

# 2017 Profile of Older Floridians

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Population by Age Category		
All Ages	655,731	100.0%
Under 18	147,853	22.5%
Under 60	481,239	73.4%
18-59	333,386	50.8%
60+	174,492	26.6%
65+	131,935	20.1%
70+	91,276	13.9%
75+	56,944	8.7%
80+	31,342	4.8%
85+	14,893	2.3%

Source: Office of Economic and Demographic Research, 2016

Population by Race and Ethnicity		
White	154,880	88.8%
Black	16,606	9.5%
Other Minorities	3,006	1.7%
Total Hispanic	15,613	8.9%
White	14,270	8.2%
Non-White	1,343	0.8%
Total Non-Hispanic	158,879	91.1%
Total Racial and Hispanic Minorities <sup>2</sup>	33,882	19.4%

Source: EDR, 2016

Population by Gender		
Male	80,504	46.1%
Female	93,988	53.9%

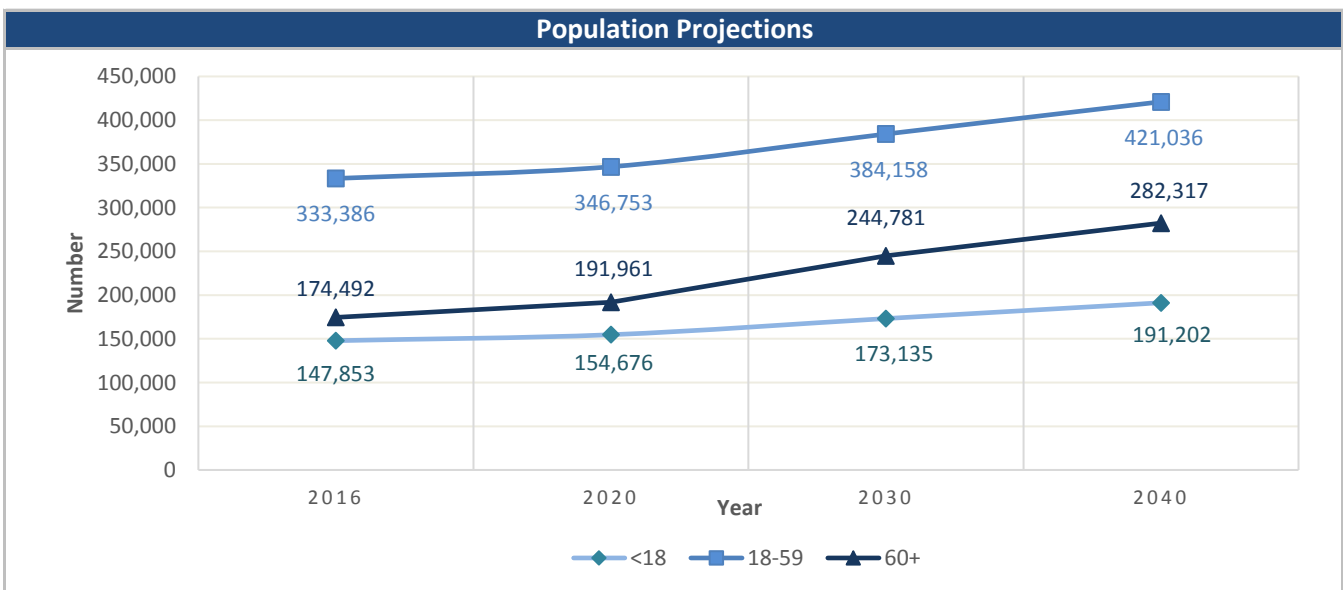
Source: EDR, 2016

English Proficiency	
With Limited English Proficiency <sup>1</sup>	6,912

Source: DOEA calculations based on EDR and 2010-14 ACS data

Financial Status		%
Below Poverty Guideline	17,568	10.1%
Below 125% of Poverty Guideline	26,652	15.3%
Minority Below Poverty Guideline	6,586	3.8%
Minority Below 125% of Poverty Guideline	9,071	5.2%

Source: DOEA calculations based on EDR and 2010-14 ACS data



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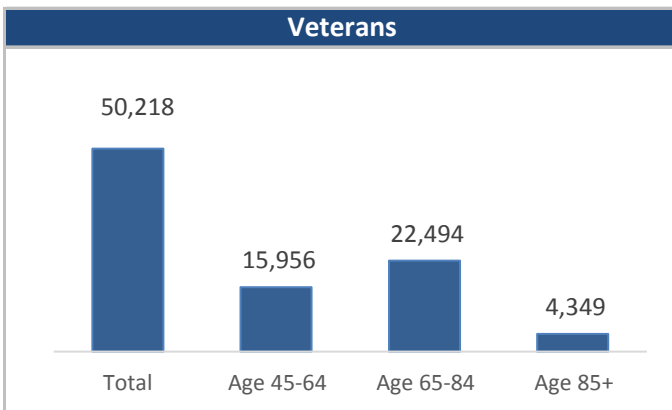


Florida Registered Voters	
Elder Voters	140,848
Percent of All Voters	35.3%

Source: FL Department of State, 2016

Florida Driver's License	
Elder Drivers	152,898
Percent of All Drivers	30.6%

Source: FL Department of Highway Safety & Motor Vehicles, 2016



Source: FL Department of Veterans' Affairs

Households With Cost Burden Above 30% and Income Below 50% Area Median Income (65+) <sup>5</sup>	
Elder Households	78,185
Percent of All Households	15.2%

Source: The Shimberg Center for Housing Studies, 2016

Cost of Living, Annual Expenses(65+) <sup>6</sup>	
<b>Single Elders</b>	
Owner without Mortgage	\$17,724
Renter, one bedroom	\$20,700
Owner with Mortgage	\$26,268
<b>Elder Couple</b>	
Owner without Mortgage	\$27,384
Renter, one bedroom	\$30,360
Owner with Mortgage	\$35,928

Source: Wider Opportunities for Women Elder Economic Security Standard™ Index (Elder Index), Data as of 8/16/2017

Retirement (65+)	
Disability Insurance (OASDI) Beneficiaries	94,488
Percent OASDI Beneficiaries	71.6%

Source: DOEA calculations based on EDR and the U.S. Social Security Administration data, 2016

Median Household Income for All Ages	
2011-2015	\$43,162

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Disability Status	
With One Type of Disability <sup>7</sup>	25,544
With Two or More Disabilities	29,053
<b>Total With Any Disability</b>	
Hearing	21,800
Vision	10,063
Cognitive	13,383
Ambulatory	36,129
Self-Care	10,149
Independent Living	21,508
With No Disabilities	119,889
Probable Alzheimer's Cases (65+) <sup>8</sup>	16,029

Source: DOEA calculations based on EDR, 2010-14 ACS data, and Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures Report, 2017

Medical Professionals	
<b>Medical Doctors</b>	
Licensed	895
Limited License	2
Critical Need Area License	35
Restricted	0
Medical Faculty Certification	0
Public Health Certificate	0
<b>Specialties</b>	
Licensed Podiatric Physicians	27
Licensed Osteopathic Physicians	93
Licensed Chiropractic Physicians	105
<b>Licensed Registered Nurses</b>	<b>7,003</b>

Source: Florida Department of Health, 2016

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Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Utilization	
<b>SNF Beds</b>	3,005
Community Beds	2,959
Sheltered Beds	46
Veterans' Affairs Administration Beds	-
Other Beds	-
<b>SNFs With Beds</b>	26
Community Beds	24
Sheltered Beds	2
Veterans' Affairs Administration Beds	-
Other Beds	-
<b>SNFs With Community Beds</b>	24
Community Bed Days	1,080,418
Community Patient Days	958,366
Medicaid Patient Days	583,974
Occupancy Rate	88.7%
Percent Medicaid	60.9%

Assisted Living Facility	
<b>Total Beds</b>	2,159
OSS Beds <sup>9</sup>	358
Non-OSS Beds	1,801
<b>Total Facilities</b>	37
Facilities with ECC License <sup>10</sup>	5
Facilities with LMH License <sup>11</sup>	7
Facilities with LNS License <sup>12</sup>	14

Adult Family Care Homes	
Homes	11
Beds	49

Ambulatory Surgical Centers	
Facilities	9
Operating Rooms	25
Recovery Beds	98

Home Health Agencies	
<b>Agencies</b>	32
Medicaid Certified Agencies	8
Medicare Certified Agencies	21

Hospitals	
<b>Hospitals</b>	6
Hospitals with Skilled Nursing Units	0
<b>Hospital Beds</b>	1,803
Skilled Nursing Unit Beds	0

Homemaker & Companion Service Companies	
Companies	35

Medicaid & Medicare Eligibility	
Medicaid Eligible - All Ages	159,566
60+ Medicaid Eligible	19,181
Dual Eligible - All Ages	26,384
60+ Dual Eligible	17,139

Adult Day Care	
Facilities	4
Capacity	201

Source for Page: AHCA, 2016

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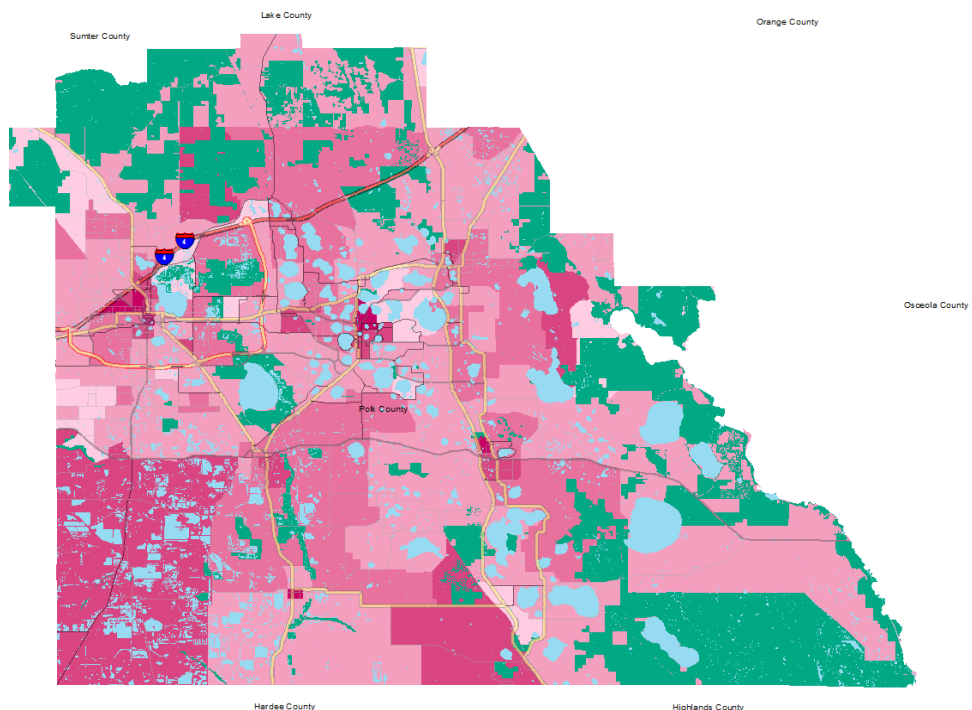
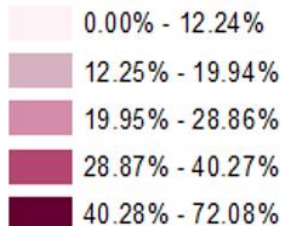
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## Elder Needs Index

### Elder Needs Index (all factors)

#### ENI



The Elder Needs Index (ENI) is a composite measure that includes: (1) the percentage of the 60 and older population that is age 85 and older; (2) the percentage of the 55 and older population who are members of racial or ethnic minority groups; (3) the percentage of the 65 and older population with one or more disability; and (4) the percentage of the 55 and older population living below 125% of the Federal Poverty Level. The Index is an averaged score that indicates senior citizens' overall level of risk for a probable need of social services within a geographic area. It is not a percentage of the area's population. The green areas of the map represent current conservation land such as national parks, state forests, wildlife management areas, local and private preserves. The blue areas of the map represent current water features such as lakes, streams, rivers, and coastlines. Complete maps available at [http://elderaffairs.state.fl.us/does/eni\\_home.php](http://elderaffairs.state.fl.us/does/eni_home.php)

Source: Florida Department of Elder Affairs using U.S. Census Bureau, 2008-12 ACS data

### Useful Websites

- [Office of Economic & Demographic Research \(EDR\)](#)
- [U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey](#)
- [U.S. Census Bureau, Quick Facts](#)
- [Agency for Health Care Administration \(AHCA\)](#)

- [FL Division of Emergency Management \(Shelters\)](#)
- [Florida Housing Data Clearinghouse](#)
- [County Chronic Disease Profile](#)

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<sup>1</sup> Those who report speaking English "Not well" or "Not at all" are defined as having Limited English Proficiency (LEP) in this profile.

<sup>2</sup> Total Minorities = (60+ Population) - (White Non-Hispanic 60+)

<sup>3</sup> A "dependency ratio" is commonly depicted as a ratio of workers to non-workers. Rather than using labor-force participation rates, which fluctuate, a stable dependency ratio can be estimated by using the number of individuals in the population who fall into age groups generally aligned with school-aged kids, working age adults, and retired seniors. For this graphic, working age adults (defined as 18-59) were compared to minors (age 0-17)(youth dependency ratio) and seniors (age 65+)(aged dependency ratio).

<sup>4</sup> Medically Underserved Areas/Populations are areas or populations designated by Health Resources & Services Administration(HRSA) as having too few primary care providers, high infant mortality, high poverty or a high elderly population.

<sup>5</sup> Households age 65 and older paying more than 30 percent of income for housing costs (including utilities) and have an income below 50 percent of the area median income.

<sup>6</sup> Wider Opportunities for Women Elder Economic Security Standard™ Index (Elder Index) measures how much income retired older adults require to meet their basic needs without public or private assistance. The Elder Index measures basic expenses for elders age 65+ living in the community, not in institutions. Annual expenses include: housing, including utilities, taxes, insurance; food; transportation; health care, based on good health; and miscellaneous. Data found at <http://www.basiceconomicsecurity.org/EI/>

<sup>7</sup> With One Type of Disability: 60+ people who have only one type of disability

<sup>8</sup> Probable Alzheimer's Cases = (65-74 Population x 0.035430) + (75-84 Population x 0.168209) + (85+ Population x 0.422937) Alzheimer's by Age in 2017 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures Report used to develop calculation can be found at: [http://www.alz.org/documents\\_custom/facts\\_2017/statesheet\\_florida.pdf?type=interior\\_map&facts=undefined&facts=facts](http://www.alz.org/documents_custom/facts_2017/statesheet_florida.pdf?type=interior_map&facts=undefined&facts=facts)

<sup>9</sup> OSS Beds: Optional State Supplementation Beds. Optional State Supplementation (OSS) is a cash assistance program. Its purpose is to supplement a person's income to help pay for costs in an assisted living facility, mental health residential treatment facility, and adult family care home. It is NOT a Medicaid program.

<sup>10</sup> ECC License: Extended Congregate Care License. The ECC license is a specialty license that enables a facility to provide, directly or through contract, services beyond those permissible under the standard license, including acts performed by licensed nurses, and supportive services defined by rule to persons who otherwise would be disqualified from continued residence in a facility licensed under this part.

<sup>11</sup> LMH License: Limited Mental Health License. Any facility intending to admit three or more mental health residents must apply for and obtain a limited mental health license from AHCA's Assisted Living Unit before accepting the third mental health resident.

<sup>12</sup> LNS License: Limited Nursing Services License. The LNS license is a specialty license that enables a facility to provide a select number of nursing services.