RETIREMENT READINESS



SAVINGS FOCUS

Retirement remains the top savings objective for Canadian workers, Mercer's research shows, followed by debt reduction and saving for a major purchase.

Source: Mercer's 2015 Inside Employees' Minds™ Survey

Percentage who identify the following as a major savings objective (all employees)

Retirement

55%

Paying down debt

44%

Saving for a major puchase

30%

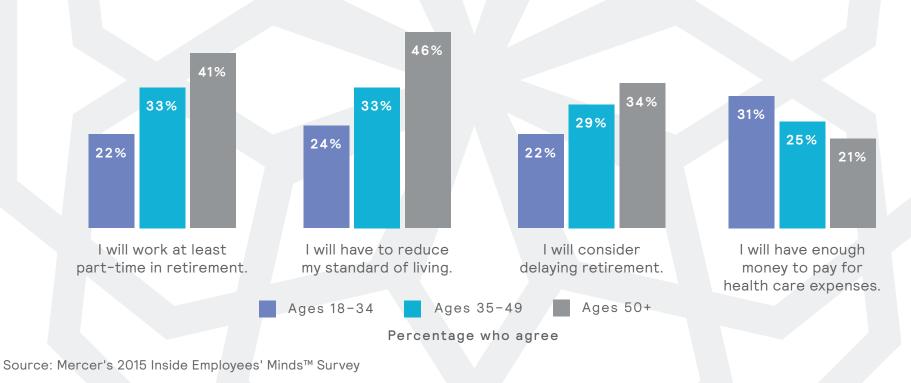
Saving for a child's education

26%

Unexpected expense, apart from health care

RETIREMENT EXPECTATIONS Employees' views on retirement change ages

Employees' views on retirement change according to age, with Canadian workers closer to retirement having a less optimistic view of their golden years.



WHAT KEEPS THEM UP AT NIGHT

20%

of Canadian workers say their biggest financial worry is saving enough for retirement; 17% say it's keeping up with monthly expenses.

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TAKING RESPONSIBILITY

50%

of Canadian workers say they — not their employer or the government — have primary responsibility for providing an adequate and secure income in retirement.



