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The Personal Financial Planning Division of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants – authorized by Council of the AICPA in May 1986 – has been established for those CPAs who have an interest in personal financial planning. It recognizes the professional needs of today's CPA-personal financial planner by providing opportunities for those CPAs to –

- Share their special knowledge
- Expand their competence
- Enhance their profitability
- Exchange experiences and ideas
- Communicate the competence of CPAs in the personal financial planning field to the public.

The AICPA Personal Financial Planning Division is part of the AICPA structure. Membership is voluntary and is available to CPAs who are members of the American Institute.

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