# Value of Financial Planning

People who work with a CFP professional say they are better off

FPSB® Value of Financial Planning Index™ measures the impact of financial planning on the lives of clients, with scores ranging from 0 to 100.





# Experience a higher quality of life:

Feel better about their health, connection, purpose and life satisfaction

| CFP professional advised |    | 73 |
|--------------------------|----|----|
| Other advised            |    | 69 |
| Unadvised                | 66 |    |



### More satisfied with their financial situation:

Feel better about their spending capability, personal financial risk management, and overall wealth

| CFP professional advised | 72 |  |
|--------------------------|----|--|
| Other advised            | 66 |  |
| Unadvised 59             |    |  |



#### Greater financial confidence:

Feel more confident about their financial security and ability to achieve their personal financial goals

| CFP profess  | ional advised |    | 71 |
|--------------|---------------|----|----|
| Other advise | d             | 65 |    |
| Unadvised    | 60            |    |    |



#### Better experience with the financial planning process:

Feel more optimistic about meeting their financial needs and achieving financial gains

| CFP professional advised | 78 |
|--------------------------|----|
| Other advised            | 73 |
| N/A Unadvised            |    |

# Top 5 benefits of working with a financial planner reported by clients





Better financial decision-making confidence



Help to explain and simplify financial matters



Saves time and effort organzing finances



Feel more satisfied with their wealth

# CFP professionals unlock benefits beyond money









# Clients trust financial planners to act in their best interests

95% of all financial planning clients

98% of CFP professional clients

## Financial planning is a top priority for Gen Y



have or expect to come into an inheritance or major financial support in coming years



likely to start receiving this within the next 10 years, with 80% estimating this to be above US\$50K



of unadvised Gen Y would consider paying for financial advice



have never engaged with a financial planner but would consider it, with 50% of those looking to start within the next 3 years, and 85% within the next 10 years