

Table 2.1 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age and by Gender and Age, 1999

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total	All Medicare Beneficiaries				Male				Total	Female				Total
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	5,394	17,767	12,584	4,605	3,105	8,192	5,057	1,330	17,683	2,289	9,570	7,524	3,270	22,653
	114	72	133	92	72	56	96	68	39	111	42	115	84	63	116
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Health Status															
Excellent	13.79	4.61	17.59	12.96	12.17	5.25	19.09	14.21	12.92	14.80	3.74	16.29	12.12	11.86	13.00
	0.33	0.46	0.59	0.48	0.71	0.62	0.91	0.74	1.26	0.48	0.49	0.81	0.59	0.86	0.42
Very good	25.08	9.54	30.03	26.31	20.78	10.01	29.06	26.32	20.75	24.30	8.91	30.86	26.30	20.79	25.68
	0.39	0.67	0.65	0.73	0.82	0.87	1.00	0.99	1.63	0.55	0.88	0.93	0.96	0.93	0.56
Good	30.89	25.50	30.55	33.60	31.13	26.97	29.94	34.05	33.63	30.87	23.49	31.07	33.29	30.11	30.91
	0.37	1.16	0.56	0.70	0.77	1.60	0.96	0.89	1.50	0.58	1.28	0.85	0.96	0.93	0.55
Fair	20.36	33.23	15.64	19.66	25.43	30.91	15.04	17.97	22.50	19.23	36.40	16.16	20.81	26.62	21.25
	0.34	1.05	0.51	0.53	0.88	1.38	0.73	0.87	1.62	0.50	1.89	0.63	0.63	1.04	0.40
Poor	9.88	27.11	6.20	7.47	10.50	26.86	6.87	7.45	10.20	10.80	27.46	5.62	7.48	10.62	9.16
	0.26	1.12	0.33	0.35	0.65	1.57	0.54	0.53	0.98	0.41	1.81	0.40	0.44	0.76	0.33
Functional Limitation															
None	49.40	23.45	65.66	48.52	19.92	26.53	69.04	55.48	29.45	54.49	19.31	62.89	44.02	16.11	45.55
	0.49	1.08	0.71	0.86	0.76	1.43	1.02	1.22	1.78	0.69	1.36	0.98	1.10	0.83	0.65
IADL only ²	12.99	22.62	10.65	12.55	11.68	21.62	8.52	10.82	12.43	11.85	23.97	12.40	13.67	11.38	13.86
	0.31	1.08	0.51	0.48	0.76	1.26	0.60	0.69	1.24	0.38	1.53	0.76	0.71	0.92	0.44
One to two ADLs ³	22.07	31.65	16.59	23.33	28.38	30.92	15.72	20.47	27.08	20.69	32.62	17.31	25.18	28.90	23.12
	0.40	1.17	0.57	0.67	1.05	1.58	0.77	0.98	1.97	0.54	1.70	0.70	0.78	1.13	0.49
Three to six ADLs	15.54	22.28	7.09	15.60	40.02	20.93	6.71	13.23	31.05	12.97	24.09	7.40	17.14	43.61	17.48
	0.29	0.93	0.33	0.55	1.13	1.29	0.52	0.73	2.04	0.39	1.57	0.47	0.70	1.33	0.41
Upper Extremity Limitation															
No	59.04	43.90	68.40	59.22	39.78	46.31	72.42	63.38	49.96	63.56	40.64	65.02	56.46	35.63	55.55
	0.56	1.14	0.81	0.89	1.05	1.60	1.14	1.18	2.05	0.73	1.81	0.99	0.97	1.22	0.63
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	10.25	7.29	12.21	10.45	5.53	7.79	11.15	11.76	7.50	10.46	6.61	13.10	9.57	4.72	10.09
	0.34	0.68	0.59	0.44	0.45	0.89	0.73	0.73	0.88	0.46	0.97	0.74	0.53	0.51	0.40
Yes, ADL/IADL present	30.71	48.81	19.39	30.33	54.69	45.90	16.43	24.86	42.54	25.98	52.75	21.88	33.97	59.65	34.37
	0.42	1.28	0.57	0.79	1.00	1.63	0.81	0.93	2.01	0.51	1.95	0.74	0.97	1.15	0.56

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		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	5,394	17,767	12,584	4,605	3,105	8,192	5,057	1,330	17,683	2,289	9,570	7,524	3,270	22,653
	<i>114</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>133</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>115</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>116</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Mobility Limitation															
No	51.34	35.69	64.68	49.11	23.76	39.93	69.98	56.59	35.18	58.29	29.93	60.14	44.06	19.11	45.90
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.77</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>1.56</i>	<i>1.09</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>1.69</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>1.40</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>1.08</i>	<i>0.70</i>
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	9.85	7.54	10.36	11.20	6.85	7.74	8.32	10.98	7.80	8.94	7.27	12.10	11.35	6.46	10.56
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>0.42</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>0.58</i>	<i>0.40</i>
Yes, ADL/IADL present	38.81	56.77	24.96	39.69	69.40	52.32	21.70	32.44	57.01	32.77	62.80	27.75	44.59	74.43	43.54
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>1.50</i>	<i>1.01</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>1.80</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>1.63</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>0.62</i>

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- 1 Beneficiaries who were administered a community interview answered health status and functioning questions themselves, unless they were unable to do so. A proxy, such as a nurse, always answered questions about the beneficiary's health status and functioning for long-term care facility interviews.
- 2 IADL stands for Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.
- 3 ADL stands for Activity of Daily Living.

Table 2.2 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age and by Gender and Age, 1999

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total	All Medicare Beneficiaries				Male				Total	Female				Total
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	5,394	17,767	12,584	4,605	3,105	8,192	5,057	1,330	17,683	2,289	9,570	7,524	3,270	22,653
	114	72	133	92	72	56	96	68	39	111	42	115	84	63	116
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Chronic Conditions															
None	12.26	18.49	14.39	8.44	7.13	20.09	15.97	11.30	9.18	14.85	16.33	12.99	6.49	6.16	10.18
	0.26	0.71	0.48	0.32	0.50	1.14	0.73	0.71	1.04	0.44	1.02	0.66	0.41	0.55	0.35
One	18.12	15.71	21.43	16.40	12.85	17.56	23.48	18.92	16.99	20.65	13.22	19.69	14.72	11.18	16.16
	0.39	0.85	0.66	0.46	0.61	1.25	0.89	0.80	1.23	0.58	1.12	0.85	0.59	0.73	0.47
Two or more	69.62	65.79	64.18	75.15	80.02	62.36	60.55	69.78	73.84	64.50	70.45	67.32	78.79	82.66	73.66
	0.46	1.14	0.75	0.53	0.76	1.77	1.05	0.98	1.42	0.67	1.39	0.95	0.71	0.96	0.53
Disease/Condition															
Hypertension	53.51	45.58	52.78	57.92	53.49	49.56	51.58	53.03	44.51	51.11	40.21	53.82	61.22	57.14	55.38
	0.44	1.13	0.64	0.62	1.22	1.38	0.97	0.99	1.91	0.62	1.74	1.07	0.81	1.40	0.59
Diabetes	17.29	19.49	17.64	17.00	14.19	19.19	19.14	17.76	13.77	18.35	19.89	16.35	16.48	14.36	16.46
	0.37	1.08	0.61	0.52	0.63	1.47	0.84	0.78	1.06	0.49	1.35	0.74	0.69	0.81	0.44
Arthritis	54.29	48.27	51.99	59.44	56.13	42.46	45.63	51.99	49.88	47.21	56.13	57.43	64.45	58.68	59.81
	0.47	1.09	0.76	0.61	1.02	1.61	1.11	0.85	2.04	0.63	1.64	0.86	0.79	1.06	0.56
Osteoporosis/broken hip	15.30	12.49	12.49	17.89	22.36	8.37	3.94	5.92	8.61	5.64	18.09	19.81	25.96	27.97	22.86
	0.30	0.79	0.41	0.47	0.80	0.68	0.31	0.43	1.05	0.23	1.50	0.77	0.69	1.03	0.49
Pulmonary disease	14.96	21.39	15.37	13.18	10.68	19.78	14.93	16.00	13.75	16.00	23.56	15.75	11.28	9.44	14.14
	0.27	0.98	0.45	0.43	0.60	1.36	0.73	0.79	1.26	0.47	1.48	0.68	0.55	0.71	0.37
Stroke	10.78	11.95	8.18	12.10	15.83	12.39	8.58	12.61	16.47	11.00	11.35	7.84	11.76	15.57	10.61
	0.27	0.83	0.40	0.41	0.73	1.12	0.64	0.69	1.40	0.46	1.09	0.53	0.51	0.83	0.33
Alzheimer's disease	4.44	1.50	1.26	5.25	17.97	1.47	1.28	4.12	12.04	2.93	1.54	1.24	6.02	20.38	5.62
	0.14	0.26	0.14	0.29	0.80	0.35	0.22	0.36	1.30	0.17	0.34	0.19	0.44	1.03	0.22
Parkinson's disease	1.47	0.78	1.02	1.82	3.04	0.89	1.20	2.30	3.81	1.65	0.63	0.86	1.50	2.73	1.32
	0.10	0.19	0.14	0.17	0.35	0.24	0.23	0.32	0.70	0.15	0.21	0.15	0.20	0.39	0.11
Skin cancer	15.20	5.29	14.76	19.30	17.31	4.86	17.70	24.30	24.52	17.84	5.87	12.25	15.95	14.38	13.14
	0.28	0.62	0.41	0.54	0.68	0.71	0.70	0.79	1.58	0.45	0.90	0.60	0.74	0.77	0.37
Other type of cancer	16.13	12.14	15.19	19.52	15.21	8.42	14.25	20.55	20.82	15.52	17.18	16.00	18.82	12.94	16.62
	0.27	0.77	0.44	0.50	0.70	0.94	0.64	0.85	1.44	0.43	1.35	0.57	0.61	0.84	0.32

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	5,394	17,767	12,584	4,605	3,105	8,192	5,057	1,330	17,683	2,289	9,570	7,524	3,270	22,653
	<i>114</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>133</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>115</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>116</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Urinary Incontinence	25.45	24.36	19.23	27.71	44.75	16.59	11.94	18.75	32.93	16.26	34.81	25.45	33.61	49.57	32.56
	<i>0.44</i>	<i>1.14</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.83</i>	<i>1.58</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>1.82</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>1.11</i>	<i>0.61</i>
Smokers															
Never smoked	41.51	33.26	36.33	44.65	63.21	25.73	20.61	22.60	32.95	23.00	43.45	49.78	59.53	75.71	56.03
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>0.98</i>	<i>1.65</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>1.62</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>0.61</i>
Former smoker	43.65	30.69	48.05	46.83	32.99	33.34	61.42	68.06	60.12	58.29	27.09	36.61	32.49	21.78	32.18
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>0.74</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>0.98</i>	<i>1.40</i>	<i>1.05</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>1.79</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>1.44</i>	<i>0.89</i>	<i>0.83</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>0.52</i>
Current smoker	14.83	36.06	15.62	8.52	3.80	40.93	17.97	9.34	6.93	18.71	29.46	13.61	7.98	2.51	11.79
	<i>0.34</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>0.60</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>0.36</i>	<i>1.61</i>	<i>0.89</i>	<i>0.57</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>1.44</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.59</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>0.38</i>
Flu Shot	66.84	48.09	65.95	73.82	73.69	50.16	65.03	76.43	73.57	66.31	45.32	66.74	72.05	73.74	67.26
	<i>0.41</i>	<i>1.26</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.81</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>1.66</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>1.78</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>0.62</i>
Pneumonia Shot	58.30	39.85	56.80	66.23	64.38	40.43	55.71	69.28	64.89	57.62	39.07	57.72	64.16	64.17	58.83
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>0.90</i>	<i>1.81</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>1.95</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>1.77</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>1.11</i>	<i>0.63</i>

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Table 2.3 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1999

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	3,645	14,150	10,609	3,873	32,277	914	1,477	881	341	3,612	564	1,333	668	281	2,846
	114	78	145	97	72	197	35	47	31	20	67	37	76	48	22	131
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Health Status																
Excellent	13.79	5.34	18.49	13.43	12.79	14.65	2.79	11.09	8.34	8.30	8.06	1.95	16.99	11.32	7.36	11.73
	0.33	0.61	0.69	0.54	0.78	0.40	0.61	1.36	1.36	1.94	0.70	0.78	2.37	1.84	1.95	1.31
Very good	25.08	10.11	31.94	26.94	21.65	26.60	10.22	19.80	22.24	16.31	17.65	5.56	21.38	20.44	17.78	17.68
	0.39	0.89	0.70	0.78	0.93	0.42	1.37	1.86	1.97	2.76	0.95	1.28	1.84	2.04	2.75	1.07
Good	30.89	26.73	30.88	34.09	31.60	31.56	23.55	30.88	30.64	25.33	28.45	23.88	26.77	30.17	30.36	27.35
	0.37	1.34	0.65	0.74	0.87	0.42	2.33	2.13	2.75	2.86	1.28	3.48	2.37	2.41	3.72	1.50
Fair	20.36	30.92	13.36	18.58	24.40	18.38	39.10	29.28	28.78	34.08	32.09	39.50	25.97	25.99	27.97	28.85
	0.34	1.25	0.52	0.56	0.98	0.39	2.69	2.00	2.17	3.15	1.27	3.92	2.33	2.77	4.35	1.37
Poor	9.88	26.89	5.33	6.96	9.55	8.80	24.34	8.95	10.01	15.98	13.75	29.11	8.89	12.08	16.53	14.40
	0.26	1.49	0.33	0.37	0.73	0.28	2.58	0.99	1.61	2.34	0.92	3.51	1.45	2.00	2.33	1.06
Functional Limitation																
None	49.40	22.06	67.02	49.53	20.36	50.56	32.60	51.79	41.40	16.81	41.06	20.02	68.85	47.45	16.83	48.95
	0.49	1.25	0.83	0.92	0.89	0.57	2.64	1.95	2.38	2.80	1.29	3.43	2.74	2.72	2.71	1.47
IADL only ³	12.99	23.87	10.71	12.75	11.25	12.96	18.66	12.00	10.41	11.20	13.27	22.97	10.33	12.74	19.37	14.33
	0.31	1.30	0.60	0.54	0.80	0.35	2.49	1.77	1.42	1.87	0.96	2.55	1.54	2.35	3.17	1.04
One to two ADLs ⁴	22.07	31.82	16.04	22.90	29.46	21.70	29.97	22.75	24.96	23.60	25.23	29.99	14.44	22.14	24.84	20.38
	0.40	1.45	0.61	0.74	1.18	0.43	2.83	1.68	1.83	2.37	1.15	3.13	1.81	2.77	3.90	1.21
Three to six ADLs	15.54	22.25	6.23	14.82	38.92	14.79	18.77	13.46	23.23	48.39	20.45	27.02	6.37	17.67	38.96	16.34
	0.29	1.15	0.35	0.57	1.32	0.35	1.94	1.64	1.84	3.75	0.95	3.23	1.28	2.51	3.11	0.90
Upper Extremity Limitation																
No	59.04	43.70	69.41	59.90	40.57	59.95	47.85	61.01	53.30	33.21	53.21	44.55	66.81	57.28	37.20	57.34
	0.56	1.42	0.85	1.01	1.25	0.64	2.78	2.13	1.99	3.75	1.22	4.36	2.66	2.65	3.96	1.54
Yes, no ADL/ IADL present	10.25	6.86	12.14	10.49	5.67	10.23	10.49	12.66	10.42	4.80	10.83	5.12	14.57	10.79	6.18	11.01
	0.34	0.77	0.65	0.50	0.48	0.37	2.13	1.42	1.57	1.83	0.97	1.59	2.36	1.54	1.77	1.10
Yes, ADL/ IADL present	30.71	49.45	18.46	29.62	53.75	29.82	41.66	26.33	36.29	61.99	35.96	50.34	18.62	31.94	56.62	31.65
	0.42	1.47	0.62	0.83	1.20	0.51	2.72	1.71	2.01	3.83	1.09	4.92	2.43	2.40	3.46	1.32

Table 2.3 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1999

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total ²	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	3,645	14,150	10,609	3,873	32,277	914	1,477	881	341	3,612	564	1,333	668	281	2,846
	<i>114</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>145</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>197</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>131</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Mobility Limitation																
No	51.34	35.98	66.41	50.04	24.34	52.62	37.22	49.10	39.71	17.75	40.82	35.27	65.30	46.74	22.84	50.90
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>1.31</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>0.81</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>1.96</i>	<i>2.23</i>	<i>2.39</i>	<i>2.93</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>3.37</i>	<i>2.65</i>	<i>3.68</i>	<i>3.22</i>	<i>1.58</i>
Yes, no ADL/ IADL present	9.85	6.94	10.09	11.44	6.79	9.79	11.53	12.78	10.29	8.31	11.44	4.95	12.10	10.43	6.40	9.75
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.34</i>	<i>2.04</i>	<i>1.30</i>	<i>1.45</i>	<i>1.80</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>1.34</i>	<i>1.73</i>	<i>1.55</i>	<i>1.96</i>	<i>0.87</i>
Yes, ADL/ IADL present	38.81	57.08	23.49	38.53	68.87	37.59	51.26	38.12	49.99	73.94	47.74	59.78	22.59	42.83	70.76	39.36
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>1.37</i>	<i>0.72</i>	<i>0.77</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>2.35</i>	<i>2.09</i>	<i>2.45</i>	<i>3.46</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>4.05</i>	<i>2.42</i>	<i>3.05</i>	<i>3.09</i>	<i>1.53</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

Note: Standard errors are shaded and in italics. See Appendix A for additional information on standard errors. See Appendix B for definitions of terms and variables.

- 1 Beneficiaries who were administered a community interview answered health status and functioning questions themselves, unless they were unable to do so. A proxy, such as a nurse, always answered questions about the beneficiary's health status and functioning for long-term care facility interviews.
- 2 Total includes persons of other race/ethnicity and persons who did not report their race/ethnicity.
- 3 IADL stands for Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.
- 4 ADL stands for Activity of Daily Living.

Table 2.4 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1999

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total ²	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	3,645	14,150	10,609	3,873	32,277	914	1,477	881	341	3,612	564	1,333	668	281	2,846
	114	78	145	97	72	197	35	47	31	20	67	37	76	48	22	131
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Chronic Conditions																
None	12.26	19.38	14.58	8.38	6.78	12.15	15.28	11.66	6.30	8.01	10.92	16.97	15.51	10.41	9.59	14.02
	0.26	0.96	0.53	0.39	0.53	0.31	1.50	1.71	1.05	2.05	0.81	2.20	1.74	1.82	3.27	1.13
One	18.12	15.75	21.64	16.64	13.04	18.30	17.82	15.63	14.13	10.08	15.29	14.12	24.87	16.25	13.72	19.61
	0.39	1.05	0.69	0.54	0.72	0.41	2.27	1.53	1.78	1.88	0.89	2.08	2.51	1.59	2.20	1.41
Two or more	69.62	64.87	63.78	74.98	80.18	69.55	66.90	72.72	79.57	81.91	73.78	68.91	59.62	73.34	76.70	66.37
	0.46	1.48	0.81	0.63	0.89	0.50	2.53	1.99	1.94	2.88	1.11	2.98	2.66	2.07	3.89	1.91
Disease/Condition																
Hypertension	53.51	41.50	50.40	56.44	52.78	51.67	60.85	69.13	72.35	63.80	67.32	50.09	57.68	58.18	51.93	55.73
	0.44	1.53	0.70	0.68	1.37	0.46	2.73	2.31	2.07	2.83	1.47	3.35	2.62	2.61	4.22	1.48
Diabetes	17.29	17.14	15.73	15.66	12.84	15.52	24.62	30.72	26.23	22.13	27.27	22.60	21.97	25.01	20.77	22.69
	0.37	1.25	0.65	0.54	0.70	0.39	2.35	1.93	1.73	2.55	1.03	3.09	1.87	2.25	2.77	1.51
Arthritis	54.29	47.34	51.49	59.05	55.32	53.97	48.55	56.87	64.33	63.62	57.21	50.76	52.06	58.94	61.35	54.34
	0.47	1.35	0.87	0.69	1.13	0.52	2.98	1.97	2.04	3.02	0.99	3.69	2.58	2.71	5.20	1.59
Osteoporosis/ broken hip	15.30	13.92	13.31	18.88	24.12	16.51	6.57	4.63	5.74	11.79	6.07	12.17	12.19	18.01	12.86	13.62
	0.30	0.99	0.51	0.54	0.85	0.35	1.03	0.85	1.20	2.41	0.51	2.06	1.87	1.94	3.02	1.07
Pulmonary disease	14.96	21.99	15.68	13.35	10.71	15.03	17.80	14.44	10.68	10.55	14.01	20.36	11.24	12.35	9.72	13.16
	0.27	1.22	0.47	0.52	0.66	0.33	2.11	1.77	1.42	1.98	0.99	4.00	1.56	1.79	2.33	1.08
Stroke	10.78	11.56	7.78	11.58	15.28	10.36	14.57	12.62	15.30	19.06	14.37	7.55	6.80	14.66	18.06	9.91
	0.27	1.07	0.45	0.44	0.85	0.29	1.75	1.63	1.69	2.11	1.12	1.74	1.12	1.63	2.82	0.81
Alzheimer's disease	4.44	1.41	1.21	5.24	18.20	4.59	0.64	1.68	7.09	24.92	4.93	2.92	1.07	3.43	8.76	2.75
	0.14	0.30	0.16	0.32	0.95	0.15	0.31	0.40	1.01	2.50	0.39	1.04	0.59	0.78	2.67	0.34
Parkinson's disease	1.47	0.86	1.05	1.94	3.14	1.57	0.31	0.66	1.33	2.80	0.93	0.86	0.75	1.06	2.75	1.04
	0.10	0.25	0.16	0.20	0.39	0.11	0.25	0.33	0.54	1.26	0.24	0.40	0.42	0.37	1.25	0.26
Skin cancer	15.20	7.15	17.49	22.05	19.43	18.05	1.17	0.51	0.21	0.98	0.65	1.18	5.64	7.03	10.20	5.53
	0.28	0.89	0.51	0.63	0.78	0.33	0.45	0.27	0.20	0.96	0.22	0.61	1.08	1.14	2.67	0.68
Other type of cancer	16.13	12.19	15.41	20.26	15.91	16.70	14.20	17.13	18.26	10.32	16.02	7.23	12.31	12.45	12.06	11.31
	0.27	0.96	0.48	0.55	0.77	0.31	2.16	1.84	1.79	1.94	1.14	2.11	1.43	1.78	2.04	0.95

Table 2.4 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1999

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total ²	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	40,349	3,645	14,150	10,609	3,873	32,277	914	1,477	881	341	3,612	564	1,333	668	281	2,846
	<i>114</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>145</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>197</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>131</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Urinary Incontinence	25.45	24.96	19.21	27.93	44.46	25.73	22.58	21.03	28.66	52.00	26.20	20.87	16.68	22.51	39.09	21.03
	<i>0.44</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>2.54</i>	<i>1.71</i>	<i>1.70</i>	<i>2.97</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>2.99</i>	<i>2.10</i>	<i>2.39</i>	<i>3.75</i>	<i>1.22</i>
Smokers																
Never smoked	41.51	31.18	34.83	44.22	63.42	40.86	36.28	38.57	44.44	63.19	41.70	41.74	45.39	44.72	62.65	46.23
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>1.28</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>1.17</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>2.50</i>	<i>2.35</i>	<i>2.31</i>	<i>3.16</i>	<i>1.31</i>	<i>3.59</i>	<i>2.46</i>	<i>2.54</i>	<i>3.36</i>	<i>1.71</i>
Former smoker	43.65	31.44	49.95	47.39	32.95	45.01	28.93	38.23	44.81	31.73	36.87	31.57	42.78	46.76	32.90	40.54
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>1.31</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>1.08</i>	<i>0.51</i>	<i>2.48</i>	<i>2.21</i>	<i>2.45</i>	<i>2.99</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>3.05</i>	<i>2.59</i>	<i>2.38</i>	<i>3.30</i>	<i>1.65</i>
Current smoker	14.83	37.38	15.22	8.40	3.63	14.14	34.79	23.20	10.75	5.08	21.43	26.69	11.83	8.51	4.45	13.23
	<i>0.34</i>	<i>1.48</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>0.42</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>2.69</i>	<i>1.60</i>	<i>1.39</i>	<i>1.20</i>	<i>1.07</i>	<i>3.09</i>	<i>1.64</i>	<i>1.65</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.98</i>
Flu Shot	66.84	49.27	68.21	76.05	76.25	69.54	43.36	52.42	57.10	62.01	52.10	45.83	56.54	61.79	54.11	55.46
	<i>0.41</i>	<i>1.56</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.89</i>	<i>0.43</i>	<i>2.26</i>	<i>2.23</i>	<i>2.29</i>	<i>3.24</i>	<i>1.22</i>	<i>3.01</i>	<i>2.42</i>	<i>2.59</i>	<i>3.85</i>	<i>1.34</i>
Pneumonia Shot	58.30	39.79	59.56	68.68	67.13	61.20	35.64	43.24	45.65	47.17	42.24	37.83	45.03	57.31	51.58	47.17
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>1.45</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>0.87</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>2.82</i>	<i>2.12</i>	<i>2.09</i>	<i>3.57</i>	<i>1.35</i>	<i>3.50</i>	<i>2.40</i>	<i>2.85</i>	<i>4.11</i>	<i>1.36</i>

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- 1 Beneficiaries who were administered a community interview answered questions about diseases or health conditions themselves, unless they were unable to do so. A proxy, such as a nurse, always answered questions about the beneficiary's diseases or health conditions for long-term care facility interviews.
- 2 Total includes persons of other race/ethnicity and persons who did not report their race/ethnicity.

Table 2.5a Perceived Health and Functioning of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1999

Community Residents¹

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning	Total	Lives Alone				Total	Lives with Spouse				Total	Lives with Children/Others				Total
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	1,183	4,341	4,466	1,779	11,769	2,027	11,202	5,793	844	19,867	1,828	1,977	1,699	893	6,397
	121	54	137	81	51	182	67	154	89	39	177	68	80	64	41	154
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Health Status																
Excellent	14.46	4.18	17.01	14.14	17.29	14.67	2.89	18.60	13.82	11.51	15.30	7.08	14.78	11.32	13.26	11.45
	0.36	1.03	1.09	0.77	1.36	0.52	0.64	0.71	0.70	1.52	0.45	0.88	1.28	1.14	1.35	0.62
Very Good	25.99	7.82	30.44	29.05	26.37	27.02	7.24	31.63	27.43	22.37	27.52	11.31	22.67	21.95	23.54	19.35
	0.41	1.11	1.18	1.03	1.22	0.73	1.04	0.82	0.97	1.90	0.56	1.34	1.57	1.64	1.93	0.79
Good	31.08	22.69	31.10	32.78	30.40	30.79	23.08	30.36	35.08	34.92	31.19	28.64	31.79	33.16	32.18	31.31
	0.40	1.88	1.15	1.18	1.30	0.70	1.44	0.68	1.03	2.23	0.48	1.97	2.07	1.90	2.25	1.07
Fair	19.05	37.25	15.02	18.53	19.89	19.33	33.55	13.88	16.81	18.90	16.96	30.93	22.89	23.57	20.79	25.08
	0.35	2.32	1.04	0.80	1.38	0.59	1.63	0.61	0.79	1.70	0.53	1.99	1.74	1.48	1.84	0.98
Poor	9.41	28.06	6.43	5.50	6.04	8.20	33.23	5.54	6.86	12.30	9.04	22.04	7.86	9.99	10.23	12.81
	0.27	2.41	0.67	0.53	0.77	0.47	1.63	0.42	0.52	1.54	0.35	1.81	0.96	1.12	1.30	0.67
Functional Limitation																
None	52.59	29.98	65.78	51.93	28.90	51.44	21.10	68.85	55.06	33.70	58.48	26.46	55.94	36.45	15.40	36.66
	0.50	2.46	1.33	1.18	1.35	0.84	1.78	0.93	1.15	2.39	0.73	1.59	2.04	1.91	1.60	1.03
IADL only ²	13.82	22.24	10.27	12.69	15.90	13.24	21.54	10.54	12.68	15.54	12.50	28.36	13.54	16.72	14.79	18.92
	0.32	2.11	0.77	0.83	1.38	0.55	1.72	0.65	0.67	1.96	0.43	1.87	1.64	1.53	1.83	0.87
One to two ADLs ³	21.87	30.86	18.84	24.32	35.91	24.66	31.25	14.76	21.66	26.88	18.96	28.68	20.72	26.57	28.62	25.67
	0.42	2.82	1.23	1.11	1.89	0.83	1.87	0.66	0.81	2.18	0.47	1.96	1.60	1.89	1.96	1.07
Three to six ADLs	11.72	16.92	5.11	11.05	19.28	10.65	26.11	5.85	10.61	23.87	10.06	16.51	9.79	20.26	41.19	18.76
	0.29	1.92	0.60	0.64	1.29	0.44	1.70	0.39	0.69	2.11	0.42	1.38	1.21	1.72	2.26	0.86
Upper Extremity Limitation																
No	60.94	43.58	66.79	60.72	49.07	59.51	35.07	70.36	63.24	53.68	64.04	52.16	64.75	52.70	36.13	53.99
	0.59	2.45	1.61	1.27	1.57	0.98	1.86	0.90	1.09	2.28	0.66	1.78	1.96	1.93	2.29	0.92
Yes, no ADL/ IADL present	10.87	10.65	13.44	11.51	7.48	11.54	7.97	12.31	11.57	8.69	11.51	5.78	10.41	7.72	5.46	7.69
	0.36	1.99	0.94	0.74	0.91	0.58	1.09	0.74	0.70	1.28	0.52	0.81	1.29	0.79	1.04	0.57
Yes, ADL/ IADL present	28.19	45.78	19.77	27.77	43.44	28.95	56.97	17.33	25.19	37.63	24.46	42.05	24.84	39.57	58.41	38.32
	0.45	2.52	1.25	1.13	1.43	0.78	2.25	0.67	0.95	2.31	0.56	1.65	1.71	1.88	2.12	0.89

Table 2.5a Perceived Health and Functioning of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1999

Community Residents¹

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	1,183	4,341	4,466	1,779	11,769	2,027	11,202	5,793	844	19,867	1,828	1,977	1,699	893	6,397
	<i>121</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>182</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>154</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>177</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>154</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Mobility Limitation																
No	53.61	38.92	62.04	49.66	32.05	50.52	24.26	68.45	55.63	35.29	58.92	44.38	54.75	39.16	18.53	42.67
	<i>0.50</i>	<i>2.14</i>	<i>1.34</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>1.58</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>1.51</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>1.08</i>	<i>2.10</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>1.87</i>	<i>1.94</i>	<i>1.79</i>	<i>2.03</i>	<i>1.06</i>
Yes, no ADL/ IADL present	10.45	10.23	12.68	12.74	9.34	11.95	8.53	9.60	11.92	10.93	10.23	6.20	10.83	8.88	6.65	8.39
	<i>0.32</i>	<i>2.00</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>1.15</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>0.58</i>
Yes, ADL/ IADL present	35.94	50.85	25.28	37.60	58.61	37.53	67.21	21.94	32.45	53.78	30.85	49.42	34.42	51.96	74.82	48.94
	<i>0.46</i>	<i>2.60</i>	<i>1.39</i>	<i>1.01</i>	<i>1.49</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>1.79</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>0.98</i>	<i>2.22</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>1.77</i>	<i>1.96</i>	<i>1.81</i>	<i>1.97</i>	<i>1.13</i>
Social Activity Limitation																
No	64.22	33.26	72.59	64.73	53.38	62.78	29.50	76.95	67.83	52.92	68.44	43.22	66.25	57.07	41.25	53.74
	<i>0.49</i>	<i>2.10</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>1.15</i>	<i>1.49</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>1.68</i>	<i>0.74</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>2.63</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.91</i>	<i>1.91</i>	<i>2.19</i>	<i>1.03</i>
Yes	35.78	66.74	27.41	35.27	46.62	37.22	70.50	23.05	32.17	47.08	31.56	56.78	33.75	42.93	58.75	46.26
	<i>0.49</i>	<i>2.10</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>1.15</i>	<i>1.49</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>1.68</i>	<i>0.74</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>2.63</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.91</i>	<i>1.91</i>	<i>2.19</i>	<i>1.03</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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² IADL stands for Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.

³ ADL stands for Activity of Daily Living.

Table 2.5b Perceived Health and Functioning of Institutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age, 1999

Long-Term Care Facility-Only Residents¹

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ²	Total	Age			
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,314	356	247	623	1,089
	67	25	27	35	39
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Health Status					
Excellent	2.62	3.14	3.20	1.00	3.27
	0.43	0.89	1.84	0.34	0.77
Very Good	9.73	19.58	7.65	8.08	7.95
	0.82	2.63	3.00	1.58	1.10
Good	27.67	32.64	18.93	26.77	28.48
	1.39	3.48	4.11	2.58	1.78
Fair	42.30	29.79	50.78	43.86	43.61
	1.26	3.32	5.17	2.86	1.85
Poor	17.68	14.84	19.45	20.29	16.70
	1.06	3.01	4.09	2.03	1.46
Functional Limitation					
None	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
IADL only ³	0.24	0.98	0.00	0.00	0.19
	0.11	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.19
One to two ADLs ⁴	25.12	51.20	25.70	22.79	17.78
	1.31	3.68	4.89	2.04	1.62
Three to six ADLs	74.64	47.82	74.30	77.21	82.03
	1.30	3.56	4.89	2.04	1.60
Upper Extremity Limitation					
No	27.68	51.86	35.95	29.53	17.07
	1.34	3.57	5.45	2.75	1.34
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Yes, ADL/IADL present	72.32	48.14	64.05	70.47	82.93
	1.34	3.57	5.45	2.75	1.34

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Long-Term Care Facility-Only Residents¹

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ²	Total	Age			
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,314	356	247	623	1,089
	67	25	27	35	39
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Mobility Limitation					
No	14.35	43.57	15.93	11.83	6.07
	0.94	3.53	3.04	1.85	1.02
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Yes, ADL/IADL present	85.65	56.43	84.07	88.17	93.93
	0.94	3.53	3.04	1.85	1.02

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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- 2 A proxy, such as a nurse, always answered questions about the beneficiary's health status and functioning for long-term care facility interviews.
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Table 2.6a Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1999

Community Residents¹

Self-Reported Health Condition	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	1,183	4,341	4,466	1,779	11,769	2,027	11,202	5,793	844	19,867	1,828	1,977	1,699	893	6,397
	121	54	137	81	51	182	67	154	89	39	177	68	80	64	41	154
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Chronic Conditions																
None	12.03	14.11	13.36	8.53	6.61	10.58	9.64	14.92	8.76	8.74	12.32	26.51	12.92	5.95	4.42	13.76
	0.27	1.42	1.01	0.61	0.84	0.47	1.15	0.59	0.59	1.42	0.39	1.44	1.37	0.99	0.87	0.69
One	18.56	17.25	19.98	15.21	13.98	16.99	13.69	22.75	18.79	13.87	20.30	18.05	18.45	13.28	11.92	16.05
	0.42	1.72	1.11	0.74	1.16	0.52	1.48	0.77	0.75	1.54	0.57	1.41	1.43	1.14	1.47	0.71
Two or more	69.41	68.64	66.66	76.26	79.41	72.43	76.67	62.32	72.45	77.40	67.38	55.44	68.63	80.77	83.66	70.19
	0.47	2.02	1.40	0.91	1.37	0.61	1.91	0.88	0.83	1.96	0.65	1.79	1.92	1.32	1.67	0.93
Disease/Condition																
Heart disease	37.27	30.88	31.98	40.47	43.81	36.88	41.24	33.53	43.27	48.17	37.77	25.27	33.07	44.81	50.81	36.43
	0.44	2.26	1.47	1.19	1.43	0.79	1.80	0.91	0.97	2.48	0.56	1.66	2.12	1.88	2.38	1.05
Hypertension	54.54	50.92	55.82	61.09	58.95	57.80	53.18	51.07	55.54	50.44	52.56	40.54	56.69	65.44	58.53	54.67
	0.45	2.81	1.46	1.08	1.66	0.74	1.77	0.82	0.89	2.20	0.60	1.95	1.72	1.83	2.21	0.91
Diabetes	17.32	19.73	15.95	16.12	13.46	16.02	23.13	17.04	16.27	10.82	17.18	17.22	23.94	20.70	16.61	20.14
	0.39	2.34	1.09	0.97	1.10	0.59	1.93	0.79	0.73	1.31	0.51	1.49	1.74	1.28	1.69	0.90
Arthritis	56.42	53.57	55.55	63.45	66.22	59.97	59.91	50.87	59.10	60.16	54.58	40.54	55.72	64.70	69.11	55.63
	0.48	2.60	1.53	1.07	1.53	0.80	1.93	0.90	0.79	2.76	0.64	1.78	1.98	1.81	2.01	0.95
Osteoporosis/broken hip	15.38	16.32	15.11	22.32	23.51	19.24	14.14	11.35	14.58	16.75	12.81	9.76	13.84	19.69	28.78	16.31
	0.32	1.89	0.95	0.89	1.22	0.53	1.31	0.56	0.72	1.90	0.50	0.98	1.32	1.45	2.24	0.64
Pulmonary disease	15.32	28.72	16.66	13.01	8.98	15.33	22.39	14.40	13.50	14.30	14.95	18.96	18.78	13.42	11.94	16.45
	0.29	2.36	1.23	0.71	0.86	0.55	1.59	0.62	0.66	1.59	0.42	1.42	1.58	0.95	1.62	0.75
Stroke	10.64	13.75	8.20	10.97	13.52	10.61	13.75	7.71	11.36	16.86	9.78	10.31	9.88	16.11	22.24	13.38
	0.29	2.00	0.75	0.65	1.14	0.43	1.37	0.52	0.67	1.99	0.35	1.30	1.25	1.15	2.00	0.75
Alzheimer's disease	2.11	1.05	0.53	1.37	3.99	1.43	1.30	0.78	2.79	7.97	1.72	1.27	1.31	7.00	14.03	4.58
	0.11	0.44	0.16	0.22	0.70	0.16	0.44	0.15	0.32	1.10	0.14	0.43	0.37	0.84	1.57	0.38
Parkinson's disease	1.17	0.67	0.59	1.16	1.66	0.98	1.23	1.11	1.41	1.60	1.23	0.41	1.06	1.60	3.35	1.34
	0.09	0.32	0.19	0.23	0.45	0.15	0.42	0.19	0.23	0.52	0.13	0.14	0.40	0.43	0.93	0.20
Skin cancer	16.08	4.89	12.04	19.33	23.69	15.85	7.89	16.93	22.93	27.18	18.19	3.68	10.15	13.72	15.04	9.94
	0.31	1.16	0.86	0.87	1.09	0.48	1.27	0.58	0.75	2.17	0.45	0.73	1.00	1.46	1.42	0.58
Other type of cancer	16.81	17.96	16.84	20.84	18.09	18.66	13.41	14.71	20.42	21.30	16.52	9.06	15.64	17.49	16.19	14.33
	0.29	2.23	1.12	0.92	1.07	0.64	1.18	0.51	0.79	1.88	0.37	1.10	1.38	1.24	1.67	0.62

Table 2.6a Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1999

Community Residents¹

Self-Reported Health Condition	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	1,183	4,341	4,466	1,779	11,769	2,027	11,202	5,793	844	19,867	1,828	1,977	1,699	893	6,397
	<i>121</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>182</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>154</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>177</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>154</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Mental Disorder	7.62	41.15	4.87	2.84	2.30	7.36	25.01	3.04	3.06	3.47	5.31	41.81	4.85	4.53	4.53	15.26
	<i>0.24</i>	<i>2.48</i>	<i>0.58</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0.36</i>	<i>1.61</i>	<i>0.33</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>0.26</i>	<i>1.84</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.76</i>
Urinary Incontinence	23.07	23.33	22.15	26.88	34.57	25.93	24.91	16.56	22.33	32.15	19.74	20.27	23.59	34.01	43.82	28.19
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.11</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>1.61</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>1.97</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>2.04</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>1.63</i>	<i>1.85</i>	<i>1.64</i>	<i>2.21</i>	<i>0.93</i>
Smokers																
Never smoked	39.51	24.89	35.63	46.26	61.60	42.51	25.94	35.37	39.08	37.64	35.59	40.13	40.21	49.43	65.60	46.18
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>2.15</i>	<i>1.51</i>	<i>1.01</i>	<i>1.65</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>1.54</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>1.16</i>	<i>2.11</i>	<i>0.66</i>	<i>1.64</i>	<i>1.83</i>	<i>1.64</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>0.93</i>
Former smoker	45.21	27.51	43.15	43.31	34.29	40.30	43.11	51.81	54.46	55.45	51.85	23.23	39.98	38.34	31.73	33.60
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>1.85</i>	<i>1.62</i>	<i>1.22</i>	<i>1.54</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>1.75</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>2.05</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>1.75</i>	<i>1.92</i>	<i>1.77</i>	<i>1.88</i>	<i>1.04</i>
Current smoker	15.28	47.60	21.23	10.43	4.11	17.19	30.95	12.82	6.45	6.91	12.57	36.64	19.81	12.23	2.68	20.22
	<i>0.35</i>	<i>2.35</i>	<i>1.20</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>1.73</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.47</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.46</i>	<i>1.85</i>	<i>1.71</i>	<i>1.39</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.87</i>
Flu Shot	65.93	44.88	61.83	70.71	70.90	64.88	50.08	69.00	77.77	74.30	69.87	40.85	56.01	65.00	65.81	55.49
	<i>0.43</i>	<i>1.96</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>1.42</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>2.36</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>1.89</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>2.14</i>	<i>1.81</i>	<i>1.81</i>	<i>1.71</i>	<i>0.99</i>
Pneumonia Shot	58.37	40.01	54.70	64.87	66.00	58.81	42.00	58.57	70.09	67.71	60.64	36.41	52.26	57.83	61.02	50.46
	<i>0.50</i>	<i>2.61</i>	<i>1.34</i>	<i>1.21</i>	<i>1.45</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>2.04</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>2.21</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>1.85</i>	<i>1.67</i>	<i>2.14</i>	<i>2.04</i>	<i>1.01</i>

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Table 2.6b Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Institutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age, 1999

Long-Term Care Facility-Only Residents¹

Reported Health Condition ²	Total	Age			
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,314	356	247	623	1,089
	67	25	27	35	39
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Chronic Conditions					
None	15.92	42.39	20.05	11.33	8.96
	1.10	3.40	4.41	1.77	1.08
One	10.94	10.13	11.02	11.34	10.96
	0.87	2.33	3.10	1.54	1.24
Two or more	73.14	47.48	68.93	77.33	80.07
	1.15	3.51	5.20	1.91	1.69
Disease/Condition					
Heart disease	33.92	7.59	27.41	34.27	44.08
	1.45	2.16	5.62	2.69	1.92
Hypertension	36.48	10.31	45.77	36.91	42.75
	1.66	2.52	5.32	2.56	1.99
Diabetes	16.91	9.50	24.25	19.86	16.00
	0.95	2.36	4.51	2.07	1.08
Arthritis	19.06	3.97	9.61	19.65	25.78
	1.07	1.28	2.88	2.44	1.62
Osteoporosis/broken hip	13.93	4.35	7.50	12.05	19.59
	0.72	2.10	2.73	1.73	1.23
Pulmonary disease	9.01	3.78	9.58	10.67	9.64
	0.71	1.21	2.87	1.65	1.10
Stroke	13.04	4.09	15.88	16.16	13.56
	0.98	1.57	3.30	2.03	1.30
Alzheimer's disease	42.87	5.28	36.17	51.18	51.94
	1.34	1.73	4.97	2.41	1.89
Parkinson's disease	6.38	0.45	4.17	10.98	6.18
	0.63	0.32	2.05	1.80	0.95
Skin cancer	0.71	0.00	0.71	0.58	1.01
	0.22	0.00	0.72	0.46	0.33
Other type of cancer	4.85	1.33	4.28	7.10	4.85
	0.64	0.70	2.44	1.27	0.96

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,314	356	247	623	1,089
	67	25	27	35	39
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Urinary Incontinence	64.48	45.88	55.70	65.70	71.65
	1.28	3.38	5.08	2.84	1.73
Smokers					
Never smoked	78.96	69.28	65.50	76.97	86.39
	1.52	3.88	5.11	2.28	1.64
Former smoker	14.65	7.58	24.81	19.85	12.06
	1.37	2.17	4.68	2.25	1.69
Current smoker	6.40	23.14	9.69	3.18	1.55
	0.80	3.34	2.90	1.05	0.47
Flu Shot	88.37	87.77	85.10	87.65	89.84
	1.33	2.56	4.59	2.44	1.52
Pneumonia Shot	56.49	45.50	45.97	61.27	60.50
	2.01	4.82	6.76	3.13	2.15

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Table 2.7 Perceived Health and Functioning of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1999

Community Residents¹

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	6,830	4,807	8,551	11,196	1,622	4,411	618
	121	111	120	182	187	60	127	66
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Health Status								
Excellent	14.46	18.23	6.02	14.85	16.24	17.47	12.49	6.60
	0.36	0.76	0.55	0.74	0.63	1.64	0.99	1.38
Very good	25.99	28.64	13.13	28.75	27.92	35.93	22.52	22.10
	0.41	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.88	2.21	1.40	3.09
Good	31.08	30.21	29.17	33.33	31.51	33.02	28.57	29.63
	0.40	0.82	1.12	0.78	0.75	1.90	1.23	2.28
Fair	19.05	16.18	30.64	17.04	16.55	9.49	23.45	27.80
	0.35	0.70	1.29	0.63	0.67	1.14	1.06	3.26
Poor	9.41	6.74	21.04	6.03	7.77	4.08	12.97	13.87
	0.27	0.45	1.07	0.40	0.47	0.88	0.75	2.23
Functional Limitation								
None	52.59	59.15	29.79	54.99	57.71	60.66	47.40	50.49
	0.50	0.96	1.06	1.22	0.73	2.06	1.41	4.02
IADL only ³	13.82	11.92	19.03	13.75	12.11	11.90	16.40	11.91
	0.32	0.49	0.95	0.70	0.50	1.49	1.03	1.83
One to two ADLs ⁴	21.87	20.30	28.78	21.01	19.98	19.18	23.97	22.88
	0.42	0.75	1.21	0.79	0.68	1.66	1.30	2.92
Three to six ADLs	11.72	8.63	22.41	10.24	10.19	8.26	12.23	14.72
	0.29	0.51	0.83	0.70	0.50	1.14	0.83	2.75
Upper Extremity Limitation								
No	60.94	66.81	45.94	62.73	63.77	65.72	56.49	55.51
	0.59	1.00	1.19	1.00	0.92	2.27	1.35	3.81
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	10.87	10.47	8.45	11.36	11.84	12.26	9.67	14.70
	0.36	0.57	0.73	0.50	0.66	1.64	0.77	2.52
Yes, ADL/IADL present	28.19	22.73	45.62	25.91	24.39	22.03	33.83	29.80
	0.45	0.81	1.25	0.91	0.65	1.62	1.24	3.47

Table 2.7 Perceived Health and Functioning of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1999

Community Residents¹

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	6,830	4,807	8,551	11,196	1,622	4,411	618
	<i>121</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>182</i>	<i>187</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>127</i>	<i>66</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Mobility Limitation								
No	53.61	59.73	34.66	54.93	58.08	61.53	49.23	43.61
	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0.87</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>1.89</i>	<i>1.63</i>	<i>3.38</i>
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	10.45	9.81	9.57	11.39	10.56	8.39	10.29	16.42
	<i>0.32</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.51</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>1.16</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>3.17</i>
Yes, ADL/IADL present	35.94	30.46	55.77	33.68	31.37	30.08	40.48	39.97
	<i>0.46</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>1.19</i>	<i>1.07</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>1.91</i>	<i>1.50</i>	<i>3.93</i>
Social Activity Limitation								
No	64.22	70.47	42.41	68.12	67.88	73.58	59.10	55.12
	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>1.23</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>1.67</i>	<i>1.26</i>	<i>3.07</i>
Yes	35.78	29.53	57.59	31.88	32.12	26.42	40.90	44.88
	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>1.23</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>1.67</i>	<i>1.26</i>	<i>3.07</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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² HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

³ IADL stands for Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.

⁴ ADL stands for Activity of Daily Living.

Table 2.8 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1999

Community Residents¹

Self-Reported Health Condition	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	6,830	4,807	8,551	11,196	1,622	4,411	618
	121	111	120	182	187	60	127	66
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Chronic Conditions								
None	12.03	13.31	10.83	10.22	11.47	8.52	18.02	9.14
	0.27	0.60	0.62	0.59	0.55	1.31	0.91	1.62
One	18.56	20.27	14.44	18.08	19.71	17.10	19.56	14.00
	0.42	0.65	0.78	0.71	0.78	1.40	1.19	2.28
Two or more	69.41	66.42	74.73	71.70	68.83	74.38	62.42	76.86
	0.47	0.83	0.95	0.96	0.80	1.67	1.34	2.72
Disease/Condition								
Heart disease	37.27	33.19	38.34	39.53	38.49	41.11	33.14	40.08
	0.44	0.80	1.15	0.86	0.85	2.36	1.27	2.88
Hypertension	54.54	54.93	60.19	54.26	54.52	55.18	47.32	60.32
	0.45	0.92	1.08	0.79	0.95	1.95	1.43	3.27
Diabetes	17.32	17.29	23.91	15.25	16.85	11.54	16.04	27.67
	0.39	0.65	1.03	0.65	0.66	1.18	1.04	3.14
Arthritis	56.42	53.92	61.57	58.91	55.55	61.50	49.79	59.65
	0.48	0.99	0.95	0.99	0.90	2.25	1.29	3.59
Osteoporosis/broken hip	15.38	13.35	15.97	18.33	15.05	22.18	10.52	15.30
	0.32	0.60	0.82	0.74	0.67	1.62	0.71	1.98
Pulmonary disease	15.32	13.45	22.63	13.68	14.71	13.99	14.62	21.20
	0.29	0.52	0.91	0.70	0.62	1.75	0.90	3.17
Stroke	10.64	9.88	14.14	10.30	9.54	9.76	11.34	14.06
	0.29	0.56	0.89	0.57	0.49	1.22	0.87	2.55
Alzheimer's disease	2.11	1.99	3.21	2.11	1.81	1.73	1.99	2.45
	0.11	0.21	0.38	0.26	0.17	0.51	0.29	0.93
Parkinson's disease	1.17	1.24	1.09	0.88	1.52	1.10	0.85	1.10
	0.09	0.18	0.19	0.15	0.21	0.40	0.24	0.57
Skin cancer	16.08	15.11	6.91	20.13	18.68	26.23	10.27	9.76
	0.31	0.64	0.67	0.70	0.71	1.59	0.68	2.71
Other type of cancer	16.81	17.54	13.23	17.97	18.16	16.67	14.02	16.72
	0.29	0.69	0.89	0.60	0.65	1.33	0.92	2.64

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	<i>121</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>182</i>	<i>187</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>127</i>	<i>66</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Mental Disorder	7.62	4.50	21.87	2.97	5.25	4.23	11.55	19.34
	<i>0.24</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.33</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>0.87</i>	<i>3.27</i>
Urinary Incontinence	23.07	22.26	29.90	22.87	21.61	24.99	20.68	20.96
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>2.00</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>2.62</i>
Smokers								
Never smoked	39.51	37.02	43.78	42.42	38.45	42.42	35.38	34.44
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>0.98</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>1.88</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>3.74</i>
Former smoker	45.21	49.65	31.34	46.21	49.55	49.25	38.11	51.38
	<i>0.47</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>1.01</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>2.07</i>	<i>1.40</i>	<i>3.41</i>
Current smoker	15.28	13.33	24.88	11.37	12.00	8.33	26.51	14.18
	<i>0.35</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>0.93</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>1.35</i>	<i>2.48</i>
Flu Shot	65.93	70.48	53.39	71.58	69.35	77.01	49.68	57.68
	<i>0.43</i>	<i>0.77</i>	<i>1.21</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>0.81</i>	<i>1.97</i>	<i>1.31</i>	<i>3.34</i>
Pneumonia Shot	58.37	60.94	46.64	63.94	61.57	68.46	44.50	56.95
	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.82</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>2.13</i>	<i>1.18</i>	<i>3.66</i>

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² HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

Table 2.9 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Preventive Services, 1999

Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Male Medicare Beneficiaries			Female Medicare Beneficiaries		
	Total	Blood Test	Digital Exam	Total	Papsmear	Mammogram
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	9,534	8,539	16,993	7,511	10,458
	121	126	134	114	151	171
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total						
Medicare Status¹						
Aged						
65 - 74 years	46.06	53.37	52.49	46.06	53.63	53.61
	0.31	0.67	0.78	0.31	0.87	0.69
75 - 84 years	31.45	31.42	31.87	31.45	28.48	31.37
	0.26	0.55	0.68	0.26	0.78	0.66
85 years and older	9.25	5.78	5.82	9.25	4.51	5.73
	0.18	0.28	0.37	0.18	0.30	0.29
Disabled						
Under 45 years	3.82	1.01	1.15	3.82	4.11	1.56
	0.08	0.12	0.15	0.08	0.26	0.14
45 - 64 years	9.43	8.43	8.67	9.43	9.27	7.73
	0.19	0.44	0.51	0.19	0.43	0.36
Marital Status						
Married	53.60	76.06	75.33	53.60	47.80	47.70
	0.44	0.65	0.68	0.44	0.90	0.77
Widowed	29.17	11.80	12.11	29.17	35.20	37.41
	0.40	0.52	0.59	0.40	0.86	0.79
Divorced/ separated	10.26	8.12	7.75	10.26	11.27	10.54
	0.35	0.47	0.48	0.35	0.69	0.59
Never married	6.97	4.02	4.81	6.97	5.74	4.35
	0.22	0.33	0.38	0.22	0.41	0.29
Living Arrangement						
Community						
Lives alone	30.95	17.15	18.05	30.95	36.10	38.05
	0.44	0.65	0.68	0.44	1.09	0.93
With spouse	52.24	74.48	73.85	52.24	46.84	46.71
	0.45	0.65	0.67	0.45	0.89	0.77
With children	9.11	3.22	3.03	9.11	10.13	9.84
	0.28	0.28	0.30	0.28	0.61	0.58
With others	7.71	5.14	5.07	7.71	6.92	5.40
	0.27	0.37	0.42	0.27	0.59	0.41

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	38,035	9,534	8,539	16,993	7,511	10,458
	121	126	134	114	151	171
Race/Ethnicity						
White non-Hispanic	79.82	82.41	82.79	79.82	78.78	81.35
	0.47	0.73	0.72	0.47	0.86	0.65
Black non-Hispanic	8.98	6.91	7.09	8.98	9.88	8.82
	0.18	0.42	0.41	0.18	0.52	0.42
Hispanic	7.28	7.45	7.05	7.28	7.48	6.34
	0.34	0.50	0.50	0.34	0.52	0.42
Other	3.92	3.23	3.07	3.92	3.86	3.49
	0.27	0.35	0.36	0.27	0.47	0.41
Income						
\$5,000 or less	4.83	2.74	2.95	4.83	3.93	3.88
	0.20	0.25	0.28	0.20	0.36	0.31
\$5,001 - \$10,000	20.20	10.60	9.80	20.20	20.07	19.22
	0.42	0.44	0.53	0.42	0.72	0.68
\$10,001 - \$15,000	17.26	12.41	13.09	17.26	16.82	16.74
	0.33	0.61	0.64	0.33	0.61	0.60
\$15,001 - \$20,000	12.19	11.57	11.36	12.19	11.26	12.61
	0.25	0.57	0.56	0.25	0.59	0.50
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.34	11.04	11.12	10.34	10.11	10.58
	0.29	0.59	0.68	0.29	0.65	0.53
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.41	10.64	11.04	8.41	8.96	9.00
	0.23	0.47	0.56	0.23	0.59	0.44
\$30,001 - \$35,000	6.42	9.18	9.02	6.42	6.95	6.50
	0.23	0.48	0.56	0.23	0.60	0.45
\$35,001 - \$40,000	5.67	8.46	8.33	5.67	6.31	6.07
	0.22	0.52	0.57	0.22	0.54	0.49
More than \$40,000	14.68	23.37	23.27	14.68	15.58	15.40
	0.37	0.88	0.84	0.37	0.79	0.67

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	<i>121</i>	<i>126</i>	<i>134</i>	<i>114</i>	<i>151</i>	<i>171</i>
Schooling						
0 - 8 years	16.37	13.74	13.84	16.37	11.00	11.36
	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.77</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.61</i>
9 - 12 years (no diploma)	17.14	13.84	14.26	17.14	15.67	15.72
	<i>0.34</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>0.34</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>0.66</i>
High school graduate	29.38	25.42	25.39	29.38	32.56	33.01
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.89</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.90</i>	<i>0.86</i>
Voc/tech/bus/etc.	6.40	5.42	5.21	6.40	7.52	7.79
	<i>0.24</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.24</i>	<i>0.55</i>	<i>0.49</i>
Some college	13.80	16.52	16.16	13.80	15.74	15.25
	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.63</i>
Any college degree	16.91	25.06	25.16	16.91	17.52	16.87
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.89</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>0.73</i>
Metropolitan Area Resident						
Yes	75.89	78.43	78.11	75.89	79.69	78.79
	<i>0.22</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>0.22</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.55</i>
No	24.11	21.57	21.89	24.11	20.31	21.21
	<i>0.22</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>0.22</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.55</i>

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