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| Population Ages 65 and over | 3,786 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>14.8%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,327 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 1,042 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 709 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 463 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 245 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.6% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.4% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 69.4% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 30.6% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 7,038 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>19.3%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 2,224 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 1,877 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 1,414 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 865 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 658 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.8% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.2% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 61.9% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 38.1% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 5,032 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>18.8%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,646 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 1,428 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 949 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 606 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 403 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.2% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.8% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 59.1% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 40.9% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 2,518 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>22.0%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |

| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
|---|-----|---------|
| Ages 65-69 | 796 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 664 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 495 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 315 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 248 | 75,875 |

| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
|--|-------|-------|
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 51.8% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 48.2% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 59.7% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 40.3% | 35.9% |

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| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>22.7%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 2,446 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 2,067 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 1,660 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 975 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 854 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 55.9% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 44.1% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 63.8% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 36.2% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 1,715 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>19.2%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 553 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 421 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 346 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 207 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 188 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.2% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.8% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 63.8% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 36.2% | 35.9% |

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| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>15.5%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 5,975 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 4,537 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 3,193 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 2,027 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 1,671 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 55.9% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 44.1% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 64.3% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 35.7% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,683 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 1,455 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 956 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 506 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 429 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 55.9% | 55.0% |
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| ... Male | 44.9% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 66.8% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 33.2% | 35.9% |

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| | <u>County</u> | <u>State</u> |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 3,542 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>18.0%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,245 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 937 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 650 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 405 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 305 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.9% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.1% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 67.5% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 32.5% | 35.9% |

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| | County | State |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 8,805 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>20.0%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |

| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
|---|-------|---------|
| Ages 65-69 | 2,943 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 2,327 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 1,647 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 1,076 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 812 | 75,875 |

| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
|--|-------|-------|
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 56.3% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 43.7% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 67.4% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 32.6% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 3,049 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>19.1%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,051 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 867 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 546 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 331 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 254 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 55.3% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 44.7% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 69.7% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 30.3% | 35.9% |

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|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 1,161 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>26.1%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |

Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group

| | | |
|------------------|-----|---------|
| Ages 65-69 | 318 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 277 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 254 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 150 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 162 | 75,875 |

Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex

Percent of Population Ages 65 and over...

| | | |
|------------|-------|-------|
| ... Female | 56.6% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 43.4% | 45.0% |

Percent of Population Ages 85 and over...

| | | |
|------------|-------|-------|
| ... Female | 68.5% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 31.5% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 8,835 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>19.7%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 2,884 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 2,385 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 1,683 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 1,007 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 876 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 55.1% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 44.9% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 64.7% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 35.3% | 35.9% |

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|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 2,441 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>18.6%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 867 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 642 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 480 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 277 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 175 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 54.4% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 45.6% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 67.4% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 32.6% | 35.9% |

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|--|----------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 137,441 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>17.8%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 45,684 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 37,065 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 25,745 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 15,233 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 13,714 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 56.4% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 43.6% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 66.3% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 33.7% | 35.9% |

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| Population Ages 65 and over | 9,384 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>17.1%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 3,153 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 2,408 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 1,808 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 1,023 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 992 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 54.1% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 45.9% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 54.5% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 45.5% | 35.9% |

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| | County | State |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 4,343 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>19.6%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 1,414 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 1,204 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 869 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 507 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 349 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 53.3% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 46.7% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 62.8% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 37.2% | 35.9% |

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|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 27,969 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>16.3%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 9,806 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 7,690 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 5,107 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 2,874 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 2,492 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 54.4% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 45.6% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 65.2% | 64.1% |
| ... Male | 34.8% | 35.9% |

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| | <u>County</u> | <u>State</u> |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population Ages 65 and over | 2,903 | 806,757 |
| <i>Percent of the Total Population that are Ages 65 and over</i> | <i>21.3%</i> | <i>17.8%</i> |
| Population Ages 65 and over by Age Group | | |
| Ages 65-69 | 995 | 267,508 |
| Ages 70-74 | 821 | 216,819 |
| Ages 75-79 | 541 | 154,491 |
| Ages 80-84 | 330 | 92,064 |
| Ages 85 and over | 216 | 75,875 |
| Distribution of Ages 65 and over by Sex | | |
| Percent of Population Ages 65 and over... | | |
| ... Female | 51.2% | 55.0% |
| ... Male | 48.8% | 45.0% |
| Percent of Population Ages 85 and over... | | |
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