

Hartford Area1 (Hartford)



HEALTHY AGING INDICATORS	HIGHER / LOWER STATE RATE ¹	COMMUNITY ESTIMATE	MARGIN OF ERROR ²	STATE ESTIMATE	MARGIN OF ERROR ²
POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS					
Population 65 years or older					
% 65-74 years		57.8%	[-580.1% - 695.74%]	55.7%	[55.33% - 56.11%]
% 75-84 years		29.9%	[-434.1% - 493.90%]	29.1%	[28.75% - 29.45%]
% 85 years or older		12.2%	[-208.7% - 233.20%]	15.2%	[14.93% - 15.43%]
% 65+ population who are female		65.3%	[-570.8% - 701.40%]	56.8%	[56.36% - 57.18%]
% 85+ population who are female		76.5%	[-1007% - 1160.5%]	66.6%	[65.94% - 67.18%]
Race and ethnicity of the population 65+					
% White		10.9%	[-107.9% - 129.59%]	88.4%	[87.85% - 88.93%]
% African American		82.2%	[-816.4% - 980.67%]	6.8%	[6.63% - 6.88%]
% Asian		0.0%	[-2.24% - 2.24%]	2.3%	[2.20% - 2.35%]
% Hispanic/Latino		12.5%	[-124.5% - 149.52%]	5.8%	[5.66% - 5.84%]
Marital status of the population 65+					
% married		28.0%	[-277.8% - 333.69%]	53.8%	[53.46% - 54.12%]
% divorced/separated		26.3%	[-261.5% - 314.08%]	14.9%	[14.58% - 15.29%]
% widowed		29.2%	[-290.0% - 348.41%]	24.2%	[23.77% - 24.57%]
% never married		16.5%	[-164.2% - 197.31%]	7.1%	[6.85% - 7.36%]
Education of the population 65+					
% with less than high school education		38.6%	[-383.4% - 460.58%]	14.7%	[14.30% - 15.04%]
% with high school or some college		52.4%	[-520.9% - 625.77%]	53.3%	[52.80% - 53.74%]
% with college degree		5.1%	[-50.70% - 60.92%]	32.1%	[31.72% - 32.40%]
% with graduate or professional degree		3.9%	[-38.47% - 46.23%]	16.8%	[16.58% - 17.09%]
% of 65+ population who speak only English at home		82.8%	[-823.0% - 988.64%]	84.3%	[83.76% - 84.83%]
% of 65+ population who are veterans of military service		8.7%	[-86.69% - 104.14%]	17.5%	[17.21% - 17.69%]
% of 60+ who are LGBT (County)		2.4%	[1.80% - 2.95%]	2.5%	[2.17% - 2.74%]
Age-sex adjusted 1-year mortality rate		3.9%	[3.19% - 4.58%]	4.1%	[4.08% - 4.18%]
WELLNESS					
% 60+ getting the recommended hours of sleep		57.1%	[49.19% - 64.93%]	65.2%	[64.24% - 66.16%]
% 60+ doing any physical activity within last month	W	61.0%	[53.71% - 68.38%]	75.0%	[74.20% - 75.79%]
% 60+ met CDC guidelines for muscle-strengthening activity		26.5%	[19.59% - 33.32%]	27.6%	[26.62% - 28.52%]
% 60+ met CDC guidelines for aerobic physical activity	W	44.2%	[36.41% - 51.92%]	58.1%	[56.98% - 59.11%]
% 60+ with fair or poor health status	W	32.3%	[24.92% - 39.70%]	17.6%	[16.90% - 18.31%]
% 60+ with 15+ physically unhealthy days in last month		13.8%	[7.36% - 20.15%]	12.4%	[11.74% - 12.96%]

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FALLS					
% 60+ who fell within last year		27.4%	[20.22% - 34.65%]	26.3%	[25.38% - 27.18%]
% 60+ who were injured in a fall within last year		9.3%	[4.23% - 14.44%]	9.8%	[9.22% - 10.46%]
% 65+ had hip fracture	B	1.4%	[0.78% - 2.07%]	3.7%	[3.63% - 3.75%]
PREVENTION					
% 60+ with physical exam/check-up in last year		88.7%	[84.54% - 92.83%]	88.5%	[87.93% - 89.09%]
% 60+ flu shot in last year	W	45.4%	[37.66% - 53.07%]	57.5%	[56.60% - 58.43%]
% 60+ with pneumonia vaccine		57.1%	[49.25% - 64.90%]	63.9%	[62.97% - 64.79%]
% 60+ with shingles vaccine	W	14.7%	[9.51% - 19.97%]	33.5%	[32.43% - 34.52%]
% 60+ women with a mammogram within last 2 years		83.4%	[75.70% - 91.09%]	79.7%	[78.56% - 80.79%]
% 60+ with colorectal cancer screening		71.0%	[63.97% - 78.10%]	78.2%	[77.29% - 79.05%]
% 60+ with HIV test	*	32.8%	[25.08% - 40.52%]	16.1%	[15.40% - 16.83%]
% 60+ met CDC preventive health screening goals		30.1%	[20.40% - 39.85%]	39.6%	[38.38% - 40.80%]
NUTRITION & DIET					
% 60+ with 5 or more servings of fruit or vegetables per day		23.9%	[16.97% - 30.82%]	19.9%	[19.00% - 20.72%]
% 60+ stressed about buying food in last month	W	17.2%	[10.14% - 24.21%]	8.6%	[7.95% - 9.17%]
% 60+ self-reported obese		32.6%	[24.97% - 40.33%]	26.1%	[25.27% - 26.93%]
% 65+ clinically diagnosed obesity	W	30.5%	[27.82% - 33.22%]	22.5%	[22.35% - 22.66%]
% 65+ with high cholesterol	B	73.4%	[70.88% - 75.83%]	77.0%	[76.85% - 77.15%]
% 60+ with cholesterol screening		95.5%	[92.97% - 97.95%]	97.1%	[96.74% - 97.42%]
ORAL HEALTH					
% 60+ with dental insurance		63.8%	[51.87% - 75.77%]	59.2%	[57.60% - 60.76%]
% 60+ with annual dental exam	W	68.1%	[60.69% - 75.54%]	80.0%	[79.13% - 80.76%]
% 60+ with loss of 6 or more teeth	W	42.1%	[34.44% - 49.86%]	23.8%	[22.96% - 24.69%]
CHRONIC DISEASE					
% 65+ with Alzheimer's disease or related dementias		15.4%	[13.34% - 17.41%]	14.4%	[14.26% - 14.49%]
% 65+ with anemia	W	55.3%	[52.57% - 58.08%]	50.6%	[50.41% - 50.76%]
% 65+ with asthma	W	19.4%	[17.26% - 21.62%]	14.1%	[13.96% - 14.19%]
% 65+ with atrial fibrillation	B	11.2%	[9.48% - 12.89%]	16.1%	[15.94% - 16.18%]
% 65+ with autism spectrum disorder	*	0.27%	[0.22% - 0.32%]	0.12%	[0.11% - 0.14%]
% 65+ with benign prostatic hyperplasia (men)	B	32.8%	[28.61% - 36.93%]	42.8%	[42.49% - 43.01%]
% 65+ with breast cancer (women)		10.3%	[8.15% - 12.40%]	11.4%	[11.25% - 11.53%]
% 65+ with cataract	B	59.3%	[56.56% - 62.03%]	64.8%	[64.67% - 65.00%]
% 65+ with chronic kidney disease	W	46.5%	[43.61% - 49.44%]	29.9%	[29.70% - 30.03%]
% 65+ with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease		19.8%	[17.61% - 21.98%]	21.0%	[20.90% - 21.17%]
% 65+ with colon cancer		2.7%	[1.85% - 3.60%]	2.7%	[2.65% - 2.75%]
% 65+ with congestive heart failure	W	30.6%	[27.95% - 33.27%]	22.6%	[22.43% - 22.72%]
% 65+ with diabetes	W	54.7%	[51.81% - 57.64%]	33.8%	[33.59% - 33.93%]
% 65+ with endometrial cancer (women)		1.9%	[0.91% - 2.80%]	2.0%	[1.97% - 2.10%]

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% 65+ with epilepsy		3.8%	[2.69% - 4.96%]	2.9%	[2.82% - 2.95%]
% 65+ with fibromyalgia, chronic pain, and fatigue	B	22.4%	[19.96% - 24.80%]	26.6%	[26.42% - 26.73%]
% 65+ with glaucoma	W	34.6%	[31.97% - 37.18%]	28.3%	[28.11% - 28.41%]
% 65+ ever had a heart attack		3.7%	[2.68% - 4.73%]	4.5%	[4.40% - 4.53%]
% 65+ with HIV/AIDS		0.25%	[0.20% - 0.30%]	0.21%	[0.19% - 0.23%]
% 65+ with hypertension	W	86.6%	[84.72% - 88.56%]	76.2%	[76.07% - 76.37%]
% 65+ with hypothyroidism	B	13.7%	[11.86% - 15.62%]	25.1%	[24.99% - 25.28%]
% 65+ with ischemic heart disease		41.1%	[38.28% - 44.00%]	40.7%	[40.55% - 40.90%]
% 65+ with leukemias and lymphomas		1.9%	[1.11% - 2.73%]	2.7%	[2.60% - 2.71%]
% 65+ with liver disease		9.1%	[7.35% - 10.78%]	9.5%	[9.37% - 9.59%]
% 65+ with lung cancer		1.7%	[1.01% - 2.40%]	1.9%	[1.81% - 1.90%]
% 65+ with migraine and other chronic headache	B	3.4%	[2.37% - 4.48%]	5.2%	[5.13% - 5.29%]
% 65+ with osteoarthritis or rheumatoid arthritis		51.1%	[48.21% - 54.06%]	54.2%	[53.97% - 54.34%]
% 65+ with osteoporosis	B	13.1%	[11.30% - 14.90%]	20.2%	[20.11% - 20.37%]
% 65+ with peripheral vascular disease		19.7%	[17.45% - 22.01%]	19.9%	[19.72% - 19.99%]
% 65+ with pressure ulcer or chronic ulcer		8.9%	[7.25% - 10.49%]	9.2%	[9.11% - 9.31%]
% 65+ with prostate cancer (men)	W	19.3%	[15.77% - 22.76%]	13.1%	[12.93% - 13.28%]
% 65+ with stroke		12.3%	[10.55% - 14.12%]	11.9%	[11.80% - 12.01%]
% 65+ with traumatic brain injury		1.0%	[0.40% - 1.54%]	1.3%	[1.25% - 1.33%]
% 65+ with 4+ (out of 15) chronic conditions	W	68.9%	[66.33% - 71.51%]	61.8%	[61.61% - 61.95%]
% 65+ with 0 chronic conditions		6.9%	[5.43% - 8.30%]	7.2%	[7.10% - 7.29%]
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH					
% 65+ with opioid use disorder		2.7%	[1.73% - 3.64%]	2.2%	[2.10% - 2.21%]
% 65+ with substance use disorder		8.3%	[6.66% - 9.94%]	6.8%	[6.66% - 6.85%]
% 60+ who used marijuana in last month		N/A		2.9%	[2.30% - 3.53%]
% 60+ excessive drinking		10.8%	[6.41% - 15.21%]	9.2%	[8.64% - 9.71%]
% 65+ with tobacco use disorder	W	14.4%	[12.32% - 16.52%]	10.1%	[9.94% - 10.17%]
% 60+ current smokers	W	15.8%	[10.55% - 20.95%]	7.7%	[7.20% - 8.17%]
% 60+ ever used E-Cigarettes in last month		5.3%	[2.11% - 8.41%]	6.4%	[5.89% - 6.80%]
MENTAL HEALTH					
% 60+ who reported receiving adequate emotional support		76.6%	[73.29% - 79.88%]	78.3%	[76.70% - 79.88%]
% 60+ with 15+ days poor mental health in last month		6.8%	[3.46% - 10.21%]	6.9%	[6.41% - 7.37%]
% 65+ with depression	B	24.8%	[22.38% - 27.15%]	30.3%	[30.10% - 30.41%]
% 65+ with anxiety disorder	B	16.2%	[14.00% - 18.31%]	25.5%	[25.35% - 25.66%]
% 65+ with bipolar disorder		2.9%	[1.88% - 3.91%]	3.9%	[3.78% - 3.92%]
% 65+ with post-traumatic stress disorder		1.2%	[0.55% - 1.88%]	1.3%	[1.20% - 1.29%]
% 65+ with schizophrenia & other psychotic disorder		5.4%	[4.09% - 6.75%]	4.6%	[4.53% - 4.68%]
% 65+ with personality disorder	B	1.4%	[0.64% - 2.10%]	2.6%	[2.49% - 2.61%]

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LIVING WITH DISABILITY					
% 65+ with self-reported hearing difficulty		10.2%	[6.42% - 14.05%]	12.4%	[12.08% - 12.71%]
% 65+ with clinical diagnosis of deafness or hearing impairment	B	10.0%	[8.25% - 11.69%]	15.7%	[15.60% - 15.85%]
% 65+ with self-reported vision difficulty	*	11.8%	[7.71% - 15.96%]	4.8%	[4.55% - 5.04%]
% 65+ with clinical diagnosis of blindness or visual impairment	W	3.0%	[1.99% - 3.94%]	1.1%	[1.05% - 1.12%]
% 65+ with self-reported cognition difficulty	*	16.0%	[11.63% - 20.44%]	7.6%	[7.34% - 7.87%]
% 65+ with self-reported ambulatory difficulty	*	35.2%	[30.16% - 40.17%]	19.1%	[18.71% - 19.52%]
% 65+ with clinical diagnosis of mobility impairment	W	6.0%	[4.66% - 7.41%]	4.0%	[3.95% - 4.09%]
% 65+ with self-reported self-care difficulty	*	15.6%	[11.62% - 19.57%]	7.5%	[7.25% - 7.77%]
% 65+ with self-reported independent living difficulty	*	25.1%	[20.33% - 29.78%]	13.6%	[13.23% - 13.93%]
CAREGIVING					
% of 60+ who provide care to a family/friend in last month		21.0%	[17.20% - 24.71%]	21.7%	[19.87% - 23.57%]
% of grandparents raising grandchildren		2.9%	[-96.21% - 102.06%]	0.8%	[0.73% - 0.86%]
% of grandparents who live with grandchildren		5.8%	[-190.3% - 201.84%]	2.7%	[2.62% - 2.83%]
ACCESS TO CARE					
% 65+ dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid	*	53.5%	[51.87% - 55.17%]	22.1%	[21.96% - 22.17%]
% 65+ Medicare managed care enrollees	*	50.6%	[48.92% - 52.22%]	29.9%	[29.76% - 29.99%]
% 60+ with a regular doctor	W	90.6%	[86.60% - 94.58%]	96.0%	[95.68% - 96.39%]
% 60+ who did not see a doctor when needed due to cost		6.4%	[2.91% - 9.98%]	4.5%	[4.14% - 4.92%]
SERVICE UTILIZATION					
# physician visits per year	*	6.3	[5.94 - 6.70]	8.6	[8.60 - 8.66]
# emergency room visits/1000 persons 65+ years annually	*	907.7	[793.53 - 1,021.91]	636.7	[631.77 - 641.56]
# Part D monthly prescription fills per person annually	*	56.0	[54.32 - 57.66]	50.3	[50.15 - 50.39]
# home health visits annually		4.5	[3.56 - 5.40]	4.1	[4.02 - 4.14]
# durable medical equipment claims annually	*	2.3	[1.95 - 2.59]	1.9	[1.88 - 1.91]
# inpatient hospital stays/1000 persons 65+ years annually	*	347.0	[297.86 - 396.19]	273.3	[270.72 - 275.80]
% Medicare inpatient hospital readmissions (as % of admissions)		16.6%	[12.13% - 20.98%]	17.2%	[16.89% - 17.47%]
# skilled nursing facility stays/1000 persons 65+ years annually		108.9	[83.11 - 134.78]	104.7	[103.23 - 106.08]
% 65+ getting Medicaid long term services and supports	*	10.2%	[9.20% - 11.20%]	5.5%	[5.48% - 5.60%]
% 65+ hospice users	*	1.9%	[1.38% - 2.34%]	2.8%	[2.70% - 2.79%]
% 65+ hospice users as % of decedents		38.5%	[30.47% - 46.47%]	45.5%	[44.85% - 46.14%]
Median hospice days per hospice user (65+, deceased)		9.0	[7.0 - 18.0]	10.0	[10.00 - 10.00]
Median hospice payment (Medicare + other) per hospice user		\$3,838	[\$3,082 - \$5,400]	\$3,741	[\$3,650 - \$3,816]
COMMUNITY					
% 60+ who used Internet in last month	*	55.3%	[48.35% - 62.22%]	75.1%	[74.32% - 75.89%]
TRANSPORTATION					
% 65+ who own a motor vehicle	*	25.4%	[16.02% - 34.72%]	87.3%	[87.15% - 87.49%]
% 60+ who always drive or ride wearing a seatbelt		92.9%	[88.99% - 96.85%]	93.0%	[92.53% - 93.49%]
% 60+ who drove under the influence of drinking in last month		N/A		2.2%	[1.76% - 2.56%]

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HOUSING					
% 65+ population who live alone		32.3%	[-321.0% - 385.55%]	28.4%	[27.99% - 28.89%]
% 60+ own home	*	47.0%	[41.90% - 52.14%]	76.9%	[76.70% - 77.17%]
% 60+ homeowners who have mortgage	*	61.4%	[54.05% - 68.75%]	47.1%	[46.58% - 47.64%]
% 60+ stressed about paying rent/mortgage in last month		24.8%	[17.14% - 32.53%]	17.4%	[16.52% - 18.19%]
% 65+ households (renter) spend >35% of income on housing		49.6%	[39.24% - 59.88%]	44.0%	[42.55% - 45.42%]
% 65+ households (owner) spend >35% of income on housing	*	40.6%	[30.47% - 50.66%]	29.5%	[28.89% - 30.15%]
% 65+ moved within same county in last year		3.7%	[-36.43% - 43.78%]	3.7%	[3.48% - 3.89%]
% 65+ moved from different county in last year		0.3%	[-2.78% - 3.40%]	0.8%	[0.71% - 0.90%]
% 65+ moved from different state in last year		1.4%	[-14.24% - 17.12%]	0.9%	[0.82% - 1.05%]
% of vacant homes in community	*	19.4%	[17.48% - 21.28%]	9.6%	[9.29% - 9.87%]
ECONOMIC					
% 60+ receiving food benefits in last year	*	38.1%	[32.54% - 43.72%]	10.9%	[10.53% - 11.21%]
% 65+ employed in last year		19.1%	[-190.0% - 228.27%]	24.8%	[24.48% - 25.15%]
% 65+ with income below the poverty line in last year		20.1%	[-200.0% - 240.23%]	7.0%	[6.79% - 7.30%]
% 65+ households with annual income < \$20,000	*	35.5%	[28.84% - 42.09%]	17.1%	[16.57% - 17.55%]
% 65+ households with annual income \$20,000-\$49,999	*	38.2%	[31.78% - 44.57%]	31.0%	[30.35% - 31.62%]
% 65+ households with annual income \$50,000-\$99,999	*	16.3%	[12.01% - 20.67%]	27.6%	[27.04% - 28.17%]
% 65+ households with annual income \$100,000+	*	10.0%	[6.08% - 13.95%]	24.4%	[23.82% - 24.89%]

Notes. 1 We use B, W, or * to denote significant differences in rates where the margins of error do not overlap (B=rate is better than the comparison, W=rate is worse than comparison, *=rate is different than comparison).

2 All community and state margins of error are 95% confidence intervals.

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