

2016 San Antonio, TX Livable Community Survey
50+ General Population / Survey Sample N = 358
Sampling Error = +/- 5.2%

Q1. How would you rate your community as a place for people to live as they age?	Total
Excellent	16.6%
Very good	37.6%
Good	32.7%
Fair	9.5%
Poor	2.1%
No response	1.5%

Q2. What is the name of your community?	Total
Alamo Farmsteail	<0.5%
Alamo Heights	<0.5%
Auburn Oaks	<0.5%
Babcock North	<0.5%
Barkley Estates	<0.5%
Beacon Hill	<0.5%
Bel-Air	<0.5%
Bexar County	0.6%
Blanco Bluffs	1.1%
Braun Point	<0.5%
Braun Station	<0.5%
Brookside	<0.5%
Camelot	1.4%
Camino Real	0.8%
Castle Hills	<0.5%
Cedar Park	<0.5%
Central North West	<0.5%
Churchill Estates	<0.5%
Churchill Forest	<0.5%
City Base	<0.5%
College Park	<0.5%
Collins Garden	<0.5%
Colonial Hills	<0.5%
Colonies	<0.5%
Companas	<0.5%
Culebra Park	<0.5%
Deco District	1.1%
Deerfield	<0.5%
Del View	1.5%
Dell Crest	<0.5%
Dignowity Hill	1.3%
District 2	<0.5%
Doral	<0.5%
Dreamland Oaks	<0.5%
East side	0.6%

East Terrace Hill	<0.5%
East Village	<0.5%
Eastwood	<0.5%
Eden	2.3%
Edgewater Estates	1.1%
Edgewood	<0.5%
El Dorado	<0.5%
Elmwood	0.5%
Enchanted Forest	<0.5%
Encino Bluff	<0.5%
Encino Park	<0.5%
Falcon Ridge Subdivision	<0.5%
Fall Creek Subdivision	<0.5%
Fountain Park	<0.5%
Franklin Park	<0.5%
French Creek	<0.5%
Gardens of Oak Hollow	<0.5%
Gordon Hartman	<0.5%
Great Northwest	1.3%
Greenbriar Estate	<0.5%
Harlandale	1.3%
Heritage	0.9%
Hidden Meadows	<0.5%
Highland Hills	2.2%
Hill Country	<0.5%
Hills and Dales	<0.5%
Hollywood Park	<0.5%
Hunters Chase	<0.5%
Huntleigh Park	<0.5%
Inner Westside Prospect Hill	<0.5%
Inwood	<0.5%
Jefferson	<0.5%
King William	<0.5%
Kingsborough Ridge	<0.5%
Kingwoods Heights	<0.5%
Lackland Terrance	<0.5%
Lakeside	<0.5%
Legacy Trails	<0.5%
Leon Valley	0.6%
Liberty Village	<0.5%
Lochwood	<0.5%
Lone Star Neighborhood	1.1%
Longs Creek	<0.5%
Los Angeles Heights	<0.5%
Los Jardines	<0.5%
Main Street Gillette	<0.5%
Monticello	<0.5%
New Territories	<0.5%
North Central San Antonio	<0.5%

North San Antonio	<0.5%
North Woods	<0.5%
Northampton	<0.5%
Northern Hills	<0.5%
Northwest Crossing (NWC)	1.6%
Northwest San Antonio	1.5%
Oak Hills	0.8%
Oak Ridge Village	<0.5%
Oakgrove	<0.5%
Old Edison 41	<0.5%
Palm Heights	0.6%
Park at Presa	<0.5%
Park Forest	<0.5%
Parkwood	1.2%
Pinon Creek	<0.5%
Piping Meadow	<0.5%
Presidio	1.1%
Rainbow Hills	0.5%
Ranch Land Hills	<0.5%
River Road	<0.5%
Riverbend	<0.5%
Rivermist	1.1%
Roseville Apartments	<0.5%
Royal Ridge	<0.5%
San Alfonso	<0.5%
San Antonio (General)	12.0%
San Pedro Hills	<0.5%
Shavano Park	<0.5%
Shavano Wood	<0.5%
Sky Harbor	<0.5%
Sonterra	<0.5%
Southside	1.7%
Southeast Side	<0.5%
Southwest	<0.5%
Spring Creek	<0.5%
St. Mary's Gateway	<0.5%
Sterling Gaps	<0.5%
Stone Oak	<0.5%
Summerfield	<0.5%
Summit	<0.5%
Tara	0.5%
Terrell Heights	<0.5%
Terrell Hills	<0.5%
The Great NorthWest	<0.5%
The Villas of Northgate	<0.5%
Thompson/Thompson Field	0.8%
Thunder Bird Village	<0.5%
Timberview Addition	<0.5%
Tobin Hills	<0.5%

Town View Estates	<0.5%
Twin Creek	<0.5%
University Oaks	<0.5%
University Park	1.2%
Valencia	0.7%
Valley Forge	<0.5%
Valley High	1.6%
Vista del Norte	1.2%
Walzem Farms	<0.5%
West Oak Estates	<0.5%
Westover Valley	0.5%
Westside	2.7%
Westwood	<0.5%
Westwood Terrace	<0.5%
Whispering Oaks	0.6%
Wildwood	<0.5%
Woodglen Subdivision	<0.5%
Woodlawn	<0.5%
Woodlawn Hills	0.5%
Woodstone	0.5%
None/Nothing/Don't Know	1.3%
No response	19.8%

Q3. What is your 5-digit ZIP code?

	Total
28201	<0.5%
72811	<0.5%
74230	1.1%
78201	4.6%
78202	1.9%
78203	<0.5%
78204	1.5%
78207	1.4%
78209	1.1%
78210	2.8%
78211	1.7%
78212	1.3%
78213	3.0%
78214	1.4%
78215	<0.5%
78216	2.1%
78217	1.1%
78218	3.2%
78220	1.9%
78221	1.6%
78222	<0.5%
78223	3.3%
78224	1.1%
78225	0.6%
78226	0.7%

78227	4.0%
78228	5.7%
78229	1.9%
78230	5.6%
78231	0.7%
78232	1.9%
78233	2.5%
78235	<0.5%
78237	3.6%
78238	1.1%
78239	0.6%
78240	1.4%
78242	2.1%
78244	<0.5%
78245	0.8%
78247	4.8%
78248	3.1%
78249	6.5%
78250	5.4%
78251	2.0%
78254	0.8%
78255	<0.5%
78257	2.3%
78258	1.1%
78259	0.5%
78260	<0.5%
78261	<0.5%
98225	<0.5%
No response	1.5%

Q4. How long have you lived in this community?

	<u>Total</u>
Less than 5 years	6.5%
5 years but less than 15 years	17.7%
15 years but less than 25 years	21.6%
25 years but less than 35 years	13.3%
35 years but less than 45 years	13.5%
45 years or more	25.6%
No response	1.8%

Q5. How long have you lived in your county?

	<u>Total</u>
Less than 5 years	1.3%
5 years but less than 15 years	8.4%
15 years but less than 25 years	10.9%
25 years but less than 35 years	8.8%
35 years but less than 45 years	10.8%
45 years or more	59.5%
No response	<0.5%

Q6. Some people reside in places outside of their state for part of the year. Which of the following describes how you reside in your state?

	Total
Year round, do not reside anywhere outside of my state	98.8%
Seasonally, reside outside of my state during Winter, Spring, Summer, or Fall on a regular basis	1.2%
No response	-

Q7. Thinking about your retirement years when you do not work at all for pay, how likely is it that you will move to a different home in your community?

	Total
Extremely likely	2.5%
Very likely	3.6%
Somewhat likely	14.5%
Not very likely	22.1%
Not at all likely	43.8%
Not sure	10.0%
No response	3.4%

Q8. Thinking about your retirement years when you do not work at all for pay, how likely is it that you will move to a different home outside of your community?

	Total
Extremely likely	5.1%
Very likely	5.0%
Somewhat likely	11.6%
Not very likely	21.2%
Not at all likely	43.8%
Not sure	9.9%
No response	3.3%

Q9. If you were to consider moving out of your community during your retirement when you do not work at all, would the following factors impact your decision to move?

A. Looking for a different home size that meets your needs

	Total
Yes	34.7%
No	37.7%
Not sure	8.2%
No response	19.4%

B. Maintaining your current home will be too expensive

	Total
Yes	24.6%
No	43.2%
Not sure	15.3%
No response	16.9%

C. Fearing for your personal safety or security concerns

	Total
Yes	25.8%
No	48.6%
Not sure	6.3%
No response	19.3%

D. Looking for a home that will help you live independently as you age	Total
Yes	41.4%
No	29.9%
Not sure	10.3%
No response	18.4%
E. Wanting to move to an area that has better health care facilities	Total
Yes	18.2%
No	51.9%
Not sure	10.3%
No response	19.6%
F. Wanting to be closer to family	Total
Yes	30.7%
No	39.7%
Not sure	13.3%
No response	16.3%
G. Needing more access to public transportation	Total
Yes	17.2%
No	52.9%
Not sure	9.7%
No response	20.2%
H. Wanting to live in a different climate	Total
Yes	15.4%
No	58.2%
Not sure	7.3%
No response	19.1%
I. Looking for an area that has a lower cost of living	Total
Yes	27.8%
No	38.9%
Not sure	9.7%
No response	23.7%
J. Other	Total
Yes	9.0%
No	5.0%
Not sure	<0.5%
No response	85.7%
Q10. How important is it for you to remain in your community as you age?	Total
Extremely important	19.8%
Very important	30.4%
Somewhat important	24.3%
Not very important	17.6%
Not at all important	4.8%
No response	3.2%

Q11. Do you own or rent your primary home or do you have some other type of living arrangement like living with a family member or friend?	<u>Total</u>
Own	81.7%
Rent	9.3%
Other type of living arrangement	5.9%
No response	3.0%

Q12. What type of home is your primary home?	<u>Total</u>
Single family home	85.5%
Mobile home	<0.5%
Town home or duplex	2.0%
Apartment	5.9%
Condominium or coop	1.7%
Other	1.6%
No response	3.2%

Q13. How important is it for you to be able to live independently in your own home as you age?	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	49.0%
Very important	36.9%
Somewhat important	8.3%
Not very important	1.7%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	3.0%

Q14. Do you think you will need to make the following types of modifications or improvements to your home to enable you to stay there as you age?	
A. Easier access into or within your home such as a ramp, chairlift or elevator, or wider doorways	<u>Total</u>
Yes	24.2%
No	53.3%
Not sure	14.0%
No response	8.6%

B. Bathroom modifications such as grab bars, handrails, higher toilet or non-slip tile	<u>Total</u>
Yes	46.8%
No	36.8%
Not sure	9.4%
No response	6.9%

C. Putting a bedroom, bathroom and kitchen on the first floor	<u>Total</u>
Yes	7.0%
No	77.4%
Not sure	6.2%
No response	9.4%

D. Improving lighting	<u>Total</u>
Yes	25.8%
No	54.7%
Not sure	9.7%
No response	9.8%

E. Installing a medical emergency response system that notifies others in case of emergency	<u>Total</u>
Yes	32.8%
No	39.7%
Not sure	20.2%
No response	7.4%

F. Other	<u>Total</u>
Yes	5.6%
No	5.3%
Not sure	0.7%
No response	88.3%

Q15. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Home repair contractors who are trustworthy, do quality work and are affordable	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	58.8%
Very important	28.6%
Somewhat important	9.5%
Not very important	1.6%
Not at all important	1.0%
No response	<0.5%

B. Well-maintained homes and properties	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	44.9%
Very important	45.2%
Somewhat important	8.4%
Not very important	<0.5%
Not at all important	-
No response	1.4%

C. A home repair service for low-income and older adults that helps with things like roof or window repairs	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	48.3%
Very important	33.2%
Somewhat important	13.3%
Not very important	2.1%
Not at all important	1.0%
No response	2.1%

D. Seasonal services such as lawn work or snow removal for low-income and older adults	Total
Extremely important	39.9%
Very important	33.7%
Somewhat important	13.8%
Not very important	7.6%
Not at all important	2.1%
No response	2.9%

E. Affordable housing options for adults of varying income levels such as older active adult communities, assisted living and communities with shared facilities and outdoor spaces.	Total
Extremely important	40.4%
Very important	32.6%
Somewhat important	15.4%
Not very important	7.1%
Not at all important	2.3%
No response	2.1%

F. Homes that are equipped with things like a no step entrance, wider doorways, grab bars in bathrooms, and first floor bedrooms and bathrooms	Total
Extremely important	39.2%
Very important	30.7%
Somewhat important	22.2%
Not very important	4.3%
Not at all important	1.8%
No response	1.8%

G. Well-maintained and safe low-income housing	Total
Extremely important	39.3%
Very important	33.3%
Somewhat important	11.7%
Not very important	7.5%
Not at all important	6.9%
No response	1.4%

Q16. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Home repair contractors who are trustworthy, do quality work and are affordable	Total
Yes	31.3%
No	21.4%
Not sure	46.3%
No response	1.0%

B. Well-maintained homes and properties	Total
Yes	70.2%
No	16.8%
Not sure	11.3%
No response	1.7%

C. A home repair service for low-income and older adults that helps with things like roof or window repairs	Total
Yes	16.7%
No	29.4%
Not sure	52.7%
No response	1.2%

D. Seasonal services such as lawn work or snow removal for low-income and older adults	Total
Yes	30.7%
No	30.2%
Not sure	38.2%
No response	0.8%

E. Affordable home options for adults of varying income levels such as older active adult communities, assisted living and communities with shared facilities and outdoor spaces	Total
Yes	26.9%
No	30.7%
Not sure	39.2%
No response	3.2%

F. Homes that are equipped with things like a no step entrance, wider doorways, grab bars in bathrooms, and first floor bedrooms and bathrooms	Total
Yes	21.8%
No	30.4%
Not sure	46.6%
No response	1.3%

G. Well-maintained and safe low-income housing	Total
Yes	24.6%
No	30.9%
Not sure	42.5%
No response	1.9%

Q17. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Well-maintained and safe parks that are within walking distance of your home	Total
Extremely important	34.8%
Very important	42.4%
Somewhat important	15.1%
Not very important	4.7%
Not at all important	2.1%
No response	0.9%

B. Public parks with enough benches	Total
Extremely important	31.4%
Very important	38.7%
Somewhat important	19.1%
Not very important	6.6%
Not at all important	2.7%
No response	1.5%

C. Sidewalks that are in good condition, free from obstruction and are safe for pedestrian use and accessible for wheelchairs or other assistive mobility devices

	Total
Extremely important	49.1%
Very important	38.1%
Somewhat important	8.9%
Not very important	2.4%
Not at all important	1.2%
No response	<0.5%

D. Well-maintained public buildings and facilities that are accessible to people of different physical abilities

	Total
Extremely important	44.1%
Very important	40.3%
Somewhat important	10.3%
Not very important	2.6%
Not at all important	1.5%
No response	1.3%

E. Separate pathways for bicyclists and pedestrians

	Total
Extremely important	41.1%
Very important	36.1%
Somewhat important	13.1%
Not very important	4.8%
Not at all important	1.7%
No response	3.2%

F. Well-maintained public restrooms that are accessible to people of different physical abilities

	Total
Extremely important	47.3%
Very important	31.3%
Somewhat important	15.3%
Not very important	2.1%
Not at all important	3.1%
No response	0.9%

G. Neighborhood watch programs

	Total
Extremely important	49.4%
Very important	33.8%
Somewhat important	10.3%
Not very important	1.6%
Not at all important	3.8%
No response	1.0%

Q18. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Well-maintained and safe parks that are within walking distance of your home

	Total
Yes	38.4%
No	53.1%
Not sure	7.6%
No response	0.9%

B. Public parks with enough benches	<u>Total</u>
Yes	31.8%
No	45.3%
Not sure	20.4%
No response	2.5%

C. Sidewalks that are in good condition, free from obstruction and are safe for pedestrian use and accessible for wheelchairs or other assistive mobility devices	<u>Total</u>
Yes	45.2%
No	36.8%
Not sure	17.3%
No response	0.6%

D. Well-maintained public buildings and facilities that are accessible to people of different physical abilities	<u>Total</u>
Yes	39.5%
No	31.9%
Not sure	27.1%
No response	1.5%

E. Separate pathways for bicyclists and pedestrians	<u>Total</u>
Yes	31.1%
No	50.3%
Not sure	17.7%
No response	0.9%

F. Well-maintained public restrooms that are accessible to people of different physical abilities	<u>Total</u>
Yes	22.3%
No	45.2%
Not sure	31.8%
No response	0.8%

G. Neighborhood watch programs	<u>Total</u>
Yes	40.2%
No	33.2%
Not sure	25.8%
No response	0.7%

Q19. Do you get around for things like shopping, visiting the doctor, running errands, or going to other places in the following ways?

A. Drive yourself	<u>Total</u>
Yes	85.7%
No	12.6%
No response	1.7%

B. Have others drive you	<u>Total</u>
Yes	24.4%
No	65.1%
No response	10.5%

C. Walk	Total
Yes	27.5%
No	60.2%
No response	12.2%

D. Ride a bike	Total
Yes	11.5%
No	77.0%
No response	11.5%

E. Use public transportation	Total
Yes	14.9%
No	74.3%
No response	10.8%

F. Take a taxi/cab	Total
Yes	8.0%
No	80.9%
No response	11.0%

G. Use a special transportation service, such as one for seniors or persons with disabilities	Total
Yes	11.7%
No	73.8%
No response	14.5%

H. Other	Total
Yes	3.2%
No	5.8%
No response	91.1%

Q20. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Accessible and convenient public transportation	Total
Extremely important	35.7%
Very important	44.9%
Somewhat important	12.5%
Not very important	2.7%
Not at all important	3.3%
No response	0.7%

B. Affordable public transportation	Total
Extremely important	36.0%
Very important	44.2%
Somewhat important	11.5%
Not very important	2.3%
Not at all important	3.6%
No response	2.3%

C. Well-maintained public transportation vehicles	Total
Extremely important	38.7%
Very important	46.4%
Somewhat important	8.8%
Not very important	1.7%
Not at all important	3.3%
No response	1.1%

D. Reliable public transportation	Total
Extremely important	37.8%
Very important	45.8%
Somewhat important	9.8%
Not very important	1.5%
Not at all important	3.5%
No response	1.6%

E. Safe public transportation stops or areas	Total
Extremely important	39.2%
Very important	44.6%
Somewhat important	7.9%
Not very important	1.5%
Not at all important	3.5%
No response	3.3%

F. Special transportation services for people with disabilities and older adults	Total
Extremely important	44.4%
Very important	41.9%
Somewhat important	7.4%
Not very important	1.3%
Not at all important	2.7%
No response	2.2%

G. Well-maintained streets	Total
Extremely important	50.6%
Very important	40.3%
Somewhat important	3.4%
Not very important	<0.5%
Not at all important	2.4%
No response	2.9%

H. Easy to read traffic signs	Total
Extremely important	51.8%
Very important	39.8%
Somewhat important	3.4%
Not very important	-
Not at all important	2.7%
No response	2.4%

I. Enforced speed limits	Total
Extremely important	48.0%
Very important	41.2%
Somewhat important	4.8%
Not very important	0.5%
Not at all important	2.7%
No response	2.8%
J. Public parking lots, spaces and areas to park	Total
Extremely important	42.9%
Very important	41.3%
Somewhat important	9.0%
Not very important	2.1%
Not at all important	3.5%
No response	1.2%
K. Affordable public parking	Total
Extremely important	41.3%
Very important	40.6%
Somewhat important	7.1%
Not very important	4.7%
Not at all important	4.5%
No response	1.8%
L. Well-lit, safe streets and intersections for all users (pedestrians, bicyclists, drivers)	Total
Extremely important	54.4%
Very important	39.0%
Somewhat important	3.5%
Not very important	<0.5%
Not at all important	1.5%
No response	1.4%
M. Audio/visual pedestrian crossings	Total
Extremely important	41.7%
Very important	40.8%
Somewhat important	8.3%
Not very important	4.1%
Not at all important	3.0%
No response	2.0%
N. Driver education/refresher courses	Total
Extremely important	34.5%
Very important	34.3%
Somewhat important	21.9%
Not very important	6.1%
Not at all important	2.3%
No response	1.0%

Q21. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Accessible and convenient public transportation	<u>Total</u>
Yes	65.2%
No	17.5%
Not sure	15.8%
No response	1.5%

B. Affordable public transportation	<u>Total</u>
Yes	63.3%
No	10.9%
Not sure	24.6%
No response	1.2%

C. Well-maintained public transportation vehicles	<u>Total</u>
Yes	57.0%
No	9.4%
Not sure	32.2%
No response	1.5%

D. Reliable public transportation	<u>Total</u>
Yes	57.0%
No	10.5%
Not sure	29.9%
No response	2.5%

E. Safe public transportation stops or areas	<u>Total</u>
Yes	48.5%
No	20.1%
Not sure	29.0%
No response	2.4%

F. Special transportation services for people with disabilities and older adults	<u>Total</u>
Yes	58.0%
No	10.2%
Not sure	30.0%
No response	1.7%

G. Well-maintained streets	<u>Total</u>
Yes	52.0%
No	34.3%
Not sure	12.0%
No response	1.7%

H. Easy to read traffic signs	<u>Total</u>
Yes	69.6%
No	15.5%
Not sure	13.1%
No response	1.8%

I. Enforced speed limits	Total
Yes	51.4%
No	27.5%
Not sure	18.9%
No response	2.2%
J. Public parking lots, spaces and areas to park	Total
Yes	44.2%
No	31.0%
Not sure	21.5%
No response	3.2%
K. Affordable public parking	Total
Yes	35.9%
No	29.2%
Not sure	31.4%
No response	3.5%
L. Well-lit, safe streets and intersections for all users (pedestrians, bicyclists, drivers)	Total
Yes	46.4%
No	31.9%
Not sure	19.5%
No response	2.2%
M. Audio/visual pedestrian crossings	Total
Yes	34.8%
No	35.9%
Not sure	27.0%
No response	2.3%
N. Driver education/refresher courses	Total
Yes	28.5%
No	25.3%
Not sure	44.4%
No response	1.8%
Q22. In general, when compared to most people your age, how would you rate your health?	Total
Excellent	19.8%
Very good	35.0%
Good	26.4%
Fair	17.0%
Poor	0.7%
No response	1.1%

Q23. How often do you engage in some form of physical exercise (such as walking, running, biking, swimming, sports, strength training, yoga, stretching)?

	Total
Everyday	25.5%
Several times a week, but not everyday	37.4%
About once a week	15.8%
About once every other week	2.0%
About once a month	3.9%
Less than once a month	7.5%
Never	6.9%
No response	1.0%

Q24. How important is it to you to remain physically active for as long as possible?

	Total
Extremely important	59.7%
Very important	32.1%
Somewhat important	7.1%
Not very important	<0.5%
Not at all important	-
No response	0.9%

Q25. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Health and wellness programs and classes in areas such as nutrition, smoking cessation, and weight control

	Total
Extremely important	37.6%
Very important	36.6%
Somewhat important	21.1%
Not very important	2.0%
Not at all important	1.4%
No response	1.3%

B. Fitness activities specifically geared towards older adults

	Total
Extremely important	38.7%
Very important	41.6%
Somewhat important	13.7%
Not very important	3.2%
Not at all important	1.5%
No response	1.4%

C. Conveniently located health and social services

	Total
Extremely important	40.1%
Very important	42.4%
Somewhat important	12.1%
Not very important	2.6%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	1.7%

D. A service that helps seniors find and access health and supportive services	Total
Extremely important	44.0%
Very important	40.9%
Somewhat important	10.5%
Not very important	2.5%
Not at all important	1.2%
No response	0.9%

E. Conveniently located emergency care centers	Total
Extremely important	51.8%
Very important	39.7%
Somewhat important	5.9%
Not very important	0.6%
Not at all important	0.8%
No response	1.2%

F. Easy to find information on local health and supportive services	Total
Extremely important	45.0%
Very important	42.3%
Somewhat important	8.3%
Not very important	2.1%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	1.2%

G. Home care services including health, personal care and housekeeping	Total
Extremely important	41.4%
Very important	40.9%
Somewhat important	12.1%
Not very important	2.3%
Not at all important	1.9%
No response	1.4%

H. Well-trained certified home health care providers	Total
Extremely important	45.9%
Very important	38.1%
Somewhat important	11.3%
Not very important	0.8%
Not at all important	2.0%
No response	2.0%

I. Affordable home health care providers	Total
Extremely important	47.0%
Very important	38.1%
Somewhat important	10.8%
Not very important	0.5%
Not at all important	1.5%
No response	2.0%

J. Well-maintained hospitals and health care facilities	Total
Extremely important	60.4%
Very important	30.1%
Somewhat important	6.4%
Not very important	<0.5%
Not at all important	0.8%
No response	1.8%

K. A variety of health care professionals including specialists	Total
Extremely important	54.5%
Very important	35.0%
Somewhat important	7.3%
Not very important	0.9%
Not at all important	1.2%
No response	1.0%

L. Health care professionals who speak different languages	Total
Extremely important	37.7%
Very important	29.8%
Somewhat important	18.7%
Not very important	9.4%
Not at all important	3.3%
No response	1.2%

M. Easily understandable and helpful local hospital or clinic answering services	Total
Extremely important	47.1%
Very important	36.3%
Somewhat important	12.6%
Not very important	1.3%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	1.7%

N. Respectful and helpful hospital and clinic staff	Total
Extremely important	57.9%
Very important	32.1%
Somewhat important	7.2%
Not very important	0.6%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	1.1%

Q26. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Health and wellness programs and classes in areas such as nutrition, smoking cessation, and weight control	Total
Yes	39.1%
No	18.8%
Not sure	40.2%
No response	1.9%

B. Fitness activities specifically geared towards older adults	<u>Total</u>
Yes	40.4%
No	20.1%
Not sure	37.9%
No response	1.6%
C. Conveniently located health and social services	<u>Total</u>
Yes	44.5%
No	16.3%
Not sure	36.6%
No response	2.6%
D. A service that helps seniors find and access health and supportive services	<u>Total</u>
Yes	31.9%
No	16.1%
Not sure	50.1%
No response	1.9%
E. Conveniently located emergency care centers	<u>Total</u>
Yes	61.2%
No	14.4%
Not sure	20.4%
No response	4.1%
F. Easy to find information on local health and supportive services	<u>Total</u>
Yes	32.1%
No	18.2%
Not sure	47.4%
No response	2.3%
G. Home care services including health, personal care and housekeeping	<u>Total</u>
Yes	36.1%
No	18.2%
Not sure	43.4%
No response	2.2%
H. Well-trained certified home health care providers	<u>Total</u>
Yes	32.0%
No	17.2%
Not sure	48.5%
No response	2.2%
I. Affordable home health care providers	<u>Total</u>
Yes	26.3%
No	19.8%
Not sure	51.1%
No response	2.8%

J. Well-maintained hospitals and health care facilities	<u>Total</u>
Yes	65.3%
No	9.3%
Not sure	23.8%
No response	1.6%

K. A variety of health care professionals including specialists	<u>Total</u>
Yes	60.8%
No	8.9%
Not sure	27.5%
No response	2.9%

L. Health care professionals who speak different languages	<u>Total</u>
Yes	48.7%
No	10.1%
Not sure	38.7%
No response	2.4%

M. Easily understandable and helpful local hospital or clinic answering services	<u>Total</u>
Yes	46.3%
No	16.2%
Not sure	35.7%
No response	1.8%

N. Respectful and helpful hospital and clinic staff	<u>Total</u>
Yes	58.3%
No	11.0%
Not sure	28.7%
No response	2.0%

Q27. About how frequently do you interact with your friends, family or neighbors in your community? This interaction could be by phone, in person, email, or social media like Facebook.	<u>Total</u>
More than once a day	28.1%
About once a day	19.5%
Several times a week	26.8%
Once a week	5.7%
Once every 2 or 3 weeks	6.6%
Once a month	2.3%
Less than monthly	5.0%
Never	3.2%
No response	2.8%

Q28. Where do you typically go for continuing education or self-improvement classes/workshops in your community?

	Total
University/Community College	10.3%
Department of Parks and Recreation	6.2%
Faith community	11.0%
Local organizations or businesses	6.2%
Community center	6.1%
Senior center	7.9%
Offerings through my work	9.0%
Online programs	8.9%
Other, please specify	7.1%
I do NOT participate in any continuing education/self-improvement classes	57.9%
No response	1.7%

Q29. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Conveniently located venues for entertainment	Total
Extremely important	24.8%
Very important	38.9%
Somewhat important	29.3%
Not very important	3.4%
Not at all important	1.3%
No response	2.2%

B. Activities specifically geared towards older adults	Total
Extremely important	26.3%
Very important	45.5%
Somewhat important	22.8%
Not very important	2.0%
Not at all important	1.4%
No response	1.9%

C. Activities that offer senior discounts	Total
Extremely important	37.3%
Very important	45.8%
Somewhat important	10.9%
Not very important	2.1%
Not at all important	1.3%
No response	2.7%

D. Activities that are affordable to all residents	Total
Extremely important	34.4%
Very important	50.7%
Somewhat important	10.3%
Not very important	1.5%
Not at all important	1.5%
No response	1.6%

E. Activities that involve both younger and older people	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	33.8%
Very important	44.0%
Somewhat important	15.8%
Not very important	2.9%
Not at all important	1.7%
No response	1.8%

F. Accurate and widely publicized information about social activities	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	33.3%
Very important	43.9%
Somewhat important	17.6%
Not very important	2.0%
Not at all important	1.3%
No response	1.9%

G. A variety of cultural activities for diverse populations	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	31.0%
Very important	40.0%
Somewhat important	20.5%
Not very important	4.5%
Not at all important	2.2%
No response	1.9%

H. Local schools that involve older adults in events and activities	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	28.1%
Very important	40.7%
Somewhat important	20.0%
Not very important	5.8%
Not at all important	2.9%
No response	2.5%

I. Continuing education classes	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	27.9%
Very important	42.4%
Somewhat important	19.1%
Not very important	5.8%
Not at all important	2.3%
No response	2.4%

J. Social clubs such as book, gardening, craft or hobby	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	30.3%
Very important	37.6%
Somewhat important	21.5%
Not very important	6.9%
Not at all important	2.0%
No response	1.8%

Q30. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Conveniently located venues for entertainment	Total
Yes	44.1%
No	24.3%
Not sure	29.3%
No response	2.3%

B. Activities specifically geared towards older adults	Total
Yes	30.4%
No	27.2%
Not sure	40.9%
No response	1.6%

C. Activities that offer senior discounts	Total
Yes	37.5%
No	23.0%
Not sure	37.9%
No response	1.6%

D. Activities that are affordable to all residents	Total
Yes	29.2%
No	20.6%
Not sure	48.5%
No response	1.6%

E. Activities that involve both younger and older people	Total
Yes	29.4%
No	22.2%
Not sure	46.2%
No response	2.3%

F. Accurate and widely publicized information about social activities	Total
Yes	27.9%
No	28.7%
Not sure	41.6%
No response	1.8%

G. A variety of cultural activities for diverse populations	Total
Yes	27.5%
No	20.7%
Not sure	49.7%
No response	2.2%

H. Local schools that involve older adults in events and activities	Total
Yes	21.4%
No	23.5%
Not sure	52.9%
No response	2.2%

I. Continuing education classes	Total
Yes	47.9%
No	16.5%
Not sure	34.1%
No response	1.6%

J. Social clubs such as book, gardening, craft or hobby	Total
Yes	27.6%
No	21.8%
Not sure	48.5%
No response	2.1%

Q31. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. A range of volunteer activities to choose from	Total
Extremely important	24.1%
Very important	43.5%
Somewhat important	18.4%
Not very important	8.3%
Not at all important	2.7%
No response	3.0%

B. Volunteer training opportunities to help people perform better in their volunteer roles	Total
Extremely important	24.1%
Very important	44.5%
Somewhat important	21.3%
Not very important	5.7%
Not at all important	2.3%
No response	2.2%

C. Opportunities for older adults to participate in decision making bodies such as community councils or committees	Total
Extremely important	27.7%
Very important	43.4%
Somewhat important	19.2%
Not very important	5.0%
Not at all important	1.8%
No response	2.8%

D. Easy to find information on available local volunteer opportunities	Total
Extremely important	29.6%
Very important	39.2%
Somewhat important	21.1%
Not very important	5.5%
Not at all important	2.4%
No response	2.2%

E. Transportation to and from volunteer activities for those who need it	Total
Extremely important	32.4%
Very important	38.4%
Somewhat important	19.3%
Not very important	4.9%
Not at all important	2.2%
No response	2.8%

Q32. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. A range of volunteer activities to choose from	Total
Yes	27.4%
No	23.1%
Not sure	46.9%
No response	2.7%

B. Volunteer training opportunities to help people perform better in their volunteer roles	Total
Yes	19.1%
No	23.9%
Not sure	54.2%
No response	2.8%

C. Opportunities for older adults to participate in decision making bodies such as community councils or committees	Total
Yes	23.1%
No	25.6%
Not sure	48.7%
No response	2.6%

D. Easy to find information on available local volunteer opportunities	Total
Yes	20.1%
No	24.7%
Not sure	52.3%
No response	2.9%

E. Transportation to and from volunteer activities for those who need it	Total
Yes	17.0%
No	23.8%
Not sure	56.2%
No response	3.0%

Q33. Which of the following best describes your current employment status?	Total
Self-employed, part-time [GO TO Question 34]	2.0%
Self-employed, full-time [GO TO Question 34]	1.6%
Employed, part-time [GO TO Question 34]	5.0%
Employed, full-time [GO TO Question 34]	26.5%
Unemployed, but looking for work [GO TO Question 34]	4.6%
Retired, not working at all [GO TO Question 35]	45.0%
Not in labor force for other reasons [GO TO Question 35]	7.4%
No response	8.0%

Q34. How likely is it that you will continue to work as long as possible, rather than choosing to retire and no longer work for pay? (N=170)

	Total
Extremely likely	38.5%
Very likely	27.3%
Somewhat likely	6.8%
Not very likely	11.7%
Not at all likely	4.3%
Not sure	1.4%
No response	10.0%

Q35. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. A range of flexible job opportunities for older adults

	Total
Extremely important	27.6%
Very important	42.6%
Somewhat important	16.6%
Not very important	4.4%
Not at all important	5.1%
No response	3.8%

B. Job training opportunities for older adults who want to learn new job skills within their job or get training in a different field of work

	Total
Extremely important	25.3%
Very important	45.4%
Somewhat important	18.0%
Not very important	6.0%
Not at all important	3.0%
No response	2.3%

C. Jobs that are adapted to meet the needs of people with disabilities

	Total
Extremely important	32.2%
Very important	42.2%
Somewhat important	15.0%
Not very important	3.9%
Not at all important	4.2%
No response	2.5%

Q36. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. A range of flexible job opportunities for older adults

	Total
Yes	14.9%
No	22.3%
Not sure	60.6%
No response	2.2%

B. Job training opportunities for older adults who want to learn new job skills within their job or get training in a different field of work

	Total
Yes	12.8%
No	22.0%
Not sure	63.0%
No response	2.1%

C. Jobs that are adapted to meet the needs of people with disabilities	Total
Yes	18.8%
No	18.5%
Not sure	60.8%
No response	1.9%

Q37. Would you turn to the following resources if you, a family member or friend needed information about services for older adults such as caregiving services, home delivered meals, home repair, medical transport, or social activities?

A. Local Senior Citizens	Total
Yes	71.1%
No	20.4%
No response	8.5%

B. Local Area Agency on Aging (AAA)	Total
Yes	63.4%
No	25.6%
No response	11.0%

C. Family or friends	Total
Yes	86.7%
No	4.4%
No response	8.9%

D. Local nonprofit organizations	Total
Yes	67.6%
No	20.1%
No response	12.3%

E. AARP	Total
Yes	66.9%
No	23.8%
No response	9.3%

F. Faith-based organizations like churches or synagogues	Total
Yes	73.9%
No	17.8%
No response	8.3%

G. Internet	Total
Yes	67.8%
No	23.8%
No response	8.4%

H. Phone book	Total
Yes	52.7%
No	37.4%
No response	9.9%

I. Your doctor or other health care professional	<u>Total</u>
Yes	78.1%
No	15.1%
No response	6.7%

J. Local government offices like the Health Department	<u>Total</u>
Yes	60.4%
No	29.6%
No response	10.0%

K. Library	<u>Total</u>
Yes	57.2%
No	33.3%
No response	9.5%

Q38. How important do you think it is to have the following in your community?

A. Access to community information in one central source	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	32.0%
Very important	46.2%
Somewhat important	12.8%
Not very important	4.2%
Not at all important	0.7%
No response	4.0%

B. Clearly displayed printed community information with large lettering	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	30.5%
Very important	42.9%
Somewhat important	17.3%
Not very important	4.3%
Not at all important	1.1%
No response	3.9%

C. An automated community information source that is easy to understand like a toll-free telephone number	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	28.6%
Very important	45.1%
Somewhat important	15.6%
Not very important	5.2%
Not at all important	0.7%
No response	4.8%

D. Free access to computers and the Internet in public places such as the library, senior centers or government buildings	<u>Total</u>
Extremely important	35.2%
Very important	40.8%
Somewhat important	13.6%
Not very important	5.2%
Not at all important	1.2%
No response	3.9%

E. Community information that is delivered in person to people who may have difficulty or may not be able to leave their home	Total
Extremely important	37.9%
Very important	37.9%
Somewhat important	15.9%
Not very important	3.4%
Not at all important	1.0%
No response	3.8%

F. Community information that is available in a number of different languages	Total
Extremely important	29.5%
Very important	37.8%
Somewhat important	18.4%
Not very important	8.1%
Not at all important	2.1%
No response	4.1%

Q39. Does the community where you live have the following?

A. Access to community information in one central source	Total
Yes	20.0%
No	21.0%
Not sure	54.5%
No response	4.5%

B. Clearly displayed printed community information with large lettering	Total
Yes	13.6%
No	27.2%
Not sure	56.2%
No response	3.0%

C. An automated community information source that is easy to understand like a toll-free telephone number	Total
Yes	17.2%
No	21.4%
Not sure	58.4%
No response	3.0%

D. Free access to computers and the Internet in public places such as the library, senior centers or government buildings	Total
Yes	46.0%
No	16.0%
Not sure	34.7%
No response	3.4%

E. Community information that is delivered in person to people who may have difficulty or may not be able to leave their home	Total
Yes	10.9%
No	22.1%
Not sure	62.8%
No response	4.2%

F. Community information that is available in a number of different languages	Total
Yes	20.2%
No	16.5%
Not sure	60.0%
No response	3.2%

QD1. Are you male or female?	Total
Male	43.9%
Female	53.1%
No response	3.1%

QD2. What is your age as of your last birthday?	Total
50-59	40.2%
60-74	43.1%
75+	16.7%
No response	-

QD3. What is your current marital status?	Total
Married	42.2%
Not married, living with partner	1.0%
Separated	5.5%
Divorced	23.6%
Widowed	16.2%
Never married	7.0%
No response	4.5%

QD4. Are you or your spouse or partner currently a member of AARP?	Total
Yes	24.1%
No	71.1%
No response	4.7%

QD5. Besides you, do you have any of the following people living in your household?	
A. Child/children under 18	Total
Yes	11.7%
No	63.7%
No response	24.7%

B. Child/children 18 or older	Total
Yes	18.7%
No	61.6%
No response	19.7%

C. Child/children away at college	Total
Yes	1.9%
No	68.0%
No response	30.1%

D. Parents	<u>Total</u>
Yes	7.0%
No	64.6%
No response	28.4%

E. Other adult relative or friend 18 or older	<u>Total</u>
Yes	16.0%
No	57.2%
No response	26.8%

QD6. Do you have any of the following kinds of health care coverage?

A. Insurance through a current or former employer of yours or your spouses	<u>Total</u>
Yes	47.1%
No	43.4%
Not sure	1.8%
No response	7.6%

B. Insurance purchased directly from an insurance company (not through an employer)	<u>Total</u>
Yes	22.9%
No	62.0%
Not sure	2.0%
No response	13.2%

C. Medicare, for people 65 and older or people with certain disabilities	<u>Total</u>
Yes	49.3%
No	40.7%
Not sure	2.1%
No response	7.8%

D. Medicaid or any kind of government assistance plan for those with low incomes or a disability	<u>Total</u>
Yes	13.3%
No	70.5%
Not sure	3.6%
No response	12.6%

E. Veterans Administration or other military health care	<u>Total</u>
Yes	19.7%
No	64.8%
Not sure	2.9%
No response	12.6%

F. Any other insurance coverage	<u>Total</u>
Yes	14.8%
No	67.4%
Not sure	3.2%
No response	14.7%

QD7. Does any disability, handicap, or chronic disease keep you and your spouse or partner from participating fully in work, school, housework, or other activities?	Total
Yes, myself	28.6%
Yes, my spouse or partner	5.3%
Yes, both me and my spouse or partner	2.0%
No	60.7%
No response	3.5%

QD8. Are you of Hispanic, Spanish, Latino origin or descent?	Total
Yes [GO TO Question D9]	42.0%
No [GO TO QUESTION D10]	44.4%
No response	13.6%

QD9. If you are Hispanic or Latino, please indicate which one best represents the language(s) you speak at home. (N=150)	Total
Spanish only	5.3%
Spanish most of the time	1.7%
Spanish and English equally but prefer Spanish	3.4%
Spanish and English equally and do not have a preference	19.4%
Spanish and English equally but prefer English	26.1%
English most of the time	15.8%
English only	27.4%
No response	0.8%

QD10. What is your race?	Total
White or Caucasian	69.7%
Black or African American	6.9%
American Indian or Alaska Native	2.2%
Asian	1.6%
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	1.5%
Other, please specify	8.9%
No response	11.6%

QD11. What is the highest level of education you have completed?	Total
K-12th grade (no diploma)	9.8%
High school graduate, GED or equivalent	18.8%
Post-high school education/training (no degree)	13.4%
2-year college degree	16.9%
4-year college degree	11.2%
Post-graduate study (no degree)	6.1%
Graduate or professional degree(s)	19.2%
No response	4.6%

QD12. Thinking about state elections for your state Governor and Legislators in the last five years, how often would you say you vote?

	<u>Total</u>
Always	48.7%
Most of the time	27.0%
About half of the time	3.3%
Seldom	7.2%
Never	10.5%
No response	3.2%

QD13. Do you consider yourself to be a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or something else?

	<u>Total</u>
Democrat	45.8%
Republican	24.8%
Independent	14.4%
Something else	7.5%
No Response	7.6%

QD14. In general, how often do you go online to access the Internet for things like sending or receiving email, getting news and information, paying bills or managing finances or buying products or services? This includes access from home, work, a mobile device (such as a smart phone), or someplace else.

	<u>Total</u>
Several times a day	34.4%
About once a day	11.4%
3-6 days a week	8.0%
1-2 days a week	6.8%
Once every few weeks	3.5%
Once a month or less	4.3%
Never go online	27.4%
No response	4.2%

QD15. What was your annual household income before taxes in 2014?

	<u>Total</u>
Less than \$10,000	15.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	11.8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	11.9%
\$30,000 to \$49,999	18.0%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	14.4%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	6.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	5.2%
\$150,000 or more	6.1%
No response	10.8%

QD16. Please use the space below for any additional comments.

Total