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Schwab Retirement Plan Services introduced the concept of AMA in 2015, and we're proud to have been the first recordkeeper to collaborate with Morningstar Investment Management LLC in this arena. With our integrated participant experience, plus fiduciary support from Morningstar Investment Management, you'll find it easier than ever to put your clients' needs first.

Industry Trends and Updates

[Modern Wealth Survey, 2020: Perspectives on savings, spending, investing and wealth](#)

According to Charles Schwab's 2020 Modern Wealth Survey, an annual examination of perspectives on saving, spending, investing and wealth, 57 percent of Americans say that they or a close family member have been financially impacted by COVID-19, but at the same time, there are some silver linings when it comes to people's financial behaviors. Thirty-six percent of Americans say they are more likely to have savings to cover emergency expenses, and 40 percent say they are more likely to be saving more in general compared to before the pandemic outbreak in the U.S.

Results by market:

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According to Schwab's SDBA Indicators Report, the average account balance across all participant accounts finished Q2 2020 at \$285,616, a 3.3% increase year-over-year and a 13% increase from Q1 2020.

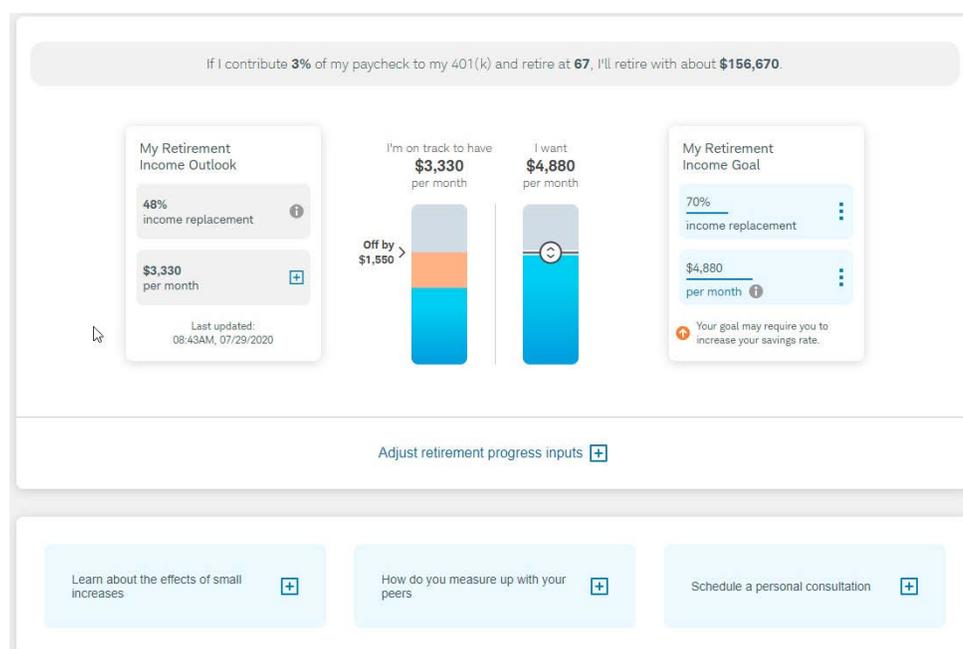
Practice Management

[My Retirement Progress™ gets a refresh¹](#)

We're always evolving our participant experience to better serve employees of plan sponsors. Now more than ever, people need intuitive retirement planning tools to help them figure out their next steps. That's why we're happy to announce a few updates to our online gap analysis, My Retirement Progress.

A **simplified income replacement visual** helps participants more easily compare their current progress with their desired goal, while **new in-tool tips** offer real-time support as they adjust their inputs. Additional enhancements such as an **expanded Planned Retirement Age range** help them assess a wider array of options.

Join us for a demo and Retirement Plan Services update in October. Find details and registration options [here](#).



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Industry Events and Education

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[The Schwab Retirement Plan Services difference: What you might not know](#)

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