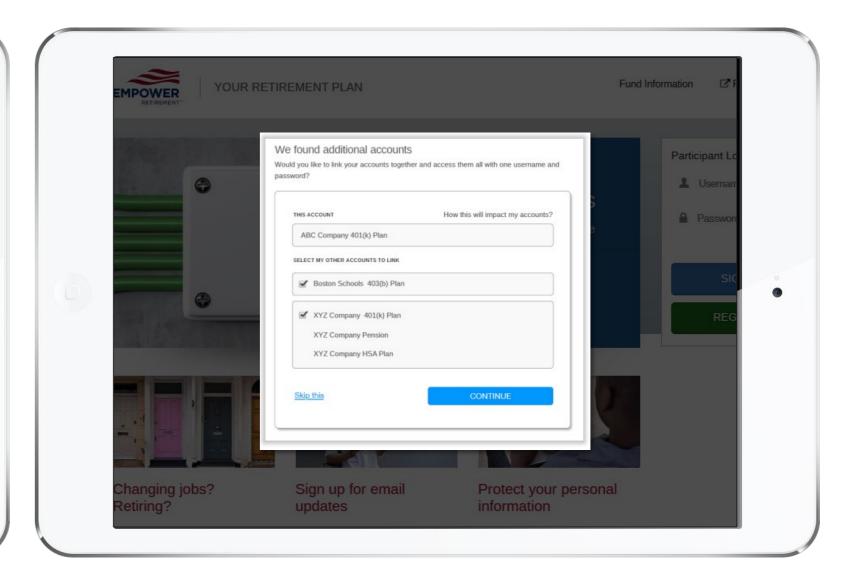
Behavioral based advice messaging

Retirement made simple

We continually develop and implement solutions to make your employees' experience more accessible, intuitive and effective





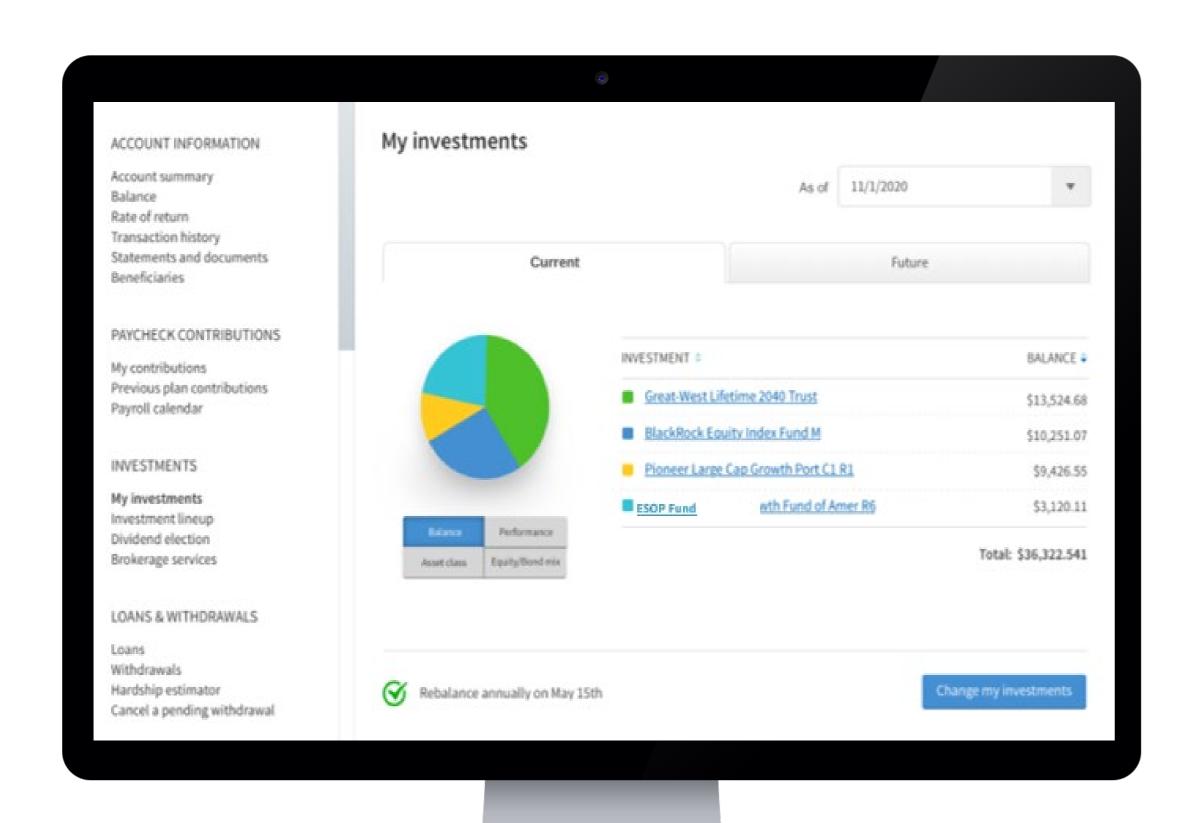


View all retirement income in one place

Easily take action on investments

Log in once to access retirement accounts

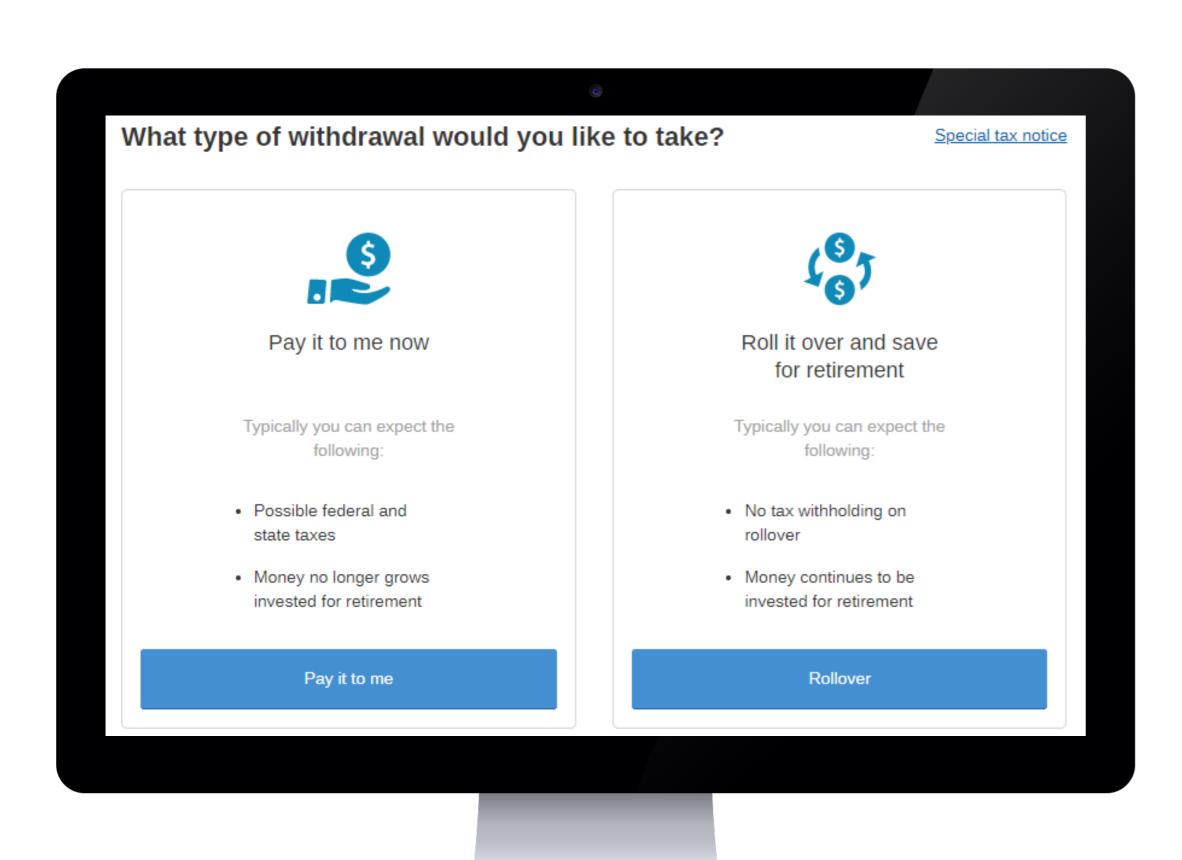
Streamlined investment views



AN ENHANCED MY INVESTMENTS EXPERIENCE IS EASY TO UNDERSTAND AND NAVIGATE WITH NEW FEATURES

- Current vs. future investment tabbed view
- Pie chart view displays investments by balance, asset class, performance and equity/bond mix
- Data filter to pinpoint different time periods
- Sortable columns

Simplified hardship withdrawals

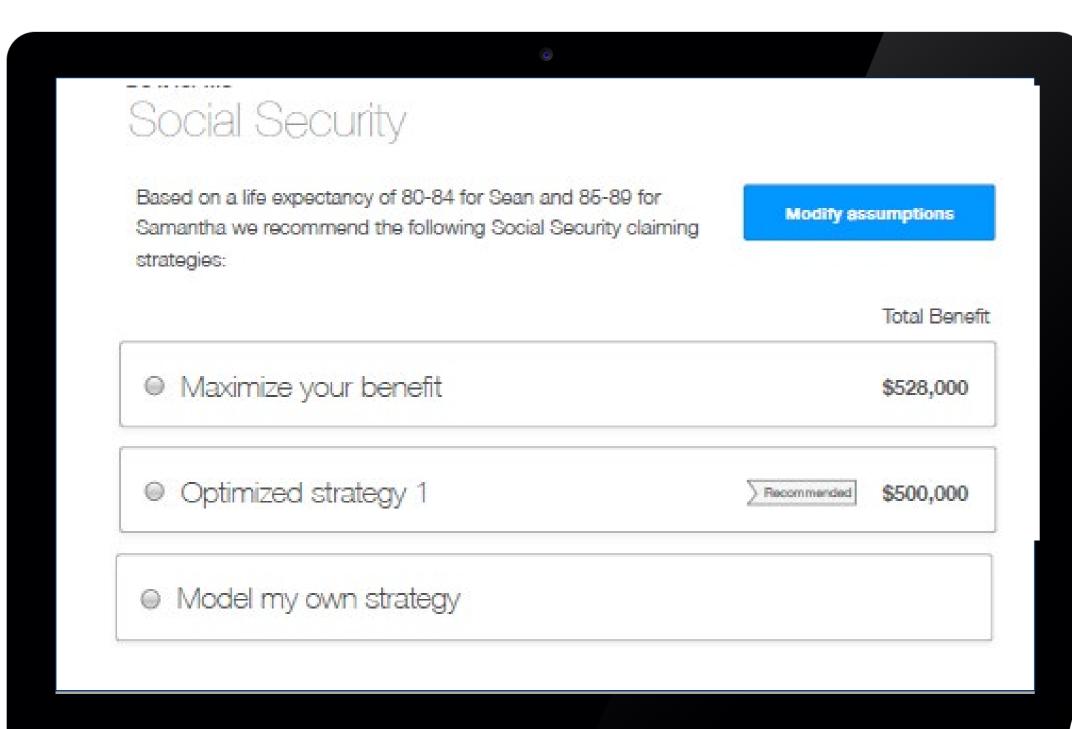


SAFE HARBOR SUMMARY HARDSHIP WITHDRAWALS REDUCE COMPLEXITY

- Less guesswork for your plan
- Reduced paperwork
- More efficient process to save time



Optimizing Social Security



HELP EMPLOYEES FIND THE RIGHT SOCIAL SECURITY STRATEGY FOR THEIR SITUATION

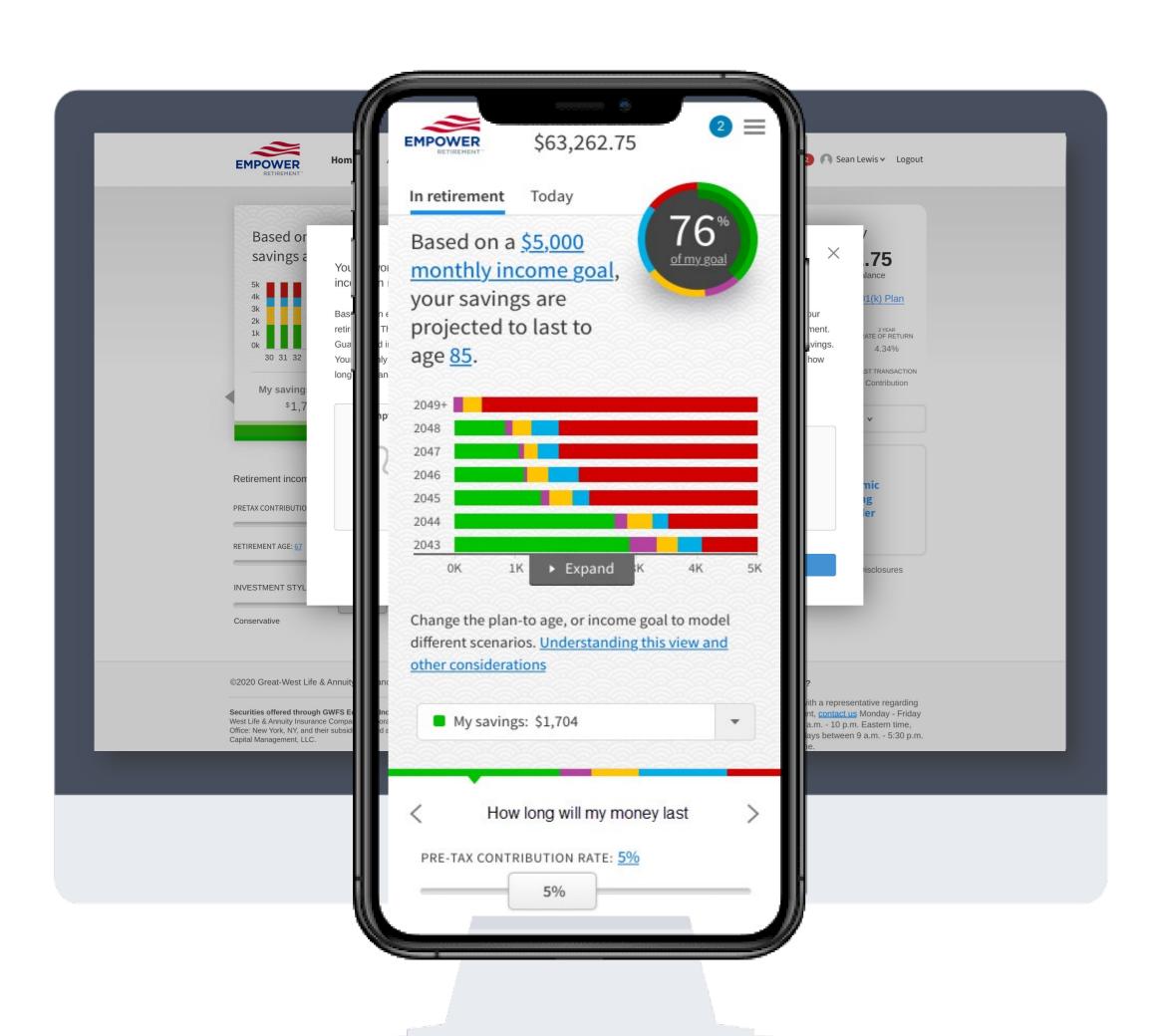
- Delivers multiple strategies for consideration
- Includes all household assets
- Maximization available to all participants and optimization is available within advisory services

80+

THE PARADOX OF CHOICE

different options for a married couple to claim Social Security¹

Drawdown view for those over 50



UNDERSTANDING THE NEEDS OF THOSE AGE 50+

- How long will my money last estimates how much income an individual might expect over retirement and how long it might last
- Reflects specific savings sources of estimated retirement income

OPTIMIZED FOR ACTION

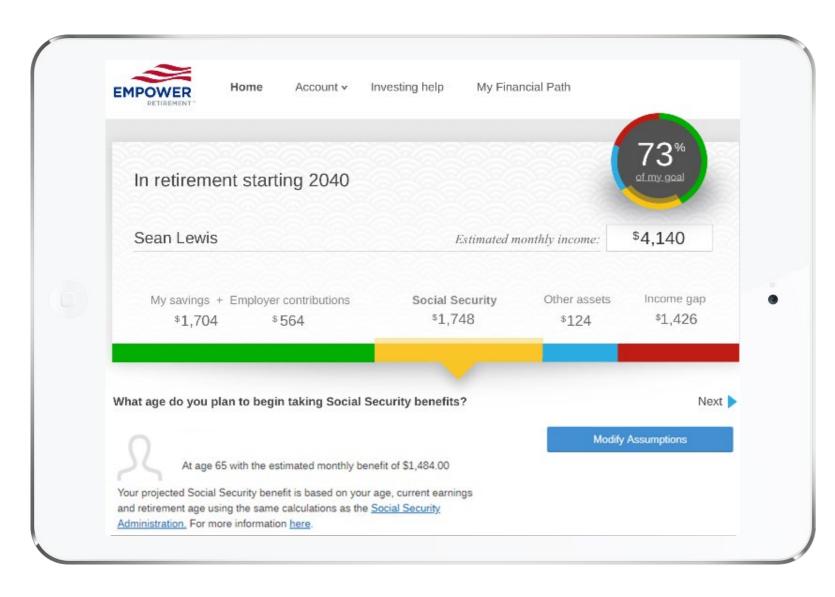
- Model different scenarios and review how each may impact income in retirement
- Understand savings sources to help develop a "living in retirement" plan

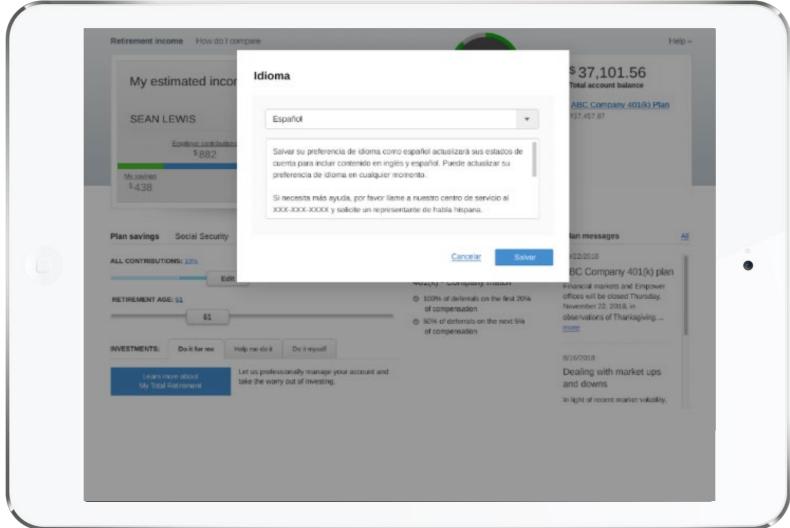
CONSTANTLY IMPROVING

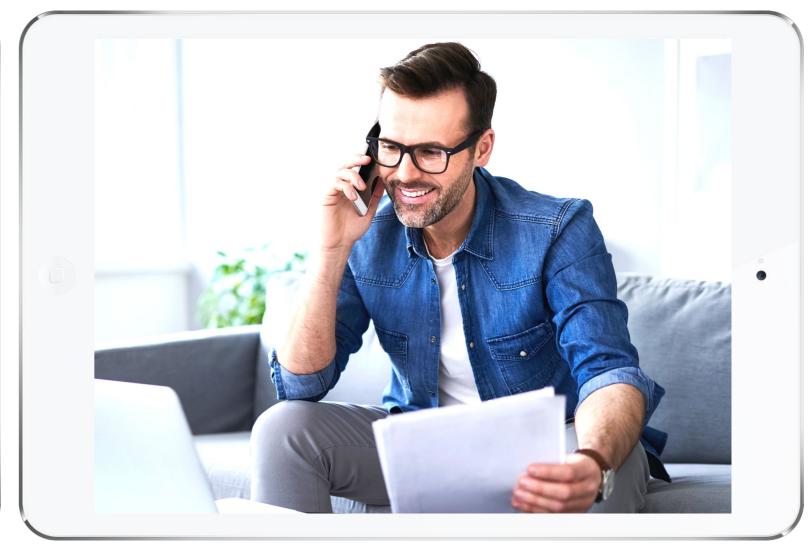
- Familiar experience with an income replacement focus
- Developed based on consumer testing and feedback

Interactions that make sense

We provide various channels to engage individuals when, where and how they're most comfortable







Access retirement accounts from any device 24/7

Translate website to Spanish within seconds

Use voice and emotional intelligence to get phone inquiries answered quickly



On-the-go technology

EMPLOYEES HAVE ACCESS TO ACCOUNTS ANYTIME, ANYWHERE

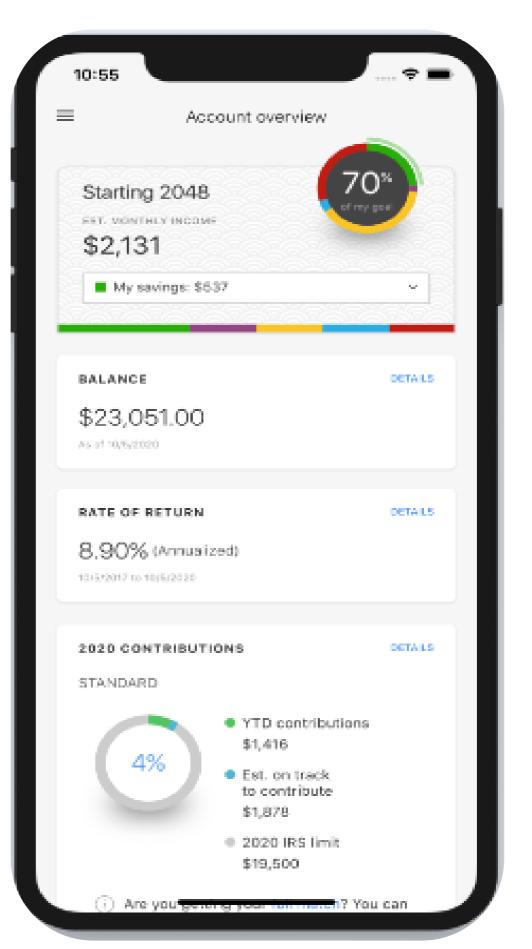
- Features and design based on focus groups
- Focus on lifetime income replacement
- Total retirement view regardless of device







4.7 ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 41K Ratings²



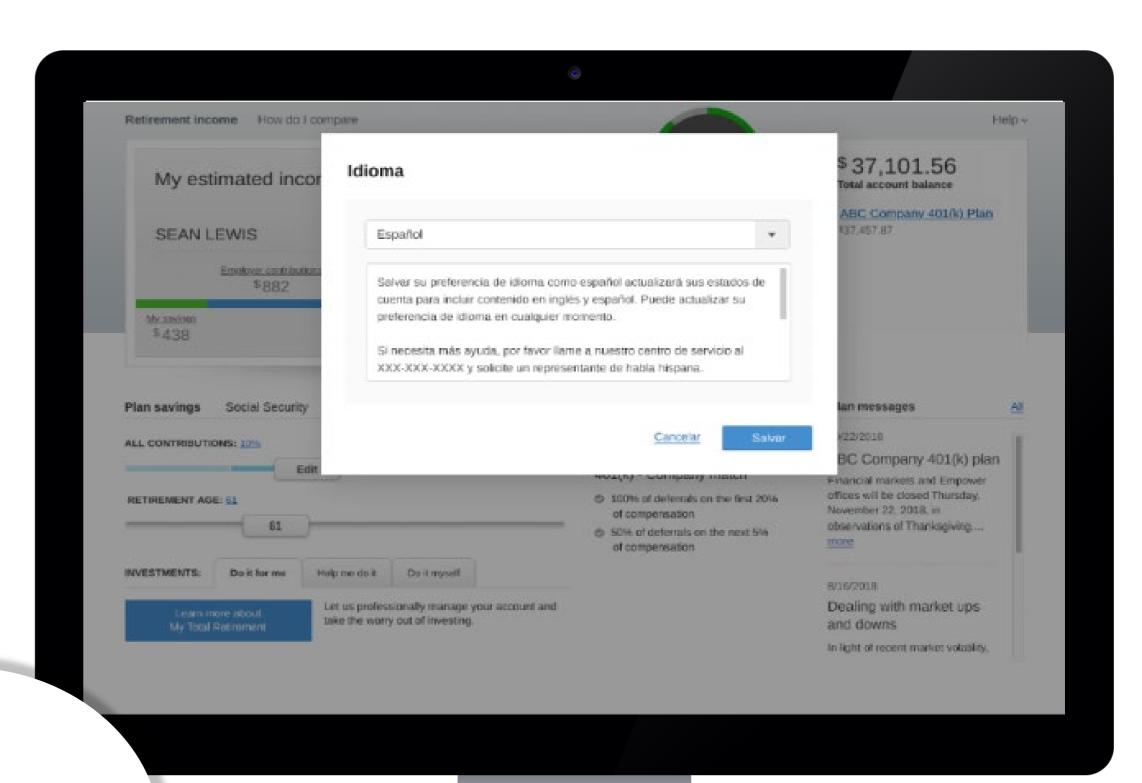
¹ Based on enrollment data for the period January 1, 2020, through December 31, 2020.

² Apple Store app ratings and reviews as of January 19, 2020.

Thorough Spanish experience

ENGAGING EMPLOYEES IN THE LANGUAGE MOST FAMILIAR TO THEM

- Translated website and quarterly statements with one click
- Highly trained Spanish-speaking retirement specialists
- Comprehensive education and communications



LANGUAGE WITHOUT BARRIERS

With 59.9 million Spanish speakers in the U.S., **Spanish is the most** common non-English language spoken in U.S. homes.¹

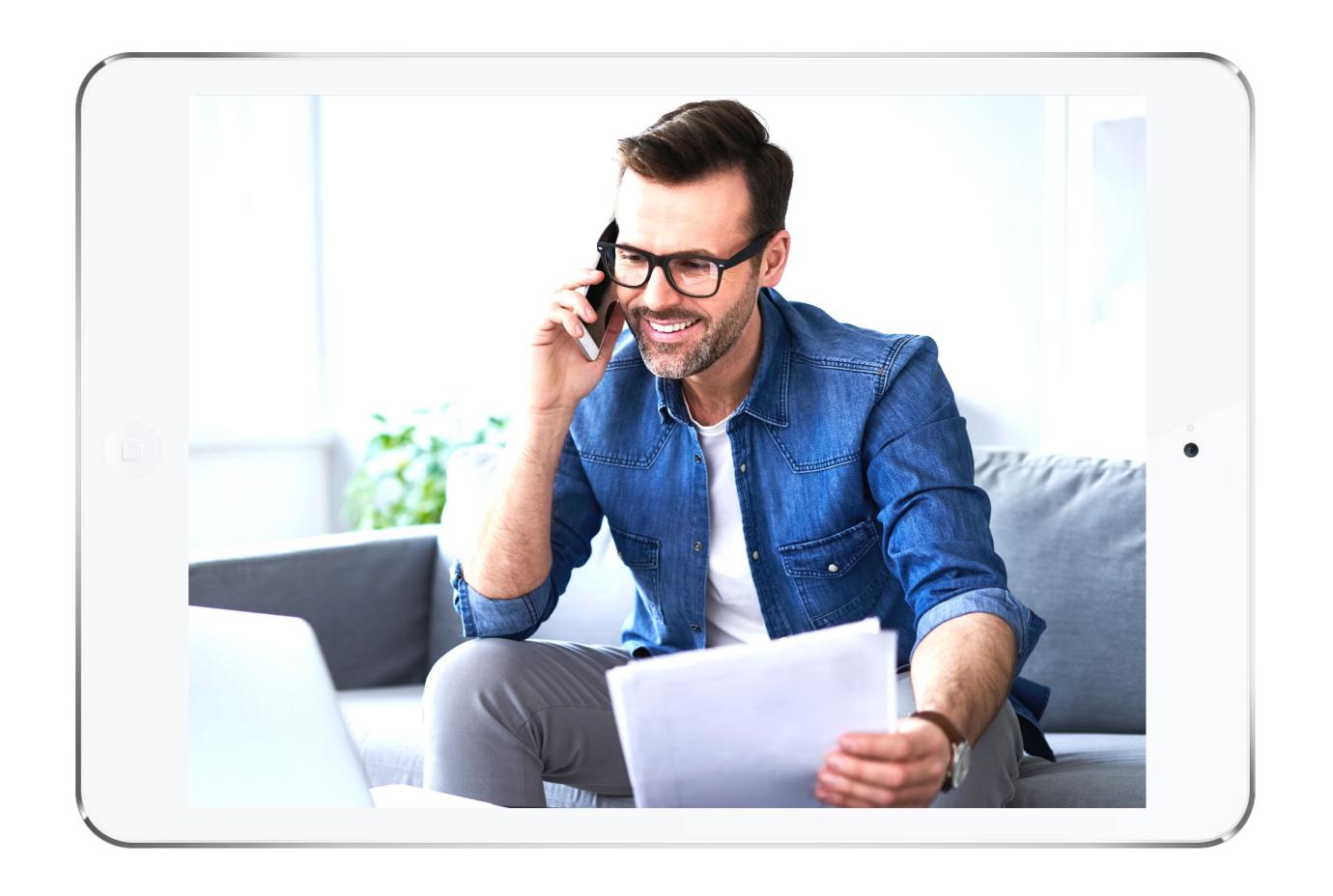
59.9m



Natural language recognition

IMPROVING CUSTOMER OUTCOMES WITH A SMARTER EXPERIENCE

- Increased security through improved authentication
- Conversational dialogue efficiently routes calls
- Participant sentiments analyzed using emotional intelligence, ensuring customized service





Behavioral based advice messaging



DYNAMIC

 Messaging served up based on individual's activities and interests



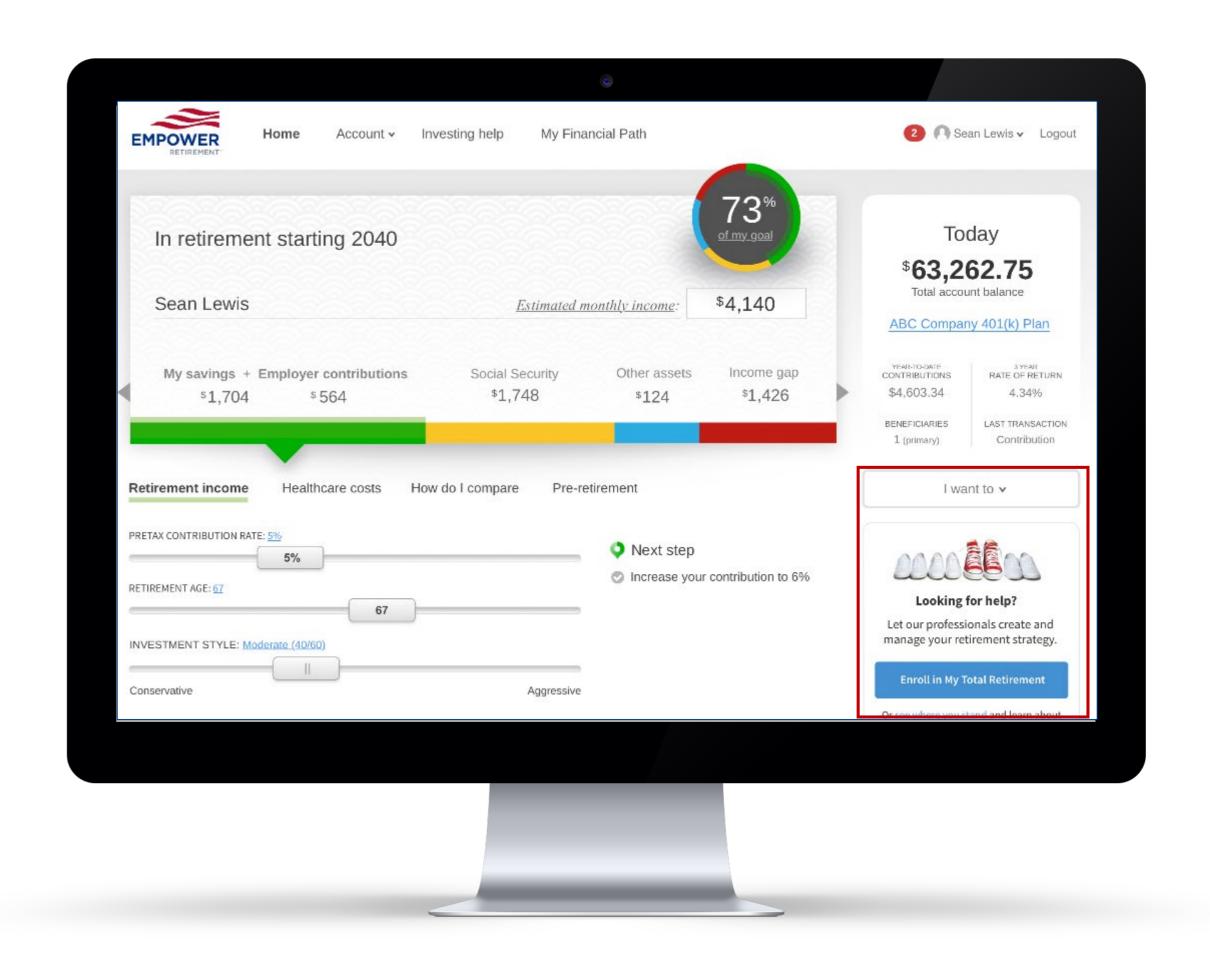
HOLISTIC

Considers full picture of an individual and their household

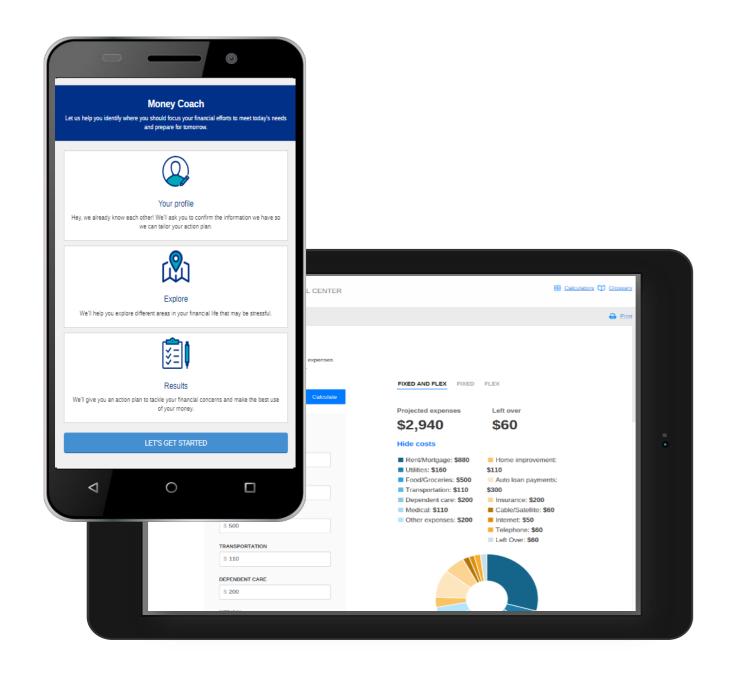


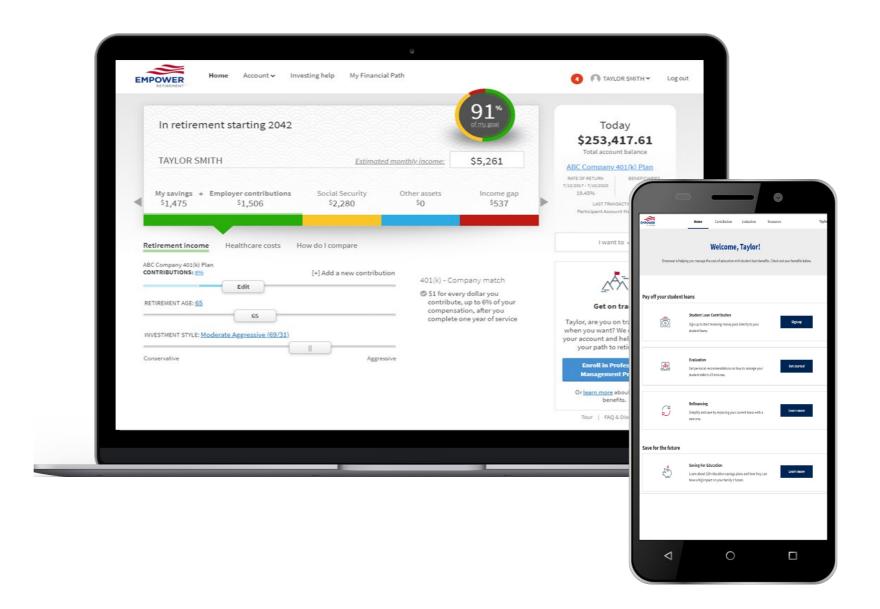
ACCESSIBLE

Complex terminology eliminated to prevent confusion



Holistic financial wellness







My Financial Path

Actionable solutions

Comprehensive financial planning

Interactive Next Step Evaluator



PERSONALIZED, 5-MINUTE ASSESSMENT THAT DELIVERS NEXT STEPS

- Clear calls to action with ability to take action
- Straightforward, engaging education
- Easy-to-use, integrated experience based on plan design

PRIORITIZING FINANCIAL GOALS

of participants that engage with the Next Step Evaluator take immediate action steps. 1

Complete Learning Center



INSPIRATION THROUGH EXPERT INSIGHTS

- Interactive multimedia learning experiences
- Leading-edge modeling tools and calculators
- Guided learning "packages"

EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

of workers say workplace education or advice on **how to manage competing financial priorities** would be helpful.¹

Student debt solutions

EMPOWER STUDENT DEBT SOLUTION

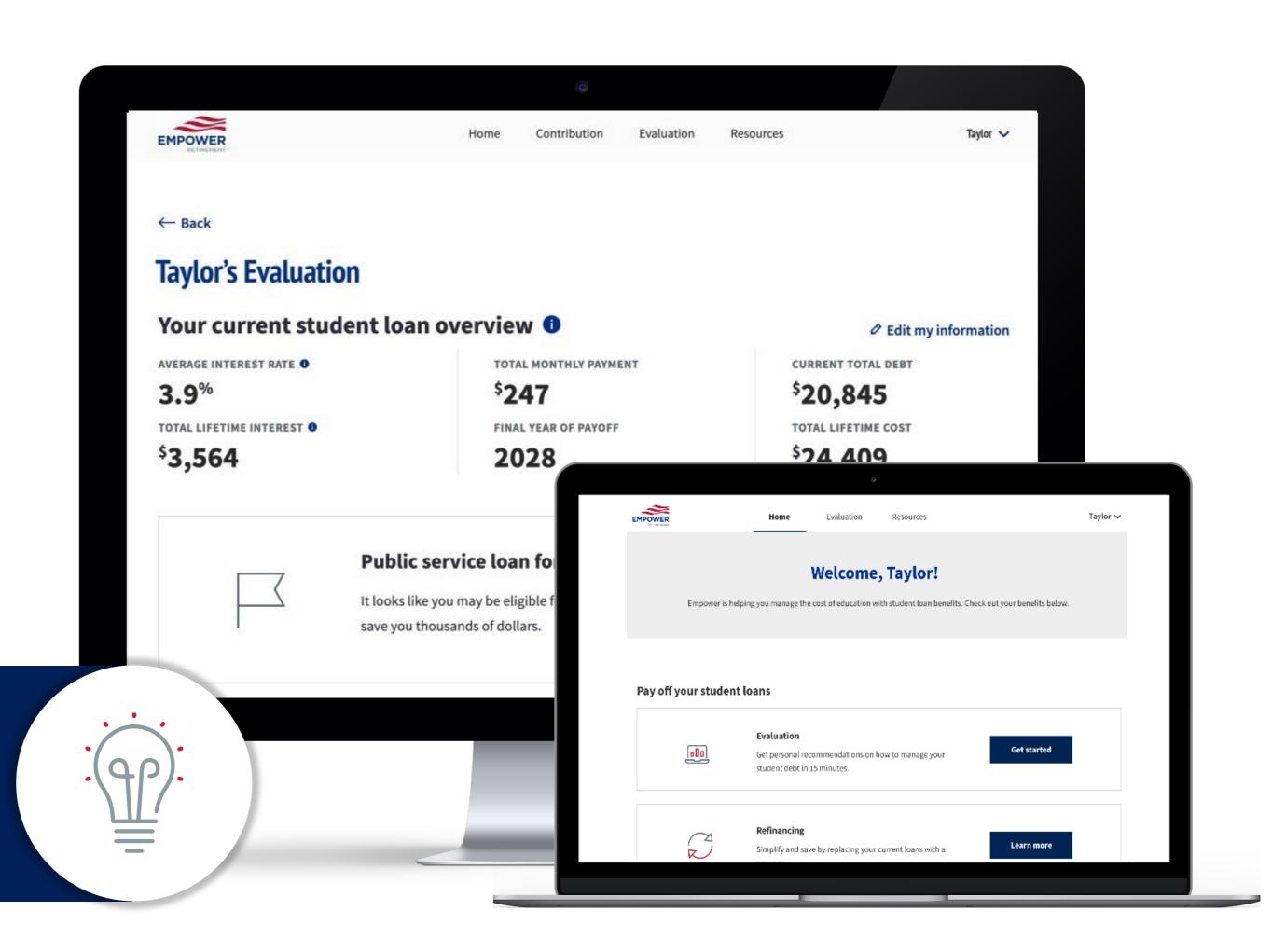
- Employer organizational assessment
- Employee student debt evaluation, with refinancing, forgiveness and repayment options
- Employer contribution services to student debt or to the retirement plan

A MULTI GENERATIONAL PROBLEM

45 million Americans carry student debt

40% are over the age of 40

50% with student debt delay retirement contributions



Employer assessment of student debt



Analysis of student debt within your organization

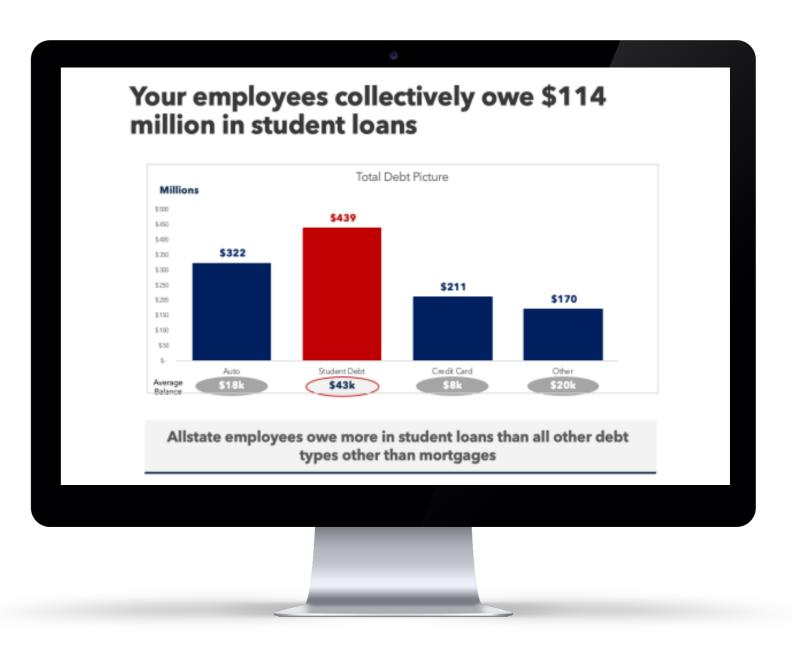


Anonymized employee student debt data









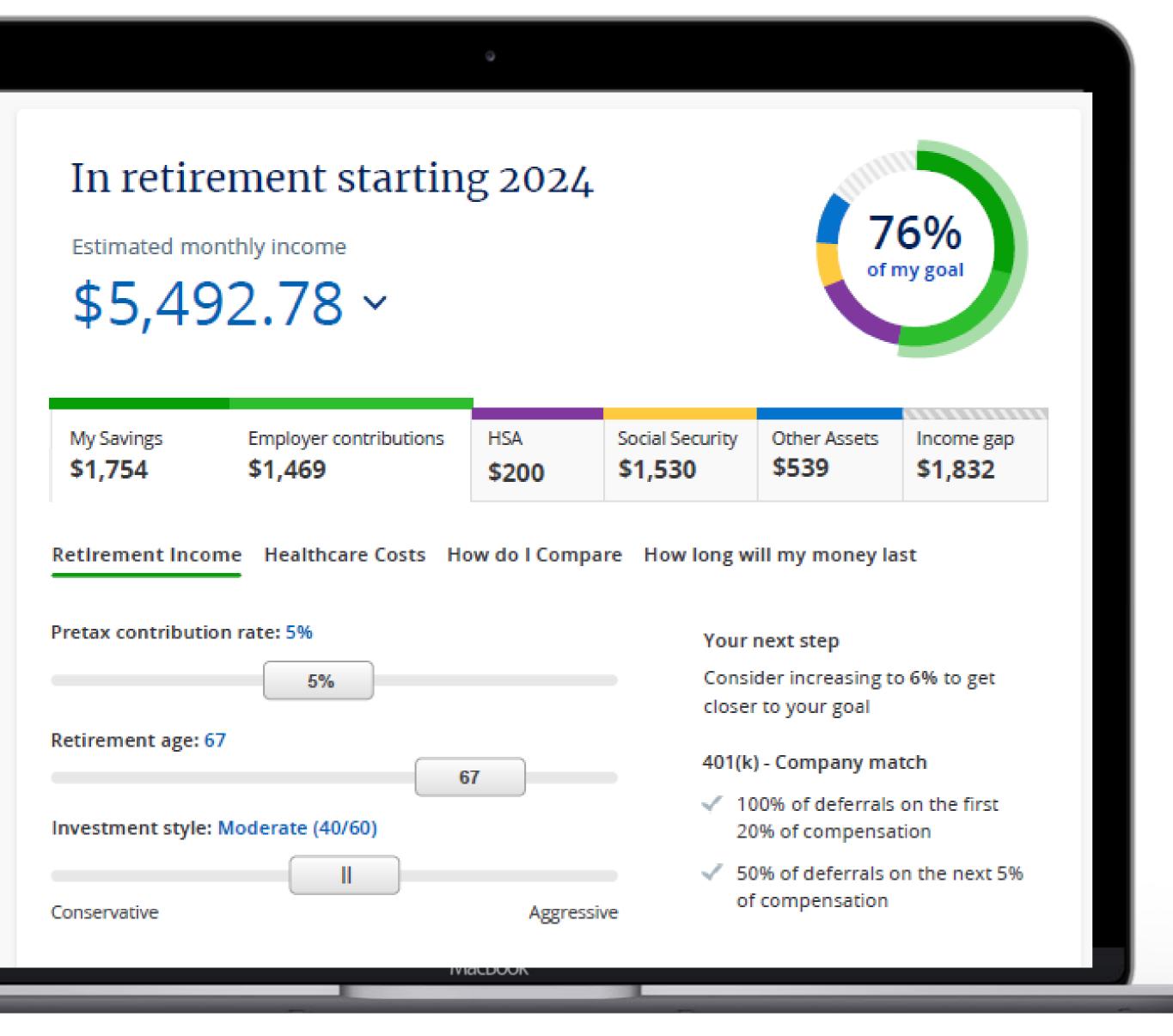


Highly personalized savings experience



rollover services

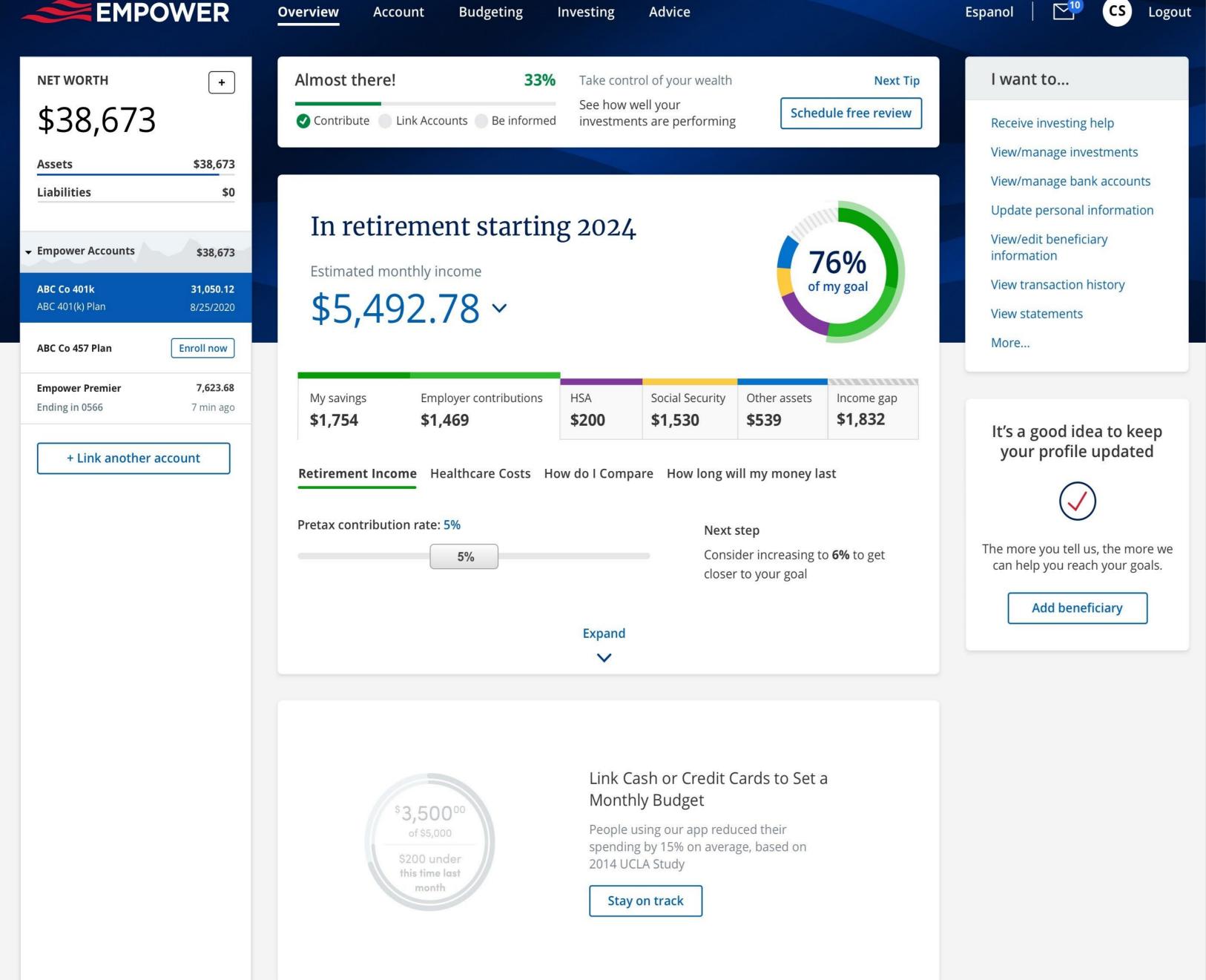
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Three-dimensional savings

SOPHISTICATED TECHNOLOGY SUPPORTED BY HUMAN ADVICE

- Current savings progress
- Future estimated monthly retirement income
- 360 view of outside assets, spending and debt





Tailored view based on personal finances

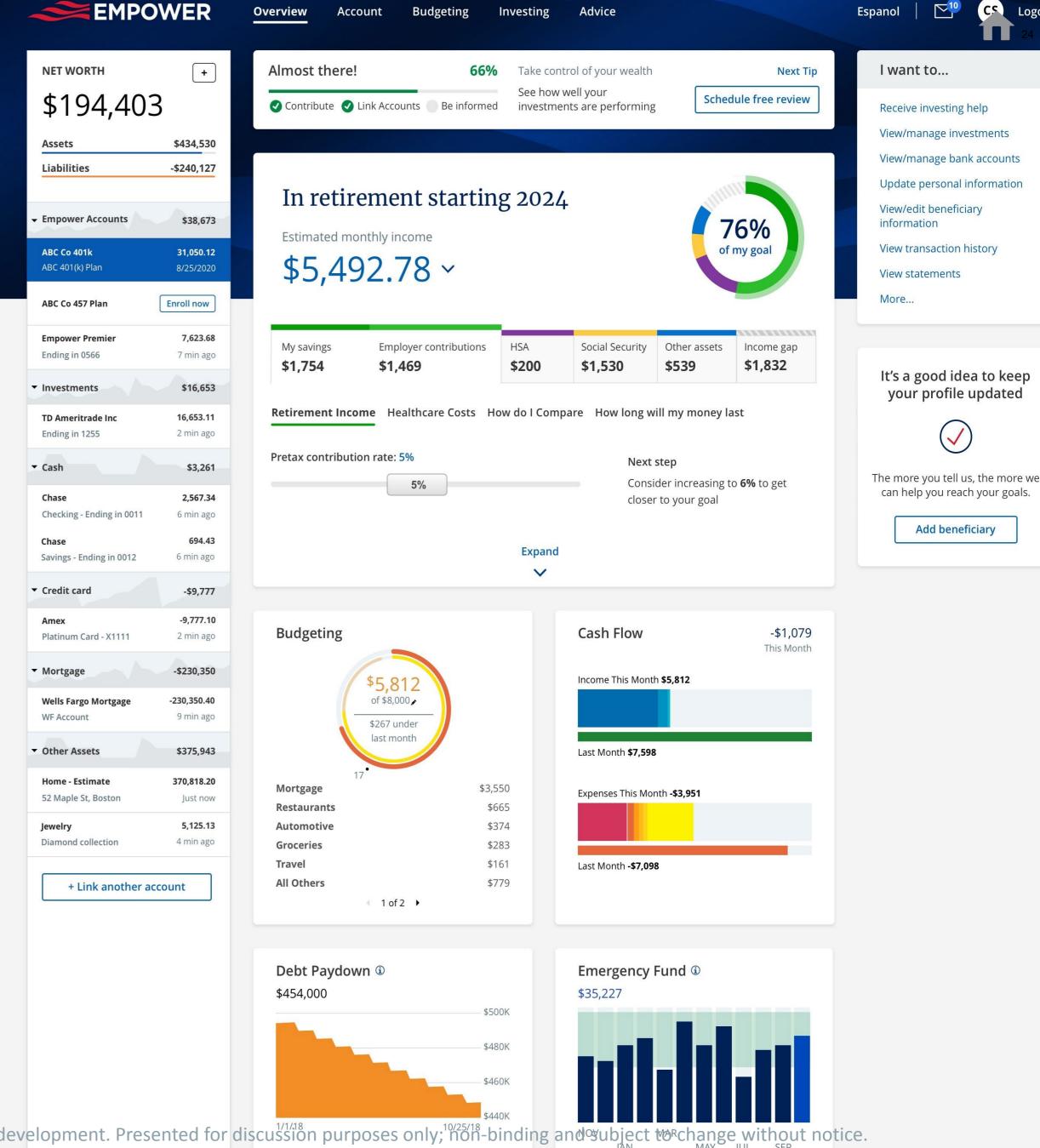
VIEW WHAT MATTERS MOST – FROM DAY ONE

- Designed for savers getting started or with a simple financial picture
- Retirement income-focused view
- One-on-one messaging focused on basic financial wellness
- Help available when needed

Engaging individuals toward financial wellness

AS INDIVIDUALS' NEEDS GROW, SO DOES THEIR EXPERIENCE

- Linking outside accounts provides threedimensional view
- Personalized "next step" guides
- Customized content with intuitive dashboard for budgeting, cash flow and debt paydown
- One-click navigation to most used features
- Simple, mobile-first design

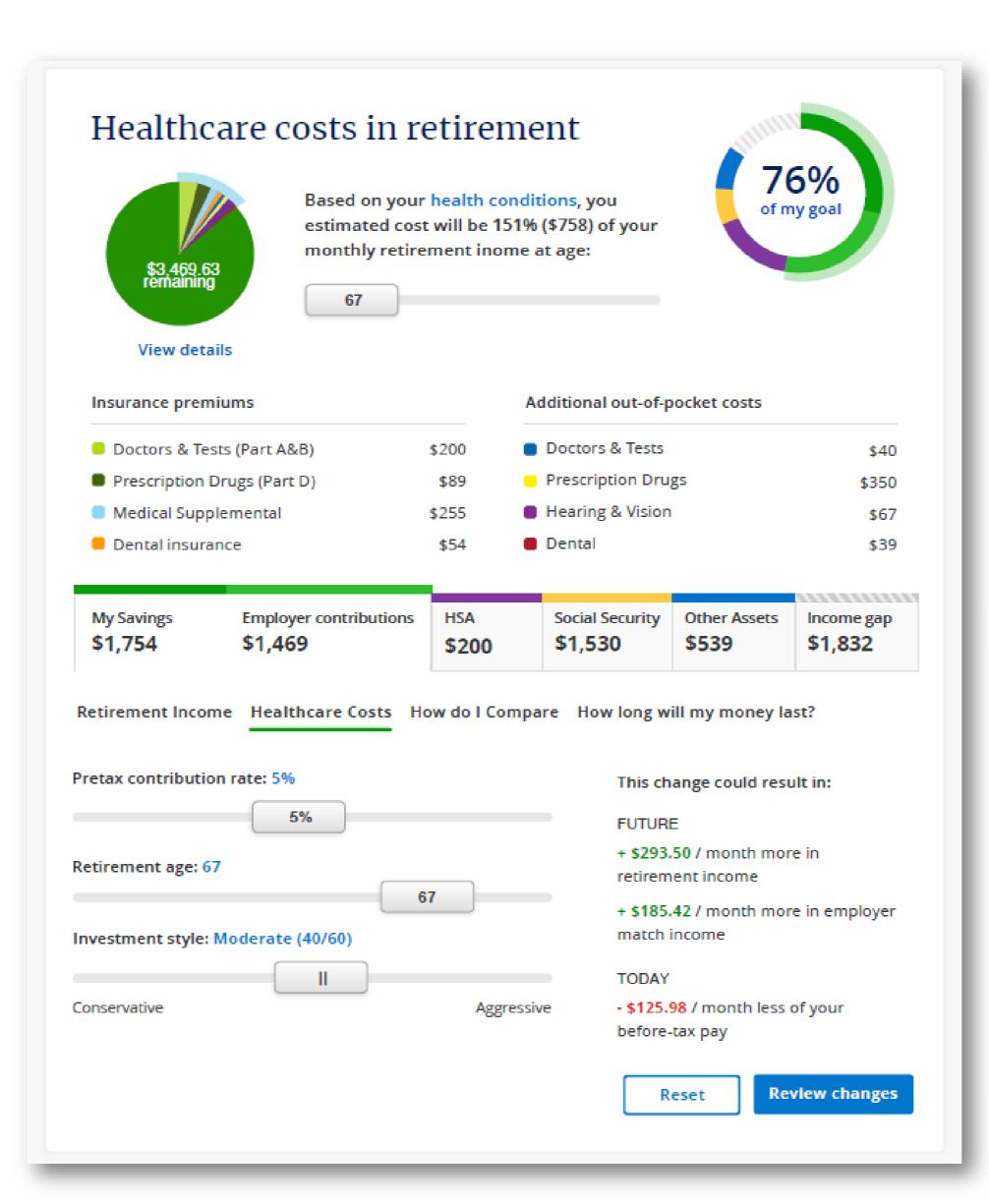


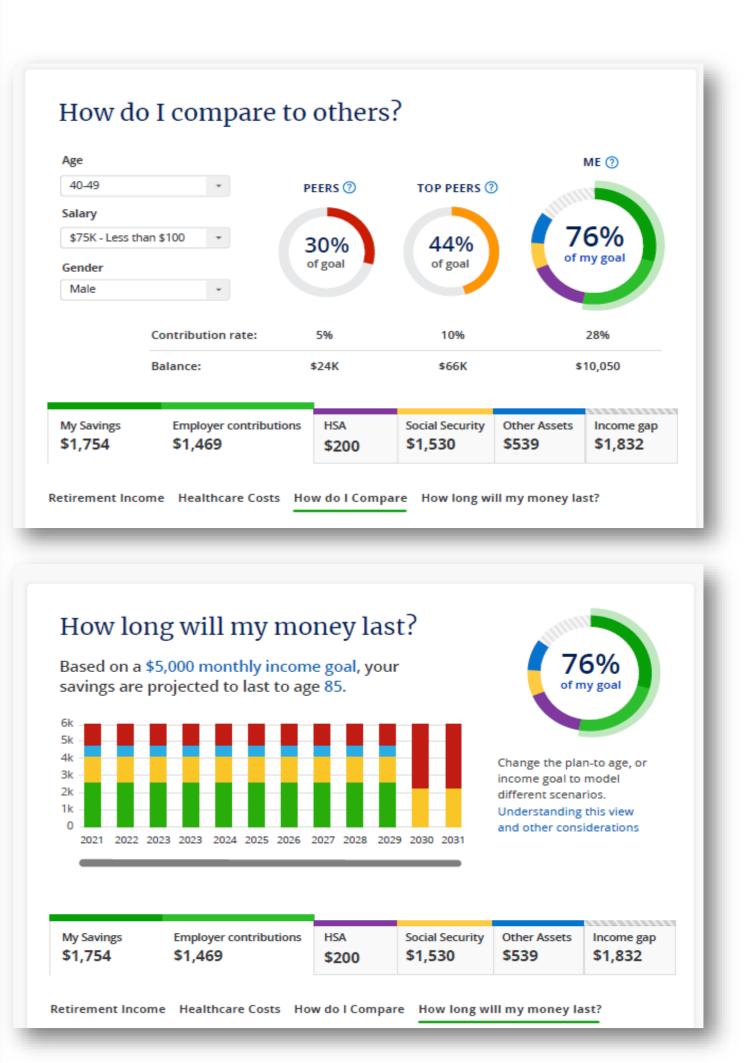
Add beneficiary

Optimized for action

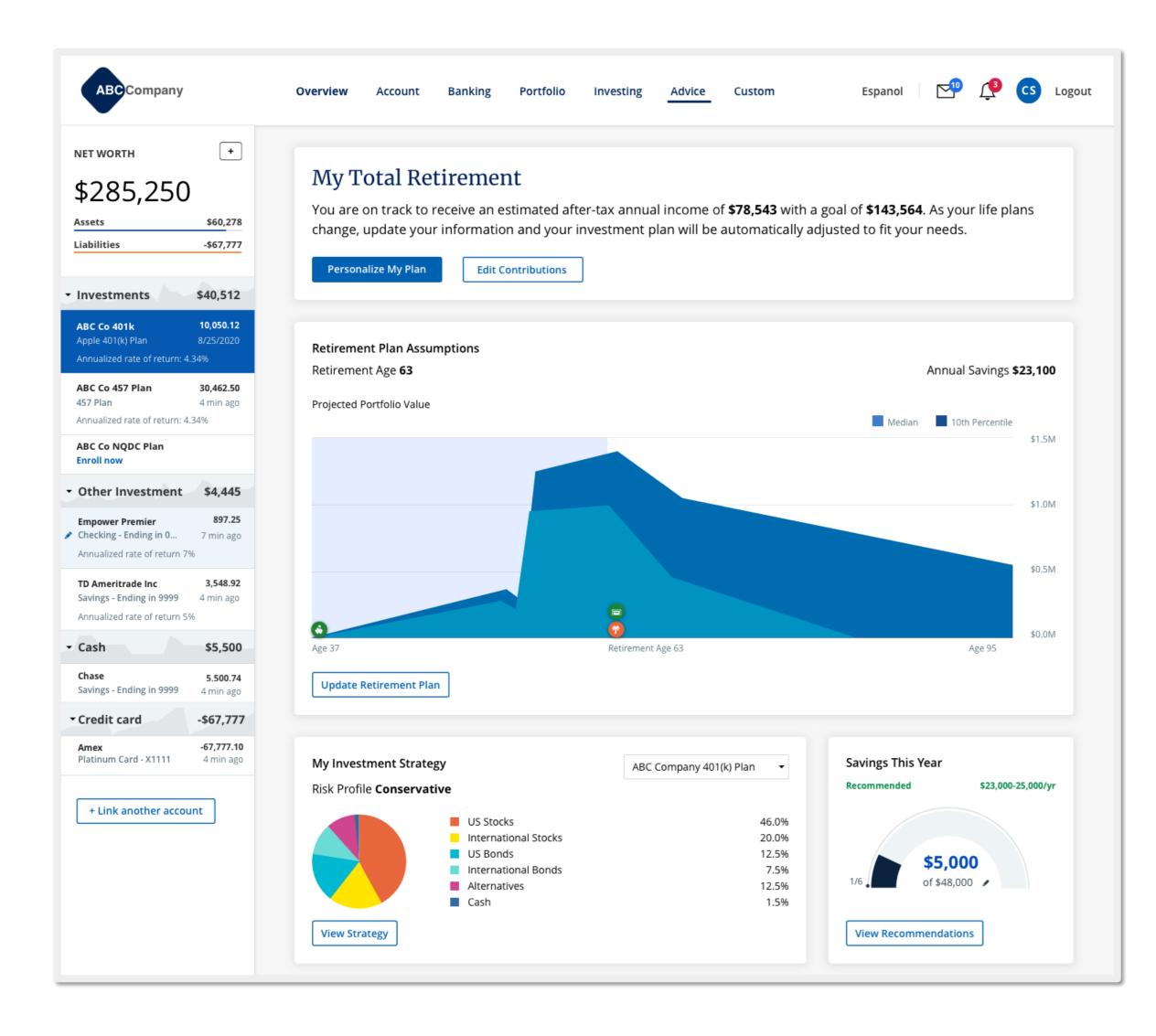
TO MOTIVATE ACTION AT THE RIGHT TIME

- Peer and top peer comparisons for individuals at any age
- Healthcare costs estimates for those age 35 and over
- How long will my money last? for individuals 50+ to estimate how savings translates to income in retirement



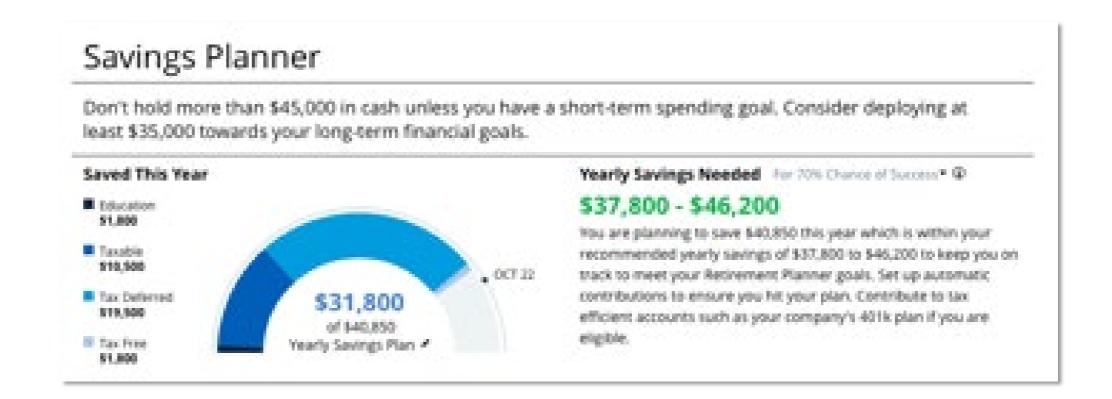


Enhanced advice



ACTIONABLE RECOMMENDATIONS THAT MAKE SENSE

- Advice-focused landing page
- Highlighted investment strategy
- Current savings to inform planning
- Dynamic personalized messaging with holistic, household view



Bob & Brenda's Goals



Comprehensive financial planning

MOTIVATE ACTION



CONVENIENT

Outreach email with online scheduler



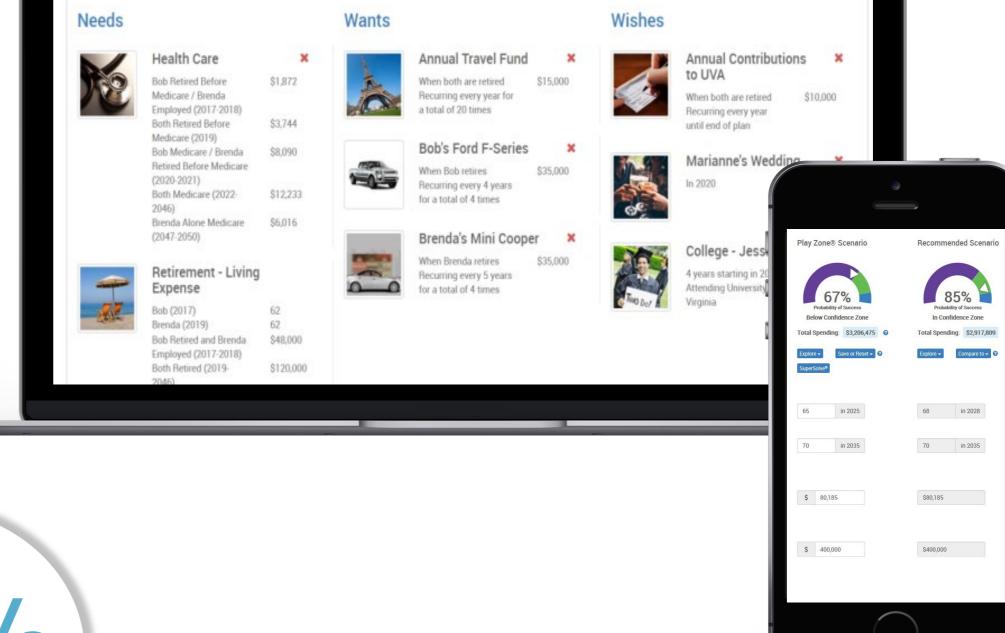
FINANCIAL PLANNING CONSULTATION

- Goal-based: needs, wants and wishes
- Broad range of topics and life events
- Money Guide Pro consumer portal access
- 3-5 hours of total consultation time with spouse or partner



ACTIONABLE

- Comprehensive Financial Plan report
- Solutions to help implement plan



Timeline Hide Detail

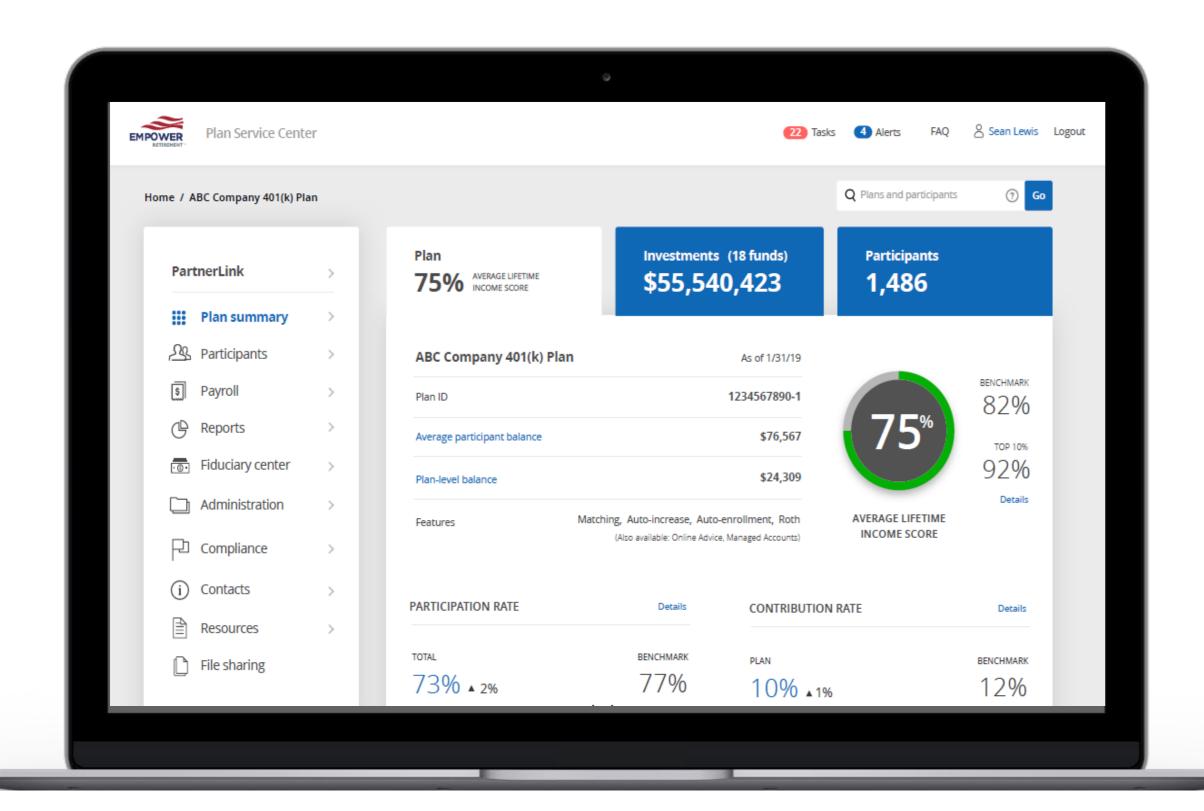
A FOCUS ON WELLNESS

1 in 4 employees ranks a financial wellness benefit with access to unbiased **financial counselors as the most desired employer benefit.**¹

25%



Intelligent and integrated data





MORE EFFICIENT PLAN MANAGEMENT

Intuitive tools and reporting analytics make optimizing plan design and controlling costs easy



ALL IN ONE PLACE

Dashboard features plan statistics, peer benchmarks with access to service contacts and reporting

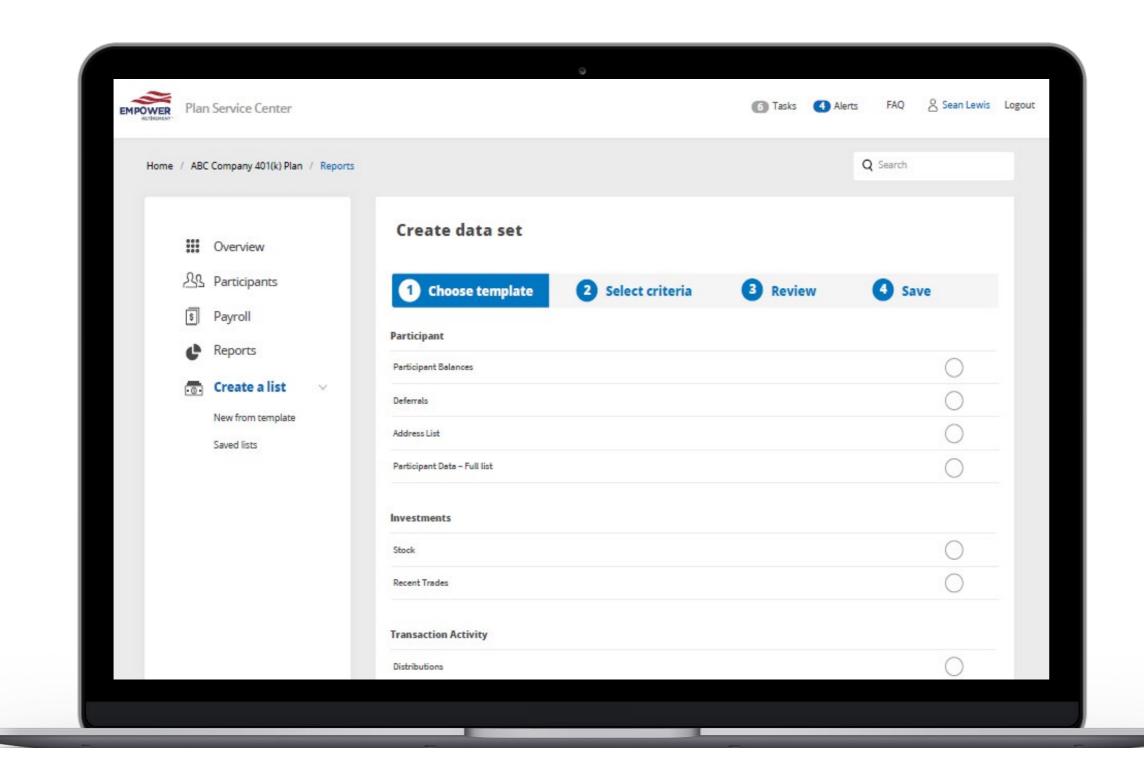


EASY-TO-USE INTERFACE

Time saving participant, plan and investment insights brought to the forefront



Customized reporting





THE RIGHT INFORMATION AT THE RIGHT TIME

Continuous improvement of our client reporting to provide you with the data you need – when you need it



TIMESAVING CUSTOMIZATION

- A simple guided reporting process
- Multi-plan, multi-layer
- Drag-and-drop data values and list preview
- Save and schedule, with expanded output options



Jargon-free communications



UNDERSTANDABLE

 Clearly designed and written to make it easier to take action



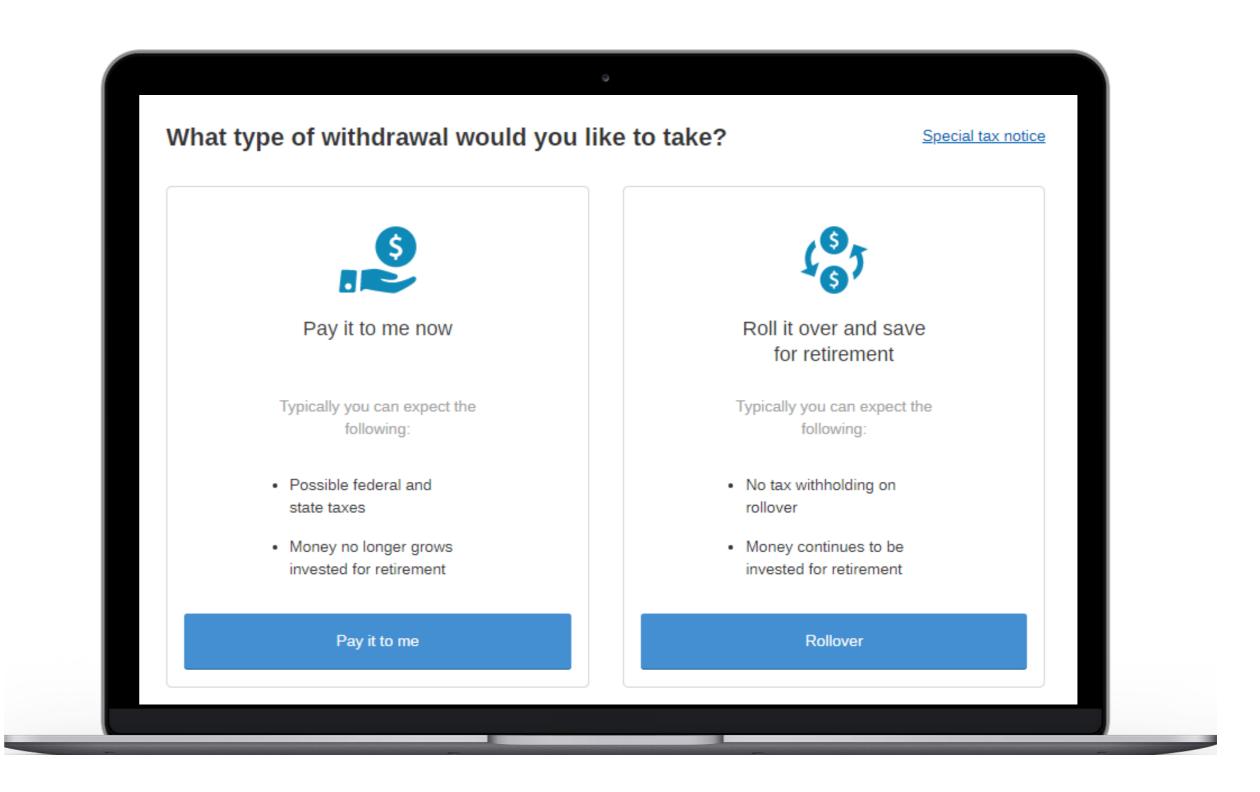
EFFICIENT

Time saving design features allow for reduced processing and errors



SIMPLIFIED

Complex terminology eliminated to prevent confusion





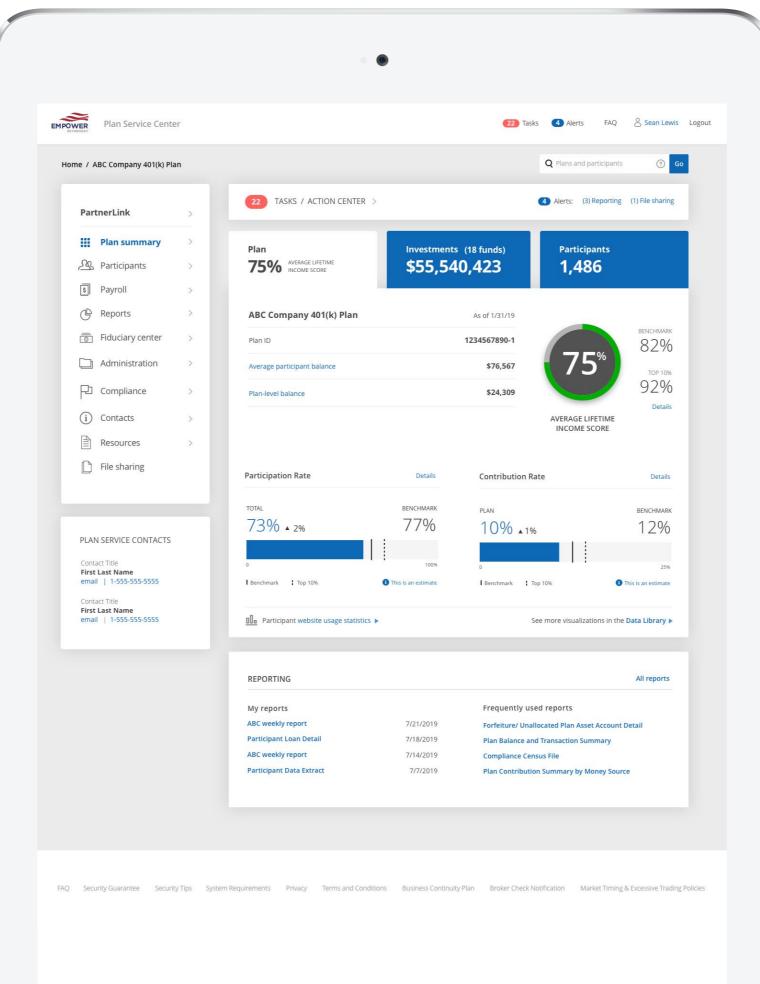
Insights to maximize benefits

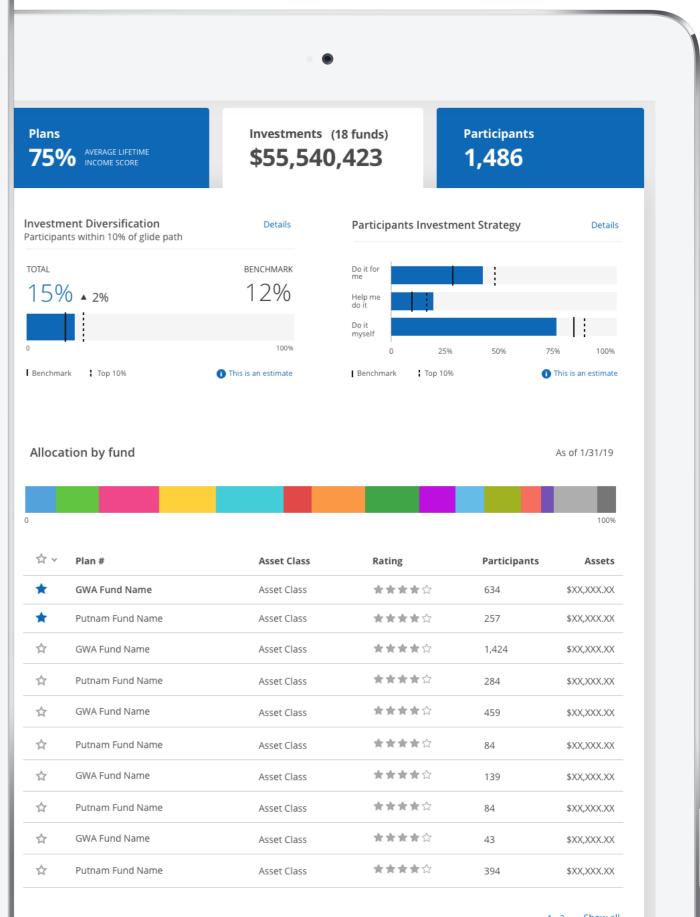






ACTIONABLE INSIGHTS

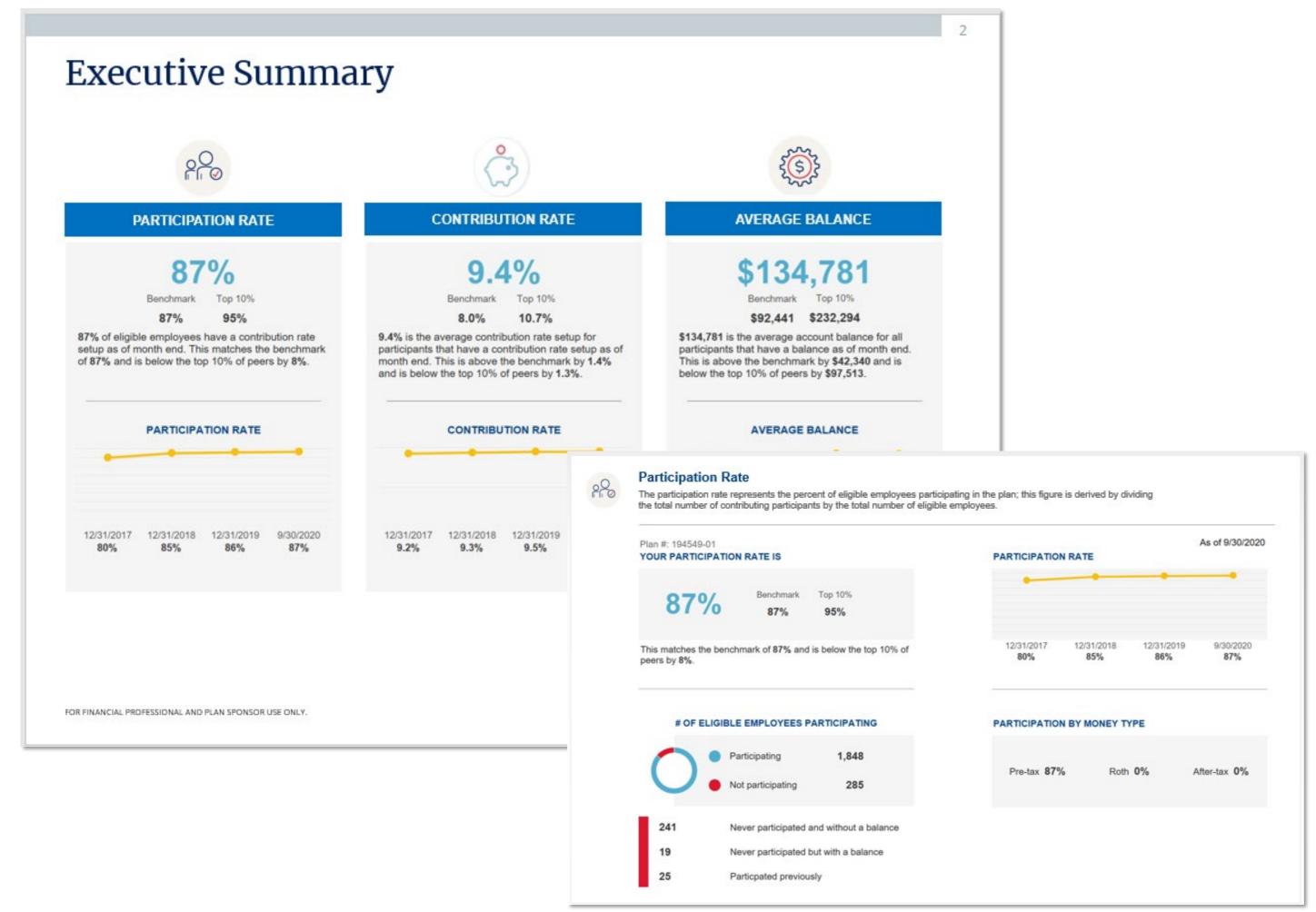


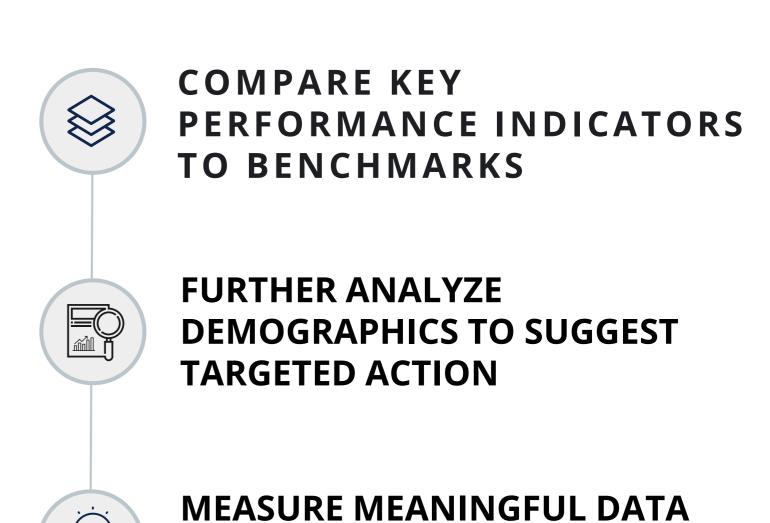


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Plan performance insights





POINTS TO DRIVE DECISIONS

AND SPOT TRENDS



Sophisticated, cutting-edge security





PROTOCOLS IN PLACE

- Multifactor authentication
- Proactive security alerts
- Enhanced identity-proofing voice biometric screening
- Increased cybersecurity training



PROTOCOLS IN DEVELOPMENT

- Participant-initiated "money out" lockdown
- Device fingerprinting
- Enhanced security questions
- Fraudulent email detection

A FOCUS ON PROTECTING CUSTOMERS

There are approximately 2.7M daily cyberattacks on the financial industry.¹







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