2014 ORLEANS COUNTY, VT LIVABILITY REPORT
Social Participation and Inclusion

LARGEST UNMET NEED

-59.9%
CULTURAL ACTIVITIES FOR DIVERSE POPULATIONS

76.8% say it is important to have a variety of cultural activities for diverse populations. Only 16.9% say this is present in their community, resulting in a gap of 59.9%.

INTERACTION

78%
INTERACT WITH FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS AT LEAST SEVERAL TIMES A WEEK

MOST IMPORTANT FEATURE

ACTIVITIES THAT ARE AFFORDABLE TO ALL RESIDENTS

Activities that are affordable to all residents is the most important social participation feature (76%) to Orleans County residents age 45-plus.

PLACES TO SOCIALIZE

65% Stores
47% Restaurants
29% Faith-based places

The top 3 places Orleans County residents age 45-plus go when seeking out social opportunities in their community are stores, restaurants, and faith-based places.

SOURCE: Successful Aging in Orleans County: The 2014 Community Survey of Residents Age 45-plus in Orleans County, Vermont
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