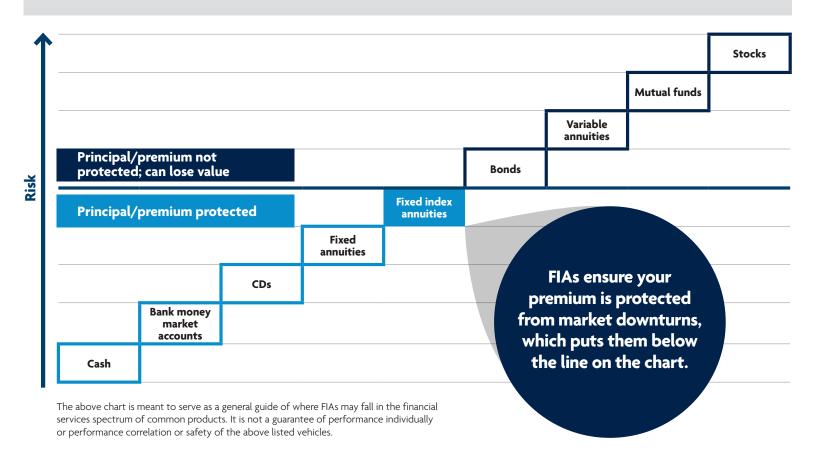


Financial risk spectrum

When you're creating a financial plan, there is no one "best" product. But there are products that can be a better fit in order to help meet your goals for retirement, whether you're experienced or just getting started.

Fixed index annuities (FIAs) are insurance products that are quickly becoming a household term as a new generation of savers are drawn to growth potential and protection from market downturns. Take a look at where FIAs fit with other products in light of risk.



Ask your financial professional how adding a fixed index annuity to your financial plan can help create stability in your portfolio.

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