

AARP New York State – Erie County Retirement Preparedness Survey - Annotation  
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**Q1:**

Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction? [IF NEEDED: "If you had to pick, would you say right track or wrong direction?"]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Right track	38%	34%	43%
Wrong direction	53%	57%	48%
Don't know	9%	9%	8%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q2:**

We are interested in how people are getting along financially these days. How well would you say you are managing financially these days? Would you say you are...[READ LIST]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Living comfortably	23%	18%	27%
Doing alright	32%	34%	30%
Just about getting by	28%	28%	27%
Finding it difficult	10%	11%	11%
Finding it very difficult	6%	8%	5%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q3:**

Would you describe yourself now as retired, retired and working, or not retired?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Retired	31%	8%	46%
Retired and working	4%	1%	7%
Not retired	63%	89%	45%
Refused	2%	2%	3%

**Q4:**

Are you currently:[READ LIST]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Employed full time	60%	64%	49%
Employed part time	12%	7%	21%
Self-employed	7%	7%	9%
Unemployed and looking for a job	7%	7%	7%
A student	1%	1%	0%
A homemaker	4%	4%	4%
Disabled	8%	8%	10%
Other	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	1%	0%

**Q5:**

Are you employed full-time or part-time?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Full time	82%	98%	58%
Part time	18%	2%	42%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q6:**

Which of the following best describes the organization where you currently work:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
A non-profit organization	14%	12%	15%
A for profit company	57%	59%	59%
The city, state or local government	21%	21%	21%
The federal government	5%	7%	2%
Other	0%	0%	0%
Don't know	2%	1%	1%
Refused	1%	0%	1%

**Q7:**

How many people work for your employer? Is it...

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Less than 10	12%	9%	16%
At least 10 but less than 25	8%	6%	14%
At least 25 but less than 50	6%	6%	6%
At least 50 but less than 100	7%	9%	4%
100 or more	65%	68%	58%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q8A:**

Housing including rent, mortgage payments, insurance and property taxes[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	27%	32%	24%
Somewhat serious impact	38%	41%	37%
Not a very serious impact	23%	19%	23%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	12%	9%	16%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q8B:**

Health insurance[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	32%	35%	28%
Somewhat serious impact	26%	26%	28%
Not a very serious impact	20%	18%	21%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	20%	19%	21%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Refused	1%	0%	1%

**Q8C:**

Medical costs including doctor visits and prescription drugs[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	26%	23%	26%
Somewhat serious impact	25%	28%	26%
Not a very serious impact	26%	25%	26%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	22%	24%	21%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q8D:**

Food[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	19%	20%	17%
Somewhat serious impact	32%	32%	34%
Not a very serious impact	30%	31%	28%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	18%	16%	20%
Don't know	1%	1%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q8E:**

Transportation, including public transportation, gasoline, car payments[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	16%	19%	12%
Somewhat serious impact	31%	34%	33%
Not a very serious impact	32%	29%	31%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	21%	18%	23%
Don't know	0%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q8F:**

Utilities including heat, electric, cable television, internet and phone[IF NEEDED: Tell me whether its cost is having a very serious impact on your financial condition, a somewhat serious impact, not a very serious impact or not at all a serious impact on your financial condition.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very serious impact on your financial condition	22%	24%	20%
Somewhat serious impact	45%	45%	46%
Not a very serious impact	21%	21%	19%
Not at all a serious impact on your financial condition	12%	11%	14%
Don't know	0%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q9R (Combined):**

Now let's talk for a while about your retirement years. How often would you say you worry about having enough money to retire at the age you choose and the style you expect? Would you say very often, often, not very often, or not at all often?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very often	34%	38%	32%
Often	29%	26%	31%
Not very often	22%	21%	23%
Not at all often	14%	13%	14%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q10A:**

At what age do you plan on retiring?[IF NEEDED: Your best estimate is fine.]  
 INTERVIEWER: ENTER AGE IN BOX AT BOTTOM OF SCREEN

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
60 or younger	16%	18%	10%
61 to 65	35%	37%	34%
Over 65	26%	24%	29%
Never plan to retire	9%	9%	13%
Don't know	12%	10%	13%
Refused	2%	2%	1%

**Q10B:**

At what age did you retire? INTERVIEWER: ENTER AGE IN BOX AT BOTTOM OF SCREEN

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
60 or younger	52%	64%	57%
61 to 65	31%	0%	30%
Over 65	8%	0%	7%
Don't know	5%	22%	3%
Refused	4%	14%	3%

**Q11:**

Thinking about how much you have saved for retirement and how well you have planned for retirement, how well prepared for retirement do you currently think you are compared to others your age? Would you say you are much more prepared for retirement, somewhat more prepared, about the same as others, somewhat less prepared, or much less prepared than others your age?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Much more prepared	13%	12%	14%
Somewhat more prepared	25%	26%	25%
About the same as others	22%	19%	24%
Somewhat less prepared	18%	20%	15%
Much less prepared	20%	22%	19%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q12A:**

Researched Social Security benefits [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	58%	45%	70%
Have not	41%	54%	30%
Don't know	1%	1%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q12B:**

Researched Medicare benefits [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	38%	25%	44%
Have not	61%	74%	54%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q12C:**

Written out a clear plan including a budget for your retirement [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	28%	18%	36%
Have not	72%	81%	63%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q12D:**

Discussed your concerns about retirement with your life partner or family [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	66%	63%	67%
Have not	33%	37%	31%
Don't know	1%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q12E:**

Made decisions about where you will live in retirement [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	47%	34%	55%
Have not	52%	66%	43%
Don't know	1%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q12F:**

Made a plan for how you will be cared for should you become sick, disabled or be unable to care for yourself [IF NEEDED: For each of the following ways to prepare for your retirement years, please tell me whether or not you have done each one.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Have	35%	29%	36%
Have not	64%	70%	61%
Don't know	1%	0%	1%
Refused	1%	0%	1%

**Q13A:**

I work with a professional financial planner to help with my retirement [IF NEEDED: Tell me whether it does or does not apply to you.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Does apply to you	34%	33%	35%
Does not apply to you	66%	67%	65%
Don't know	0%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q13B (Combined R&N):**

I am part of a traditional pension plan through my work that upon retirement will provide me with a guaranteed monthly income [IF NEEDED: Tell me whether it does or does not apply to you.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Does apply to you	46%	40%	50%
Does not apply to you	54%	60%	49%
Don't know	1%	0%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q13C:**

I have an I-R-A, 401k [four-oh-one-kay] or 403b [four-oh-three-bee] defined contribution plan through work that both I and my employer can or were able to contribute to [IF NEEDED: Tell me whether it does or does not apply to you.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Does apply to you	57%	60%	54%
Does not apply to you	40%	38%	43%
Don't know	2%	1%	2%
Refused	1%	1%	1%

**Q13D (Combined R&N):**

I expect my social security benefits to fund the majority of my expenses in retirement [IF NEEDED: Tell me whether it does or does not apply to you.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Does apply to you	32%	24%	38%
Does not apply to you	65%	74%	59%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q13E:**

I have purchased long-term care insurance [IF NEEDED: Tell me whether it does or does not apply to you.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Does apply to you	13%	12%	15%
Does not apply to you	86%	88%	85%
Don't know	0%	0%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q14:**

Now thinking about how much money you and your household needs to confidently retire or maintain your current retirement lifestyle on a monthly basis, how much money do you think you and your household needs to live at the standard of living you expect, per month??

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Less than \$2,000	8%	6%	8%
At least \$2,000 but less than \$3,500	33%	32%	33%
At least \$3,500 but less than \$5,000	27%	29%	27%
At least \$5,000 but less than \$6,500	12%	17%	10%
At least \$6,500 but less than \$8,000	5%	5%	4%
\$8,000 or more	9%	9%	8%
Don't know	4%	1%	6%
Refused	2%	1%	4%

**Q15:**

And thinking about your social security benefits, how much do you and your household anticipate receiving or do you and your household currently receive per month in social security?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Less than \$200	9%	13%	5%
Between \$200 and \$500 per month	5%	5%	5%
Between \$500 and \$1,000 per month	13%	13%	12%
Between \$1,000 and \$1,500 per month	14%	12%	16%
Between \$1,500 and \$2,000 per month	18%	15%	19%
More than \$2,000 per month	19%	15%	23%
Don't know	18%	25%	15%
Refused	4%	2%	5%



**Q16:**

According to investment experts, the average American couple can expect to pay \$476 per month in out of pocket health care expenses over the course of their retirement, which includes the cost of deductibles and copayments, premiums for optional insurance coverage, out-of-pocket expenses for prescription drugs, and other expenses that Medicare doesn't cover, such as hearing aids and eyeglasses.... How well prepared would you say you and/or your partner are to pay for these health care costs during your retirement? Are you very prepared, somewhat prepared, not very prepared, not at all prepared?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very prepared	20%	17%	22%
Somewhat prepared	39%	32%	44%
Not very prepared	19%	20%	18%
Not at all prepared	20%	29%	16%
Don't know	1%	2%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q17:**

While it is common to talk about 'enjoying' retirement, in some cases people in retirement may require services over an extended period of time because they need assistance with regular daily activities, like bathing, dressing, preparing meals or eating. If you or a family member needed long-term services and supports like these, how would you prefer to receive that care?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
At home, with help from family or friends	35%	35%	35%
At home, with help from family, friends AND home care professionals	49%	49%	49%
In a residential care facility such as a board and care home or assisted living	8%	7%	7%
In a nursing home	3%	4%	2%
Someplace else	0%	0%	0%
Don't know	5%	4%	6%
Refused	1%	0%	1%

**Q18:**

Medicare generally does not cover long-term care. Costs vary greatly depending on how you receive this type of care, whether it is home-based care, assisted living, or a nursing home. Please stop me when I say the amount you would be prepared to pay per year on long-term care if you or a family member needed it.

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
No more than \$10,000 per year	43%	42%	42%
Between \$10,000 and \$50,000 per year	30%	30%	31%
Between \$50,000 and \$100,000 per year	8%	13%	4%
Between \$100,000 and \$150,000 per year	4%	5%	3%
Between \$150,000 and \$200,000 per year	1%	2%	0%
More than \$200,000 per year	1%	0%	1%
Don't know	11%	6%	14%
Refused	3%	2%	4%

**Q19:**

Do you plan on living in New York State when you retire:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Full time	43%	38%	55%
Part time	17%	17%	17%
Not at all	29%	32%	20%
Don't know	11%	12%	9%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q20:**

How confident are you that you will receive the money from Social Security that as of today you have been promised by the United States Government. Are you very confident, somewhat confident, not very confident, or not at all confident?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very confident	22%	13%	28%
Somewhat confident	32%	26%	39%
Not very confident	20%	23%	17%
Not at all confident	25%	36%	14%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q21:**

How confident are you that Medicare will provide you with the quality of medical care that you will require? Are you very confident, somewhat confident, not very confident, or not at all confident?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very confident	11%	5%	14%
Somewhat confident	40%	33%	47%
Not very confident	26%	26%	26%
Not at all confident	21%	32%	11%
Don't know	2%	3%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q22A:**

The prevalence of age discrimination in the workplace [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	23%	23%	24%
Somewhat significant problem	37%	33%	38%
Not very significant problem	23%	24%	21%
Not at all significant problem	12%	16%	11%
Don't know	5%	5%	5%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q22B:**

The affordability of long-term care in New York State [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	58%	63%	54%
Somewhat significant problem	29%	28%	31%
Not very significant problem	5%	4%	5%
Not at all significant problem	4%	3%	5%
Don't know	4%	2%	6%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q22C:**

The prevalence of fraudulent activities, or ``scams,’’ including identity theft [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	63%	64%	63%
Somewhat significant problem	25%	24%	27%
Not very significant problem	7%	9%	5%
Not at all significant problem	2%	1%	2%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

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**Q22D:**

The availability of affordable housing in New York State [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	35%	35%	35%
Somewhat significant problem	38%	36%	39%
Not very significant problem	15%	16%	14%
Not at all significant problem	9%	11%	7%
Don't know	3%	2%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

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**Q22E:**

The affordability of health care in New York State [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	59%	64%	57%
Somewhat significant problem	25%	21%	29%
Not very significant problem	8%	8%	8%
Not at all significant problem	4%	5%	3%
Don't know	3%	3%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

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**Q22F:**

People saving enough for retirement [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	62%	67%	59%
Somewhat significant problem	22%	17%	27%
Not very significant problem	8%	8%	7%
Not at all significant problem	5%	6%	5%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

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**Q22G:**

The likelihood that social security will remain available for future generations [IF NEEDED: Is this a very significant problem for New Yorkers, a somewhat significant problem, a not very significant problem, or not at all a significant problem?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very significant problem	52%	57%	48%
Somewhat significant problem	26%	18%	33%
Not very significant problem	10%	10%	8%
Not at all significant problem	9%	13%	6%
Don't know	3%	3%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23A:**

Keeping housing costs affordable [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	1%	1%
Good	15%	15%	17%
Fair	48%	45%	49%
Poor	32%	36%	30%
Don't know	3%	3%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23B:**

Controlling medical costs [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	1%	1%
Good	4%	3%	5%
Fair	27%	24%	32%
Poor	66%	70%	62%
Don't know	2%	2%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23C:**

Making sure social security is available for future generations [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	0%	2%
Good	13%	10%	15%
Fair	31%	26%	33%
Poor	53%	61%	46%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q23D:**

Protecting citizens from fraudulent activities, or scams including identity theft [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	1%	1%
Good	18%	13%	21%
Fair	41%	43%	40%
Poor	36%	40%	34%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23E:**

Protecting older workers from age discrimination in the workplace [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	2%	2%	1%
Good	20%	18%	23%
Fair	45%	47%	42%
Poor	29%	28%	31%
Don't know	5%	5%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23F:**

Making it possible for New Yorkers to save enough for retirement [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	0%	1%
Good	8%	5%	11%
Fair	36%	32%	40%
Poor	52%	60%	44%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q23G:**

Ensuring there are adequate services and supports to enable seniors to stay in their homes as they age [IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	2%	3%	2%
Good	13%	11%	15%
Fair	43%	40%	46%
Poor	36%	40%	34%
Don't know	5%	7%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

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**Q23H:**

Keeping utilities including heat, electric, cable television, internet and phone affordable for New Yorkers[IF NEEDED: How would you rate the job your elected officials are doing. Would you rate their job performance as excellent, good, fair or poor?]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	1%	0%	1%
Good	12%	11%	11%
Fair	38%	33%	44%
Poor	48%	54%	42%
Don't know	2%	2%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

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**Q24:**

One idea to help New York workers without access to a retirement savings plan is to create a state facilitated retirement savings plan, which would work similar to a state college savings plan where people contribute into a retirement account that is professionally managed. It would be voluntary and open to any worker choosing to enroll in the plan. The plan would be self-funded and would not cost taxpayer dollars. Would you support or oppose this type of plan?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Support	68%	67%	73%
Oppose	25%	24%	23%
Don't know	7%	9%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

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**Q25:**

Overall, the government has done a good job preparing for the retirement of the Baby Boomer generation, those born between 1946 and 1964.[IF NEEDED: Please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Strongly agree	7%	11%	4%
Somewhat agree	33%	27%	35%
Somewhat disagree	25%	26%	23%
Strongly disagree	31%	31%	34%
Don't know	3%	4%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

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**Q26:**

Overall, the government has done a good job preparing for the retirement of Generation Xers, those born between 1965 and 1980. [IF NEEDED: Please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Strongly agree	3%	3%	3%
Somewhat agree	20%	16%	23%
Somewhat disagree	33%	38%	32%
Strongly disagree	37%	40%	35%
Don't know	5%	4%	5%
Refused	1%	0%	2%

**Q27:**

Now thinking about the upcoming Presidential election, with Hillary Clinton on the Democratic line and Donald Trump on the Republican line, who do you think would do a better job addressing the retirement needs of seniors?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Hillary Clinton	43%	38%	46%
Donald Trump	41%	41%	39%
Don't know	12%	16%	11%
Refused	5%	5%	5%

**Q28:**

And who do you think would do a better job protecting Social Security?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Hillary Clinton	46%	41%	49%
Donald Trump	41%	41%	41%
Don't know	10%	13%	7%
Refused	4%	6%	3%

**Q29:**

A family caregiver is someone who provides UNPAID care for an ADULT loved one who is ill, frail, or has a disability. This unpaid care may include assisting with personal needs like bathing and dressing, household chores, meals, shopping, transportation, or managing finances or medical care. Are you currently a family caregiver?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Yes	21%	23%	22%
No	79%	77%	77%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	1%



**Q30:**

Have you ever been a family caregiver?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Yes	44%	34%	53%
No	55%	66%	47%
Don't know	0%	1%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

**Q31:**

What is the age of the person you are providing care for? INTERVIEWER: ENTER AGE IN BOX AT BOTTOM OF SCREEN IF MORE THAN ONE PERSON: "What is the age of the oldest person you are providing care for?"

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Under 60	12%	14%	10%
60 or older	88%	86%	90%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q32:**

How likely do you think it is that you will provide any caregiving or assistance on an unpaid basis for an adult loved one in the future? Is it very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely, or not at all likely?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very likely	36%	46%	23%
Somewhat likely	32%	35%	29%
Not very likely	18%	11%	25%
Not at all likely	13%	7%	20%
Don't know	1%	1%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	2%

**Q33A:**

Assistance with providing transportation [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	36%	33%	35%
Somewhat helpful	30%	31%	32%
Not very helpful	11%	8%	12%
Not at all helpful	20%	24%	18%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%
Refused	1%	1%	1%

**Q33B:**

Assistance with understanding how to manage medications [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	38%	39%	38%
Somewhat helpful	30%	23%	35%
Not very helpful	11%	11%	10%
Not at all helpful	17%	24%	14%
Don't know	3%	2%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q33C:**

Information about available resources for caregivers in your community [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	43%	46%	41%
Somewhat helpful	28%	23%	35%
Not very helpful	11%	12%	10%
Not at all helpful	13%	16%	11%
Don't know	4%	3%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q33D:**

Respite [res-pit] care or breaks from caregiving responsibilities [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	37%	35%	39%
Somewhat helpful	31%	25%	34%
Not very helpful	10%	13%	7%
Not at all helpful	17%	21%	17%
Don't know	4%	6%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	0%

**Q33E:**

Assistance with providing meals [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	40%	43%	37%
Somewhat helpful	30%	24%	34%
Not very helpful	12%	15%	11%
Not at all helpful	16%	15%	18%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%
Refused	1%	1%	0%

**Q33F:**

Assistance with managing household chores [IF NEEDED: How helpful would the following types of caregiving support be or have been to you? Very helpful, somewhat helpful, not very helpful, or not at all helpful?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Very helpful	33%	30%	34%
Somewhat helpful	26%	25%	31%
Not very helpful	17%	20%	13%
Not at all helpful	20%	23%	18%
Don't know	4%	2%	4%
Refused	1%	1%	0%

**REGV:**

Are you registered to vote in New York State?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Yes	94%	97%	93%
No	5%	3%	7%
Don't know/ Refused	0%	0%	1%

**PARTY:**

Are you currently enrolled to vote as a:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Democrat	46%	42%	47%
Republican	29%	28%	30%
Independent (No party)	18%	22%	16%
or as a member of another political party	3%	3%	3%
Refused	4%	5%	4%

**LIKELY:**

How likely would you say you are to vote in the November Election for President? Would you say you are almost certain to vote, very likely to vote, somewhat likely to vote, not very likely to vote, or not at all likely to vote?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Almost certain	64%	57%	68%
Very likely	22%	24%	20%
Somewhat likely	7%	8%	7%
Not very likely	2%	3%	2%
Not at all likely	3%	6%	2%
Don't know/Refused	2%	3%	1%

**IDEO:**

When it comes to most political issues, would you describe yourself as a:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Liberal	20%	20%	22%
Moderate	35%	37%	33%
Conservative	38%	36%	38%
Don't know/Refused	7%	7%	7%

**HEALTH:**

Relative to other people your age, would you describe your overall health as excellent, good, fair, or poor?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Excellent	28%	29%	28%
Good	43%	43%	44%
Fair	21%	22%	20%
Poor	6%	5%	7%
Don't know	1%	1%	0%
Refused	1%	0%	1%

**OWN:**

Do you own your home, rent, or have some other living situation?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Own	76%	76%	75%
Rent	19%	20%	19%
Other	4%	3%	4%
Refused	1%	0%	2%

**EDUC:**

Please stop me when I say the highest educational level which you have completed:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Grade school	4%	3%	3%
High school	34%	33%	35%
Some college or trade school	31%	31%	31%
Bachelors' degree	15%	16%	17%
Graduate or Professional degree	16%	16%	14%
Refused	1%	1%	1%

**HHCOMP:**

How many people, including adults and children, are living in your household?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
One	19%	12%	22%
Two	31%	22%	40%
Three	19%	20%	18%
Four	16%	25%	10%
Five	9%	14%	5%
Six	4%	6%	2%
Seven	0%	0%	0%
Eight or more	1%	1%	1%
Refused	1%	0%	2%

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**MARITAL:**

What is your current marital status?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Married	61%	61%	57%
Not married, living with your partner or significant other	6%	6%	6%
Separated	3%	3%	3%
Divorced	11%	9%	12%
Widowed	7%	3%	10%
Or are you currently single and never married	13%	17%	12%
Not sure	0%	0%	0%
Refused	1%	1%	1%

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**AARPMEM:**

Are you or your spouse or partner currently a member of A-A-R-P?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Yes	21%	5%	33%
No	77%	93%	65%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	1%

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**LGBT:**

Of the following, do you consider yourself to be:

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Heterosexual or straight	93%	91%	94%
Lesbian	1%	1%	1%
Gay	1%	3%	0%
Bi-sexual	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%
Not sure	0%	0%	0%
Refused	4%	5%	4%

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**INCOME:**

Which of the following general income categories is your total household income before taxes?[IF NEEDED: "I just want to remind you that you are completely anonymous. We only use this information in aggregate form to ensure we have a representative group of New Yorkers."]

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Under \$40,000	28%	21%	35%
At least \$40,000 but under \$80,000	26%	28%	23%
At least \$80,000 but under \$120,000	20%	26%	18%
\$120,000 or more	15%	18%	13%
Don't know	2%	3%	1%
Refused	9%	6%	10%

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**GENDER:**

[RECORD GENDER: BY OBSERVATION]IF UNSURE: To ensure it is recorded accurately, could you please state your gender?

	Total	Gen X	Boomer
Male	48%	49%	48%
Female	52%	51%	52%

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