



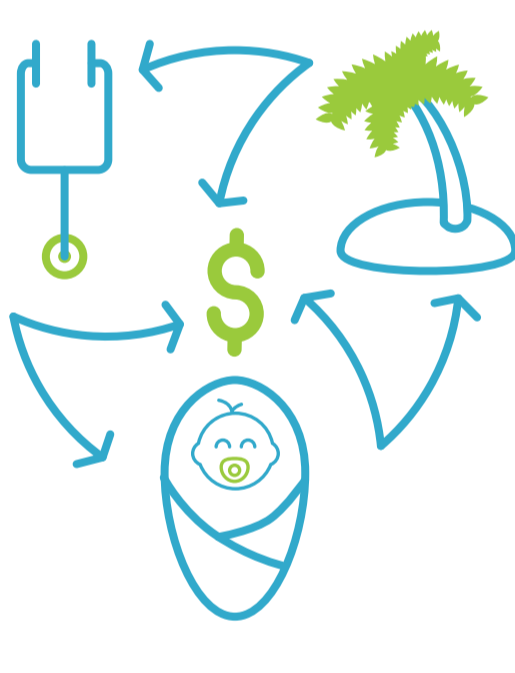
Statistically, women fall behind men when it comes to retirement planning and they aren't always in a position to take a long-term view when making career decisions. Read on for a list of what women should focus on when planning for the future.



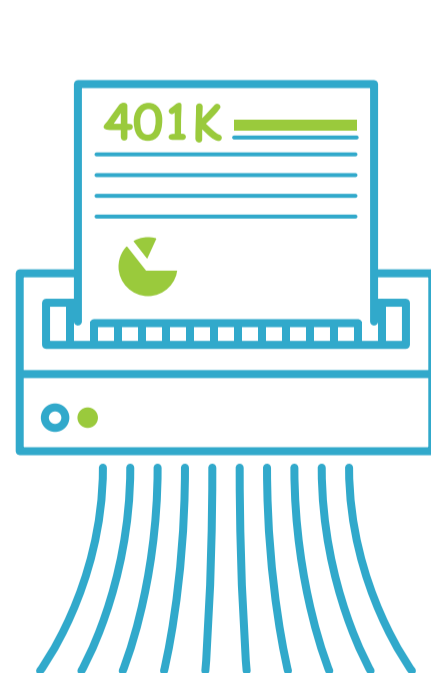
Saving early can increase a woman's chances of having enough to last through the retirement years—Millennials, take note!



Carefully consider investment options and implications of being conservatively invested over a longer period of time. Talk to a Financial Advisor for in-depth guidance.



In making career and job choices, consider and try to monetize all the benefits available in the industry and at a particular company. That includes health insurance, 401k matching, flexible schedules, commute reimbursement and anything else you value.



When switching jobs, consider what benefits might be lost; salary is important, but it's not the only reason to take a job.



If your employer doesn't offer a retirement savings plan, open an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) as early in your career as possible. Really—the sooner the better.

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