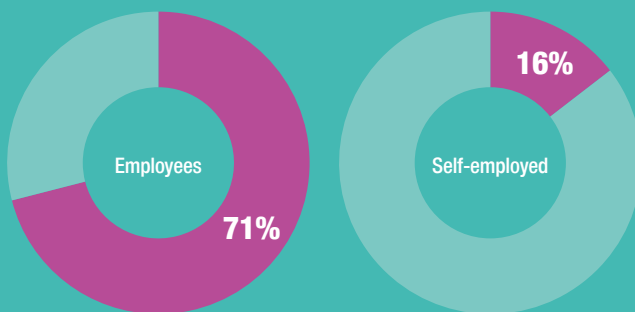


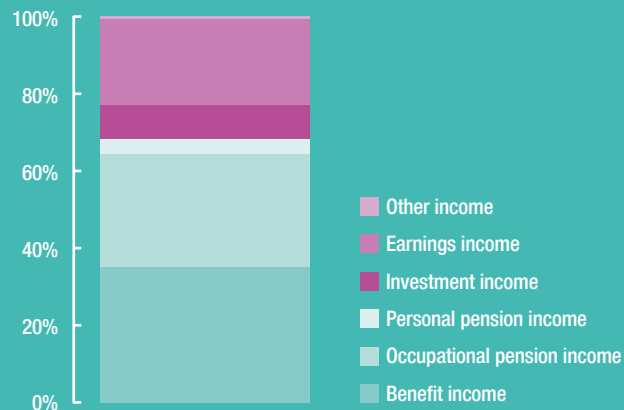
Findings from the 2017/18 Family Resources Survey

Enrolment rates into private pensions differ depending on people's employment status



Enrolment rates among people under state pension age

Couples where at least one person is of state pension age receive income from a variety of sources.



Our responsibility to you



We answer your questions
We will always tell you the purpose of the research and who is funding it.



No 'junk mail'
You will not receive any 'junk mail' as a result of taking part. We do not pass addresses onto other organisations for commercial purposes.

For more information

If you'd like to know more about the Preparing for the Future study, or have any questions, please visit www.natcen.ac.uk/PreparingforFuture, e-mail us at PreparingfortheFuture@natcen.ac.uk or call on 0808 168 1356.

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What is the Preparing for the Future study?

Preparing for the Future is a new survey of people aged 40 to 75. It asks questions on a range of topics including: what people want and need from work as they get older, how people plan for their retirement, people's expectations about their pensions or other savings in retirement, and where people go for advice and guidance on retirement planning.



Why does the study matter?

The study explores important topics that affect an increasing number of people in our ageing society. It will help policy makers across government to answer questions such as: How do people plan for their retirement? How well informed are people about the pension choices available to them? What do people want from work later in life?



How will we use your information?

This study will be used by the Department for Work and Pensions and other government departments to understand what people want from later life and how they make decisions about their employment and finances as they get older.

Anonymised survey data will be shared with DWP for statistical and research purposes only. Your answers will be put together with those from everyone else taking part in the study. Any findings reported will not identify anyone who took part in the study.



Why did we choose you?

You were randomly chosen from people aged 40-75 on 24th January 2020 who took part in the Family Resources Survey between April 2017 and June 2018. Only people who agreed to be contacted again were invited to take part in the Preparing for the Future study.

It is important that we hear from a wide range of people whatever their experiences of or expectations for retirement.



Who are we?

NatCen Social Research is Britain's largest independent research organisation studying social affairs. We carry out many important national research studies for Government departments, research councils and charitable foundations.

The kinds of policy areas we study include: health, education, work, childcare, housing and transport.

We also study the attitude of the population generally and produce research reports such as British Social Attitudes and the Scottish Social Attitudes Survey.

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NatCen are working in collaboration with the Institute for Employment Studies (IES) and Pensions Policy Institute (PPI) on the design and analysis of the findings of this study.