

Approaching Retirement Federal Resource Guide Pilot: Questionnaire

Instructions:

- You just completed a session with one of our counselors to better understand the benefits available to you as you approach retirement. We are conducting a pilot to improve the *Approaching Retirement Federal Resource Guide* and would appreciate your feedback on the *Guide*. Please respond to the questions below to the best of your ability.
- If you are interested in providing additional detail on your experience with the *Approaching Retirement Federal Resource Guide* in a short interview, please enter your contact information at the bottom of the questionnaire and someone may contact you.
- In Person: Once you have completed your questionnaire, please return it to the counselor you met with.
- Virtual: Once you have completed the questionnaire, please hit “submit.”
- We will use the feedback from this questionnaire to identify opportunities to improve the *Federal Resource Guide*. None of the responses will be attributed to specific individuals and all responses will remain confidential.
- The results from this pilot will be made available at www.performance.gov.
- Paperwork Reduction Act Public Burden Statement:
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Would you like to participate in this questionnaire?

- Yes (go to first question)
- No (end the questionnaire)

Questionnaire:

1. What was the date of your counseling session? _____
2. What was the primary topic(s) of your counseling session? *Choose all that apply:*
 - a. Healthcare
 - b. Finances

c. Benefits

d. Other: _____

Please indicate your level of agreement with each of the following statements:

3. The *Federal Resource Guide* will help me obtain the benefits I need.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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4. The *Federal Resource Guide* was provided to me at a time that was useful to my decision-making process.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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5. The *Federal Resource Guide* reduced my level of worry about the financial decisions I need to make.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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6. The *Federal Resource Guide* reduced my level of worry about the healthcare decisions I need to make.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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7. The *Federal Resource Guide* made the process of obtaining benefits easier to understand.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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8. The information provided in the *Federal Resource Guide* is clear.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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9. The information provided in the *Federal Resource Guide* is comprehensive (i.e., nothing is missing).

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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10. The *Federal Resource Guide* is written in a language I can read and understand.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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11. As a result of the *Federal Resource Guide*, I know the next step I need to take to obtain benefits.

<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither Agree nor Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Completely Disagree
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12. What improvements would you recommend to the *Federal Resource Guide*?

13. Contact Information:

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____