Employees are looking for more

Key themes from the American worker pulse survey | Summer 2022



Financial reward still a top priority. Workers are also:

Thinking holistically about their experience at work

Saying benefits beyond money are important

Work-life balance significant

say flexible working hours a top reason to stay with employer

say work-life balance is an important factor if looking for a new employer

say no work-life balance would make them want to leave their organization

(Second reason behind noncompetitive financial package)



"Great Reconsideration" is underway



say demands of job increased



say desire to stay has decreased



say happiness at work has decreased



are actively thinking/looking to leave

Respondents want to work:

27% Fully in the office

23% Mostly in the office with some remote

23% Mostly remote with some office

26% Remotely all of the time



What's important to workers when looking for a new job?

6% Financial compensation

Personal time off/sick leave

Work-life balance flexibility

Health benefits

Well-being resources, including mental healthcare





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