Of Louisiana’s 4.7 million residents, about one in three (32%) is African American/Black, 5% are Hispanic/Latino and 2% are AAPI. In the age 50 and over population, African American/Black representation is one in four (26%). Most Hispanic/Latino and AAPI people are concentrated around Baton Rouge, New Orleans and other points in South Louisiana. African American presence is more distributed across the state.

Multicultural representation in the New Orleans and Baton Rouge metropolitan areas for the age 50+ population looks similar to the state overall, with a slightly larger Hispanic/Latino presence in New Orleans and larger share of African American/Black residents in Baton Rouge.