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ABSTRACT: Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) across the country are required to determine the extent of need for supportive and nutrition services among the older population and to evaluate the effectiveness of resources in meeting such need. The County of San Diego AAA, now called Aging & Independence Services, requested SANDAG's assistance in conducting a survey of people age 60 and over. The results of the survey, conducted in winter 2012, are presented in this report.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The 2012 Survey of Older Americans was conducted to ascertain the concerns of the San Diego region's older population, as well as the population's familiarity with and use of various service programs. The questionnaire was randomly distributed to 4,000 households with a resident age 60 and over across the San Diego region from January to March 2012. Forty-four percent (1,757 surveys) were returned.

The survey gathered information about demographic characteristics, respondents' mental and physical health, their participation in community activities, assistance needed, and their health, housing, and legal concerns. The survey also gave respondents an opportunity to express their two biggest problems. Some notable findings are described below.

- Almost half of the survey respondents (46%) either strongly or somewhat agreed that isolation and/or loneliness affects their quality of life. Similarly, more than one out of four (27%) said they suffered from emotional problems at least "some of the time" the month before the survey.
- Not being able to afford dental care was the most commonly reported health problem (38%). Additionally, respondents also were concerned about being able to afford medical and vision care, with 30 percent each.
- The most common housing problems included major home repairs (24%), yard work (22%), and minor home repairs (19%).
- The survey revealed that needing a will or trust (22%) was respondents' number one legal concern. Twenty-one percent also indicated that being a victim of identity theft was a concern, followed by 19 percent who were worried about having financial debt.
- When asked about their two biggest problems, respondents indicated that medical ailments/issues (26%) and financial/income concerns (16%) were most problematic.
- While the majority of respondents reported no difficulty in completing daily tasks, like eating and bathing, almost a third (31%) had at least minor difficulty walking.
- Respondents indicated they needed assistance with minor home repair (30%), yard work (30%), and routine housework (19%).
- The majority of respondents participated in physical exercise (73%), recreation and/or hobbies (61%), and entertainment activities (60%) at least once a month.
- Twenty-seven percent of respondents indicated that they live alone.

The 2012 Survey of Older Americans reports that

38% of Seniors
did not suffer from emotional
problems in the past month

46% of Seniors
strongly/somewhat agree that
isolation/loneliness affects their
quality of life

38% of Seniors
are concerned about being able to
afford dental care

30% of Seniors
are concerned about being able to
afford medical care

30% of Seniors
are concerned about being able to
afford vision care

26% of Seniors
are concerned about being able to
afford prescription drugs

26% of Seniors
are concerned about being able to
afford hearing care

22% of Seniors
have minor difficulty walking

9% of Seniors
have serious difficulty or are
unable to walk

27% of Seniors
live alone

24% of Seniors
are concerned about major home
repairs

30% of Seniors
need assistance with yard work

22% of Seniors
are concerned about needing a will or
trust

21% of Seniors
are concerned about being a victim of
identity theft

30% of Seniors
need assistance doing minor home
repairs

73% of Seniors
participate in athletic activities at
least once a month

61% of Seniors
participate in recreation activities or
hobbies at least once a month

60% of Seniors
participate in entertainment activities
at least once a month

INTRODUCTION

The County of San Diego Aging & Independence Services (AIS) was established in 1974 as a designated Area Agency on Aging (AAA) by the Older Americans Act. The primary function of AIS is to plan and develop a comprehensive and coordinated service delivery system for older persons and to administer funds for social services for the elderly in this region.

In September 1997, the San Diego County Board of Supervisors created the Health and Human Services Agency, with the Area Agency on Aging as one of its components. In February 1999, the agency's new name, Aging & Independence Services, was formally introduced and now fully reflects the mission and purpose of the agency and the population it serves.

The Older Americans Act requires all AAAs to determine the extent of need for supportive and nutrition services in preparing plans and evaluating the effectiveness of resources in meeting such need. The California Department of Aging has developed guidelines to collect, analyze, and interpret information on the service needs of the elderly. "Need" is defined as a gap or difference between the current situation and the desired or required one.

Also mandated by the Older Americans Act is the development of an Area Plan, a four-year work plan that identifies the above-mentioned gaps and the methods proposed to address them. The survey that is the topic of this report is one tool to help determine what programs need to be put in place to meet the needs of this region's older population.

The questionnaire was distributed between January and March 2012 to 4,000 households with at least one resident age 60 and over throughout the San Diego region (see the Methodology section of this report for a discussion of the survey design and implementation). Approximately 44 percent (1,757 surveys) were returned, resulting in a similar response rate to the prior survey and a slightly higher response rate than earlier editions.

The survey was designed to learn the older population's areas of greatest concern, as well as their familiarity with and use of various services and programs. As with many surveys, the questionnaire itself was an educational tool, since even the people who do not return a completed form may still read it and learn about unfamiliar services and programs. Also, a toll-free phone number was provided so that recipients could call to obtain service and program information.

This report provides the responses to each question and a discussion of the most significant findings. A copy of the questionnaires (English and Spanish versions) can be found in Appendix A. Appendix B provides respondents' verbatim comments regarding their biggest problems and any other concerns that were not addressed on the survey. Responses tabulated by Supervisorial District can be found in Appendix C.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

To examine the needs of the San Diego region's older population, the Survey of Older Americans gathered information about demographic characteristics, respondents' mental and physical health, their participation in community activities, reported needed types of assistance, and their health, housing, and legal concerns. Respondents also were provided an opportunity to indicate the two biggest problems that affected them. Results are detailed below.

SANDAG conducted similar Older American's Surveys for the County of San Diego Aging & Independence Services in 1984, 1988, 1997, 2001, 2003, and 2008. Although the current results assess similar concepts, the questions were rewritten in the 2012 survey; hence, the majority of these results are not directly comparable to those of prior surveys.

The demographic characteristics of the respondent population are described and, in some cases, compared to the demographics of the older populations in San Diego County. Most of the respondents were White. The largest proportion of respondents was between the ages of 65 – 74 years old. On average, respondents have lived in their community for 27 years, with the majority (57%) living in their community over 20 years. Just over half of respondents were female (55%). The health characteristics of the population surveyed are shown in Tables 9 through 14. Most respondents participate in preventative care, eat one to two servings of fruit and vegetables a day, and do not drink alcohol in a typical week. Also, most respondents either did not suffer from emotional problems or only experienced them a little of the time within the last month.

The survey asked about participation in community activities. The majority of older Americans in San Diego County participate in physical activity (73%), recreational activities and/or a hobby (61%), and entertainment activities (60%) at least once a month. Respondents also reported participation in religious/faith activities (44%), spending time with youth (19%), participation in education and/or classes (14%) and participation in community organizations (14%).

Survey results also indicate that the majority of respondents have "no difficulty" in the referenced daily tasks that can be difficult for older people. The activity most often rated as "unable to do" was prepare meals (3%), while the activity most often rated as "serious difficulty" was walking (8%). "Walking" also was rated as a "minor difficulty" for 22 percent of respondents.

The results for the health, housing, and legal concerns are presented. Out of the three, seniors are most concerned about health-related issues. The top three problems were being able to afford dental care (38%), being able to afford medical care (30%), and being able to afford vision care (30%). In contrast, the issues that appeared to be of least concern were getting the landlord to make needed repairs, paying condo maintenance fees, finding housing that allows pets, and being a victim of physical abuse. Each of those was stated as "not a problem" or "not applicable" by at least 97 percent of respondents. Furthermore, the "biggest problem" issues affecting respondents were medical ailments and/or issues (26%) and financial/income concerns (16%).

The survey also revealed how older Americans obtain information. Although many respondents “have never called/searched for information or services,” more than a third (35%) turned to the AARP for information. Twenty-three percent get information from the Social Security Administration and 21 percent used the internet as a source for information on services.

Data also are presented by age, gender, marital status, and education to show if differences existed across demographic categories. There were variations in issues and/or difficulties across these demographic characteristics. As respondents’ age, gender, marital status, or education changed, so did the issues and activities that presented them with the greatest problem or difficulty.

DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF RESPONDENTS

The Survey of Older Americans asked respondents how long they lived in their community, as well as their gender, marital status, age, education, ethnicity, and employment status. Data on respondents’ type of residence and income sources also is presented.

More than one-half (55%) of the survey respondents were female, while 45 percent were male. This is the same as the regionwide female to male population of age 60 and over¹ (not shown).

As shown in Table 1, a majority (57%) of survey respondents had lived in their community for more than 20 years. The average number of years living in their community was 27 (range 0 to 86 years). One-tenth of respondents reported living in their community five years or less.

Table 1
Length of Time in Community
(Question 3)

Years	% of Respondents
5 years or less	10%
6 to 10 years	11%
11 to 20 years	22%
More than 20 years	57%
Total = 1,731	

¹ SANDAG 2010 Population and Housing Estimates.

A majority (59%) of respondents reported being married, while almost one out of five (18%) respondents was widowed. Sixteen percent reported being separated or divorced, and seven percent reported never being married (Table 2).

Differences existed within marital status when broken down by gender. While 73 percent of males reported currently being married, only 49 percent of females reported the same. Additionally, a greater percentage of females were divorced/separated (20%) and widowed (24%) than their male counterparts (13% and 9%, respectively).

Table 2
Marital Status
(Question 29)

	% of Respondents	Male	Female
Married	59%	73%	49%
Widowed	18%	9%	24%
Separated/Divorced	16%	13%	20%
Never married	7%	6%	7%
Total	1,749	746	921

Note: Percents may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Respondents' ages were recorded into four categories: 60 to 64 years, 65 to 74 years, 75 to 84 years, and 85 years and older. The greatest percentage (42%) of respondents was 65 to 74 years of age (Table 3). This is higher than in San Diego region's over 60 population, in which 36 percent fall between the ages of 65 and 74.

Table 3
Age
(Question 27)

	% of Responses	Distribution of San Diego Region's, 60 Years and Over
60 to 64	17%	30%
65 to 74	42%	36%
75 to 84	27%	23%
85 and older	14%	11%
Total	1,732	500,736

Source: Survey results and SANDAG 2010 Population and Housing Estimates.

Overall, survey respondents were more highly educated than the region’s senior population. (Census Bureau data were only available for the population 65 years and older. Thus, comparisons are not exact since data from the survey are for those 60 years and older). Just under half (45%) of respondents reported having graduated from college, followed by 34 percent of respondents who completed some college. The remaining 21 percent had a high school diploma or less (Table 4). The younger the respondent, the more likely s/he was to have graduated from college (53% for those age 64 and under, compared to 36% for those age 85 and older) (not shown).

Table 4
Education
(Question 31)

Highest Grade Completed	% of Responses (60+)	Distribution of San Diego Region’s 65+ Population
High school graduate or less	21%	42%
Some college	34%	28%
College graduate	45%	30%
	1,739	353,089

Source: Survey results and U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 American Community Survey.

From an ethnicity perspective, the majority of survey respondents were White (80%), while the remaining respondents were Black (3%), Hispanic (8%), Asian (6%), and other² (2%). Whites comprise 62 percent of the San Diego Region’s population over 60; thus, this group is slightly overrepresented by survey respondents (Table 5).

Table 5
Ethnicity
(Question 30)

	% of Responses	Distribution of San Diego Region’s 60 Population
White	80%	62%
Black	3%	4%
Hispanic	8%	15%
Asian	6%	10%
Other	2%	5%
Total	1,732	524,886

Note: Percents may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Source: Survey Results and SANDAG 2010 Population and Housing Estimates.

The majority (76%) of respondents were not employed (Table 6). Twelve percent of those not employed expressed that they would like to find a job. Of those who were currently employed, 12 percent said they would like to quit but needed the income. Additionally, another six percent wanted to work fewer hours. Eight percent of those employed desired to work more hours (not shown).

Table 6
Employment Status
(Question 22)

	% of Responses
Not employed	76%
Currently employed	24%
Total = 1,645	

² The ethnic groups in this report are referred to as Hispanics, Whites, Blacks, Asians and Others. While many people may prefer to identify themselves as African-American rather than Black, Latino rather than Hispanic, or as a member of a particular ethnic group rather than White or Asian, SANDAG uses the terminology consistent with the 2010 Census questionnaire to ensure comparability with historical data.

The survey revealed that the majority (76%) of respondents lived in a home that they owned. Thirteen percent lived in a home that they rented, six percent lived with a relative or friend, and five percent resided in “other” places (Table 7). Also, the majority of respondents (73%) reported that they did not live alone (not shown).

Table 7
Type of Residence
(Question 13)

	% of Responses
In an owned home	76%
In a rented home	13%
With a relative/friend	6%
Other	5%
Total = 1,733	

The survey asked about sources of income. The majority of respondents received Social Security as part of their income. Forty-nine percent reported having a pension, and 46 percent used investments and/or their savings as a source of income. An additional 21 percent stated that employment also was a source of income (Table 8).

Most survey respondents felt their income sufficiently met their current needs. More than half (59%) stated that their income sources supported their current needs “well” or “extremely well.” Thirty-three percent reported that their income supported their needs “somewhat well” and nine percent stated that their income did not support their current needs (“not well at all”) (not shown).

Table 8
Income Sources
(Question 24)³

	% of Responses
Social security	79%
Pension	49%
Investments/savings	46%
Employment	21%
Other	7%
SSI/SSP	5%
Family/friends assistance	4%
Total = 1,723	

³ Totals add to more than 100% because respondents could choose more than one answer.

CURRENT HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS OF RESPONDENTS

The Survey of Older Americans also asked participants about their current health status. Questions were asked regarding preventative care, nutrition and exercise, smoking, alcohol consumption, and emotional and mental wellbeing.

The majority of respondents participated in preventative care. More specifically, 94 percent had a physical exam within the last three years and 85 percent had a dental exam within the last three years. Most respondents had received their flu shot (77%) within the last year and their pneumonia shot (69%) within the last ten years (Table 9). Additionally, the majority (78%) of respondents reported that they had not fallen in the past 12 months (not shown).

Table 9
Preventative Care
(Question 15)

Had a . . .	Yes	No	Cannot Remember
...physical exam within the last 3 years.	94%	5%	1%
...dental exam within the last 3 years.	85%	14%	1%
...flu shot within the last year.	77%	22%	1%
...pneumonia shot within the last 10 years.	69%	25%	5%
Total = 1,736 – 1,748			

Nutrition and exercise were gauged by the amount of fruits and vegetables eaten per day and physical activity participated in per week. Half (50%) of respondents reported eating one to two servings of fruits and vegetables on a typical day, closely followed by 48 percent who eat three or more servings (Table 10).

Table 10
Typical Fruit and Vegetable Serving Intake
(Question 17)

	% of Responses
0	2%
1 - 2	50%
3 - 4	38%
5 or more	10%
Total = 1,717	

The survey asked about physical activity. The majority (80%) of respondents participated in 30 minutes of moderate physical activity at least once per week. More specifically, 23 percent reported participation one to two days a week, 29 percent reported moderate physical activity participation three to four times a week, and 28 percent engaged in physical activity five or more days a week. One-fifth (20%) of respondents did not engage in at least 30 minutes of moderate physical activity on any day during a typical week (Table 11).

Table 11
Days with at Least 30 Minutes of Moderate Physical Activity
(Question 18)

	% of Responses
0 days	20%
1 - 2 days	23%
3 - 4 days	29%
5 or more days	28%
Total = 1,703	

According to the survey results, most respondents do not consume alcoholic beverages or currently smoke. The majority (56%) of respondents do not consume any alcoholic beverages in a typical week. Just over one-fifth (21%) consume zero to three drinks in a typical week, followed by 14 percent who have 4 to 6 drinks in a week and 9 percent who have 7 or more drinks in a week (Table 12). Additionally, the majority (93%) of respondents do not currently smoke (not shown).

Table 12
Number of Alcoholic Drinks Consumed
In a Typical Week
(Question 21)

	% of Responses
None	56%
1 - 3	21%
4 - 6	14%
7 or more	9%
Total = 1,719	

The survey also asked respondents about their emotional and mental wellbeing by assessing how often they were bothered by emotional problems in the last month. More than one out of three (38%) reported not being bothered by emotional problems during the month preceding the survey, while 33 percent reported being bothered with emotional problems “a little of the time.” An additional 25 percent were bothered with emotional problems “some of the time” or “most of the time.” Two percent of respondents reported being bothered with emotional problems “all of the time” (Table 13).

Table 13
Frequency of Emotional Problems
In the Last Month
(Question 25)

	% of Responses
None of the time	38%
A little of the time	33%
Some of the time	20%
Most of the time	5%
All of the time	2%
Do not know	2%
Total = 1,736	

The feeling of isolation and/or loneliness has an impact on one’s mental wellbeing. Results from the survey showed that the largest percentage (46%) of respondents agreed that loneliness and isolation affected their quality of life. That included 27 percent who “strongly agreed” and 19 percent who “somewhat agreed.” Thirty-two percent of respondents did not feel that isolation and loneliness affected their lives; 23 percent “strongly disagreed” and nine percent “somewhat disagreed” (Table 14).

Table 14
Isolation/Loneliness Affects Your Quality of Life
(Question 26)

	% of Responses
Yes, Strongly agree	27%
Yes, Somewhat agree	19%
Neutral	22%
No, Somewhat disagree	9%
No, Strongly disagree	23%
Total = 1,709	

ACTIVITIES AND ABILITIES OF THE OLDER POPULATION

This survey asked respondents to provide information about their activities and abilities. The questions enquired what activities they currently participate in and whether they had difficulties completing normal daily tasks (such as walking, preparing meals, and bathing).

Table 15 shows the activities respondents reported participating in at least once a month. Physical exercise was the category with the greatest percentage with 73 percent. This was followed by recreation and hobbies (61%) and entertainment (60%). Additionally, survey participants said they participate in religious/faith activities (44%), volunteering (28%), spending time with youth (19%), education/classes (14%), community organizations (14%), and job training (2%).

Table 15
Activities Participated In at Least
Once a Month⁴
(Question 8)

	% of Responses
Physical exercise	73%
Recreation/hobbies	61%
Entertainment	60%
Religious/faith	44%
Volunteering	28%
Spending time with youth	19%
Education/classes	14%
Community organizations	14%
Job training	2%
Total	1,596

Daily Task Completion

The survey also asked respondents about their computer usage. More specifically, it asked whether respondents had difficulty using computers to send emails and search the internet. The majority of respondents had “no difficulty” using the computer to send emails (62%) or search the internet (57%); however, almost one-fifth (19%) were unable to either use a computer to send emails or to search the internet. Fourteen percent had minor difficulty sending emails and 19 percent had minor difficulty searching the internet (Table 16).

⁴ Totals add to more than 100% because respondents could choose more than one answer.

Table 16
Reported Level of Difficulty in Using Computers
(Question 7)

to ...	No Difficulty	Minor Difficulty	Serious Difficulty	Unable to Do
...send emails	62%	14%	5%	19%
...search the Internet	57%	19%	5%	19%
Total		1,633-1,669		

The majority of respondents had “no difficulty” in completing normal daily activities (such as eating, bathing, dressing/undressing, walking, getting in/out of bed, getting to the bathroom, preparing meals, and using the telephone). Twenty-two percent of respondents reported “minor difficulty” and eight percent reported “serious difficulty” in walking. Eleven percent reported “minor difficulty” in getting in/out of bed, while ten percent each reported “minor difficulty” dressing and/or undressing and preparing meals. In all categories except preparing meals (3%), approximately one percent or less of respondents was unable to do the activity (Table 17).

Table 17
Reported Level of Difficulty
Completing Daily Tasks
(Question 9)

	No Difficulty	Minor Difficulty	Serious Difficulty	Unable to Do
Eating	95%	5%	1%	<1%
Bathing	88%	8%	3%	1%
Dressing/undressing	88%	10%	2%	1%
Walking	69%	22%	8%	1%
Getting in/out of bed	86%	11%	2%	1%
Getting to the bathroom	90%	8%	2%	1%
Preparing meals	84%	10%	3%	3%
Using the telephone	93%	5%	1%	1%
Total		1,703-1,726		

Of those who had difficulty with the tasks outlined in Table 17, 22 percent were assisted by a spouse, 12 percent were assisted by another family member, and three percent were assisted by an agency or volunteer. Sixty-seven percent of respondents reported that no one provides assistance to them for daily activities that are difficult (Table 18).

Table 18
Mode of Assistance for Individuals
with Daily Activity Difficulty
 (Question 10)

	% of Responses
Spouse	22%
Other family member	12%
Agency/volunteer	3%
No assistance provided	67%
Total = 1,137	

Assistance Areas

The survey asked older adults whether they needed assistance with a variety of daily activities. Questions were categorized by in-home service needs and transportation assistance needs.

Respondents said they needed help with minor home repairs and yard work more than any other in-home activity, 30 percent each, respectively. Almost one in five (19%) said they needed assistance with routine housework, while eleven percent needed help with grocery shopping (Table 19).

Table 19
Needed In-home Assistance
 (Question 11)

Need assistance with...	% of Responses
Cooking	9%
Routine housework	19%
Bill paying/budgeting	8%
Grocery shopping	11%
Yard work	30%
Laundry	9%
Picking up medication	9%
Minor home repairs	30%
Transfer from bed to wheelchair	4%
Other	3%
Total = 754-1,688	

A small percentage of respondents revealed that they need transportation assistance. Fourteen percent reported needing transportation to medical appointments. Twelve percent reported needing transportation to go grocery shopping or run errands, and 11 percent reported needing transportation to social activities. An additional five percent of respondents reported needing general transportation assistance, which included transportation to educational classes, to meetings, and to anywhere they needed to go because of not being able to drive themselves (Table 20).

Table 20
Needed Transportation Assistance
(Question 11)

Transportation to . . .	% of Responses
...medical appointments	14%
...grocery shopping/errands	12%
...social activities	11%
...other	5%
Total = 828–1,543	

The survey results also showed that a small portion of respondents needed assistance with care for other family members. Fifty-six percent reported needing assistance with relief care, 14 percent reported a need with support services, and 16 percent reported a need for financial assistance (Table 21). Additionally, five percent of respondents reported that they were currently raising grandchildren or children of other family members in their home (not shown).

Table 21
Type of Assistance Needed for Those Providing
Unpaid Care for Family Member
(Question 6)

	% of Responses
Relief assistance	56%
Support services	14%
Financial assistance	16%
Total = 115-594	

PROBLEMS FACING THE OLDER POPULATION

This survey also gauged whether certain health, housing, and legal concerns were a problem for respondents. Additionally, they were asked to detail the two biggest problems that affected them at the time of the survey. The responses are shown below.

Health Issues

The survey assessed eight health related issues. Of those mentioned, being able to afford dental care was of greatest concern to respondents. Thirty-eight percent of respondents indicated that being able to afford dental care was a problem, followed by 30 percent each who stated that being able to afford medical care or vision care was a problem. An additional 26 percent each said that being able to afford prescription drugs and hearing care was a problem (Table 22). Furthermore, about half (48%) of all respondents reported at least one problem with being able to afford dental care, medical care, vision care, prescription drugs, and/or hearing care (not shown).

Table 22
Health Issues
(Question 16)

	Is a Problem	Is Not a Problem	Not Applicable
Being able to afford dental care	38%	58%	4%
Being able to afford medical care	30%	66%	4%
Being able to afford vision care	30%	66%	4%
Being able to afford prescription drugs	26%	70%	4%
Being able to afford hearing care	26%	64%	10%
Getting my prescription refilled on time	13%	81%	5%
Remembering to take my pills on time	12%	82%	6%
Understanding doctor instructions	11%	84%	5%
Other	5%	57%	38%
Total = 716-1,679			

Housing Issues

The survey asked about ten potential housing concerns. Respondents were most concerned about major home repairs (24%), yard work (22%), and minor home repairs (19%). Other areas of concern were having a safe living environment (9%), paying for their mortgage (8%), paying rent (8%), and/or finding affordable housing (7%) (Table 23).

Table 23
Housing Issues
 (Question 12)

	Is a Problem	Is Not a Problem	Not Applicable
Major home repairs	24%	56%	20%
Yard work	22%	59%	19%
Minor home repairs	19%	64%	17%
Having a safe living environment	9%	75%	17%
Paying for my mortgage	8%	68%	25%
Paying rent	8%	58%	35%
Finding affordable housing	7%	52%	41%
Finding housing that allows pets	3%	53%	44%
Paying condo maintenance fees	3%	56%	42%
Other	3%	58%	39%
Getting my landlord to make needed repairs	2%	53%	45%
Total = 870-1,603			

Legal Issues

The survey considered eight potential legal concerns. Needing a will or trust was the top legal concern, with 22 percent. That was followed closely by being a victim of identity theft (21%) and having financial debt (19%). Additionally, 16 percent also indicated that receiving Social Security benefits was a concern. Only a small percentage (3%) stated that they were worried about being a victim of physical abuse (Table 24).

Table 24
Legal Issues
 (Question 14)

	Is a Problem	Is Not a Problem	Not Applicable
Needing a will or trust	22%	72%	6%
Being a victim of identity theft	21%	70%	8%
Having financial debt	19%	73%	7%
Receiving Social Security benefits	16%	76%	8%
Financial responsibility for a relative	12%	70%	18%
Receiving Medi-Cal benefits	11%	68%	22%
Property crime in my neighborhood	10%	80%	9%
Being a victim of physical abuse	3%	97%	0%
Other	3%	61%	36%
Total = 813-1,634			

Issues Most Affecting Respondents

Respondents were asked to indicate the two biggest problems affecting them, along with any other comments. The results of the two questions were combined because many of the additional comments referred to current problems affecting them. The greatest percentage (26%) indicated that medical ailments/issues were the biggest problems that impacted them. Some of the medical issues included diabetes, cancer, depression, mental health concerns/memory loss, arthritis, physical pain, mobility issues, poor diet, weight gain, and medical costs. An additional 16 percent said that general financial and/or income issues were a big problem. Nine percent of respondents were concerned about the cost of living and five percent had political concerns (Table 25). Please see Appendix B for a listing of all comments in verbatim form.

Table 25
Issues Most Affecting Respondents
(Questions 33 and 34)

	% of Responses
Medical ailments/issues	26%
Financial/income concerns	16%
Care/concern of others	11%
Cost of living	9%
Political concerns	5%
Total = 2,266	

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

The survey asked participants where they received information about senior services and/or service referrals. Older Americans first need to understand what resources are available and where to find them before they can utilize them. The greatest percentage (35%) cited AARP for information and services more often than any other source listed. Just under one-fourth (23%) said the Social Security Administration and over one-fifth (21%) used the internet to get service information. In addition, the question established whether survey participants pursued information about services. Almost half (46%) reported that they never called or searched for information or services (Table 26).

Prior to receiving this survey, 23 percent of respondents had heard of San Diego County Aging & Independence Services, while 67 percent reported that they had not and ten percent were not sure (not shown).

Table 26
Sources of Information⁵
(Question 4)

	% of Responses
I have never called for information or services	46%
AARP	35%
Social Security Administration	23%
Internet	21%
Senior Center	12%
Other	12%
Aging & Independence Services	1%
211	1%
San Diego Network of Care Web site	1%
Total = 1,704	

⁵ Totals add to more than 100% because respondents could choose more than one answer.

AGE, GENDER, MARITAL STATUS, AND EDUCATION

In order to compare the needs of different groups within San Diego’s older population, some question responses were cross-tabulated with age, gender, marital status, and education. The daily tasks (Question 9), types of needed assistance (Question 11), and health (Question 16), housing (Question 12), and legal (Question 14) concerns with notable differences across demographic categories are discussed below.

Age

In some cases, the frequency with which issues were indicated as a problem markedly increased with age. Table 27 presents data for the five daily tasks with the most notable increases in the percent of respondents that reported them to be a problem as age increased. For example, although only 20% of respondents aged 60 to 64 reported serious/minor difficulty with walking, 55 percent of those 85 years of age or older reported serious/minor difficult with walking.

Table 27
Daily Tasks with Serious/Minor Difficulty⁶ by Age
 (Question 9)

	60-64	65-74	75-84	≥ 85
Walking	20%	25%	35%	55%
Preparing meals	8%	11%	19%	40%
Dressing/undressing	6%	9%	14%	30%
Bathing	6%	8%	14%	28%
Getting in/out of bed	9%	10%	16%	28%
Total	293-296	716-725	443-458	218-223

⁶ Responses to difficulty with daily tasks as “unable to do,” “serious difficulty” and “minor difficulty” are presented as one category.

As age increased, older adults tended to need additional assistance with basic activities. Table 28 shows the assistance needs with the most notable increases by age. The greatest differences between those aged 60 to 64 to those aged 85 and older was reported for both yard work (20% and 59%, respectively) and transportation (9% and 46%, respectively). Additionally, younger respondents also reported needing assistance to a lesser extent than their older counterparts with minor home repair assistance, routine housework, and picking up medication.

Table 28
Assistance by Age
(Question 11)

	60-64	65-74	75-84	≥ 85
Yard work	20%	21%	37%	59%
Transportation	9%	8%	20%	46%
Minor home repairs	20%	24%	36%	57%
Routine housework	11%	13%	23%	43%
Picking up medication	4%	5%	11%	30%
Grocery shopping	5%	7%	15%	29%
Laundry	4%	6%	11%	26%
Cooking	4%	5%	10%	25%
Total	245-257	626-667	388-420	165-194

Respondent concerns also changed as their age increased. Older respondents were more worried than younger respondents about minor home repair, yard work, remembering to take pills on time, and understanding doctor instructions.

Table 29
Concerns Increasing by Age
(Questions 12 and 16)

	60-64	65-74	75-84	≥ 85
Minor home repair	16%	16%	20%	30%
Yard work	19%	18%	25%	33%
Remembering to take pills on time	10%	11%	12%	21%
Understanding doctor instructions	8%	9%	11%	19%
Total	279-283	676-698	424-432	195-201

Some issues, however, were less important to respondents age 85 and over when compared with those in younger age groups. For example, 39 percent of respondents under age 65 indicated that needing a will/trust was a concern for them, compared with 24 percent of those aged 65 to 74. Other issues that were of less concern for older respondents were paying for the mortgage, finding affordable housing and housing that allowed pets, the level of property crime in the respondents residential area, having financial debt, being a victim of identity theft, having a financial responsibility for a relative, and being able to afford medical care, dental care, prescription drugs, vision care, and hearing care.

Table 30
Concerns Decreasing by Age
(Questions 12, 14, and 16)

	60-64	65-74	75-84	≥ 85
Needing a will or trust	39%	24%	14%	9%
Being able to afford medical care	43%	31%	22%	22%
Having financial debt	28%	22%	13%	8%
Being able to afford vision care	41%	32%	22%	21%
Being able to afford prescription drugs	37%	27%	21%	19%
Being a victim of identity theft	29%	24%	15%	13%
Being able to afford dental care	45%	42%	31%	30%
Having financial responsibility for a relative	20%	12%	8%	8%
Being able to afford hearing care	33%	26%	21%	22%
Finding affordable housing	13%	9%	4%	4%
Property crime in my neighborhood	14%	12%	8%	5%
Paying for my mortgage	11%	10%	4%	3%
Finding housing that allows pets	6%	4%	1%	1%
Total	274-292	663-713	409-442	180-208

Gender

Differences also existed by gender. Overall, more females reported needing assistance and being concerned about health and housing issues.

Twice as many females than males reported needing assistance with minor home repairs (38% versus 19%, respectively). Females also reported a greater level of need with routine housework (22% versus 14%, respectively), grocery shopping (14% versus 8%, respectively), and yard work (34% versus 24%, respectively) (Table 31).

Table 31
Assistance by Gender
 (Question 11)

	Male	Female
Cooking	8%	8%
Routine housework	14%	22%
Bill paying/budgeting	6%	8%
Grocery shopping	8%	14%
Laundry	7%	10%
Picking up medication	6%	10%
Minor home repairs	19%	38%
Yard work	24%	34%
Transfer from bed to wheelchair	3%	4%
Transportation	11%	20%
Total	529-675	615-812

When asked about health, housing, and legal concerns, housing and health concerns topped the notable differences between males and females. More females than males were concerned with being able to afford vision care (35% versus 24%, respectively), being able to afford dental care (42% versus 33%, respectively), and minor home repair (22% versus 14%, respectively). Additionally, notable differences were found between females and males with being able to afford hearing care (28% versus 22%, respectively) and doing yard work (24% versus 19%, respectively) (Table 32).

Table 32
Concerns by Gender
(Questions 12 and 16)

	Male	Female
Able to afford vision care	24%	35%
Able to afford dental care	33%	42%
Minor home repair	14%	22%
Able to afford hearing care	22%	28%
Yard work	19%	24%
Total	689-718	838-883

Marital Status

Respondents were asked to indicate their marital status in the survey. There were some noticeable differences between married respondents and unmarried respondents. A greater percentage of those who were not married had concerns about minor home repairs (25% versus 15%, respectively), being able to afford dental care (43% versus 34%, respectively), paying rent (13% versus 4%, respectively), finding affordable housing (12% versus 4%, respectively), and having a safe living environment (12% versus 6%, respectively) (Table 33).

There were some questions without obvious differences between married and unmarried respondents. A similar percentage of individuals who were married and not married reported that isolation and/or loneliness affects their quality of life (57% versus 63%, respectively). Additionally, frequency of emotional problems was similar across marital status (Table 33).

Table 33
Emotional Health and Concerns by Marital Status
 (Questions 12, 16, 25, and 26)

	Married	Not Married
Loneliness/isolation affects quality of life	57%	63%
Frequency of emotional problems		
All/most of the time	5%	9%
A good bit/some of the time	20%	21%
A little/none of the time	72%	68%
Reported Concerns		
Minor home repairs	15%	25%
Being able to afford dental care	34%	43%
Paying rent	4%	13%
Finding affordable housing	4%	12%
Having a safe living environment	6%	12%
Total	800-1022	538-711

Education

Respondents reported the highest educational level they attained according to four groups: “0 to 8th grade,” “9 to 12th grade,” “some college,” and “college graduate.” Overall, less educated respondents were more likely to experience problems with many of the daily tasks and needs and/or have more health concerns, legal concerns, and housing concerns than their more educated counterparts.

As shown in Table 34, a larger percentage of those with an 8th grade education or less reported needing assistance with daily tasks. More specifically, less educated respondents reported needing transportation assistance (48% versus 11%, respectively), followed by needing assistance with routine housework (49% versus 14%, respectively), laundry (39% versus 6%, respectively), and picking up medication (39% versus 6%, respectively) (Table 34).

Table 34
Assistance by Education Level
(Question 11)

	≤ 8th Grade	9 to 12th Grade	Some College	College Graduate
Transportation	48%	23%	15%	11%
Routine housework	49%	25%	19%	14%
Laundry	39%	9%	9%	6%
Picking up medication	39%	12%	9%	6%
Grocery shopping	39%	17%	10%	7%
Cooking	31%	9%	9%	6%
Bill paying/budgeting	31%	7%	8%	5%
Minor home repairs	47%	34%	34%	24%
Transfer from bed to wheelchair	11%	7%	4%	1%
Yard work	35%	30%	33%	26%
Total	53-75	182-250	411-518	549-703

Less educated respondents also were more likely to report housing and health concerns. As shown in Table 35, a larger percentage of those with an 8th grade or lower education compared to those with a college degree were worried about understanding doctor instructions (33% versus 7%, respectively), being able to afford vision care (47% versus 23%, respectively), and paying rent (26% versus 5%, respectively).

Table 35
Concerns by Education Level
(Questions 12 & 16)

	≤8 th Grade	9 to 12 th	Some	College
Understanding doctor instructions	33%	18%	9%	7%
Able to afford vision care	47%	34%	33%	23%
Paying rent	26%	9%	8%	5%
Finding affordable housing	16%	7%	8%	6%
Able to afford dental care	46%	41%	43%	32%
Able to afford prescription drugs	37%	30%	29%	22%
Able to afford hearing care	36%	31%	29%	20%
Total	72-78	239-265	516-564	722-757

Additionally, a greater percentage of those with more education reported participation in community-based activities than those with a lower level of education. As education increased, so did involvement in recreation/hobbies, physical exercise, entertainment, education/classes, volunteering, and spending time with youth. Education did not appear to impact respondents' participation in religious/faith activities, job training, or community organizations (not shown).

Since lower educational attainment frequently results in lower income, the possible differences between the four educational groups may be related to issues that can be a consequence of low income, like having enough money to live on or poor nutrition, rather than education alone. Also, the respondents with lower education tended to be older than respondents with more education, so differences also may be partly due to older age.

Although SANDAG conducted other similar surveys for the County of San Diego Aging & Independence Services since 1984, the current results are not directly comparable to those of prior surveys. Changes were made to the questions for the 2012 survey. The 2012 survey questions assessed similar concepts to those of prior surveys; however, differences in question wording and answer options resulted in most questions not being comparable to previous surveys.

METHODOLOGY

The County of San Diego Aging and Independence Services requested the assistance of the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) in conducting a survey of a random sample of the region's population age 60 and over. SANDAG assisted Aging & Independence Services on similar surveys in 1984, 1988, 1997, 2001, 2003, and 2008.

The survey questions were provided to SANDAG by the County of San Diego Aging & Independence Services. Then, SANDAG graphically laid out the form and printed approximately 7,500 copies.

This survey was distributed by mail to households throughout San Diego County. County of San Diego provided a mailing list of households with at least one resident age 60 years or older. The sampling frame used to compile the list was the voter registration file, which contains people's ages along with their addresses. SANDAG randomly selected 4,000 households from the larger mailing list.

The survey form and postage-paid business reply envelopes were sent to all 4,000 households during January through March 2012. Each household was sent an English and Spanish version of the questionnaire. Households not responding to the survey within two weeks were sent the forms again in an effort to increase the response rate. Out of the 4,000 surveys sent out, 1,757 surveys were returned, resulting in a response rate of 44 percent.

Results by Supervisorial District were tabulated by using the ZIP Code of respondents. Since some ZIP Codes do not nest completely within one District, the results are approximations. Respondents who lived in a ZIP Code that fell into two or more Districts were counted more than once (i.e. within each District that the ZIP Code was included in). It is likely that respondents living in a ZIP Code, whether living in one Supervisorial District or another, are similar to one another; therefore, including a respondent more than once rather than excluding him/her, would likely get results closer to the true population results of that District.

It should be noted that a survey of this kind has several limitations. Generally, the frailest, socially isolated, or persons with mental problems or depression are not willing or able to respond. Similarly, the institutionalized population (in nursing homes and residential care facilities) has not been reached with this survey.

APPENDICES

APPENDIX A



County of San Diego

SURVEY OF OLDER AMERICANS (2012)

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO SERVE YOU BETTER...

Answering this survey will help the County and the State plan new or improved programs for seniors. **PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SURVEY ONLY IF YOU ARE AGE 60 OR OVER.** If you are not age 60 or over but someone else in your household is, please give this survey to them to complete. Your answers are very important since they will represent both your personal opinions and those of hundreds of others we won't have the opportunity to interview. Everything you tell us will be held in strict confidence—your name and address cannot be associated with your answers.

Please take a few moments now to complete this questionnaire and **return it in the enclosed postage-paid return envelope within two weeks.** Your answers will be kept confidential. If you have already completed a copy of this questionnaire, please do not complete another one. If you have any questions about this survey, please call us at **(858) 495-5525**. Thank you for your help.

1. BEFORE TODAY, HAD YOU HEARD OF THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO'S AGING & INDEPENDENCE SERVICES (AIS)? 1. YES 2. NO 3. NOT SURE

2. WHAT IS YOUR HOME ZIP CODE? _____

3. HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN THIS COMMUNITY? _____ YEARS

4. WHERE DO YOU USUALLY GET INFORMATION ABOUT SERVICES FOR SENIORS OR REFERRALS FOR SERVICE? (CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY.)

- | | |
|------------------------------------|---|
| 1. AARP | 6. San Diego Network of Care Web site |
| 2. 1 (800) 510-2020 (AIS) | 7. Social Security Administration |
| 3. 211 | 8. Other (Please specify) _____ |
| 4. Internet | 9. I have never called/searched for information or services |
| 5. Senior Center: Which one? _____ | |

5. ARE YOU CURRENTLY RAISING GRANDCHILDREN OR CHILDREN OF ANOTHER FAMILY IN YOUR HOME?

1. YES 2. NO

6. IF YOU PROVIDE UNPAID CARE FOR A FAMILY MEMBER, DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH: (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	Yes	No	N/A
• Relief.....	1	2	3
• Support services.....	1	2	3
• Financial services.....	1	2	3

7. HOW EASY OR DIFFICULT IS IT FOR YOU TO USE THE COMPUTER TO:

	(Easy) No Difficulty	Minor Difficulty	Serious Difficulty	Unable to Do
• Send Emails.....	1	2	3	4
• Search Internet.....	1	2	3	4

**8. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES DO YOU PARTICIPATE IN AT LEAST ONCE A MONTH?
(CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY.)**

- | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Recreation/Hobbies | 4. Education/classes | 7. Job training |
| 2. Physical exercise | 5. Religious/faith | 8. Community organizations |
| 3. Entertainment | 6. Volunteering | 9. Spending time with youth |

9. THIS IS A LIST OF ACTIVITIES THAT ARE DIFFICULT FOR SOME PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE HOW DIFFICULT EACH ONE IS FOR YOU. (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	(Easy) No Difficulty	Minor Difficulty	Serious Difficulty	Unable to Do
• Eating.....	1	2	3	4
• Bathing.....	1	2	3	4
• Dressing/undressing.....	1	2	3	4
• Walking.....	1	2	3	4
• Getting in and out of bed.....	1	2	3	4
• Getting to the bathroom.....	1	2	3	4
• Preparing meals.....	1	2	3	4
• Using the telephone.....	1	2	3	4

**10. IF YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE TASKS, WHO USUALLY ASSISTS YOU?
(CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY).**

1. Spouse 2. Other family member 3. Agency/volunteer 4. No one assists me

11. Do YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES?

IN-HOME SERVICES	Yes	No	N/A
• Cooking.....	1	2	3
• Routine housework.....	1	2	3
• Bill paying/budgeting.....	1	2	3
• Grocery shopping.....	1	2	3
• Yard work.....	1	2	3
• Laundry.....	1	2	3
• Picking up medication.....	1	2	3
• Minor home repairs.....	1	2	3
• Transfer from bed to wheelchair.....	1	2	3
• Other (please specify).....	1	2	3

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

• Transportation to medical appts.....	1	2	3
• Transportation to grocery shopping/errands.....	1	2	3
• Transportation to social activities.....	1	2	3
• Other (please specify).....	1	2	3

12. THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL HOUSING CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A PROBLEM TO YOU PERSONALLY. (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	Yes	No	N/A
• Paying for my mortgage	1	2	3
• Paying rent	1	2	3
• Paying condo maintenance fees	1	2	3
• Finding affordable housing	1	2	3
• Finding housing that allows pets.....	1	2	3
• Getting my landlord to make needed repairs	1	2	3
• Major home repairs	1	2	3
• Minor home repairs	1	2	3
• Yard work.....	1	2	3
• Having a safe living environment.....	1	2	3
• Other (please specify).....	1	2	3

13. WHERE DO YOU CURRENTLY RESIDE? (CIRCLE ONE.)

- | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. In a home that I own | 3. With a relative/friend |
| 2. In a home that I rent | 4. Other: _____ |

14. THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL LEGAL CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A CONCERN FOR YOU PERSONALLY. (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	Yes	No	N/A
• Needing a will or trust.....	1	2	3
• Receiving Social Security benefits.....	1	2	3
• Property crime in my neighborhood	1	2	3
• Having financial debt	1	2	3
• Being a victim of identity theft.....	1	2	3
• Receiving Medi-Cal benefits.....	1	2	3
• Financial responsibility for a relative.....	1	2	3
• Being a victim of physical abuse	1	2	3
• Other (please specify).....	1	2	3

15. HAVE YOU: (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	Yes	No	Can't remember
• Had a physical exam within the last 3 years.....	1	2	3
• Had a dental exam within the last 3 years.....	1	2	3
• Had a flu shot within the last 1 year.....	1	2	3
• Had a pneumonia shot within the last 10 years... ..	1	2	3

16. THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL HEALTH CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A CONCERN FOR YOU PERSONALLY. (CIRCLE THE NUMBER UNDER YOUR RESPONSE.)

	Yes	No	N/A
• Being able to afford medical care	1	2	3
• Being able to afford dental care	1	2	3
• Being able to afford prescription drugs.....	1	2	3
• Being able to afford vision care.....	1	2	3
• Being able to afford hearing care	1	2	3
• Getting my prescription refilled on time	1	2	3
• Remembering to take my pills on time.....	1	2	3
• Understanding doctor instructions.....	1	2	3
• Other (please specify).....	1	2	3

17. IN A TYPICAL DAY, HOW MANY SERVINGS OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES DO YOU EAT?

1. None 2. 1 to 2 3. 3 to 4 4. 5 or more

18. HOW MANY DAYS TO YOU ENGAGE IN AT LEAST 30 MINUTES OF MODERATE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY IN A TYPICAL WEEK (BRISK WALKING, FITNESS CLASS, ETC.)?

1. 0 days 2. 1 to 2 days 3. 3 to 4 days 4. 5 or more days

19. HAVE YOU FALLEN IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS? 1. YES 2. NO

20. DO YOU CURRENTLY SMOKE? 1. YES 2. NO

21. HOW MANY ALCOHOLIC DRINKS DO YOU CONSUME IN A TYPICAL WEEK?

1. None 2. 1 to 3 drinks 3. 4 to 6 drinks 4. 7 or more drinks

22. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING BEST DESCRIBES YOUR EMPLOYMENT SITUATION?

1. Currently employed
2. Currently employed but would like to work fewer hours
3. Currently employed but would like to work more hours
4. Currently employed and would like to quit job but can't because need the income
5. Not employed, but would like to find a job
6. Not employed and not interested in finding a job

23. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING PROVIDE YOU WITH A SOURCE OF INCOME? (CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY)

- | | | | |
|--------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Employment | 3. SSI/SSP | 5. Investments/Savings | 7. Other _____ |
| 2. Social Security | 4. Pension | 6. Assistance from family/friends | |

24. HOW WELL DOES YOUR INCOME SUPPORT YOUR CURRENT NEEDS?

1. Extremely well 2. Well 3. Somewhat well 4. Not well at all

25. DURING THE PAST MONTH, HOW OFTEN HAVE YOU BEEN BOTHERED BY EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS FEELING UNHAPPY, ANXIOUS, DEPRESSED, OR IRRITABLE?

- | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. All of the time | 3. Some of the time | 5. None of the time |
| 2. Most of the time | 4. A little of the time | 6. Don't know |

26. DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE THAT THE ISSUE OF ISOLATION/LONELINESS AFFECTS YOUR QUALITY OF LIFE: (CIRCLE ONE)

- | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Yes, Strongly agree | 4. No, Somewhat disagree |
| 2. Yes, Somewhat agree | 5. No, Strongly disagree |
| 3. Neutral | |

27. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING GROUPS CONTAINS YOUR AGE?

- | | | | |
|-----------------|----------|----------|---------------|
| 1. 64 and under | 2. 65-74 | 3. 75-84 | 4. 85 or over |
|-----------------|----------|----------|---------------|

28. ARE YOU: 1. MALE 2. FEMALE

29. ARE YOU CURRENTLY:

- | | | |
|--------------|---|----------------------------------|
| 1. Married | 4. Divorced | 7. Other (Please describe) _____ |
| 2. Widowed | 5. Never married | |
| 3. Separated | 6. Not married, but living together in a committed relationship | |

30. PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR ETHNIC GROUP (CIRCLE ONLY ONE)

- | | | |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. White/Caucasian | 4. Asian | 7. Multi-ethnic |
| 2. Hispanic/Latino | 5. Hawaiian or Pac. Islander | 8. Other _____ |
| 3. Black/African Am. | 6. Native Am./Alaska Native | |

31. PLEASE CIRCLE THE HIGHEST GRADE LEVEL YOU COMPLETED.

- | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. 0 to 8 th grade | 3. Some college | 5. Master's/Ph.D |
| 2. 9 to 12 th grade | 4. College graduate | |

32. DO YOU LIVE ALONE? 1. YES 2. NO

33. PLEASE SHARE THE TWO BIGGEST PROBLEMS THAT AFFECT YOU?

1. _____
2. _____

34. PLEASE SHARE ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS YOU MAY HAVE:

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US BY COMPLETING THIS SURVEY. PLEASE RETURN IT WITHIN TWO WEEKS IN THE ENCLOSED POSTAGE-PAID RETURN ENVELOPE.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT WHERE TO GET SERVICES, PLEASE CALL
1 (800) 510-2020.**



County of San Diego

ENCUESTA PARA PERSONAS MAYORES (2012)

NECESITAMOS SU AYUDA PARA SERVIRLE MEJOR...

Al contestar a esta encuesta usted ayudará al Condado y al Estado a mejorar los programas para personas mayores. **POR FAVOR, LLENE ESTA ENCUESTA SOLAMENTE SI USTED ES MAYOR DE 60 AÑOS.** Si hay alguna persona en su casa que es mayor de 60 años, favor de dársela para que la llene.

Sus respuestas son muy importantes ya que representan su opinión personal y la de cientos de personas que no han tenido la oportunidad de ser entrevistadas. Toda la información que nos provea será mantenida en estricta confidencialidad- su nombre y domicilio no podrán ser asociados con sus respuestas.

Le pedimos tomar unos minutos de su tiempo para contestar este cuestionario y **devolverlo dentro de las próximas dos semanas en el sobre pre-pagado adjunto.** Sus respuestas son confidenciales y así serán archivadas. Si usted ya llenó este formulario, favor de no llenarlo de nuevo. Si tiene alguna duda o necesita mayor información, por favor llame al **(858) 495-5525**. Gracias por su ayuda.

1. **ANTES DE HOY, ¿HABÍA OÍDO SOBRE AGING & INDEPENDENCE SERVICES (AIS) DEL CONDADO DE SAN DIEGO?** 1. SI 2. NO 3. NO ESTOY SEGURO

2. **¿CUÁL ES SU CÓDIGO POSTAL (ZIP CODE)?** _____

3. **¿POR CUÁNTO TIEMPO HA VIVIDO EN ESTA COMUNIDAD?** _____ AÑOS

4. **¿DE DÓNDE OBTIENE USUALMENTE INFORMACIÓN SOBRE SERVICIOS PARA PERSONAS MAYORES O REFERENCIAS PARA SERVICIO? (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO LAS RESPUESTAS QUE APLIQUEN)**

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. AARP | 6. Sitio de Internet San Diego Network of Care |
| 2. 1 (800) 510-2020 (AIS) | 7. Administración del Seguro Social |
| 3. 211 | 8. Otro (Por favor especifique) _____ |
| 4. Internet | 9. Nunca he llamado/buscado información o servicios |
| 5. Centro para ancianos: ¿Cual? _____ | |

5. **¿ESTÁ USTED ACTUALMENTE CRIANDO NIETOS O LOS HIJOS DE OTRA FAMILIA EN SU HOGAR?**

1. SI 2. NO

6. **SI PROVEE CUIDADO SIN SUELDO PARA UN MIEMBRO DE LA FAMILIA, NECESITA AYUDA CON: (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO EL NÚMERO DEBAJO DE SU RESPUESTA.)**

	Si	No	N/A
• Relevo	1	2	3
• Servicios de apoyo.....	1	2	3
• Servicios financieros.....	1	2	3

7. **QUE TAN FÁCIL O DIFÍCIL ES PARA USTED USAR LA COMPUTADORA PARA:**

	(Fácil)Ninguna dificultad	Un poco de dificultad	Mucha dificultad	Incapaz de hacer
• Enviar correos electrónicos.....	1	2	3	4
• Búsqueda de Internet	1	2	3	4

8. ¿EN CUÁL DE LAS SIGUIENTES ACTIVIDADES PARTICIPA USTED POR LO MENOS UNA VEZ AL MES? (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO LAS RESPUESTAS QUE APLIQUEN.)

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Recreación/Pasatiempos | 4. Educación/clases | 7. Entrenamiento laboral |
| 2. Ejercicio físico
comunidad | 5. Religiosas/fe | 8. Organizaciones de la |
| 3. Entretenimiento | 6. Sirviendo de voluntario | 9. Pasando tiempo con jóvenes |

9. ESTA ES UNA LISTA DE ACTIVIDADES QUE SON DIFÍCILES PARA ALGUNAS PERSONAS. POR FAVOR INDIQUE CUÁN DIFÍCIL ES PARA USTED CADA UNA DE ELLAS (MARQUE CON UN CÍRCULO SU RESPUESTA)

	(Fácil) dificultad	Ninguna de dificultad	Un poco de dificultad	Mucha dificultad	Incapaz de hacerlo
• Comer	1	2	3	4	
• Bañarse	1	2	3	4	
• Vestirse/desvestirse.....	1	2	3	4	
• Caminar	1	2	3	4	
• Acostarse o levantarse de la cama.....	1	2	3	4	
• Llegar al baño	1	2	3	4	
• Preparar las comidas.....	1	2	3	4	
• Usar el teléfono.....	1	2	3	4	

10. SI TIENE DIFICULTAD CON CUALQUIERA DE LAS TAREAS ARRIBA MENCIONADAS, ¿QUIÉN USUALMENTE LO/LA AYUDA? (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO LAS RESPUESTAS QUE APLIQUEN).

1. Cónyuge 2. Otro miembro de la familia 3. Agencia/voluntario 4. Nadie me ayuda

11. ¿NECESITA AYUDA CON ALGUNA DE LAS SIGUIENTES ACTIVIDADES?

SERVICIOS EN EL HOGAR	Si	No	N/A
• Cocinar	1.2	3	
• Tareas domesticas rutinarias	1.2	3	
• Pago de facturas/preparando el presupuesto.....	1	2	3
• Compra de alimentos.....	1.2	3	
• Trabajo de jardinería	1.2	3	
• Lavado de ropa	1.2	3	
• Recoger los medicamentos.....	1.2	3	
• Reparaciones menores al hogar.....	1.2	3	
• Transferir de la cama a la silla de ruedas	1	2	3
• Otro (por favor especifique).....	1	2	3
SERVICIOS DE TRANSPORTE			
• Transporte a citas medicas.	1.2	3	
• Transporte para hacer compras de alimentos/mandados	1	2	3
• Transporte a actividades sociales.....	1.2	3	
• Otro (por favor especifique).....	1	2	3

12. ESTA ES UNA LISTA DE POSIBLES PROBLEMAS DE VIVIENDA PARA PERSONAS MAYORES. POR FAVOR INDIQUE SI CADA UNO ES UN PROBLEMA PARA USTED PERSONALMENTE. (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO EL NÚMERO DEBAJO DE SU RESPUESTA.)

	Si	No	N/A
• Pagar mi hipoteca.....	1	2	3
• Pagar la renta.....	1	2	3
• Pagar gastos de mantenimiento para condominio ...	1	2	3
• Encontrar vivienda económicamente asequible.....	1	2	3
• Encontrar vivienda que permite mascotas.....	1	2	3
• Conseguir que mi arrendador haga las reparaciones necesarias.....	1	2	3
• Reparaciones mayores al hogar	1	2	3
• Reparaciones menores al hogar.....	1	2	3
• Trabajo de jardinería	1	2	3
• Tener un ambiente de vida seguro.....	1	2	3
• Otro (por favor especifique).....	1	2	3

13. ¿DONDE VIVE ACTUALMENTE? (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO SU RESPUESTA.)

1. En una casa de mi propiedad 3. Con un pariente/amigo
 2. En una casa que rento 4. (por favor especifique)_____

14. ESTA ES UNA LISTA DE POSIBLES PROBLEMAS DE CARÁCTER LEGAL PARA PERSONAS MAYORES. POR FAVOR INDIQUE SI CADA UNO ES UN PROBLEMA PARA USTED PERSONALMENTE. (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO EL NÚMERO DEBAJO DE SU RESPUESTA.)

	Si	No	N/A
• Necesitar un testamento o fideicomiso.....	1	2	3
• Recibir beneficios de Seguro Social	1	2	3
• Delitos contra la propiedad en mi vecindario	1	2	3
• Tener deudas financieras	1	2	3
• Ser víctima de robo de identidad	1	2	3
• Recibir beneficios de Medi-Cal.....	1	2	3
• Ser responsable financieramente de un pariente	1	2	3
• Ser víctima de abuso físico	1	2	3
• Otro (por favor especifique).....	1	2	3

15. HA USTED: (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO EL NÚMERO DEBAJO DE SU RESPUESTA.)

	Si	No	No Recuerdo
• Tenido un examen físico durante los últimos 3 años.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Tenido un examen dental durante los últimos 3 años.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Tenido una vacuna contra la influenza durante el último año.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Tenido una vacuna contra la pulmonía durante los últimos 10 años.....	1	2.....	3

16. ESTA ES UNA LISTA DE POSIBLES PROBLEMAS DE SALUD PARA PERSONAS MAYORES. POR FAVOR INDIQUE SI CADA UNO ES UN PROBLEMA PARA USTED PERSONALMENTE. (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO EL NÚMERO DEBAJO DE SU RESPUESTA.)

	Si	No	N/A
• Poder pagar la atención medica.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Poder pagar el cuidado dental	1.....	2.....	3
• Poder pagar los medicamentos recetados	1.....	2.....	3
• Poder pagar por el cuidado de la visión.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Poder pagar por el cuidado médico del oído	1.....	2.....	3
• Surtir mis recetas médicas a tiempo	1.....	2.....	3
• Recordar tomar mis pastillas a tiempo.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Comprender las instrucciones del medico.....	1.....	2.....	3
• Otro (por favor especifique).....	1.....	2.....	3

17. EN UN DÍA TÍPICO, ¿CUÁNTAS PORCIONES DE FRUTAS Y VERDURAS COME?

1. Ninguna 2. 1 a 2 3. 3 a 4 4. 5 o más

18. ¿CUANTOS DÍAS DE UNA SEMANA TÍPICA PARTICIPA EN AL MENOS 30 MINUTOS DE ACTIVIDAD FÍSICA MODERADA (CAMINAR A PASO LIGERO, CLASE DE ACONDICIONAMIENTO FÍSICO, ETC.)?

1. 0 días 2. 1 a 2 días 3. 3 a 4 días 4. 5 o mas días

19. ¿SE HA CAÍDO EN LOS ÚLTIMOS 12 MESES? 1. Si 2. NO

20. ¿FUMA USTED ACTUALMENTE? 1. Si 2. NO

21. ¿CUANTAS BEBIDAS ALCOHÓLICAS CONSUME USTED EN UNA SEMANA TÍPICA?

1. Ninguna 2. 1 a 3 bebidas 3. 4 a 6 bebidas 4. 7 o más bebidas

22. ¿CUAL DE LAS SIGUIENTES OPCIONES MEJOR DESCRIBE SU SITUACIÓN LABORAL?

1. Actualmente empleado
2. Actualmente empleado, pero le gustaría trabajar menos horas
3. Actualmente empleado, pero le gustaría trabajar más horas
4. Actualmente empleado y le gustaría dejar el trabajo, pero no puede porque necesita los ingresos
5. Sin empleo, pero desea encontrar trabajo
6. Sin empleo y no tiene interés en encontrar trabajo

23. ¿CUAL DE LOS SIGUIENTES LE PROPORCIONA UNA FUENTE DE INGRESOS? (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO LAS RESPUESTAS QUE APLIQUEN)

- | | | | |
|------------------|------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| 3. Empleo | 3. SSI/SSP | 5. Inversiones/Ahorros | 7. Otro_____ |
| 4. Seguro Social | 4. Pensión | 6. Ayuda de parientes/amigos | |

24. ¿QUE TAN BIEN SOSTIENEN SUS INGRESOS SUS NECESIDADES ACTUALES?

1. Muy bien 2. Bien 3. Algo bien 4. Nada bien

25. DURANTE EL MES PASADO, ¿CON QUÉ FRECUENCIA HA TENIDO PROBLEMAS EMOCIONALES COMO SENTIRSE TRISTE, ANSIOSO, DEPRESIVO O IRRITABLE?

- | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Todo el tiempo | 3. Parte del tiempo | 5. En ningún momento |
| 2. Casi todo el tiempo | 4. Poco tiempo | 6. No sé |

26. ESTÁ DE ACUERDO O EN DESACUERDO QUE LA CUESTIÓN DEL AISLAMIENTO/SOLEDAD AFECTA LA CALIDAD DE SU VIDA: (MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO SU RESPUESTA)

- | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Sí, Completamente de acuerdo | 4. No, Algo en desacuerdo |
| 2. Sí, Algo de acuerdo | 5. No, Completamente en desacuerdo |
| 3. Neutral | |

27. ¿EN CUÁL DE LOS SIGUIENTES GRUPOS ESTÁ SU EDAD?

1. 64 y menor 2. 65-74 3. 75-84 4. 85 o más _____

28. Es USTED: 1. Hombre 2. Mujer

29. ESTÁ USTED:

- | | | |
|---------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Casado/a | 4. Divorciado/a | 7. Otro (Por favor describa)_____ |
| 2. Viudo/a | 5. Nunca casado/a | |
| 3. Separado/a | 6. No casado/a, pero conviviendo en una relación estable | |

30. POR FAVOR MARQUE CON UN CIRCULO SU GRUPO ÉTNICO (ELIJA SOLO UNO)

- | | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Blanco/Caucásico | 4. Asiático | 7. Multiétnico |
| 2. Hispano/Latino | 5. Hawaiano o isleño del Pacífico | 8. Otra _____ |
| 3. Negro/Afroamericano | 6. Nativo americano/Nativo de Alaska | |

31. POR FAVOR MARQUE CON UN CÍRCULO EL ÚLTIMO GRADO QUE ESTUDIÓ EN LA ESCUELA:

- | | | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. 0 a 8 ^{vo} grado | 3. Algo de universidad | 5. Maestría/Doctorado |
| 2. 9 ^{no} a 12 ^{vo} grado | 4. Graduado de universidad | |

32. ¿VIVE USTED SOLO? 1. Sí 2. No

33. POR FAVOR DESCRIBA LOS DOS MAYORES PROBLEMAS QUE LE AFECTAN:

1. _____
2. _____

34. POR FAVOR COMPARTA CUALQUIER COMENTARIO ADICIONAL QUE TENGA:

GRACIAS POR AYUDARNOS A COMPLETAR ESTA ENCUESTA. FAVOR DE DEVOLVERLA DENTRO DE LAS PRÓXIMAS DOS SEMANAS EN EL SOBRE PRE-PAGADO ADJUNTO.

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APPENDIX B

2012 Older Americans Survey Verbatim Comments

QUESTIONS 33 & 34

- 1 ANXIETY/DEPRESSION/TRYING TO EXERCISE
- 1 DEPRESSION (BEING TREATED)
- 1 DEPRESSION
- 1 ANXIETY/DEPRESSION
- 1 DEPRESSION
- 1 DEPRESSION
- 1 DEPRESSED - MY WIFE PASSED AWAY LAST APRIL.
- 1 DEPRESSION
- 1 WORTHLESSNESS
- 1 SOMETIMES GET DEPRESSED
- 1 IT IS EXHAUSTING & DEPRESSIVE & I HAVE LITTLE ENERGY FOR ROUTINE THINGS
- 1 DEPRESSION - NO DESIRE TO LEAVE HOME
- 1 DEPRESSION
- 2 DIET
- 3 PARA LOS GASTOS
- 3 ASEO DE CASA
- 3 YARD MAINTENANCE
- 3 YARD WORK
- 3 REPAIRS TO HOME
- 3 HOME & AUTO MAINTENANCE
- 3 GETTING MY ROLLING TRASH CAN UP & DOWN MY DRIVEWAY
- 3 HOME REPAIRS
- 3 YARD WORK
- 3 CANNOT AFFORD TO DO NECESSARY MAINTENANCE OUR HOME
- 3 HOUSE PAYMENT
- 3 TAKING CARE OF MY HOUSE
- 3 DON'T LIKE PAYING BILLS
- 3 HOME REPAIRS
- 3 PAYING BILLS
- 3 OUR BIGGEST PROBLEM WAS OUR RENT FOR OUR MOBILE HOME.
- 3 RISING COST OF FOOD & SERVICES
- 3 LIVING EXPENSES
- 3 MORTGAGE
- 3 COST OF LIVING
- 3 WORRY WE CAN'T MAKE OUR BILLS
- 3 GETTING ASSISTANCE WITH UTILITIES

3 PAYING THE HOUSE OFF
3 UNABLE TO REFINANCE MORTGAGE DUE TO INSUFFICIENT INCOME.
3 THE RENT IS TOO HIGH, AND MORE THAN USUAL \$525
3 TIGHT BUDGET LIVING EXPENSES (NO MARGIN FOR EMERGENCIES)
3 NOT ENOUGH MONEY TO HELP TO PAY MORTGAGE & FOOD.
3 HOA IN A RENTAL PROPERTY, I CO-OWNED.
3 NOT BEING APPROVED FOR SECTION 8
3 MORTGAGE PAYMENT
3 ENOUGH MONEY TO MAKE EXPENSES
3 INCREASING GAS PRICES
3 TO PAY RENT TOO MUCH FOR SENIOR
3 HOW TO PAY MY MORTGAGE/INSURANCE
3 CALIFORNIA HAS TAKEN 3 OF 4 COST OF LIVING INCREASES (SSI)
3 MONTHLY BILLS
3 RENT
3 FINISH PAYING THE HOUSE
3 REPLACING ELDERLY CARS IN PRESENT ECONOMY
3 NOT ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY BILLS.
3 PAYING MORTGAGE
3 COST OF LIVING, ESPECIALLY AT RETIREMENT
3 CONTINUING INCREASE IN COST OF GASOLINE, FOOD, HOUSING.
3 THE RENT GOING UP EVERY YEAR
3 LESS FOOD MONEY
3 PAYING RENT
3 BILLS
3 PAYING BILLS, GETTING GROCERIES & GAS.
3 CONTINUING TO PAY THE MORTGAGE
3 GAS PRICES
3 RUN AWAY COST OF LIVING ON A FIXED INCOME
3 RENT & MEDICATIONS
3 PAYING BILLS & OWING MONEY TO FAMILY & FRIENDS
3 THE PRICE OF GAS & FOOD
3 I HAD A STROKE & CAN'T PAY MY BILLS, ESPECIALLY SPACE RENT FOR MOBILE
HOME
3 PAYING OFF DEBT ON HOUSE
3 FINANCIALLY MEETING OUR OBLIGATIONS
3 WOULD LIKE SOME MONEY FOR HOME IMPROVEMENT AND TRAVEL
3 HOW TO PAY MY MORTGAGE
3 HIGH UTILITIES BILLS
3 GAS PRICES
3 FUEL COSTS
3 MORTGAGE PAYMENT
3 PAYING 2 MORTGAGES
3 DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY THE RENT AND FOOD
3 HOME REPAIRS - FINDING RELIABLE & AFFORDABLE PERSONS
3 HIGH PRICE OF GASOLINE
3 JUST MEETING MY BILLS (THANK GOD)
3 MAKING MONEY STRETCH TO PAY BILLS - NOT HAVING TO WORRY
3 BIG AMOUNT PAID TO THE RETIREMENT CENTER. I DON'T GET CREDIT
3 HIGH HOUSING COSTS

- 3 WATER AND UTILITIES RATES
- 3 RISING ENERGY PRICES
- 3 COST OF LIVING
- 3 VEHICLE
- 3 UNABLE TO KEEP UP MY HOME REPAIRS
- 3 UNABLE TO HAVE HOUSE PROBLEMS FIXED DUE TO COST
- 3 UNABLE TO AFFORD HOUSE FIX UP
- 3 THE PRICE OF ELECTRICITY, NATURAL GAS & GASOLINE
- 3 THE HIGH COST OF UTILITIES.
- 3 TERMITE REPAIRS TO HOME
- 3 STANDARD OF LIVING
- 3 SHOULD NOT HAVE TO PAY FOR RE-WIRE TO GET CABLE
- 3 RISING COST OF LIVING
- 3 REPLACING SOME HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES
- 3 REPAIRS (ROOF, ETC.) & NECESSARY REPLACEMENTS ON APPLIANCES, HEATHER, ETC.
- 3 PROPERTY VALUES OF WHAT I OWN ARE UPSIDE DOWN-A HUGE LOSS OF MONEY I HAD PLANNED TO RETIRE ON
- 3 PRICES FOR FOOD & GAS GOES UP MY BENEFITS DON'T MATCH THE YEAR'S INCREASE.
- 3 PRICE OF GASOLINE
- 3 PRICE OF GAS, GROCERIES
- 3 PRICE OF FOOD AND GAS
- 3 PAYING THE BILLS
- 3 PAYING MY MORTGAGE
- 3 PAYING BILLS
- 3 PAY MY MORTGAGE
- 3 NO MONEY FOR TRAVEL & HOME IMPROVEMENTS
- 3 NO FAMILY HOME AVAILABLE AND COMMUNITY FEE OR RENTAL OF SPACE SO HIGH.
- 3 MORTGAGE FOR NOW OK-SOON WILL NOT BE EASY.
- 3 MAJOR HOME REPAIRS
- 3 MAINTAINING LARGE HOUSE
- 3 INCREASING FOOD PRICES
- 3 HOW TO PAY MY CAR INSURANCE
- 3 HIGH UTILITY BILLS
- 3 HIGH FOOD PRICES
- 3 HIGH COST OF HOME REPAIRS
- 3 HAVING ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY BILLS AND NONE LEFT FOR PLEASURE.
- 3 GASOLINE COSTS WAY UP
- 3 GAS PRICES
- 3 FUNDS FOR AUTO REPAIR
- 3 FOOD
- 3 FINDING AFFORDABLE MAINTENANCE & SMALL JOB HELP SAFELY
- 3 FINDING A WAY TO REFINANCE MY MORTGAGE (FROM 6%) TO A LOWER RATE.
- 3 EXPENSES IE. AUTO REPAIRS, HEALTH, PROP. TAX & AUTO REPAIRS STRAIN BUDGET
- 3 EXPENSES
- 3 COST OF LIVING INCREASE EACH YR, PRICES ON EVERYTHING KEPT GOING UP!
- 3 COST OF GASOLINE
- 3 CONTINUING INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING AND NO INCREASE IN INCOME LEVEL
- 3 COMPLETAR PARA PAGAR RENTA Y GASTOS
- 3 COL (COST OF LIVING)

- 3 BILLS
- 3 AFRAID THAT OUR EXPENSES WILL NOT BE COVERED.
- 3 AFFORDING THE RENT FOR MY RV/TRAILER SHOULD IT INCREASE OR IF I HAVE TO MOVE
- 3 WOULD LIKE TO GET ANOTHER PART TIME JOB
- 3 THIS IS THE 2ND TIME YOU SENT ONE OF THESE.
- 3 I'M GETTING HELP WITH HOUSE KEEPING.
- 3 COULD USE SOME MORE INCOME. SSI IS \$830.40/MONTH. I SHOULD BE RECEIVING \$917.40 PER MONTH
- 3 MY HOME IS IN FORECLOSURE
- 3 MOST CONCERNED ABOUT AFFORDABLE SENIOR RESIDENCES/ASSISTED LIVING ETC. THE ABILITY TO FIND AFFORDABLE IN HOME CARE.
- 3 I AM THE ONLY ONE RETIRED. MY WIFE WORKS WITH MEDICAL BENEFITS FOR THE BOTH OF US. THE FUTURE HEALTH BENEFITS AND INCOME MIGHT BE A PROBLEM.
- 3 RISING COST OF LIVING IN CALIFORNIA, RISING GAS PRICES WE ALMOST CANNOT AFFORD.
- 3 LIVING SEMI-COMFORTABLY IN OLD AGE.
- 3 A SUPPLEMENT FOR RENT-EVEN 30% WOULD HELP - AFFORDABLE HOUSING SEEMS TO BE FAR FROM A TOWN.
- 3 I HOPE THERE IS A LAW FOR MOBILE HOME FOR SENIOR LOW INCOME RENT
- 3 IN DIRE NEED OF RENT CONTROL FOR SENIORS IN THIS TOWN.
- 3 SECT 8 OWNER WILL NOT LET US HAVE DISH ANTENNA ON ROOF FOR MORE AFFORDABLE TV PRICE.
- 3 OVERALL THINGS ARE ALRIGHT AT THIS POINT. COST OF LIVING WORRIES ME.
- 3 NEED MORE SINGLE LEVEL HOUSING. NEED MORE LEGAL INLAW UNITS IN CITIES. NEED BETTER BUS SERVICE IN THE COUNTY SUBURBS ESPECIALLY IN CARMEL VALLEY.
- 4 MI INGRESO ECONOMICO, TODO MUY CARO!
- 4 LIVING ON WORKER COMP ONLY PAYS 2/3 OF NORMAL WAGES. I'M SPENDING MY SAVINGS
- 4 RETIREMENT PLANNING
- 4 BALANCING CONSULTANT WORK W/RETIREMENT DREAMS
- 4 CONCERN THAT I WILL OUT LIVE MY RETIREMENT INCOME
- 4 CONCERN ABOUT FINANCES FOR RETIREMENT
- 4 CONCERNED ABOUT BEING ABLE TO RETIRE COMFORTABLY
- 4 OUTLIVING MY SAVINGS
- 4 RETIREMENT
- 4 AFTER RETIREMENT CAN I AFFORD TO LIVE COMFORTABLY W/O WORKING PART-TIME
- 4 NOT ENOUGH MONEY FOR MORE TRIPS
- 4 BEING FRUGAL ALL MY LIFE AND NOW ALL THE FUNDS WILL BE DEPLETED.
- 4 INCOME (LOW)
- 4 LOWERED INCOME DUE TO BUSINESS SLOWDOWN
- 4 DON'T SEEM TO BE ABLE TO SAVE MONEY ANYMORE
- 4 COST OF GASOLINE & FOOD. PHYSICAL HEALTH & MENTAL HEALTH.
- 4 WORRY ABOUT FUTURE FINANCES FOR MYSELF AND HUSBAND
- 4 WORRY ABOUT MONEY
- 4 DEPENDENCE ON FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM SON
- 4 CAN I AFFORD RETIREMENT?
- 4 WHERE TO GET VACATION MONEY
- 4 WILL MY SAVINGS LAST ALL MY LIFE

- 4 MY HUSBAND 64 IS UNDEREMPLOYED-INCOME CANNOT PAY OUR BILLS, HAVE TO PAY INS.
- 4 DON'T HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY THE RENT
- 4 INSUFICIENT INCOME
- 4 WE HAVE RENTAL PORPERTIES OUT OF STATE THAT CANNOT BE RENTED.
- 4 INVESTMENTS/SAVINGS AREN'T EARNING ENOUGH
- 4 LOW RETURN ON 401K/IRA'S
- 4 NO INCOME FROM SAVINGS
- 4 NEVER ENOUGH MONEY TO COVER EVERYTHING
- 4 MEETING MY MONTHLY OBLIGATIONS
- 4 MAJOR HOME REPAIRS
- 4 NEED OF INCOME
- 4 MONEY
- 4 INCOME
- 4 INCOME
- 4 MONEY TIGHT
- 4 MONEY, WISH I HAVE THE MONEY TO FILL ALL THESE ENVELOPES ASKING FOR DONATION
- 4 LACK OF FUNDS
- 4 I HAVE WORK. SS IS A SUPPLEMENT-NOT ENOUGH SAVINGS IF I LIVE TO 90
- 4 INCOME
- 4 MONEY
- 4 NEED FOR MORE MONEY
- 4 LACK OF ENOUGH INCOME TO PAY BILLS
- 4 MAKING ENOUGH MONEY TO BE ABLE RETIRE AND MAINTAIN QUALITY OF LIFE
- 4 MONEY
- 4 OVERWORKED & UNDERPAID (STATE WORKER)
- 4 HAVING TO WORK SO MANY HOURS
- 4 HAVING TO WORK
- 4 RUNNING OUT OF MONEY
- 4 INCOME
- 4 MAKING MY BILLS ON TIME
- 4 NOT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY FOR PERSONAL THINGS
- 4 INCOME
- 4 WORRYING ALL THE TIME ABOUT LACK OF AMPLE FUNDS
- 4 FINANCIAL PROBLEM
- 4 LACK OF FUNDS TO TRAVEL MORE TO VISIT GRANDCHILDREN.
- 4 OUTLIVING MY BELOW-MODEST INCOME. NOT INTERESTED IN REVERSE MORTGAGE
- 4 INCOME
- 4 EMPLOYMENT/INCOME TOO LITTLE
- 4 GETTING ENOUGH MONEY - LIVING IN CALIFORNIA IS EXPENSIVE
- 4 PAYING FOR OUR FUNERALS
- 4 WANT TO RETIRE BUT CAN'T AFFORD HEALTH CARE INSURANCE
- 4 FINANCIAL FUTURE
- 4 I HAVE NO PROBLEMS; HOWEVER, I WISH I HAD MORE MONEY TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE U.S.
- 4 ECONOMY IMPACT ON INVESTMENT
- 4 NOT HAVING ENOUGH INCOME
- 4 CAN'T AFFORD TO BUY A HOME
- 4 HAVE TO KEEP WORKING

4 BEING ABLE TO KEEP 2 JOBS FOR \$
4 NOT ENOUGH MONEY
4 SOMEWHAT CONCERNED WITH THE ABILITY TO EARN ENOUGH TO COVER EXPENSES
4 INCOME
4 MY HUSBAND IS 77 & HAS HEARING DIFFICULTY, WE CAN'T AFFORD HEARING AIDES.
4 TO TRAVEL \$ OR VOLUNTEER
4 NOT ABLE TO AFFORD TO STAY IN OUR HOME
4 BE CAREFUL OF SPENDING MY MONEY
4 MAKING ENDS MEET
4 HAVING ENOUGH MONEY WHEN I HAVE TO STOP WORKING.
4 WITH MEDICAL, FAMILY AND SOCIAL SECURITY I GET BY
4 LOSS OF INCOME WHEN I RETIRE
4 WORKING 2 JOBS
4 RECESSION - LOSS OF SAVINGS
4 MAKING ENOUGH MONEY TO AFFORD TRAVEL
4 NEED MORE FINANCES
4 WORRY ABOUT NOT RUNNING OUT OF MONEY IN THE FUTURE SHOULD SSI BE LOST.
4 WORKING FOR NEED OF MONEY
4 WORK INCOME RATE
4 TO MAKE THE MORTGAGE AND THIS IS DIFFICULT TO DEAL WITH.
4 SECURITIES ARE DIMINISHING
4 SAVING & INVESTMENTS TOOK TERRIBLE RECESSION HIT.
4 RUNNING OUT OF MONEY
4 RUNNING OUT OF MONEY
4 RETIRED BUT WORK PART TIME & I COULD USE MORE WORK
4 POR MI EDAD CREO QUE YA NO PUEDO TRABAJAR 40 HRS.
4 NOT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY TO ALWAYS TAKE CARE OF THE EXPENSES
4 NOT HAVING ENOUGH INCOME FOR A NORMAL LIFE
4 NOT ENOUGH MONEY TO DO THE THINGS I LIKE
4 NOT BEING ABLE TO HAVE MY CAR SERVICED PROPERLY DUE TO MONEY & ISSUES
4 NOT BEING ABLE TO AFFORD HEALTH COVERAGE
4 NO EXTRA MONEY
4 NEED SHOES
4 NEED MORE INCOME
4 MY SHRINKING RESOURCES
4 MY FIXED INCOME DOES NOT KEEP UP WITH THE ABOVE.
4 MONEY
4 MONEY
4 MONEY
4 MAKING ENDS MEET ON FIXED INCOME
4 LOSING MY INCOME
4 LIVE ON MY INCOME
4 INCOME LEVEL, U.S. EVER INCREASING COSTS.
4 INCOME
4 INCOME
4 I HOPE THE SOCIAL SECURITY EVERY YEAR ROSE
4 GETTING ANNUALLY PRICED INSURANCE FOR FAMILY
4 FUTURE INCOME
4 FUTURE \$ CONCERNS
4 FINANCIAL FUTURE. HOW MUCH LONGER I NEED TO WORK TO BE FINANCIALLY

SECURE

- 4 EXPENSES - MY DAUGHTER PAYS 90% OF OUR MONTHLY BILLS.
- 4 DIPPING INTO SAVINGS TO MAINTAIN MODEST LIFESTYLE
- 4 COULD USE A LITTLE MORE MONEY
- 4 COST OF TRANSPORTATION
- 4 COST OF FOOD/GAS
- 4 COST OF EVERYTHING
- 4 CONSISTANT INCOME
- 4 CAN'T RETIRE HERE BECAUSE OF RENT/CAN'T AFFORD TO MOVE MY HOUSE
- 4 CAN'T AFFORD TO STOP WORRYING W/LONG COMMUTE
- 4 CAN'T AFFORD TO GO TO THE OPERA
- 4 CAN'T AFFORD HELP OR PLACE FOR MY MOTOR HOME
- 4 CAN NO LONGER AFFORD OPERA TICKETS
- 4 CABLE \$65 A MONTH, NO DISCOUNTS. CAN'T PAY, I'M STUCK ON CHANNELS 2-22
- 4 ALWAYS SHORT OF MONEY
- 4 AFFORDABLE HOUSING
- 4 TO NEED TO GET A WILL/TRUST DONE. I AM BLESSED AND KNOW IT!
- 5 CANCER DESARROLLADO
- 5 VEJEZ Y PERDER DIA A DIA LA VITALIDAD
- 5 MIS DOLORES DE ARTRITIS
- 5 INFECCION DE VEJIGA
- 5 ENFERMEDAD. CANCER DE MAMA AHORA EN REMISION
- 5 CANSANCIO Y DOLOR EN MIS HUESOS
- 5 ESTOY BIEN PUES TENGO MEDICAL Y MEDICARE POR LO QUE PUEDO CURAR ENFERMEDADES

- 5 LIVING TOO LONG
- 5 DIABETIC
- 5 A MEDICAL PROBLEM THAT IS GRADUALLY IMPROVING
- 5 DIAGNOSED W/ALZHEIMERS 1 1/2 YEARS AGO
- 5 LACK OF SLEEP AT NIGHT
- 5 WEIGHT (EATING PROBLEMS COMPULSIVE EATING)
- 5 PAIN, PAIN, PAIN
- 5 I HAVE A LIFE ALERT PENDANT & MACHINE
- 5 HIP REPLACEMENT 1 1/2 YRS AGO - NO PROBLEM EXCEPT ON LENGTHY WALKS.
- 5 NOT ORGANIZED OR READY FOR RETIREMENT FINANCIALLY OR INSIDE HOUSEHOLD.
- 5 DENTAL CARE
- 5 LACK OF VISION AND DEPRESSION
- 5 ORTHOPEDIC ISSUES
- 5 SLOWLY PROGRESSING PARKINSON'S
- 5 HEALTH CONCERNS FOR MYSELF AND MY HUSBAND
- 5 LACK OF ENERGY
- 5 HAVE PROSTATE CANCER
- 5 HAVE PROSTATE CANCER
- 5 PAIN FROM BACK OF NECK, SHOULDER, HIP, KNEES & ANKLES AND CHEST PAIN
- 5 WHEN I AM SICK
- 5 ARTHRITIS
- 5 BACK PAIN
- 5 HEARING
- 5 DIABETES
- 5 RIGHT ARM IS NOT USEABLE

5 SORE FEET
5 BLIND
5 I AM A SK AMPUTEE (RIGHT LEG) & HAVE HAD 2 RIGHT SHOULDER REPLACEMENT
SURG.
5 THINNING GREY HAIR
5 OLD AGE
5 FRAGILITY. IE: AGE; LONELINESS
5 HEARING - WEAR 2 HEARING AIDS
5 PHYSICAL DISABILITIES
5 MEDICAL CONCERNS
5 HEALTH
5 GETTING OLDER
5 ENFERMEDAD
5 HEALTH
5 PROSTATE CANCER
5 HEALTH. VISION PROBLEMS. NIGHTTIME FREEWAY DRIVING
5 BACK PROBLEMS
5 EMPHYSEMA (SHORTNESS OF BREATH)
5 HARDENING OF ARTERIES
5 MY HEALTH MAY DETERIORATE
5 BACK PAIN
5 DISABLED-POLIO; INCREASING MEDICAL PROBLEMS
5 DETERIORATING HEALTH
5 ARTHRITIS PAIN
5 SLOW RECOVERY FROM 3 RECENT BACK SURGERIES
5 SOME SMALL HEALTH ISSUES
5 SLEEP
5 HAVING CHEST PAIN & PALPITATIONS THAT HINDER ME TO DO WORK.
5 CHRONIC ILLNESS
5 RECOVERING FROM CANCER TREATMENT
5 DEGENERATIVE DISC DISEASE
5 PERSONAL HEALTH
5 MEDICAL PROBLEMS-HEARING, LEFT SHOULDER, BOTH KNEES AND VASCULAR
5 THE HEALTH: DIABETES - HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE - ALLERGIES
5 CANCER
5 MEDICAL
5 ARTHRITIS
5 HAVE A BAD BACK
5 GETTING OLDER
5 POOR HEALTH
5 NEUROPATHY
5 HAVE PROSTATE CANCER
5 MY PHYSICAL HEALTH: DIABETIC, HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE ETC.
5 INCREASING PROBLEMS OF "OLD AGE"
5 MEDICAL-FOR NOW OK-SOON WILL NOT BE EASY.
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 HEART PROBLEMS
5 HEALTH
5 NEUROPATH (LEGS)

5 LOWER BACK
5 NORMAL AGING BOYD. JOINTS
5 EXTREME HEALTH PROBLEMS/AORTIC VALVE REPLACEMENT
5 GETTING OLDER EACH DAY.
5 RECENT MEDICAL PROBLEMS - CANCER
5 ARTHRITIS ON MY LEFT KNEE
5 GETTING OLD
5 ARTHRITIS - VERTIGO
5 HEALTH DEGENERATION
5 BAD BACK. HOPEFULLY IT WILL BE CORRECTED BY OPERATION FEB. 14 2012
5 LIMITED EYE SIGHT. MACULAR DEGENERATION
5 HEARING DIFFICULTIES
5 SHOULDER ISSUES
5 OLD AGE
5 BACK PAIN
5 DIFFICULTY HEARING
5 HEALTH CONDITIONS
5 CHRONIC COUGH
5 NEED FOR REASONABLE HOME HEALTH AIDE IN THE FUTURE.
5 BODY PRODUCING INSUFFICIENT OXYGEN (OFFSET BY EQUIPMENT)
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 I HAVE COPD & ASTHMA, CAN BE SCARY AT TIMES
5 COPD
5 HEARING LOSS
5 MEDICAL
5 NOT BEING ABLE TO SEE (BLIND)
5 BEING OLD
5 CHEWING FOOD, FEWER TEETH
5 HAVING A HEARING PROBLEM
5 CHRONIC BACK PAIN
5 HEART PROBLEM
5 HEALTH ISSUES
5 HEALTH ISSUES
5 HEALTH (SEX)
5 MEDICAL CARE
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 KIDNEY FUNCTION
5 I WORRY THAT I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO STAY LIVING ALONE.
5 PROSTATE CANCER. PROSTATE REMOVED. HIP BAD
5 RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS - MAJOR IMPACT IN MY LIFE
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 WEIGHT
5 PHYSICAL PAIN
5 GETTING OLD
5 MY EYE SIGHT
5 ARTHRITIS

5 EYE SIGHT
5 CANCER
5 FATIGUE - UNABLE TO KEEP HOME CLEAN
5 PAIN
5 DECLINING STRENGTH
5 HEALTH CARE
5 MEDICAL NEEDS
5 HEALTH ISSUES
5 STENOSIS OF THE SPINE
5 SWALLOWING PROBLEMS
5 DETERIORATING HEALTH
5 HEALTH PROBLEMS
5 SHOULDER ARTHRITIS
5 SLOWLY ADVANCING PARKINSONS
5 ENERGY (MINE)
5 STAYING UPBEAT AS I BATTLE TERMINAL CANCER
5 HEALTH
5 ON GOING POST SHINGLES PAIN
5 DOLOR EN LAS RODILLAS
5 POST HERPETIC NEURALGIA (SHINGLES PAIN)
5 DIZZINESS & HEADACHE
5 LUNG CANCER
5 SALUD
5 FAILING EYESIGHT
5 BAD BACK
5 BAD LOWER BACK
5 TROUBLE BREATHING, I AM ON OXYGEN.
5 SLEEPING WELL
5 BAD KNEES
5 LOWER BACK PROBLEMS (HAD OPERATIONS)
5 GETTING OLD
5 ACHES & PAINS
5 MEDICAL: ARTHRITIS NO CURE/COLITIS NO CURE
5 MY HEALTH - HEART - G.I.
5 HEALTH
5 INSOMNIA
5 SIGHT
5 HEALTH
5 ARTHRITIS
5 HEALTH/WEIGHT ISSUES
5 HEALTH, IN SEVERE BACK PAIN. USE WALKER W/WHEELS TO GET AROUND.
5 I HAD A STROKE AND CANNOT DRIVE BECAUSE OF IT. MAJOR BACK PROBLEMS.
5 HEALTH ISSUES & LOSING RENT CONTROL
5 HEALTH ISSUES & BEING BROKE ON SSI
5 LACK OF THE ENERGY THAT I USED HAVE
5 ARTHRITIS
5 BEING 90
5 BRAIN STEM DAMAGE
5 HEALTH
5 PAIN FROM ARTHRITIS

5 PHYSICAL PAIN
5 TENGO ALTA PRESION
5 I'M A CANCER PATIENT, HOWEVER WITH MY STRONG FAITH IN GOD, I'M SURVIVING
5 CAN'T SEE VERY WELL
5 WHETHER TO HAVE KNEE SURGERY OR TRY STEM CELL THERAPY
5 BEING MADE TO FEEL OLD - LIKE GETTING THIS SURVEY!
5 BACK PAIN (HOWEVER JUST GOT NEW MATTRESS TO HELP)
5 I HAVE HEALTH PROBLEMS THAT OCCASIONALLY GET ME DOWN
5 MINOR, BUT TREATABLE, HEALTH ISSUES
5 SOME ARTHRITIS & FOOT PROBLEMS
5 MACULAR DEGENERATION, NOT SERIOUS YET.
5 BACK PAIN & KNEE AND JOINTS PROBLEMS
5 HEALTH ISSUES
5 FEAR THAT I WON'T BE ABLE TO TAKE CARE OF MYSELF.
5 NEUROPATHY IN FEET AND HANDS
5 HEALTH-RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS
5 HEALTH
5 MY HEALTH
5 BEING OLD
5 OCCASIONAL LACK OF SLEEP
5 HEALTH - BAD BACK
5 HEALTH
5 POTENTIAL FUTURE SURGERY FOR ABDOMINAL AORTIC ANEURYSM
5 BAD KNEES
5 MY ARTHRITIS. SPINAL STENOSIS
5 HEART
5 KNEE REPLACEMENTS
5 HEALTH
5 BACK PAIN
5 HEARING
5 MY HEALTH
5 MY ARTHRITIS AND OSTEOPOROSIS
5 GROWING OLD
5 GETTING OLD
5 BALANCE
5 KNEES
5 LOW BACK DISCOMFORT
5 BACK PROBLEMS WHEN LIFTING
5 PROBLEM SLEEPING
5 MY HUSBAND & I ARE LIKE OLD CARS. EVERYTIME WE GO TO THE DOCTOR HE FINDS MORE
THINGS WRONG
5 ARTHRITIS
5 HEALTH ISSUES FROM CANCER TREATMENTS
5 BEING A DIABETIC
5 BACK PAIN
5 HAND TREMOR
5 HEARING - I CAN ONLY HEAR 20%
5 ALWAYS FEELING TIRED
5 EL OJO IZQUIERDO NO ME SIRVE Y EN EL DERECHO TENGO GLAUCOMA
5 CHRONIC BACK PAIN FOR FEMALE

5 MEDICAL. RLS. LACK OF ENERGY
5 OLD AGE
5 SINUS HEADACHES
5 HEALTH
5 MY BACK ISSUE
5 HEALTH
5 HEALTH
5 I HAVE FERRONYLSIA AND BACK & NECK PAIN
5 MI SALUD
5 SALUD
5 EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS IN MARRIAGE
5 ARTHRITIS Y OSTOPOROSIS. GASTRITIS Y ANSIEDAD
5 LA SALUD
5 GETTING OLD
5 HEARING LOSS
5 ARTHRITIS
5 BURN KNEE
5 MOTIVATION TO GET THINGS DONE. NO DEADLINE - NO RESULTS
5 PAIN
5 HEALTH
5 ISSUES I HAVE WITH TESTRICTINE LUNG DISEASE
5 ARTHRITIS
5 AGING & HEALTH PROBLEMS
5 HEARING & UNDERSTANDING
5 HEALTH CARE
5 AGE - 94
5 PRESCRIPTIONS
5 BACK PROBLEMS
5 VISUAL LOSS. I AM LEGALLY BLIND BUT ADJUSTED
5 NONE - GROWING OLD MAYBE
5 LESS ENERGY
5 CELIAC SPRUE DISEASE
5 AGING
5 30 LBS OVERWEIGHT
5 CONSTANT DIZZINESS
5 ARTHRITIS - BACK PAIN
5 NORMAL AGING EFFECTS ON BODY
5 GENERAL HEALTH
5 NECK
5 GETTING OLDER
5 SOME HEALTH ISSUES
5 MACULAR DEGENERATION
5 SALUD
5 WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO GET ANOTHER SET OF DENTURES AND WITH COMPUTER
5 WORRY ABOUT FUTURE HEALTH FOR MYSELF AND HUSBAND
5 WORRIED ABOUT FUTURE & HEALTH
5 WHEN THE PAIN FROM MY LEG STARTS AND GOES UP TO MY HIPS
5 WEIGHT
5 WEAKNESS
5 VISION - CATARACTS

5 VISION
5 TIREDNESS
5 THE SPEEDING UP OF THE PASSAGE OF TIME
5 SORE FEET
5 SINUS PROBLEMS
5 SHORTNESS OF BREATH
5 SCIATICA
5 RIGHT ARM HAS NERVE DAMAGE & IS ONLY ABOUT 10% USABLE
5 REPLACING BAD PACEMAKER
5 REDUCTION IN PHYSICAL STRENGTH & JOINT DISCOMFORT
5 POOR HEARING TO MAKE & TO RECEIVE COMMUNICATION BY PHONE.
5 POOR EYESIGHT
5 POOR EYE SIGHT
5 PHYSICAL PAIN AND PHYSICAL LIABILITIES FROM INSURE
5 PAIN IN THE LEGS
5 PAIN CONTROL
5 PAIN
5 PAIN
5 OUR DENTAL, VISUAL AND EAR PROBLEM NEED SOME ADDITIONAL HELP
5 OLD AGE
5 OLD AGE
5 NOT ENOUGH ENERGY FOR EVERYTHING I WANT TO DO.
5 MY OWN HEALTH
5 MY LIVER
5 MY HEALTH
5 MY FREQUENCY OF URINATION
5 MOTIVATION TO BE ACTIVE
5 MINOR HEALTH ISSUES
5 MINOR ACHES & PAINS FROM YOUTHFUL SPORTING INJURIES
5 MIGRAINE
5 MEDICAL/DENTAL/VISION
5 MEDICAL ISSUES
5 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
5 MAINTAINING HEALTH
5 MAINTAINING A NORMAL BLOOD PRESSURE.
5 LOWER BACK PAIN
5 LOSS OF APPETITE
5 LEGALLY BLIND
5 LACK OF ENERGY
5 JOINT PAINS
5 JOINT PAIN
5 INTERMITTENT SHOULDER PAIN
5 INCONTINENCE
5 ILLNESS
5 I WISH THERE WAS A DERMATOLOGIST & OTHER SPECIALISTS IN RAMONA
5 HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE
5 HEART PROBLEMS
5 HEART
5 HEARING LOSS
5 HEARING LOSS

5 HEARING AIDES
5 HEARING
5 HEALTH PROVIDER
5 HEALTH PROBLEMS
5 HEALTH ISSUES ARTHRITIS/ASTHMA ETC.
5 HEALTH ISSUES
5 HEALTH (LIVING ALONE)
5 HEALTH
5 HAVING TO TAKE A LOT OF MEDS
5 HAVE DIABETES - IT IS UNDER CONTROL
5 HAVE COPD
5 GETTING OLD
5 GETTING OLD
5 FUTURE MEDICAL PROBLEMS - NONE NOW.
5 FINDING A DOCTOR WHO CAN HELP WITH MEDICAL PROBLEM
5 FIBROMYALGIA
5 FAILURE OF MEDICAL CARE TO IMPROVE KNEE PROBLEMS
5 FAILING EYE SIGHT
5 EXTREMELY DRY EYES & OTHER EYE PROBLEMS
5 EATING
5 EAR RINGING AND VERTIGO
5 DIZZINESS
5 DIZZINESS
5 DISEASE
5 DISABILITIES
5 DIALYSIS/DIABETES
5 DIABETES (BUT UNDER CONTROL)
5 DIABETES
5 DIABETES
5 DENTAL WORK
5 DENTAL NEEDS
5 DENTAL CARE
5 DENTAL
5 DEFECTIVE HEART VALVE
5 DEALING WITH PAIN & DISCOMFORT FROM HAVING BOTH KNEES REPLACED
5 CORONARY DISEASE
5 CONSTIPATION
5 CONCERNED ABOUT HEALTH & AGING & NOT SEEING MY FAMILY ENOUGH.
5 COMPLICATIONS FROM FALLS & INJURIES, ARTHRITIS, BEING TOO BUSY.
5 CARDIAC CONDITION
5 BODY PAIN ESPECIALLY AT MY KNEES
5 BLADDER CANCER
5 BEING IN PAIN AND TAKING PAIN MEDICINE

5 BAD LEFT KNEE
5 BAD KNEES
5 BAD KIDNEYS. 1 KIDNEY WORKS AT 20%; OTHER NOT WORKING
5 BAD FEET
5 BACK PROBLEMS
5 BACK PAIN
5 BACK PAIN
5 BACK PAIN
5 BACK PAIN
5 ATHEROSCLEROSIS
5 AS I AGE HEALTH CARE & HEALTH PERSONAL CARE & HOUSEKEEPING
5 ARTHRITIS, KNEE PAIN
5 ARTHRITIS PAIN
5 ARTHRITIS IN HANDS AND SCIATIA IN RIGHT LEG
5 ARTHRITIS - ALL JOINTS
5 ARTHRITIS
5 ARTHRITIS
5 ARTHRITIS
5 ARTHRITIS
5 ALWAYS TIRED
5 ALCOHOLISM
5 ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION
5 ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION TOO GREAT
5 AGENT ORANGE EFFECTS FROM VIETNAM
5 AGE
5 ACHES & PAINS
6 NO ME GUSTARIA PARAR EN UN ASILO, NO SABRIA TOMAR MEDICAMENTOS, NO SE LEER.
6 BATH
6 SOURCES FOR SENIORS TO FIND JOBS IF WILLING TO WORK.
6 DISILLUSIONMENT
6 I GET SAD WHEN MY RENTERS DON'T PAY RENT.
6 CONCERN ABOUT NEIGHBORS THAT GOSSIP & CREATE DESTRUCTIVE PROBLEMS
6 HOW MUCH LONGER CAN I GO ON AS NOW-WITH GOOD HEALTH-FAIR INCOME.
6 MY FUTURE OF THE USA (THE FUTURE OF USA)
6 YO SOLO QUERIA LOS PRIMEROS DIAS DESPUES DE LA CIRUGIA.
6 WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF I BECOME INCAPABLE OF CARING FOR MYSELF?
6 TO SHARE THE FRONT BEDROOM IN MY TOWN HOME WITH THEIR DAD.
6 SCAMS OF ANY TYPE - THE USUAL VICTIMS ARE THE ELDERLY
6 POLITICAL CORRECTNESS - WHO ARE YOU FOOLING?
6 DOG GROOMING
6 READ
6 THE FUTURE
6 GETTING OLD!
6 OFF ROAD VEHICLES IN AREA.
6 HOUSE CLEANING
6 QUESTIONNAIRES
6 TURNING KING SIZE MATTRESS
6 DOING LAUNDRY
6 DOING HOUSE WORK

6 TRASH NEIGHBORS
6 SLOTH
6 MY NEIGHBOR - DIED 18 MAY AND COMEBACK TO LIFE 20 MAY
6 GANG ACTIVITY
6 APPETITE AND CHOICE OF FOOD TO EAT.
6 NOT ENOUGH TIME FOR EVERYTHING I WANT TO DO.
6 NOT ABLE TO COOK
6 YO FUI A LA ESCUELA HASTA 4 TO GRADO DE PRIMARIA.
6 WORK LOAD.
6 ENGLISH SKILL
6 I CAN'T TAKE CARE OF MYSELF AND NEED MY DAUGHTER'S HELP.
6 GETTING COMMITTED TO TOO MAY ACTIVITIES
6 COOKING
6 TOO BUSY
6 NO EDUCATION, CANNOT WRITE OR READ GOOD.
6 NO ACCESS TO LEGAL SERVICES TO SUE MY LENDER
6 MANAGING & BALANCING MY EXERCISE SCHEDULE
6 YARD MAINTENANCE
6 GETTING MY HOUSE WORK DONE
6 NOT BEING ABLE TO GO TO MY CHURCH MTG IN PEACE.
6 NEED MORE VACATIONS
6 LACK OF TIME
6 WEATHER
6 PROBABILITY OF BEING SCAMMED
6 DEALING WITH WORKMEN I HIRE.
6 FILLING OUT QUESTIONNAIRES!
6 MAJOR HOME REPAIRS-FINDING TIME TO WORK ON, OR RELIABLE CONTRACTORS.
6 BATTERY BY NEIGHBORS
6 GETTING RID OF LIFELONG ACQUISITIONS-TOOLS ETC.
6 GETTING A CITY PERMIT FOR MUD SLIDE.
6 MINDLESS, USELESS, WASTEFUL PROJECTS LIKE THIS.
6 DEALING WITH THE NEGATIVE EFFECT OF AGE DISCRIMINATION.
6 DON'T LIKE TO COOK ANYMORE. WANT QUALITY PREPARED FOODS
6 SEXUALLY INADEQUATE
6 NOISY NEIGHBORS!
6 EXPOSURE TO ELECTRO MAGNETIC FIELDS
6 FUTURE LONG TERM CARE
6 APPROACHING DEPENDENCE OR INABILITY TO GET AROUND
6 FILLING OUT THE QUESTIONNAIRES
6 AT THIS TIME: THE BATH TUB & LOW COMMODE
6 GETTING MY HOUSE CLEANED
6 UNNECESSARY WORRY!
6 AGEING
6 STUPID & NOSEY NEIGHBOR NEXT DOOR
6 GRAVITY
6 JUST KEEPING UP WITH DAILY LIVING.
6 TWO ACTIVE, STRONG, INTELLIGENT CATS - HALF BENGALS
6 UNABLE TO DO NEEDED WORK
6 BECOMING A "UNIT" (OTHER THAN A PATIENT) AS PROPOSED BY THE HEALTH CARE PLAN

6 GETTING TOO MANY DAMNED REQUEST FOR DONATIONS BY SOLICITORS.
6 LANGUAGE
6 CRIME
6 MY WEIGHT
6 MY INABILITY TO GET THINGS FIXED (ALWAYS)!
6 SHORT-TERM (5 MIN) HELP MOVING THINGS.
6 PEOPLE
6 NOT ENOUGH TIME!
6 HAVING ENOUGH TIME TO FULFILL RESPONSIBILITIES
6 NOT ENOUGH TIME TO DO EVERYTHING I WANT TO DO
6 FINDING TIME TO DO EVERYTHING I WANT TO DO
6 EXCESSIVE SURVEYS (JUST KIDDING)
6 PARKING - DUE TO CAMPERS, SPORTS ARENA EVENTS LACK OF HANDICAP SPACES.
6 NOT MUCH TO LOOK FORWARD TO
6 TIME TO ENJOY ALL LIFE'S BLESSINGS
6 SOMETIMES FEAR OF THE FUTURE
6 ABUSED CHILDREN AND WOULD LIKE OFFENDER ARRESTED
6 BEING A CARE GIVER
6 WORRY ABOUT NOT BEING ABLE TO CARE FOR MYSELF.
6 FINDING TRUSTWORTHY REPAIR SERVICES
6 HAVING ENOUGH HOURS IN A DAY TO COMPLETE ALL THE CHORES I WISH DONE.
6 NEIGHBOR'S DOGS BARKING
6 FEAR OF HOME INVASION
6 GOLF SCORES ARE TOO HIGH!
6 CLEANING UP HOUSE
6 FUTURE
6 JUNK MAIL - LIKE THIS
6 YARD UPKEEP
6 WRITER'S BLOCK
6 WRITE
6 WORRY ABOUT CARING FOR MYSELF
6 WHERE TO GO ON VACATION NEXT.
6 UNLAWFUL CASINO NEXT DOOR.
6 TOO BUSY - ENOUGH LEISURE TIME
6 TIRE MORE EASILY
6 TELEMARKETERS
6 TAKING TRASH CAN DOWN STEP DRIVEWAY
6 TAKING OUT TRASH
6 TAKING CARE OF SELF IN MY HOME
6 TAKING CARE OF MYSELF WHEN OLDER
6 TAKING CARE OF EVERYTHING ELSE.
6 SOME VISION TROUBLE
6 SHOPPING
6 SELFISHNESS
6 RESPITE
6 PROPERTY VALUE
6 PEOPLE OF DIFFERENT CULTURES NOT OBEYING CURRENT LAWS/ETHICS
6 PAPER WORK REGARDING ABOVE DEATH
6 OLD AGE
6 NOT KEEPING UP WITH THE NEW TECHNICAL AGE.

6 NOT ENOUGH TIME TO DO ALL THAT I WANT TO DO.
 6 NOT ENOUGH TIME FOR MYSELF.
 6 NO TIME FOR MYSELF
 6 NO SEX
 6 NO HELP TO DO THE HOUSEHOLD WORK
 6 NEED ASSISTANCE
 6 MY BROTHER DOES NOT HELP AND HE'S A DOCTOR!!
 6 MAINTAINING CLEANLINESS IF BECOME MORE HANDICAP
 6 LACK OF SERVICES IN RURAL SD COUNTY
 6 LACK OF ENTHUSIASM
 6 KEEPING UP W/TECHNOLOGY
 6 INABILITY TO ACCESS BUSINESS (LENDING) COMMUNITY
 6 I WOULD LOVE TO FIND A GOOD, DEPENDABLE HANDYMAN.
 6 HOPE TO AGE GRACEFULLY
 6 HAVING A CONVERSATION WITH MY HUSBAND.
 6 HAULING
 6 HANDLING SHOPPING, DOCTOR VISITS ETC.
 6 HABLAR POR TELEFONO PORQUE MI PRONUNCIACION NO ES MUY BUENA.
 6 GOING TO CHURCH AND THE ACTIVITIES ONE INVOLMENT
 6 GETTING OLD - I WISH I WAS LIVING A MORE USEFUL LIFE.
 6 FINDING SOMEONE TO DO THE WORK CORRECTLY & HONESTLY.
 6 FINDING PEOPLE THAT DO A PROPER JOB
 6 FINDING GOOD BEEF.
 6 FINDING ENJOYMENT IN LIFE
 6 FIND GOOD HANDY-MAN AND/OR REPAIR MAN.
 6 FEAR OF DEVASTATING ILLNESS THAT MIGHT OCCUR
 6 DOING LAUNDRY
 6 DEPENDENCE ON OTHERS
 6 CRIME IN SAN DIEGO
 6 COULD USE HELP WITH LEGAL PROBLEMS
 6 COOKING/CLEANING/YARD WORK
 6 CONCERN FOR FUTURE CARE
 6 CLEANING THE HOUSE
 6 BEING INDEPENDENT
 6 AVOIDING FLUORINATED WATER.
 6 ASSIST ANIMAL AGING
 6 ANGER ISSUES
 6 NONE THAT I WISH TO WRITE IN A SURVEY
 6 I HAVE BEEN BLESSED WITH EXCELLENT HEALTH A LOVING FAMILY AND TWO GRANDCHILDREN

 6 ME GUSTARIA ASOCIARME A ALGUN GRUPO DE PERSONAS DE LA TERCERA EDAD PERO NO
 CONOZCO A NADIE QUE ME ORIENTE.
 6 EN OCTUBRE CUMPLE 34 ANOS, SOY CIUDADANA DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS
 6 HOPE SOMEBODY WILL HELP US (OLD PEOPLE) TO TALK TO OWNER OF OCEAN
 BLUFF PLACE.
 6 IT WOULD BE GOOD TO KNOW WHY THIS SURVEY IS BEING CONDUCTED, WHERE YOU GOT THE
 FUNDING FOR IT, AND WHAT WILL HAPPEN WITH THE RESULTS.
 6 HOPEFULLY I WON'T NEED TO BE IN A WHEELCHAIR, WHERE I CAN'T BE
 INDEPENDENT.
 6 THIS IS SECOND RESPONSE

6 I THINK I ANSWERED THIS SURVEY PREVIOUSLY.
6 QUESTION 22 DID NOT REFLECT MY STATUS AS A RETIREE WHO WORKS PART TIME AND ALSO I
TEACH AS A SUBSTITUTE.
6 TRAVEL WAS BENEFICIAL
6 I WANT TO SEE PLACES; BUT SHORT OF MONEY.
6 THIS SURVEY WAS SENT TO MY HUSBAND (81) BUT HE CANNOT READ, WRITE OR SPEAK, SO I
FILLED IT OUT FOR HIM (73).
6 WHERE DOES THIS GO?
6 THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I HEARD ABOUT YOUR ORGANIZATION. PLEASE PUBLISH WHAT KIND OF
SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE.
6 UNEMPLOYMENT & SLOW ECONOMIC GROWTH IS A PROBLEM.
6 GETTING OLD AIN'T FOR WINYSS
6 THIS IS MY SECOND SURVEY
6 I LEFT WORK RECENTLY AND I AM TRYING TO ADJUST TO IT. I WORKED ALL MY LIFE & IT IS A BIG
CHANGE & I HAVE HAD SOME PROBLEMS
6 COUNSEL W/MY RETIREMENT COMMUNITY OFFICIALS
6 I FEEL SORRY FOR OLD PEOPLE WHO ARE POOR AND LONELY
6 PLEASE CONTINUE HELPING PEOPLE WITH LOW INCOME LIKE ME. SOMEDAY I MIGHT ASK HELP

6 CON MI HIJA Y MI NIETA
6 LAW ENFORCEMENT OF NO OUTSIDER PARKER IN OUR AREA ON CHANNEL WAY & HANCOCK.
MOST OF US ARE SENIORS CITIZENS, A LOT WITH HANDICAP STICKERS.
6 YOU SHOULD PROOF READ, LOTS OF MISTAKES.
6 NEED ROVING SECURITY
6 SENIOR SERVICES & RESEARCH DONE FOR ELDERLY PARENTS.
6 CRIME IN FALLBROOK IS RISING AND NEEDS LOOKING INTO (THEFT & PETTY I.E.
GRAFITTI).
6 I AM RETIRED GERIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER
6 IDENTITY THEFT
6 OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN WILL BE PAYING FOR PEOPLE WHO WON'T
WORK.
6 MORE HELP TO OLDER PEOPLE (LEGAL)
6 MAYBE IT'S NOT YET TOO LATE TO BRING ALL MY FAMILY HOME TO OUR CREATOR.
6 MY HOME IS A POTENTIAL "HISTORICAL PROPERTY" SOON TO BE FORECLOSED BY A LENDER
WHOSE DOCUMENTS ARE AT ISSUE.
6 THIS FORM WAS FILLED OUT BY HUSBAND.
6 WHY A LITTLE GIRL HAS TO SUFFER BECAUSE OF THE REACTION OF HER FATHER.
6 WHY NO ASK: HOW LONG DO YO EXPECT TO LIVE? (JUST A JOKE)
6 THIS IS ANSWERED BY WIFE. WANT TO RECEIVE ONE FOR HUSBAND TO FILL OUT.
6 THIS INFO SHOULD BE KEPT PRIVATE AND UPDATE INFO ONCE A YEAR AND THEN COMPARED.

6 FORMER HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES EMPLOYEE - RETIRED FROM SAN DIEGO
COUNTY.
6 VERY PROBLEMATIC, VERY NERVOUS.
6 COUNTY PARKS & REC NEEDS TO PROVIDE RIFLE-PISTOL-SHOTGUN RANGES FOR USE OF
COUNTY RESIDENTS. CHECK OUT LAS VEGAS-CLARK COUNTY RANGE FACILITY.
6 VERY AWARE OF RAPID TECHNOLOGY CHANGES, CAN'T KEEP UP WITH ALL THE
CHANGES. AWARE OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S ABILITY TO COMPREHEND THIS NEW
STUFF SO EASILY.
6 MAYBE I OUGHT TO HAVE WRITTEN #33'S ANSWER HERE!

6 I WORKED FOR THE BUREAU FOR THE AGING IN NASSAU COUNTY, NY AS A DIRECTOR OF A
SENIOR CENTER AND HELD A BSW DEGREE.

6 NECESITO MAS INFORMACION REFERENTE A SU PROGRAMA Y NUMERO DE
TELEFONO.

6 PLEASE, YOU CAN ONLY GO ON WELFARE FOR 6 MONTHS MAX ONLY 2 TIMES.

6 DO OR SAY SOMETHING GOOD OR NONE AT ALL. BELIEVE YOU CAN DO.

6 CHECK BACK IN TEN YEARS.

7 ARTRITIS, DIFICULTAD PARA EJERCITAR.

7 IMPROVING HEALTH

7 OVERWEIGHT & EFFECT ON KNEES/ANKLES

7 LACK OF EXERCISE

7 AT AGING HEALTHY.

7 NOT BEING PHYSICALLY FIT

7 KEEPING HEALTHY

7 MAINTAINING HEALTH

7 OVERWEIGHT

7 KEEPING HEALTHY

7 GOOD HEALTH

7 SALUD FISICA

7 EATING TOO MUCH

7 EXERSIZING

7 LACK OF EXCERSIZE. FINANCIAL PROBLEMS

7 STAYING HEALTHY. NOT STAYING SHARP OF MIND

7 MAINTAINING HEALTH

7 WEIGHT - GOING TO WEIGHT WATCHERS

7 HONESTLY, I DON'T REALLY HAVE A PROBLEM, EXCEPT I NEED/WANT TO LOSE
WEIGHT!

7 OVERWEIGHT

7 IF I DO NOT DO EXCERCISE

7 NEED TO EXERCISE MORE

7 MY WEIGHT

7 NO EXERCISE - WEIGHT GAIN

7 WEIGHT LOSS

7 WEIGHT GAIN

7 WEIGHT

7 WEIGHT

7 WATCHING WEIGHT CREEP UP

7 VERY OVERWEIGHT

7 STAYING HEALTHY AS WE GROW OLDER

7 STAYING HEALTHY

7 SMOKING

7 OVERWEIGHT

7 OVERWEIGHT

7 OBESITY

7 NOT COMPLETELY HEALTHY

7 MAKING TIME FOR EXERCISE AND DOING IT.

7 LOSING GOOD HEALTH

7 KEEPING HEALTHY

7 KEEP HEALTY SO I CAN WORK

7 EXERCISE - GETTING ENOUGH

7 DECREASING ENERGY & ENDURANCE FOR PROJECTS-WEIGHT CONTROL.
7 CHEWING TOBACCO
7 AEROBICS
8 DOLOR DE CADERA
8 CUANDO CAMINO TENGO DIFICULTAD Y USO BASTON PARA SOSTENERME
8 ENFERMARME O CAERME Y QUEDAR INCONCIENTE EN LE BA? O, YARDA ETC.
8 SE CANSA AL CAMINAR
8 NOT BEING ABLE TO DO THINGS I USE TO DO
8 NOT FALLING.
8 SCRUBBING & WASHING MY KITCHEN FLOOR. IT'S HARD GETTING OFF THE FLOOR.
8 STILLNESS
8 WALKING
8 BALANCE (PHYSICAL)
8 STANDING
8 I HAVEN'T ANY BIG PROBLEMS-MINOR PHYSICAL PROBLEMS
8 WALKING DISTANCES EVEN WITH A WALKER
8 BACK SURGERIES (2) LONG WALKS
8 KNEE PROBLEMS
8 PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS
8 MOBILITY
8 WALKING AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD
8 WHEELCHAIR BOUND
8 BEING AMBULATORY
8 MI SALUD FISICA
8 SLOWLY INCREASING LOSS OF MOBILITY
8 SHAKY WALKING
8 NOT COMFORTABLE GETTING ON LADDERS FOR REPAIRS
8 PHYSICAL INABILITY TO DO THE THINGS I USED TO DO
8 BALANCE (CAN FALL EASY)
8 AFRAID OF FALLING
8 DIMINISHING PHYSICAL STRENGTH
8 PREVIOUS ANKLE FRACTURE OCCASIONALLY LIMITS WALKING.
8 I'M HAVING BALANCE PROBLEMS DUE TO HEAD INJURY FROM A FALL 9-26-10.
8 BACKACHE
8 MOBILITY ACCESS BLOCKED BY MTS & LACK OF ENTRY, PHYSICAL CONDITION
OF STREETS
8 TROUBLE WALKING DUE TO ARTHRITIS IN MY LOWER BACK
8 FEAR OF FALLING
8 BATHING
8 FALLING
8 I CANNOT STAND LONG THEREFORE I AM NOT ABLE TO COOK-PASSING OUT
8 BIG PROBLEM WALKING
8 MOBILITY AND ENERGY
8 FALLING
8 WALKING
8 TROUBLE WALKING QUICKLY
8 LOSING STRENGTH
8 NOT BEING ABLE TO STAND, WALK, AND DO ANYTHING AT ALL.
8 WALKING
8 BALANCE

8 PHYSICAL DOWNGRADE
8 BEING HANDICAPPED
8 MOBILITY, NEED TEETH!
8 WALKING & FORGETTING THINGS
8 NOT ABLE TO WALK WELL
8 MY FEET & TROUBLE WALKING - ARTHRITIS IN HANDS, KNEES ETC.
8 PHYSICAL DETERIORATION AS AGING PROGRESSES (NORMAL)
8 SOME WALKING, GETTING UP AFTER GETTING DOWN TO CLEAN FLOORS.
8 MILD ARTHRITIS IN HIP AFFECTS TENNIS.
8 WALKING DUE TO IMBALANCE CAUSED BY INNER PROBLEM
8 WALKING
8 WALKING
8 PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS DUE TO LUNG DISEASE
8 CAN NOT WALK WITHOUT LANE/WALKER
8 WALKING - CIRCULATION PROBLEM TO LEGS
8 NOT MOBILE
8 PHYSICAL HEALTH
8 PHYSICAL PROBLEMS RELATED TO AGING
8 NOT BEING ABLE TO DO WHAT I USED TO DO - DON'T HAVE PHYSICAL STRENGTH
8 LOSS OF BALANCE
8 FALLING, WALKING
8 BATHROOM, WALKING
8 NOT ABLE TO BE AS ACTIVE
8 FALLING & UNABLE TO HAVE ENOUGH ENERGY
8 FEAR OF FALLING
8 WALKING - HIPS
8 WALKING
8 BACK & JOINT PAIN
8 WHICH HINDERS ME TO WORK AND MOVE FREELY
8 WALKING WITH CANE & WALKER
8 WALKING - HAVE OSTEO ARTHRITIS IN BOTH LEGS
8 WALKING
8 WALKING
8 THIS CREATES PROBLEMS DURING NORMAL EVERYDAY LIFE.
8 STANDING IN ONE POSITION
8 STAIRS-LIVE IN 2 STORIES
8 SLIPPING OR FALLING. UNEXPECTED HEALTH RELATED ISSUES
8 POTENTIAL HEALTH PROBLEMS AS I GET OLDER
8 PHYSICAL WEAKNESS
8 PHYSICAL PROBLEMS
8 PHYSICAL AILMENT
8 NOT BEEN STRONG ENOUGH
8 NO BALANCE
8 MY PHYSICAL DIFFCULTY; MY BACK LIMITS MY ACTIVITY
8 MOVING AROUND
8 MEDICATION SIDE AFFECTS CAUSE GOUT & MAKE WALKING. GOUT 24/7
8 MANY PHYSICAL/MEDICAL DIFFICULTIES.
8 LOSING STRENGTH ESPECIALLY IN HANDS FOR REPAIR TABLES
8 LOSING MY BALANCE EASILY WHEN WORKING IN YARD
8 LIMITED MOBILITY WALK

8 LEG AMPUTED ON RIGHT SIDE.
 8 LEARNING TO CARE FOR THE NEEDS OF MY WIFE
 8 LACK OF PHYS. ENERGY
 8 LACK OF BODY STRENGTH & COORDINATION
 8 HARD TIME WALKING
 8 GETTING IN AND OUT OF TUB WITHOUT HELP
 8 FELL TRYING TO GET OUT OF REHAB FACILITY
 8 FALLING WHEN I AM ALL ALONE WHICH IS ALL THE TIME.
 8 FALLING PROBLEM
 8 DRESSING
 8 DIFFICULTY MOVING DUE TO KNEE PROBLEM
 8 CLIMBING STAIRS/BALANCE
 8 CAN'T DO BRISK WALKING (HIP REPLACEMENT PENDING)
 8 BALANCE
 8 BAD BACK, HURST WHEN I WALK
 8 BACK & THIGH STRENGTH
 8 ARTHRITIS (CAN'T BE AS PHYSICAL AS I WOULD LIKE)
 8 AILMENT-PHISICAL
 8 ABILITY TO WALK UPSTAIRS WITHOUT HAND RAIL
 8 AL RECIBIR UN POCO MAS DE ASISTENCIA PARA PODER SOBRE LLEVAR A CABO LAS
 ACTIVIDADES DIARIAS SIN NINGUNA DIFICULTAD.
 8 I ALSO HAVE BALANCE PROBLEMS
 8 I HOPE THERE IS A CURE FOR CRAMPS. WHEN CRAMPS ATTACK ON MY LEGS, MY TOES GOES
 BACKWARDS AND I DON'T KNOW WHERE THE PAIN IS COMING FROM.
 8 WEIGHT PROBLEM
 8 MY KNEE REPLACEMENT DIDN'T FIX EVERYTHING. AFTER 5 YRS, KEEN SWELLS AND HURTS
 PERIODICALLY.
 8 PREVIOUS CARDIAC PROBLEMS. BYPASS SURGERY DONE 10 YRS AGO.
 8 BEING 83 YEARS OLD, THINKING ABOUT EYEGASSES AND CATARACTS.
 8 CROUCHING TO TOILET SEAT AND GETTING UP OFF TOILET SEAT
 8 I WILL NEED HELP AFTER KNEE REPLACEMENT (HAVE NO ONE)
 8 I HAVE DEGENERATION ARTHRITIS OF THE JOINTS, SEVERE IN SHOULDERS.HAVE DIABETES,
 FUSED BACK, CAN'T BEND OVER.
 8 NEED TO LOSE 50LBS FOR OPTIMAL HEALTH.
 8 I MISS BEING OUT AND ABOUT. I WAS VERY INDEPENDENT.
 8 SPINAL INJURIES (RECENT AS WELL AS OLDER) & GUARDING NOW
 8 I USE WALKER TO WALK, CAN'T SEE THIS FORM VERY WELL, SMALL PRINT.
 8 AT PRESENT I AM CONCERNED ABOUT FALLING AS I HAVE AN EAR PROBLEM.
 9 BROKE HER HIP, GOT SHINGLES AND LOSING EYE SITE AND WE DO ALL OF HER CARE.
 9 One DAY RELIEF FROM TAKING CARE OF MOTHER
 9 MY DAUGHTER & HER FAMILY HAVE TO LIVE WITH. THEY CAN'T TO RENT/BUY A
 HOME
 9 GRAND DAUGHTER (8 YRS) WILL NOT GO TO SCHOOL UNTIL HER FATHER COMES
 BACK.
 9 CURRENTLY LIVING WITH MOTHER THAT HAS HAD MEDICAL PROBLEMS & FAMILY DEMENTIA

 9 TAKING CARE OF SPOUSE WHEN ILLNESS COMES
 9 I AM SOLE CAREGIVER FOR MY DISABLED SPOUSE
 9 MOTHER WITH DEMENTIA THAT WON'T GO TO A DOCTOR
 9 CARING FOR MY 94 YR OLD FATHER

- 9 FRIENDS & FAMILY ILLNESS & DEATHS.
- 9 DISABILITY OF CHILD (ADULT)
- 9 CARE FOR MY HUSBAND WHO IS A STROKE SURVIVOR.
- 9 HELPING MY HUSBAND WITH HEALTH PROBLEMS BUT HE IS IMPROVING
- 9 ARE FOR APHASIC/APRAXIC HUSBAND
- 9 CARING FOR SPOUSE WITH MILD ALZHEIMERS
- 9 SPOUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS
- 9 MY WIFE BEING WHEEL CHAIR BOUND WITH MS
- 9 I FEEL RESPONSIBLE TO MAKE SURE MY BROTHER HAS A HOME TO LIVE
- 9 OTHER FAMILY MEMEBER HEALTH ISSUES.
- 9 PROVIDING ALL SERVICES FOR MY WIFE BECAUSE OF HEALTH
- 9 WIFE'S HEALTH
- 9 SPOUSE'S PHYSICAL (& TO SOME EXTENT, MENTAL) CONDITION.
- 9 MY WIFE'S HEALTH
- 9 TAKING CARE OF MY ELDER PARENTS/MOM, BLIND-DEMENTIA, DAD ON DIALYSIS.
- 9 DEMENTIA OF LIFE PARTNER
- 9 MY HUSBAND HAS DEMENTIA & PARKINSONS. I VISIT HIM NEARLY EVERY DAY
- 9 STRESS. MY HUSBAND IS UNDER HOME HOSPICE CARE & CONSUMES MY TIME & ENERGY
- 9 RAISING A 14 YEAR OLD DAUGHTER
- 9 HELPING TO CARE FOR OLDER RELATIVES
- 9 WIFE'S PARALYSIS
- 9 CARING FOR OTHERS
- 9 CARING FOR ELDERLY IN-LAWS
- 9 MY HUSBAND'S HEALTH (LUNG CANCER)
- 9 MY HUSBAND IS NOT IN GOOD HEALTH. NOT ABLE TO DO MUCH.
- 9 TAKING CARE OF ELDERLY PARENTS
- 9 CHILD COLLEGE EDUCATION
- 9 CARING FOR DISABLED HUSBAND
- 9 HUSBAND WHO IS DISABLED
- 9 KEEPING MY GROWN CHILDREN AFLOAT IN THIS ECONOMY
- 9 CARING FOR MY WIFE WITH DEMENTIA
- 9 FIND GOOD DOMESTIC HELP TO TAKE CARE OF US (MY WIFE HAS PARKINSON'S DISEASE)
- 9 CARING FOR MY 95 YEARS OLD MOTHER
- 9 DEALING WITH NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS WHO HAVE ONSET DEMENTIA/ALZHEIMERS
- 9 TAKING CARE OF MY HUSBAND WHO IS IN A WHEEL CHAIR
- 9 WORRYING ABOUT THE WELFARE OF MY MENTALLY HANDICAPPED DAUGHTER
- 9 WIFE'S HEALTH
- 9 WIFE'S MENTAL PROBLEMS AND HER ALCOHOL USE
- 9 SPOUSE HEALTH ISSUES
- 9 TWO DISABLED ADULT CHILDREN
- 9 CUIDAR A MI MAMA DE 86 ANOS
- 9 TAKING CARE OF OUR 47 YRS OLD DAUGHTER WHO GOT CANCER AND IS IN REMISSION
- 9 CARING FOR DISABLED SPOUSE
- 9 NEED MORE ENERGY WHEN WATCHING GRANDDAUGHTER OF 18 MONTHS
- 9 TAKE CARE OF MY 95 YEARS OLD MOM 4 DAYS A WEEK
- 9 MY PARTNER IS A VIETMAN VET & HAS PTSD. WISH I COULD DO MORE FOR HIM.
- 9 BEING A CAREGIVER FOR MY HUSBAND

- 9 NOTHING CURRENTLY - HAVE DISABLED SON & CONCERN FOR HIM AFTER I'M GONE
- 9 SON DOESN'T WORK STEADY AND ALWAYS WANTS TO BORROW MONEY.
- 9 MY HUSBAND IS DEVELOPING ALZHEIMERS
- 9 I HAVE A MENTALLY ILL BROTHER WHO NEEDS HELP
- 9 NO PROBLEMS. I AM ACTIVE, HEALTHY. LIVE WITH GRANDSON NOW TO HELP HIM OUT
- 9 HAVING YOUR HIGHLY EDUCATED SON MOVING BACK IN WITH US DUE TO UNEMPLOYMENT

- 9 MY HUSBAND'S HEALTH
- 9 WIFE WITH MEMORY PROBLEMS
- 9 GRAND CHILDREN - HAVE PANIC ATTACKS CARING FOR MINE
- 9 PROVIDING CARE/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR AN 88 YRS. OLD PARENT WHO LIVES IN ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE
- 9 HELPING CHILDREN AND GRAND CHILDREN
- 9 TAKING CARE OF MY DAD. HE'S 91 YRS. SOMETIMES HARD TO HANDLE
- 9 SEEING AFTER MOTHER
- 9 PROVIDING CARE AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR AN 89 YEARS OLD PARENT
- 9 HUSBAND HAS DEMENTIA W/ALZHEIMER'S IN HIS FUTURE. VERY STRESSFUL FOR BOTH
- 9 WIFE'S HEALTH PROBLEMS
- 9 PAYING HUGE COLLEGE (PARENTAL) LOANS FOR OUR CHILDREN
- 9 TO BE ABLE TO CONTINUE ROLE AS CAREGIVER
- 9 TAKING CARE OF MY 95 YR OLD MOM
- 9 HUSBAND HAS ALZHEIMERS-I AM HIS CARE GIVER, RIGHT NOW THIS MAKE ME A RECLUSE
- 9 MY WIFE HAS SHORT TRM MEMORY LOSS
- 9 SON'S FINANCIAL STATUS
- 9 CARING FOR WIFE
- 9 CARE OF SPOUSE WITH DEMENTION
- 9 WORRY ABOUT RETIRED SISTER
- 9 WILL I BE ABLE TO CONTINUE CARING FOR MY HUSBAND
- 9 WIFE HAS DEMENTIA
- 9 TOO MANY PEOPLE TO GIVE HELP, MONEY AND PHYSICAL.
- 9 TAKING CARE OF MY WIFE - SEMI INVALID
- 9 TAKING CARE OF HOME BOUND FRIEND
- 9 TAKING CARE OF A HANDICAPPED BROTHER.
- 9 TAKING CARE OF 88 YR OLD PARENT
- 9 SUPPORTING OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS WHO ARE UNEMPLOYED AT THIS TIME.
- 9 STILL FINANCIALLY SUPPORTING CHILDREN
- 9 SPOUSE'S HEALTH LIMITS US
- 9 SHOWER/BATH/GETTING DRESSED HUSBAND
- 9 RESPONSIBILITIES FOR AGING PARENT (OUT OF STATE)
- 9 NOT ENOUGH TO HELP CHILDREN & GRAND CHILDREN.
- 9 NO PENSION/SAVINGS
- 9 MI ESPOSO ES UNA PERSONA DE 86 ANOS Y NECESITA MUCHA AYUDA.
- 9 HELPING SUPPORT KIDS AND GRANDKIDS
- 9 HELPING MY CHILDREN FINANCIALLY
- 9 HELPING CARE FOR 87 YRS OLD MOTHER IN LAW.
- 9 HAVING TO SUPPORT MY GRANDDAUGHTER
- 9 HAVING MY OLDEST SON LIVING WITH US. HE HASN'T FOR 2 YEARS.

- 9 FINDING SUITABLE ASSISTANCE FOR HIM
- 9 FINDING QUALITY TIME FOR ME & MY HUSBAND. WE CARE FOR 2 ELDERLY PARENTS
- 9 CARING FOR MY HUSBAND WHO HAS HAD 3 STROKES, 3 SEIZURES, 1 HEART ATTACK.
- 9 CARE OF SPOUSE
- 9 CARE FOR MY DEPENDENT SON
- 9 CARE FOR LIVE IN PARENT
- 9 85 YEARS OLD MOTHER NEEDS CARE
- 9 52 YEARS OLD SON UNEMPLOYED LIVING WITH ME
- 9 MY SON'S WIFE DIVORCED HIM AND STOLE HIS \$650,000 HOME THAT HE PAID FOR IN FULL WITH HIS OWN MONEY.
- 9 TAKING CARE OF GRANDCHILDREN WHO HAVE GRAN MAL SEIZURE AND AUTISM AS WELL AS A SON WHO IS HAVING MULTIPLE SEIZURE DISORDER.
- 9 MY DAUGHTER LIVES WITH ME, OTHERWISE MANY OF THESE RESPONSES WOULD BE DIFFERENT.

- 9 I'M HELPING MY 77 YRS OLD HUSBAND. SOMETIMES A FEEL OVERWHELMING PHYSICAL AND ECONOMIC.
- 9 MY WIFE HAS MS, CHRONES, EYEWITIST, UVEITIST, OSTEOARTHRITIS, KIDNEY PROBLEMS.
- 9 GETTING HELP FOR MY SON A BETTER GROUP HOME
- 9 I'M IN GOOD HEALTH AT THIS TIME, BUT AT 73 I WORRY A LITTLE. MY HUSBAND IS 75 AND HAD CANCER THAT IS IN REMISSION AT THIS TIME.
- 9 MY SON LOST HIS JOB-HAD TO MOVE IN WITH ME-CAN'T AFFORD TO BUY MEAT-PAY FOR DENTAL OR EYE CARE.
- 9 I HAVE BEEN TAKING CARE OF MY MOTHER AT HOME WHO WAS UNDER HOSPICE CARE AND PASSED TWO WEEKS AGO. ALSO I AM CARING FOR HER HUSBAND.
- 9 SON WITH MENTAL DISABILITY
- 9 MY SON AND HIS WIFE LIVE WITH ME AND TAKE CARE OF SHOPPING, COOKING ETC. I HAVE A HOUSEKEEPER EVERY 2 WEEKS.
- 9 I AM A DIABETIC TAKING INSULIN AND HAD A STROKE IN 2007. MY WIFE IS DIABETIC AND BLIND IN LEFT EYE. I'M BASICALLY HER CAREGIVER EVEN WITH DISABILITIES.
- 10 WORK INJURY HAS KEPT ME OUT OF WORK 7 MONTHS
- 10 NOT BEING ABLE TO WORK DUE TO CONGENITAL HEART FAILURE
- 10 THEY DON'T GIVE HER ENOUGH HOURS A MONTH FOR HER TO TAKE CARE OF ME
- 11 HEALTH INSURANCE
- 11 DRUG COVERAGE IS LAUGHABLE
- 11 COST OF LIVING/MEDICAL COSTS
- 11 WILL I BE ABLE TO AFFORD ASSISTED LIVING CARE
- 11 FUTURE HEALTH CARES COSTS
- 11 MEDICARE DON'T PAY, NOT COVERED WHEN I VISIT FOR COMPLAINT, & I PAY FOR IT.
- 11 MEDICAL COSTS/PRESCRIPTIONS
- 11 BEING ABLE TO PAY FOR FUTURE MEDICAL CARE
- 11 \$40 CO-PAY FOR EACH DR'S VISIT
- 11 NOT HAVING MEDICAL INSURANCE
- 11 NOT HAVING HEALTH INSURANCE
- 11 DENTAL, CANNOT AFFORD.
- 11 NOT HAVING MEDICAL INSURANCE
- 11 MEDICAL/HEALTH COSTS
- 11 POTENTIAL MEDICAL PROBLEMS & COSTS.

11 MEDICAL AND DENTAL CARE
11 UNCERTAINTY WITH REGARD TO HEALTH CARE IN THE FUTURE
11 NO MEDICAL INSURANCE - HEALTH PROBLEMS NEGLECTED.
11 RISING MEDICAL COSTS
11 PAYING FOR MEDICAL COVERAGE EXPENSE & THE SUPPLY INS
11 HEALTH CARE
11 HEALTH CARE PREMIUMS INSURANCE
11 MEDICAL INSURANCE & US COSTS
11 MEDICAL COST & NOT COVERED MY MED-CARE (COBRA COVERAGE JUST RUN OUT)
11 CURRENTLY THE ONLY 2 PROBLEMS I HAVE: DENTAL AND LOTS OF MINOR HOME
REPAIRS
11 COST OF HEALTH CARE
11 HIGH MED INS PREMIUMS & CO-PAY
11 FEAR THAT MEDICAL, MEDICARE AND IHHS WILL BE TAKEN AWAY BY BEING
REDUCED.
11 HEALTH CARE VISION & DENTAL CARE
11 UNABLE TO PURCHASE LONG TERM CARE FOR MY WIFE WHO HAS M.S.
11 FUTURE OF HEALTH CARE & THE COST
11 FUTURE COSTS OF HEALTH AND DENTAL CARE
11 THE COST OF HEALTH INSURANCE IS CRUSHING US
11 HEALTH CARE
11 COPAY MEDICARE
11 CONCERN ABOUT FUTURE COSTS OF HEALTH CARE
11 HIGH COST OF DENTAL IMPLANTS
11 CO-PAYS FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
11 HEALTH INSURANCE
11 COST OF HEALTH INS
11 WOULD LIKE ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE COVERED BY MEDICAL, IT'S CHEAPER AND
SAFER!
11 WORRY, INCREASES IN PRICES WILL OUTPACE MY INCOME. WON'T BE ABLE TO
PROVIDE
11 UNAFFORDABLE HOUSING & MEDICAL INSURANCE
11 SECURING REASONABLE DENTAL CARE
11 PRESIDENT OBAMA & HEALTH INSURANCE IS MORE EXPENSIVE.
11 POOR QUALITY MEDICAL CARE. EVERYONE IN THE SYSTEM
11 PAYING FOR MEDICAL SERVICES AND MEDICATIONS
11 NO MEDICAL CARE - NOT AFFORDABLE
11 NECESITO SERVICIO DENTAL Y LENTES QUE EL MEDI-CAL NO CUBRE
11 MEDICAL COVERAGE - MEDICAL COST
11 LOOKING FOR INSURANCE THAT I CAN AFFORD!
11 LONG TERM HEALTH CARE COSTS
11 IN-LAWS IN THEIR 80'S & 90'S DEALING WITH MEDICAL, DOCTORS, HEALTH INS. ETC.
11 INCREASE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM LONG TERM CARE PROGRAMS SO SRS.
REMAIN HOME.
11 I NEED KNEE REPLACEMENT SURGERY & CAN NOT AFFORD PROPER CARE FOR
MY HUSBAND
11 HEALTH INSURANCE (CARE 1ST) EXTREMELY LIMITS MEDS.
11 HEALTH INSURANCE
11 HEALTH CARE COSTS
11 HEALTH CARE

11 HEALTH CARE
11 HAVE THE DENTAL PROBLEMS, BU I CAN'T AFFORD DENTAL CARE
11 FUTURE HEALTH CARE BENEFITS
11 EQUITABLE HEALTH & AFFORDABLE CARE F/ME AND THE REST OF THE COUNTRY.
11 DENTAL COVERAGE
11 DENTAL COSTS
11 DENTAL CARE
11 COST OF MEDICAL CARE
11 COST OF HEALTHCARE, ESPECIALLY AT RETIREMENT
11 CONTINUING INCREASE IN COST OF MEDICAL CARE
11 BUYING MEDICATIONS
11 ANXIETY OVER MEDICAL & DENTAL
11 AFFORDING MEDICATION
11 AFFORDABLE DENTAL CARE
11 CONCERN OVER FUTURE MEDICAL COSTS
12 NO PUEDE SALIR SOLA PORQUE SE PIERDE
12 ANXIETY ABOUT RETIREMENT
12 STRESS
12 DIFICULTAD PARA RECORDAR O SEGUIR UNA CONVERSACION.
12 ANXIETY
12 ANXIETY & IRRITABILITY
12 ANXIETY
12 FORGETTING NAMES
12 FEELINGS OF CONFUSION
12 BEGINNING OF MEMORY LOSS
12 ANXIETY
12 MY HUSBAND'S ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE
12 REMEMBERING TO WRITE THINGS DOWN FOR ME TO DO
12 RELIABLE FAST, EASY, EFFICIENT, ACCESSIBLE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN S.D.
12 ANXIETY
12 NO RETENER NADA DE LO QUE LEO EN MI MEMORIA
12 DEMENTIA
12 ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE
12 MENTAL PAIN
12 FAILING MEMORY
12 MEMORY & HEALTH
12 MEMORY LOSS
12 ALWAYS EXCITED & EMOTIONAL
12 MENTAL ATTITUDE
12 LOST FOCUS - CONCENTRATION
12 STRESS & WORRY
12 SOME DEMENTIA/DEGRADING VISION/EYESIGHT
12 SHORTNESS OF MEMORY
12 SHORT TERM MEMORY
12 SHORT TERM MEMORY
12 NOT ABLE TO REMEMBER
12 MILD COGNITION IMPROVEMENT
12 MEMORY LOSS
12 GET NERVOUS TOWARDS THE END OF THE DAY
12 FORGETFULNESS

12 EMOCIONAL-NERVIOSA POR LA SALUD.
12 CAN'T REMEMBER WHAT I DID YESTERDAY
12 ANXIETY
12 ALZHEIMER'S
13 SIEMPRE TENGO PROBLEMAS DE TRANSPORTE, MI CARRO SE DESCOMPONE MUCHO.
13 NO PODER CONDUCIR UN AUTOMOVIL
13 HOUSEBOUND - GAVE UP DRIVING 3 YRS. AGO
13 NO CAR
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 DRIVING PLACES
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 NO TRANSPORTATION
13 DRIVING TO UNFAMILIAR NEARBY LOCATIONS AFTER DARK LIMITS MY ACTIVITIES.
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 LACK OF TRANSPORTATION
13 DON'T DRIVE ANY MORE
13 SINCE I DON'T DRIVE I HAVE TO DEPEND ON MY DAUGHTER AND GRANDSON.
13 I WOULD LIKE TO CARPOOL MORE OFTEN
13 HIGH FUEL COST FOR TRANSPORTATION
13 FUTURE TRANSPORTATION NEEDS
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 TRANSPORTATION (EASE OF GETTING IN/OUT OF CAR)
13 TRANSPORTATION SINCE I'VE GIVEN UP DRIVING
13 DRIVING TO GET GROCERIES DRS. APTS.
13 DEPENDABLE TRANSPORTATION
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 DRIVING
13 NOT BEING ABLE TO RENEW DRIVING PRIVILEGES
13 BECAUSE OF SEIZURE MEDS. CAN'T DRIVE
13 TRAFFIC, ECONOMY
13 TRANSPORTATION, MY WIFE DRIVES SHORT DISTANCES, BUT I GO WITH HER TO ALERT.
13 NO TRANSPORTATION, NO CAR, NO LICENSE
13 DRIVING DIFFICULTY
13 GETTING TO & FROM AIRPORT OR TRAIN
13 DRIVING TO PLACES - UNFAMILIAR
13 NOT DRIVING ANYMORE
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 TRANSPORTATION TO PARKS. EXAMPLE: WILD ANIMAL PARK
13 FREEWAY DRIVING
13 SOLD CAR - CANNOT DRIVE
13 I DO NOT DRIVE
13 TEMPORARY LOST OF DRIVERS LICENSE
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 DON'T KNOW HOW TO DRIVE
13 I NO LONGER DRIVE
13 CONCERN HOW LONG I CAN DRIVE
13 TRANSPORTATION
13 RIDE TO CANCER TREATMENT THAT IS OUT OF THE RANGE OF VOLUNTEER DRIVING SVCS.

- 13 GETTING APPOINTMENTS WITH MY DOCTOR
- 13 LACK OF PUBLIC TRANSIT
- 13 NOT BEING ABLE FOR DRIVE
- 13 TRUST I HAD TO GIVE UP DRIVING AT AGE 88
- 13 TRANSPORTATION TO STORE & APPOINTMENTS
- 13 TRANSPORTATION
- 13 TOTAL DEPENDENCE ON DRIVING TO DO WHAT I LIKE TO DO.
- 13 NOT BEING ABLE TO TRAVEL
- 13 NOT BEING ABLE TO DRIVE
- 13 NOT BEING ABLE TO DRIVE
- 13 NOT ABLE TO TRAVEL FREELY
- 13 NO TENGO COMPUTADORA Y NO SE MANEJARLA
- 13 LOSING MOBILITY THROUGH A BROKEN HIP, ETC. AND NOT BEEN ABLE TO DRIVE.
- 13 LONG DISTANCE FROM MEDICAL SERVICES
- 13 LIMITED SOCIAL LIFE AND CAN NOT TRAVEL
- 13 GOING TO THE HOSPITAL
- 13 FREEWAY TRAFFIC
- 13 FEAR OF LOOSING MY DRIVERS LICENSE!
- 13 EXTREMELY POOR QUALITY. INADEQUACY OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN SAN DIEGO
- 13 DRIVING WITHOUT VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE
- 13 DRIVING AT NIGHT - DECREASING VISION
- 13 CONCERN MIGHT LOSE ABILITY TO DRIVE
- 13 CAN'T DRIVE FREEWAYS EASILY AND NOT AT ALL AT NIGHT
- 13 DON'T CARE TO SHARE. THANKS
- 13 NONE - FAMILY LIVES NEARBY AND ARE VERY HELPFUL
- 13 SENIORS NEED DEPENDABLE TRANSPORTATION
- 13 SERVICES TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION TO MED. APPOINTMENTS & ONCE A WEEK TRANSPORTATION TO THE GROCERY STORE.
- 13 SAN DIEGO TRAFFIC, NEEDS MORE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION. HOUSING TOO EXPENSIVE TO MAINTAIN.
- 13 I CANNOT DRIVE IN INCLEMENT WEATHER OR AT NIGHT.
- 13 MORE TRANSPORTATION, REASONABLE FOR EVENING HOUR.
- 13 NOT ENOUGH AGENCIES TO PROVIDE BUS PASSES FOR SENIORS, TRANSPORTATION TO EVENTS OR APPPOINTMENTS, OR NUTRITIOUS FOOD.
- 13 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IS USEFUL, BUT SHOULD BE ENHANCED W/MORE ROUTES AND FREQUENCY. S.D. NEEDS MORE PUBLIC TOILETS. DOWNSIZING HOME EXPENSES, VERY GOOD!

- 13 SAN DIEGO SHOULD HAVE BETTER PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE
- 14 ESPERO EL AJUSTE DE MI HIJO Y NO LLEGA
- 14 HILING HUSBAND
- 14 LIVING IN CALIFORNIA WHEN MY FAMILY IS IN DELAWARE
- 14 DEATHS/ILLNESS IN FAMILY
- 14 WIFE'S HEALTH
- 14 HUSBAND SLOWING DOWN MENTALLY
- 14 HEALTH, PARTICULARLY MY WIFE'S

14 ELDERLY PARENTS
14 SPOUSE HAS CANCER
14 LISTENING TO THE STRUGGLES OF ADULT CHILDREN'S LIVES.
14 FIND A HOME FOR MY SON AND GRANDCHILDREN WHO ARE GETTING TOO BIG.
14 THAT FOR THE AMOUNT OF TIME THAT MY DAUGHTER TAKES CARE OF ME
14 DETERIORATION OF MY WIFE'S HEALTH
14 HUSBAND IS A HOARDER
14 CURRENT REPORTS OF ABUSE TO THE ELDERLY
14 CHILDRENS FINANCIAL SECURITY
14 HAVING A GROWN CHILD LIVING WITH ME
14 MY HUSBAND
14 HUSBAND WOULD DIE
14 MY DAD IS 92. HIS LIFE IS DIFFICULT. I WORRY
14 CHILDRENS FINANCIAL PROBLEMS
14 MY CHILDRENS PROBLEMS
14 85 YEARS OLD MOTHER
14 POOR RELATIONSHIP WITH MY 44 YR OLD DAUGHTER
14 TRYING TO FIX MY HUSBAND PAPERS
14 BEING ABLE TO TAKE CARE OF MYSELF IF SOMETHING HAPPENS TO MY SPOUSE
14 GETTING MY GRAND DAUGHTER RAISED
14 HUSBAND
14 PROVIDING A HOME AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE & TRANSPORTATION TO MY BROTHER.
14 FAMILY
14 MY DAUGHTER IS SEPARATED FROM HER HUSBAND AND DOESN'T WANT A DIVORCE.
14 WIFE'S HEALTH
14 HUSBAND'S HEALTH ISSUES
14 HUSBAND IS INSECURE AND AFRAID OF BEING ALONE.
14 GETTING KIDS TO TRANSITION OUT OF OUR UMBRELLA INTO THEIR OWN SELF-SUPPORT.
14 MY HUSBAND NOT BEING ABLE TO FIND A JOB
14 HUSBAND'S HEALTH. IF HE PRE-DECEASES ME, MY INCOME WILL BE CUT IN HALF
14 FEAR OF LOSS OF SPOUSE TO DEATH
14 GETTING MY ADULT DAUGHTER TO FIND FULL TIME WORK & MOVE OUT
14 MY HUSBAND USING HEARING AID.
14 HUSBAND'S MANY MED. ISSUES.
14 MARRIAGE CONFLICT
14 MY CHILDREN'S PROBLEMS
14 HELP FOR MY FATHER OF 92 WHO IS CAREGIVER FOR WIFE OF 91 WITH DEMENTIA
14 MANY BIOLOGICAL FAMILY MEMBERS NOT WELL (AGING) AND I LIVE FAR AWAY
14 SON WITH ADDICTION & MENTAL ILLNESS
14 AT TIMES - CRANKY HUSBAND - HEALTH
14 THAT EVERYONE IS STICKING THEIR NOSES IN OUR BUSINESS.
14 33 YEAR OLD SON - NOT REALLY A PROBLEM
14 HAVING MY GIRLFRIEND OVER ALL OF THE TIME
14 CHILDREN WHO WILL NOT GO AWAY!
14 DISABLED, ELDERLY HUSBAND IN POOR HEALTH
14 CONCERN FOR ONE SON'S ECONOMIC CONDITION
14 DEALING WITH THE FACT OF MY HUSBAND'S ALZHEIMERS DISEASE

- 14 PROBLEM WITH CHILDREN OF MINE-FINANCIAL & EMOTIONAL AND LACK OF HELP TO ME
- 14 WIFE'S HEALTH
- 14 CHILDREN THAT LIVE IN OTHER STATES
- 14 TWO OF MY CHILDREN ARE WITHOUT A JOB.
- 14 ENFERMEDAD EN LA FAMILIA
- 14 LEARNING TO LIVE WITH MY HUSBAND IN RETIREMENT
- 14 WORRY ABOUT MY ADULT CHILDREN BEING ABLE TO AFFORD A HOME IN SAN DIEGO
- 14 WORRY ABOUT MY MOTHER 90 YEARS OLD LIVING IN NEW MEXICO CARE FACILITY
- 14 WISH MY DAUGHTER WOULD MOVE. SHE IS 53. HAS A GOOD JOB
- 14 SPOUSE HAS BEGINNING DEMENTIA
- 14 HAVING FAMILY LIVING WITH ME
- 14 MANY RELATIVES HAVE PROBLEMAS I CAN'T HELP
- 14 LEARNING TO LIVE WITH MY HUSBAND FOR 47 YRS.
- 14 SICK SON
- 14 HUSBAND'S ATTITUDE
- 14 IF FRIENDS HAVE PROBLEMS
- 14 MAKING SURE MY DOG IS CARED FOR IF I DIE ANYTIME SOON
- 14 FAMILY PROBLEMS
- 14 HEALTH MY SPOUSE
- 14 PEOPLE LIVING IN CALIF. ARE NOT FRIENDLY IN GENERAL COMPARE TO THE STATES
- 14 WORRYING ABOUT MY CHILDREN
- 14 WORRY ABOUT SPOUSE
- 14 MY DAUGHTER ALWAYS NEEDS HELP & USES DRUGS
- 14 WORRY ABOUT GROWN CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN WELFARE
- 14 CONCERN FOR MY PARENTS WHO LIVES 2 HOURS AWAY
- 14 CONCERN FOR NEIGHBOR WHO NEEDS HELP WITH MEDICATIONS, GROCERY SHOPPING, ETC.
- 14 WE HAVE A SON WHO IS AUTISTIC HIGH FUNCTION
- 14 OLDER CHILDREN FINDING EMPLOYMENT
- 14 MY HUSBAND'S HEALTH
- 14 COPING WITH MY HUSBAND ANGER SPELLS
- 14 DON'T HAVE BIG PROBLEMS OTHER THAN WATCHING MY FRIENDS GET SICK
- 14 WORRY ABOUT MY DAD WHO IS CURRENTLY ILL
- 14 WORRY ABOUT MY CHILDREN'S LIVES AND PROBLEMS
- 14 WIFE HAS DEMENTIA
- 14 WHAT WILL I DO WHEN I AM OLDER, WIDOW AND ILL.?
- 14 UNEMPLOYED ADULT CHILD
- 14 TRYING TO GET ADULT DAUGHTER ON SSI-SHE'S UNABLE TO WORK DUE TO HEALTH ISSUE
- 14 TROUBLE WITH STEP-CHILDREN-DISAGREEMENT W/HUSBAND ABOUT THIS
- 14 TOO MANY PEOPLE (FAMILY) IN NEED OF HELP
- 14 SUBSTANTIAL ABUSE OF CHILD
- 14 SPOUSE'S HEALTH
- 14 SECURE FUTURE OF 21YR OLD SON (MAINTAINING IT)
- 14 PERSONALITY CHANGES IN HUSBAND AS HE AGES. ANGER ISSUES
- 14 PARTNERS HEALTH
- 14 NOT BEING ABLE TO HELP MY CHILDREN
- 14 NOT BEEING ABLE TO GIVE MY WIFE ALL I WANT TO PROVIDE

14 NOT ABLE TO LEAVE MY WIFE AT HOME ALONE
 14 MY HUSBAND
 14 MY DAUGHTER IS LIVING IN MY HOUSE, BUT I'M LIVING WITH MY SON
 14 MY CHILDRENS FUTURE
 14 MENTALLY ILL 38 YEARS OLD SON
 14 MAKES YOUR HEART BLEED, WHEN TURN DOWN WHAT GRANDCHILDREN ARE ASKING FOR.
 14 I AM THE DRIVER FOR FRIENDS. IF I CAN'T DO IT THEY DON'T GO
 14 HUSBAND'S HEALTH ISSUES AT THIS TIME
 14 HUSBAND'S HEALTH
 14 HUSBAND'S CHILDREN
 14 HUSBAND ALZHEIMERS DISEASE LIVING IN ASSISTED LIVING
 14 HEALTH OF HUSBAND
 14 GROWN CHILDREN MAKING A GOOD LIFE/WITH THE ECONOMY & HIGH COST OF LIVING
 14 GRANDCHILDREN'S FUTURE
 14 FAMILY MEMBERS HEALTH, NO HAPPINESS
 14 ENSURING MY 4 GRANDCHILDREN LIVING WITH US TO BECOME INDEPENDENT
 14 DAUGHTER W/MS IN NURSING HOME
 14 DAUGHTER UNEMPLOYED
 14 COMPREHENDING OUR CHILDRENS' GENERATION
 15 SOLEDAD - VIVIR Y SENTIRME SOLA.
 15 TRISTEZA POR LA MEURTE RECIENTE DE MI ESPOSO
 15 SOLEDAD Y AISLAMIENTO
 15 DIATONO FROM FAMILY
 15 LOSS OF HUSBAND LAST YEAR AFTER 55 YEARS MARRIED
 15 WIDOW 2 YRS. LONLINESS OF MISSING SPOUSE
 15 SEEING FRIENDS/NEIGHBORS & RELATIVES BECOME ILL & PASS AWAY
 15 NOT CLOSE TO ANY MEDICAL FACILITIES I CAN USE.
 15 LONELINESS - MISSING A SAFE COMPANION
 15 NOT SEEING MY DAUGHTER MORE OFTEN
 15 LONELY
 15 DEATH OF SPOUSE (3 MOS)
 15 LONELINESS
 15 LOSING MY SPOUSE
 15 ISOLATION
 15 BEING ALONE
 15 ALL 3 OF MY CHILDREN LIVE ON THE EAST COAST. NO ONE TO RELY ON
 15 LONELINESS AT NIGHT
 15 NO FAMILY IN AREA
 15 LOSS OF WIFE
 15 WIDOWED FOR 7 MOS.
 15 NOW THAT I'M DIVORCED WORRIED THAT NO ONE WOULD KNOW IF I COLLAPSED
 15 LONELINESS. NOT HAVING A CAR NOW
 15 NOT BEING ABLE TO RELATE MY FEELING TO SOMEONE
 15 BEING AWAY FROM MY CHILDREN
 15 LONELINESS
 15 LONELY IN A CROWD
 15 LONELINESS
 15 HEALTH

15 ISOLATED FROM BROTHER (CLOSEST FAMILY)
15 LONELINESS
15 DYING ALONE WITH NO ONE CARING ABOUT ME
15 RECOVERING EMOTIONALLY AFTER MY HUSBAND'S DEATH
15 LONELY. POOR PHYSICAL EXERCISE
15 I MISS MY MOTHER. SHE DIED 2 YEARS AGO. MY SISTER DIDN'T LIKE ME A LOT
15 HUSBAND DIED
15 WISH FAMILY LIVE NEAR
15 LIVE FAR AWAY FROM MY FAMILY & MY HUSBAND'S FAMILY, DON'T WANT TO
MOVE EAST.
15 THE LOSS OF MY SON
15 NO HOSPITALS NEAR
15 DIVORCES - LIVING ALONE
15 AT 93-MOST FRIENDS ARE GONE, BUT I FIND THINGS TO DO.
15 LONELY AT TIMES
15 LOSING MY HUSBAND AND BEING ALONE
15 BEING ALONE ALL DAY WHILE SON IS AT WORK
15 DAYS TOO LONG & LONELY
15 I HAVE NO SUPPORT SYSTEM OR CLOSE FRIENDS THAT ARE ABLE TO HELP ME
15 LONELY
15 LONELINESS
15 BEING ALONE
15 THE GREAT DISTANCE OF FAMILY MEMBERS
15 THANK GOD FOR TV AND A COLLECTION OF BOOKS
15 SOME LONELINESS INFREQUENTLY
15 SOLEDAD
15 SOCIAL ISOLATION/LACK OF SOCIAL LIFE D/T HEALTH PROBLEMS
15 MY FAMILY & BEST FRIENDS LIVE ELSEWHERE; I DON'T SEE THEM ENOUGH.
15 MISSING MY HUSBAND
15 MISS MY FRIENDS, MOST ARE ILL OR CANNOT DRIVE.
15 LOSING ONE'S SPOUSE
15 LONELINESS/ISOLATION/LACK OF OPPORTUNITIES TO SOCIALIZE
15 LONELINESS
15 LONELINESS
15 LONELINESS
15 LONELINESS
15 LIVING IN THE COUNTRY WHICH IS WONDERFUL BUT LONG DISTANCE TO CITY
FACILITES
15 LIVE FAR AWAY FROM CHILDREN
15 LIVE 3000 MILES FROM CHILDREN. PROBLEM IN FUTURE
15 LIFE TOO FAR FROM CITY
15 ISOLATION
15 ISOLATION
15 FRIENDS ARE FAR AWAY OR DESEASED.
15 FINDING SOMEONE TO WORK WITH IN MY FREE TIME
15 FINDING SOME ONE TO LOVE
15 FEELING TIRED MOST OF DAY. SOME ISOLATION
15 FEELING ISOLATED
15 CLOSE FRIENDS
15 BEING ALONE

15 AWAY FROM MY CHILDREN & FAMILIES
 15 ARE THERE GUIDELINES FOR PREPARING FOR WIDOWHOOD, RESIDENCY, ETC.
 15 ALONE MOST OF THE TIME
 15 AFRAID OF DYING ALONE WITHOUT ANY LOVE IN MY LIFE.
 15 MI TERAPIA ES MANTENERME OCUPADA Y HASTA DONDE ME ES POSIBLE COMPRAR MI VIDA
 CON MIS HIJOS
 15 LIKE TO SEE ACTIVITIES & SERVICES FOR UNDER 75 GROUP
 15 OLDER CITIZENS GET LONELY & DIE SUBJECTS OF DECREASED SOCIALIZING & TOO MANY CALLS
 FOR SERVICES OR CONDITIONS.
 15 THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING LEFT ALONE.
 15 AS WE GET OLDER (83) WE WILL MAKE PLANS TO LIVE CLOSER TO A CITY FOR ITS
 FACILITIES.
 15 WOULD BE NICE TO HAVE SOMEONE TO CALL IN AN EMERGENCY BESIDES 911
 15 ISOLATION - NOBODY CARES.
 15 I WOULD LIKE TO MEET PEOPLE OF MY OWN AGE TO SOCIALIZE WITH.
 15 FEELING ALONE - ANXIOUS
 15 MY LADY COMPANION FOR 14 YRS DIED 11/10, WE LIVED TOGETHER FOR THE LAST
 10 YEARS.
 15 CHILDREN LIVE IN THE CITY & SEE ONCE A WEEK.
 16 MI PROBLEMA ACTUAL ES CAMBIARME A PISO ABAJO POR CIRUGIA, SE ME
 NEGÓ AYUDA.
 16 ESTOY TRISTE PORQUE ME QUIEREN QUITAR LA AYUDA EN CASA.
 16 VIVIR EN APARTAMENTO DE 1 RECAMARA CON MI HIJO
 16 ENCONTRAR VIVIENDA INDIVIDUAL
 16 PRONTO NECESITARE VIVIENDA PUES MI HIJA ENTREGARA SU CASA.
 16 ENCONTRAR VIVIENDA ECONOMICA
 16 HAVING TO MOVE BECAUSE OF HIGH PROPERTY TAXES AND UPKEEP.
 16 FINDING PLACE TO LIVE WHEN WIFE RETIRES. (WHAT WE CAN AFFORD)
 16 FUTURE HOUSING - AFFORDABILITY
 16 FRICTION WITH CONDO ASSOCIATION
 16 HAVING TO DOWNSIZE BECAUSE OF AGE
 16 WORKING & GETTING SOCIAL SECURITY & NOT BEING ABLE TO REG HOUSING.
 16 VISIBLE FUTURE HOUSING PROBLEMS
 16 HOUSING
 16 VALUE OF HOME (UNDER WATER)
 16 SELLING MY PRESENT RESIDENCE SO I COULD DOWNSIZE
 16 "HOUSE UNDER WATER"
 16 WE WISH TO LIVE IN A BETTER PLACE
 16 TAKING CARE OF MY PROPERTY AS I GET OLDER
 16 HAVING TO LEAVE OUR HOME (SHORT SALE OR FORECLOSURE)
 16 HOUSING - I WILL NEED TO MOVE WITHIN 3 YEARS
 16 LIVING WITH MOM
 16 AFFORDABLE HOUSING - NO MEDICAL INSURANCE - PAYING FOR RX
 16 HOUSING PRICE DROP
 16 CANNOT TAKE CARE OF MYSELF OR MOTOR HOME
 16 MY RENT, I LIVE IN A MOBILE HOME PARK. I'M NOT HAPPY OF MY LIFE
 16 UNABLE TO SELL HOME
 16 RESIDENTS THAT DON'T FOLLOW CONDO RULES
 16 WILL I BE ABLE TO STAY IN MY HOME
 16 WHERE TO LIVE

16 VERY MUCH NEED HOUSING SECTION 8
16 PLANNING TO STAY OUT OF A LONG TERM CARE FACILITY
16 NOT LIVING IN MY OWN HOME
16 NO HOUSING FOR SOMETHING & ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION
16 NO HOME AS I GET OLDER
16 LIVING IN MEXICO
16 LIVING IN A RETIREMENT COMMUNITY
16 JOB - AFFORDABLE HOUSING
16 FINDING ANOTHER RV PARK W/LOW RENT
16 FEAR BEING HOMELESS AND AWAY FROM FAMILY
16 DOWNSIZING OR PERHAPS RELOCATING IN PRESENT ECONOMY
16 CONDITION OF OUR HOME
16 BEING HOMELESS BECAUSE I CANNOT FIND WORK ALTHOUGH I AM ACTIVELY
SEARCHING.
16 AFFORDABLE HOUSING THAT'S PET FRIENDLY
16 AFFORDABLE FUTURE HOUSING IN CALIFORNIA OR ELSEWHERE
16 ADJUSTING TO MOVING FROM 1 BEDROOM WITH FURNISHINGS TO A STUDIO-IT
TAKES TIME
17 FEELING USELESS
17 BOREDOM
17 DISTANCE FROM EDUCATIONAL/SHOWS ETC.
17 DETERMING APPROPRIATE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES.
17 TOO MUCH TIME
17 RETIREMENT - HARD TO FIND CHALLENGES
17 SENIOR CENTER MAY CLOSE
17 NOT BEING SOCIALLY ACTIVE ENOUGH
17 LIMITED SOCIAL ACTIVITY
17 HARD TO SHOP OR GO OUT FOR ENTERTAINMENT
17 FINDING GROUPS MY AGE AND INTERESTS TO WORK/SOCIALIZE WITH
18 EXPENSES KEEP GOING UP & PROPERTY TAXES.
18 FED INCOME TAXES
18 TAXES
18 TAXES
18 INCREASE IN FEES PRICES, TAXES.
18 TAXES - INFLATION COST OF LIVING - GOV. SPENDING
18 TAXES
18 TAXES
18 PROPERTY TAX-USE TO RECEIVE HOMEOWNERS ASSISTANCE, NO MORE FUNDS.
18 PAYING HIGH AMOUNT OF TAXES
18 TAXES & INSURANCE
18 TAXES FOR ANYTHING EXCEPT THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.
18 HIGH TAXES DUE TO INFLATED GOVERNMENT & DO NOTHING PROGRAMS
18 PAYING INCOME TAXES, I NEED TO WORK BECAUSE INCOME IS NOT ENOUGH
18 TAXES
18 TOO HIGH TAX RATES
18 TAX DEDUCTION IS TOO MUCH
18 STATE INCOME TAXES
18 PROPERTY TAXES TOO HIGH - MONEY RUNNING OUT
18 PROPERTY TAXES
18 PROPERTY TAXES

18 PAYING PROPERTY TAX ON MOBILE HOME
18 HIGH TAXES
18 HIGH LOCAL & STATE SALES & INCOME TAXES
18 HIGH CA. TAXES
18 I CANNOT DO MY OWN TAX RETURN - I CANNOT FIX ANY PLUMBING OR
ELECTRICITY
19 NECESITO TRABAJAR PARA OBTENER UN POCO MAS INGRESO
19 WORK FOR MY AGE
19 FINDING JOB
19 NOT EMPLOYED
19 ELDERLY MEMBER, WOULD LIKE TO WORK BUT NO ONE HIRE
19 NO JOB
19 FINDING A JOB
19 NOBODY WILL HIRE MY AGE
19 BEING UNEMPLOYED AND NOT QUITE OLD ENOUGH TO BE RETIRED
19 UNEMPLOYMENT (AGISM PREVENTS MY HIRE)
19 NOT WORKING
19 NO TENER TRABAJO
19 TOO MANY COMPANIES WANT YOU TO FILL OUT APPS. ON LINE WHICH IS DIFFICULT FOR SOME.
MANY SENIORS DO NOT HAVE COMPUTERS
19 SOON TO LOSE UE BENEFITS, THEN I MUST FIND A PART TIME JOB!
19 I AM UNEMPLOYED AND I CAN'T FIND A JOB
19 EMPLOYMENT
20 QUE NO NOS ALCANZA EL DINERO
20 MIS PROLEMAS SON MIS FINANZAS
20 PROBLEMAS FINANCIEROS
20 BIENESTAR ECONOMICO
20 RISING PRICES
20 UNCERTAINTY OVER THE FUTURE (POSSIBLE CHANGES) MEDICARE & SOCIAL
SECURITY
20 THE ECONOMY
20 RISING PRICES
20 FINANCES
20 ABILITY TO RETIRE
20 PLANNING FOR RETIREMENT
20 WHEN TO RETIRE
20 FINANCIAL
20 PROPERTY TAXES AND CAR INSURANCE AND DENTAL BILLS
20 SOCIAL SECURITY, CAN'T AFFORD IT!
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES
20 RISING COSTS
20 FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY

20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 PROBLEMS IN THE ARAB COUNTRIES ACLU
20 PROBLEM WITH MEMORY, I CAN'T WRITE, I AM PAST FINANCIAL PROBLEM.
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 MONEY
20 UNABLE TO RELIEVE THEIR FINANCIAL PROBLEMS.
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY AS A SENIOR
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY AS I GROW OLDER
20 FINANCIAL SITUATION INADEQUATE
20 FINANCES-EVERYTHING INCREASING BUT OURS
20 ECONOMY
20 FINANCIAL
20 RISING PRICES ON EVERYTHING
20 FEAR OF EXPENSES OF LONG TERM CARE
20 ECONOMY
20 LONG TERM FINANCIAL STABILITY IN RETIREMENT (PREPARING FOR IT)
20 STOCK MARKET GOING DOWN
20 FINANCIALS
20 ECONOMY - AS IT AFFECTS YOUNGER FAMILY MEMBERS
20 FINANCIAL INSECURITY
20 FINANCIAL DEBT
20 INFLATION
20 FINANCIAL. WILL PROBABLY LOSE HOME 2013
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL PROBLEMS OF CHILDREN. NEED MY HELP
20 ENSURING I HAVE FINANCIAL RESOURCES TO LAST UNTIL I DIE
20 FINANCIAL - STILL PAYING SCHOOL LOANS FOR CHILDREN
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY
20 WITH THE ECONOMY & ITS FORECASTS, EVENTUALLY HAVING FINANCIAL PROBLEMS.
20 FINANCES
20 CREDIT CARD DEBT DUE TO DELAYED PAYMENTS BY CLIENTS
20 GETTING MY ESTATE TO WHERE MY DEATH WON'T BURDEN HER.
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCIAL DIFFICULTY HARD TIME PAYING MY BILLS
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL
20 HAVING A LOT OF DEBT.
20 KEEPING UP WITH SPENDING ECONOMY
20 FUTURE INVESTMENTS
20 ECONOMICO
20 OUTLIVING THE MONEY

20 FINANCIAL
20 THAT OUR MONEY WILL LAST AS LONG AS WE DO (MY MOTHER IS 97)
20 FINANCIAL
20 INFLATION
20 WORRYING ABOUT FINANCES.
20 RETIREMENT FINANCES
20 USA GOING BANKRUPT
20 FINANCIAL
20 ANXIETY OVER SOCIAL SECURITY.
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCES
20 ECONOMY (BECAUSE EVERYTHING KEEPS GOING UP)
20 AFRAID OF RUNNING OUT OF MONEY, AFTER MY MONTHLY BILLS I LESS THAN
\$300 LEFT
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY: PRESENT & FUTURE
20 FINANCIAL
20 SAFETY, CONSTANT NEWS THAT SOC. SEC. IS GOING AWAY.
20 FINANCIALLY
20 FINANCES
20 CREDIT - LACK OF FINANCES
20 CONCERN FOR THE FUTURE FINANCE
20 FINANCES
20 MEETING FUTURE FINANCIAL NEEDS
20 THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY
20 FINANCES
20 WORRY ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY PENSION
20 EXISTING COMFORTABLY IN TODAYS FINANCIAL CLIMATES
20 FINANCIAL STRUGGLES (NOT ENOUGH MONTHLY)
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCIAL
20 THAT WE WILL OUT LIVE OUR INCOME
20 MONEY OVER A LONG STRETCH
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY IN A FEW YEARS
20 FUTURE \$ SITUATION
20 WORRYING ABOUT GLOBAL AND ECONOMIC INESTABILITY
20 WORRY THAT OUR FINANCES WON'T BE ADEQUATE FOR SUPPORT UNTIL END OF
LIFE
20 WE HAVE TOO MUCH DEBT BECAUSE HE WAS UNEMPLOYED FOR 1 1/2 YEARS.
20 UNPLANNED MAJOR EXPENSES
20 UNCERTAIN FINANCIAL FUTURE
20 THAT MONEY WILL RUN OUT BEFORE I DO
20 STATE OF THE ECONOMY
20 SOCIAL SECURITY
20 RUNNING OUT OF MONEY
20 POOR RETURN OUR INVESTMENTS
20 POOR ECONOMY
20 PERSONAL FINANCES
20 PAYING OLD DEBTS/LOANS
20 PAYING CREDIT CARD

20 OVERWHELMED ESPECIALY WITH FINANCIAL MATTERS & FILLING GOVT FORMS.
20 NO WILL TRUST ETC
20 NO RAISE IN PAY - INFLATION
20 MONEY TO KEEP UP
20 MGMT FINANCES
20 MAY BE REALLY TIGHT FINANCIALLY WHEN I RETIRE
20 LOW INTEREST RATES
20 IF I WILL SURVIVE AND MY PENSION J555 WHILE SENDING HELP TO MY SISTER &
FAM.
20 HORRIBLE ECONOMY OF THE NATION
20 HAVING ENOUGH TIME & MONEY FOR VOLUNTEER EFFORTS
20 HAVE TO DEPEND ON FAMILY FOR CARE & FINANCIAL HELP.
20 FUTURE MONEY ISSUES ALTHOUGH OK NOW BUT FOR HOW LONG
20 FINISH PAYING CREDIT CARDS
20 FINDING CONSERVATIVE INVESTMENTS THAT WILL KEEP US FINANCIALLY
INDEPENDENT
20 FINANCIAL SECURITY
20 FINANCIAL PROBLEM
20 FINANCIAL ISSUES
20 FINANCIAL ISSUES
20 FINANCIAL INSECURITY
20 FINANCIAL HARDSHIP
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCIAL
20 FINANCES. LOSING OUR HOME; NOT SURE WHERE TO MOVE TO; HOW MUCH LONGER CAN I
WORK?
20 FINANCES IF HUSBAND PRE-DECEASES ME I'LL BE IN TROUBLE
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCES
20 FINANCES
20 EXPENSES
20 ENOUGH MONEY TO SURVIVE
20 EFFECT OF GOVT INFLATION ON SAVINGS.
20 ECONOMY
20 ECONOMY
20 DEBTS
20 DEBT
20 CONTINUING TO WORK TO PAY OFF DEBT INCURRED DURING UNWISE SEASONS
OF MY LIFE
20 CAN'T GET BY JUST WITH SOC. SEC.
20 UN PROBLEMA MUY GRANDE QUE POR LA EDAD YA NO LE DAN A UNO TRABAJO Y ENTONCES
QUE HACEMOS?
20 NO MAS, QUE LA CALIDAD DE VIDA PARA LAS PERSONAS MAYORES, EN EL ASPECTO
ECONOMICO ES MUY CARO.
20 NECESITO MUCHA AYUDA TANTO ECONOMICA COMO MORAL.
20 QUE CADA DIA ALCANZA MENOS EL DINERO, TODO SUBE MUCHO.
20 COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT NOT APPROPRIATE. DON'T RETIRE IF YOU DON'T MAKE BIG
RETIREMENT BENEFIT.

20 INFLATION
20 I HAVE TO LIVE ON CREDIT CARDS & THEY ARE MAXED
20 NOT ENOUGH \$ FOR RETIREMENT. WILL PROBABLY HAVE TO WORK UNTIL I'M 75+
20 I INVESTED FAITHFULLY IN IRA AND 401K FOR 30 YEARS AND DUE TO THE CURRENT ECONOMY
HAVE LITTLE TO SHOW FOR IT
20 IT GETS FRUSTRATING BECAUSE MY INCOME IS JUST ABOVE POOR AND BELOW MIDDLE SO IF I
NEED HELP THERE'S NOWHERE TO TURN
20 LIVE IN LOW INCOME HOUSING. NEED MORE ACTIVITIES. NEED ACTIVITY DIRECTOR. PAID OR
VOLUNTEER
20 POOL CONTRACT PROBLEM
20 HEALTH COSTS AND PRESCRIPTION COSTS ARE INCREASING TO SUCH AN EXTENT THAT IT IS
EFFECTING OUR QUALITY OF LIFE
20 I STILL WORK AS A CONSULTANT
20 COST OF HIRING A FULL TIME CAREGIVER IF THAT SHOULD BECOME NECESSARY
20 I REST ASSUMED THE AGING & INDEPENDENCE SERVICE CAN GIVE FINANCIAL AID AND
SUPPORTIVE SERVICES TO SENIORS OF ADVANCED AGE.
20 NEED HELP WITH FINANCIAL PLANNING SO WE CAN STAY IN OUR HOME.
20 WISH TO HAVE HOUSING SECTION 8 ASAP
20 IT IS REALLY TOO BAD THAT BORN AMERICANS (CAUCASIAN) HAS SUCH A DIFFICULT TIME
GETTING ANY FINANCIAL AID.
20 LOSE MEDICAL AND SOCIAL SECURITY. COST OF LIVING, PRICE OF GROCERIES AND
MEDICATIONS GOING UP. FEAR OF LOSING MY HOME. NOT HAVING ENOUGH FOR NURSING HME

20 WE HAVE REALLY STRUGGLED IN THE PAST 5 YRS TO MAKE THE MORTGAGES ON OUR
PROPERTIES. WE MAY HAVE TO LET SOME GO BACK AFTER MY WIFE RETIRES.
20 STILL WORKING TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCOME.
20 NOT BEING ABLE TO AFFORD DENTAL CARE
20 NEED FINANCIAL HELP
20 YEAR 2007 RECEIVING SSI AMOUNTING \$749. RECENTLY RECEIVING SSI AMOUNTING \$520.
PAYING CURRENTLY \$500. MONTHLY
20 NEEDED ADVICE BEFORE RETIRING IN MANY AREAS (SEE ABOVE)
20 VA TURNED US IN TO SOCIAL SECURITY AND THEY WITHHOLD \$174.00 A MONTH.
20 I DESPERATELY NEED NEW CARPET. BUT CANNOT AFFORD TO BUY ANY.
20 APARTMENTS RENTS ARE ALSO HIGH; LOW INCOME HOMES, LONG WAITING PERIOD. SECTION 8,
SAME PROBLEM, LONG YEARS TO WAIT
20 LOSING THE RENTAL SUBSIDY HURST! ALTHOUGH LOW INCOME, I CANNOT QUALIFY FOR FOOD
STAMPS.
20 SPOUSE PROBABLY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO RETIRE - AFRAID OF NOT HAVING ENOUGH FOR OUR
FUTURE.
20 I WOULD LIKE HELP FINDING A JOB FOR A SENIOR.
20 NOT BEING ABLE TO PAY MY MEDICAL BILLS. NOT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY.
20 MY RENT GOES UP EVERY YEAR.
20 IT WOULD BE NICE TO GET A HELPER. IF YOU COULD HELP WITH THE COST
DEDUCTABLE IN MEDICAL INSURANCE IS TOO HIGH BEFORE MY INSURANCE PAYS MY DOCTOR.

20 NEED HELP WITH YARD WORK AND MINOR REPAIRS. DON'T KNOW HOW. CAN'T AFFORD. WILL
BARTER AUTO REPAIR.
20 HAD TO GIVE UP MY HOME RECENTLY (PLACE OF RESIDENCE FOR OVER 40 YRS) IN SHORT SALE
BECAUSE OF STATE OF ECONOMY.
20 I'M SELF EMPLOYED, WORK ON COMMISSION, LIVE W/FAMILY BECAUSE OF HIGH

COST OF HOUSING I HAVE NO INSURANCE. PAY CASH FOR PRESCRIPTIONS &
HAVE DIABETES.

20 WE HAVE A REVERSE MORTGAGE OR WE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO FIND
AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR MY HUSBAND & MYSELF. ECONOMIC WORRIES. SO
FAR WE'RE MAKING IT.

20 NEED A RESOURCE FOR PART-TIME WORK FOR RETIREES. I MADE \$22,000 LAST YEAR I HAVE TO
PAY \$500.00 IN TAXES, WHERE IS THE FAIRNESS?!

20 I'M GETTING OLDER, I CAN'T DO ALL THE THINGS I USE TO BUT CAN'T AFFORD TO PAY SOMEONE
ALL THE TIME.

20 SOCIAL SECURITY DOES NOT STRETCH FOR APT RENT. I WORKED 50 YRS AS A
NURSE.

20 IN THE YEAR 2007 I WAS RECEIVING SSI AMOUNTING \$749. RECENTLY I AM RECEIVING SSI
AMOUNTING \$520. PAY MY RENT \$500. MONTHLY.

20 LAID OFF IN APRIL 2010-FINDING SUITABLE EMPLOYMENT EXTREMELY DIFFICULT-JUST FILED
SSA PAPERWORK-INCOME WILL BE SSA FUNDED.

20 ADJUSTING TO MOVING, DUE TO RENTAL PRICES - OK FOR NOW, BUT QUIET A
LONG WAIT.

20 DO NOT ENCOURAGE REVERSE MORTGAGE. DO NOT TAKE SENIOR'S MEDICAL AID.
20 THE ECONOMY NEEDS TO BE BETTER.
20 I WANT MY LOW INCOME HOUSE
20 WE NEED HELP TO PAY OUR UTILITIES
20 CAN'T ALWAYS GET ENOUGH GROCERIES
20 I AM VERY CONCERNED ABOUT MY MOBILEHOME PARK (POINSETTIA SENIOR MH PARK) FEE &
THE WAY OF YEARLY INCREASES.

20 NEED HELP WITH THE COST OF CARE GIVERS. THE PRICES ARE OUT OF SIGHT.

21 PRESIDENT OBAMA
21 LIBERALS
21 OBAMA HAS SUNK THIS COUNTRY INTO DEBT THAT WE'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO
PAY OFF.
21 OBAMA CARE
21 ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS
21 COMPLETE LACK OF FAITH WITH ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT
21 TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT INTRUSION INTO MY LIFE.
21 POLITICS
21 THE COUNTRY'S LEADERSHIP
21 INFLATION 8% +
21 DEMOCRATS
21 OBAMA'S POLICIES IN VIOLATION OF THE CONSTITUTION
21 LACK OF CITY PROVIDED SERVICES SUCH AS ROAD REPAIRS.
21 ENCROACHING GOVERNMENT ON PERSONAL AND PRIVATE ISSUES.
21 THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY
21 OBAMA. SPENDING LIKE THERE'S NO TOMORROW
21 STATE & FEDERAL DEBT
21 THE STUPIDITY IN ALL PHASES OF GOVERNMENT
21 GOVERNMENT INTRUSION INTO MY PERSONAL LIFE
21 LIBERAL AGENDA
21 GOVERNMENT DEBT
21 DISHONEST POLITICIANS
21 GOVERNMENT (STATE)
21 IRRESPONSIBLE VOTERS

21 OVERTCROWDING OF THE COUNTY
 21 COMPREHENDING CURRENT POLITICS
 21 PRES. OBAMA
 21 OBAMA
 21 WHERE MY COUNTRY IS GOING, THE WAR.
 21 OBAMA CARE & OBTRUSIVE BIG GOVERNMENT AND SURVEYS LIKE THIS ONE.
 21 WORLD'S PROBLEMS & DISASTERS
 21 THE CURRENT POLITICAL SITUATION (OBAMA NEEDS TO BE REPLACED)
 21 IDIOTS SPENDING OUT TAX DOLLARS FASTER THAN WE MAKE THEM
 21 DAMAGE TO GOOD GOVERNMENT BY THE GOP UNNECESSARY WARS & ATTENDANT EXPENSE

 21 THE U.S. ECONOMY
 21 WE NEED IMMIGRATION REFORM PASS THE DREAM ACT
 21 CURRENT ADMINISTRATION
 21 OBAMA CARE
 21 CONCERN ABOUT INFLATION AND STATE TEACHERS PENSION
 21 DIRECTION OF COUNTRY
 21 TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT GIVE AWAY PROGRAMS
 21 PRES. OBAMA
 21 COUNTRY'S CONDITION
 21 JURY DUTY IF THEY CALL
 21 WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A DIFFERENT PRESIDENT WHO UNDERSTANDS SAVING MONEY
 21 LACK OF RESPONSIBILITY OF OUR REPRESENTATIVES
 21 CONCERN WITH "NANY" GOVERNMENT
 21 INEFFECTIVE STATE AND FEDERAL OFFICIALS
 21 OBAMA
 21 NO PROBLEMS EXCEPT THE DIRECTION OF OUR COUNTRY
 21 OBAMA CARE
 21 WORRY ABOUT THE USA POLITICAL CLIMATE
 21 WORLD PEACE
 21 WILL THE REPUBLICANS HAVE THEIR WAY WITH SENIORS
 21 US ECONOMY
 21 TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT THE DUMB POLITICIANS ARE THINKING-BOTH DEM.
 & REP.
 21 TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT
 21 THE DIRECTION OF THE COUNTRY
 21 THE COUNTY LEADERSHIP
 21 THE "GET ANYTHING FREE" PROGRAM OF THE OBAMA ADMINISTRATION
 21 SSI NOT ADDRESSING INFLATION
 21 REPUBLICANS
 21 REDUCTION IN MEDICARE BENEFITS. IE. OBAMA AGAIN
 21 PRICE OF FUEL & NAT'L DEBT
 21 POLITICIANS
 21 POLITICAL POLARIZATION RESULTING IN FAILURE TO SOLVE SOCIAL/ECONOMIC
 PROBLEM
 21 OUR NATIONAL DEBT
 21 OBAMA IN THE WHITE HOUSE, BROWN IN THE STATE HOUSE WHAT A MESS!
 21 OBAMA CARE
 21 MAINTAINING STABILITY IN OUR PRESENT ENVIRONMENT.
 21 LAWS THAT IMPINGE ON MY FREEDOMS.

21 HAVING A PRESIDENT WHO DOESN'T CARE ABOUT THE PEOPLE
21 GREEDY POLITICIANS
21 GOVERNMENT (FED)
21 FULL-OF-THEMSELVES CITY COUNCIL PERSONS
21 CONCERN ABOUT THE FUTURE OF OUR CONTRY
21 CALIFORNIA GOING BANKRUPT
21 ARROGANT POLITICIANS
21 A RADICAL PRESIDENT THAT ISN'T QUALIFIED TO BE PRESIDENT
21 AFRAID OF THE DIRECTION IN WHICH OUR COUNTRY IS HEADED
21 I WISH LEGISLATURE WOULD MAKE ENGLISH THE LANGUAGE OF THE USA
21 TOO MANY REQUESTS FOR DONATIONS FROM A SON WHO DIED 51 AGO.
POLITICIANS.
21 I WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE FREE HEATLH EDUCATION CLASSES PROMOTED BY
THE STATE TO PREVENT ILLNESS. VOLUNTEERS TO EDUCATE AND ASSIST IN
THEIR LOCAL AREAS.
21 I FEEL SO STRONGLY A "MEANS TEST" NEEDS TO BE APPLIED TO RECEIVE SOCIAL SECURITY OR
GOVERNMENT PENSIONS MILITARY OR OTHER.
21 INVESTIGATE ALL THE WELFARE FRAUD
21 THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO BE A U.S. CITIZEN! PAYING TAXES TO
PROVIDE SERVICES TO ILLEGALS!
21 WE NEED A SENIOR ORGANIZATION THAT ACTUALLY LOOKS OUT FOR SENIORS WELL BEING -
NOT AS A MEANS TO SELL INSURANCE OR HAVE POLITICAL TIES.
21 THOROUGHLY DISGUSTED WITH POLITICIANS AND LACK OF ANY POSITIVE ACTION OR
COOPERATION.
21 OBAMA CARE IS GOING TO SCREW UP MY INSURANCE.
21 HOW CAN THE COUNTY/STATE RAISE OUR PROPERTY TAXES EVERY YEAR? THE
VALUE HAS DECREASED! WHY AT 79 ARE WE STILL PAYING SCHOOL & COLLEGE
TXS? SHOULDN'T BE!
21 WE HAVE GOT TO STOP SUPPORTING THE WORLD AND START TAKING CARE OF OURSELVES.
GET THAT PIPE LINE FROM CANADA TO SUPPORT OUR OIL NEEDS.
21 PEOPLE RECEIVING GOVT BENEFITS THAT DON'T QUALIFY FOR THEM - WHO
OVERSEES THIS?
21 NO SECOND TERM FOR PRESIDENT OBAMA
21 WHAT HAPPENED WITH THE ECONOMY IN CRIMINAL ON THE GOVERNMENTS
PERSONAL
21 CALIFORNIA NEEDS TO GET CONTROL OF THE ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION PROBLEM
21 REPEAL OBAMACARE
21 OUR NATIONAL ECONOMY IS GOING IN THE WRONG DIRECTION. NOT HAPPY WITH POLITICAL
LEADERS.
21 OUR NORTHERN NEIGHBOR CANADA HAS COMPLETE MEDI-CARE & ALZHEIMERS CARE &
NURSING CARE WHEN NEEDED.
21 GIVING CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE QUALITY EDUCATIION, KEEPING THE DRUG & GANG
PROBLEMS DOWN TO A MINIMUM.
21 THE OLDER POPULATION IN STATE/COUNTRY IS HUGE. THEIR NEEDS AREN'T
BEING ADDRESSED AND I DON'T BELIEVE THEY WILL BE (GREED, POWER &
MONEY WON'T LET IT)
21 I LIKE THE FACT THAT COUNTY HAS A SURPLUS. PLEASE ONLY HELP THOSE WHO TRULY NEED IT.

21 VERY SENSITIVE, DON'T ACCEPT THIS PRESENT CONDITION
21 GET OBAMA OUT OF THE PRESIDENCY

21 AVOID AUTOCRACY

21 WHEN WILL THE "POLITICIANS" START LISTENING TO THE PEOPLE?

21 WHY WAS SENIORS' MEDICAL CUT? WHY WAS OUR SOCIAL SECURITY NOT RAISED? I WORKED IN SHIPYARD FOR WWII. MY HUSBAND WAS IN THE MARINES (INJURED)

21 WISH EVERYONE WOULD TRY TO BE INDEPENDENT. TRY NOT TO DEPEND TOO MUCH ON OUR GOVERNMENT.

21 JUST LEAVE US ALONE - WE DO NOT BELIEVE IN THE WELFARE STATE.

21 THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL PROVIDE MORE HELP TO GET A HOUSING LOAN

21 I'LL BE GLAD WHEN THE PRESIDENT WE HAVE NOW IS OUT OF OFFICE.

21 I BELIEVE THE GOVERNMENT IS UNFAIR IN THE AMOUNT OF MONEY WE RECEIVE AS A DISABLED VETERAN.

21 I WORKED 50 YRS TO GET TO THIS POINT - FOLKS TODAY WANT A HANDOUT - ENTITLEMENT & MENTALITY IS KILLING OUR COUNTRY!

21 AT A TIME WHEN OUR STATE AND LOCAL GOVTS ARE VIRTUALLY BANKRUPT, IT SEEMS A POOR IDEA FOR THESE SAME ENTITIES TO BE TRYING MORE SERVICES TO PROVIDE.

21 GOVT. WASTING MONEY ON SURVEYS LIKE THIS.

21 I FEEL GOVERNMENT SPENDING IS EXCESIVE DUE TO FRAUD AND ABUSE

22 SOY PERSONA RETIRADA, YA NO TRABAJO Y APLIQUE PARA MEDICAL Y ME AYUDEN A PAGAR LOS APARATOS DEL AUTO PERO NO ME HAN CONTESTADO.

22 LES AGRADECERIA QUE DEJARAN LA AYUDA QUE NOS DAN EN CASA, PORQUE PARA MI ES MUCHA AYUDA.

22 ESTOY EN RECUPERACION DE REEMPLAZO DE FEMUR, HACE 5 MESES PEDI AYUDA A AGING IND. SERVICES PERO SE ME NEGÓ LA AYUDA. NECESITO TERAPIAS PARA CAMINAR BIEN

22 TENGO MIEDO QUE MI MEDICAL ME HAGAN PAGAR DEDUCIBLES, PUES YO NO TENDRIA PARA PAGAR CADA MES \$800. CON LO QUE ME DAN NO TENDRIA NI PARA COMER.

22 I DO NOT WANT TO BE PUT IN ANY TYPE OF CONVALESCENT HOME.

22 COUNTY TOOK MY MEDICAL COVERAGE

22 HELP WILL BE NEEDED EVENTUALLY

22 I HAVE NO MEDICAL INSURANCE AND DON'T WANT ANY. I HAD CANCER AND KNOW THE SYSTEM INTIMATELY (PAID OUT OF POCKET FOR EVERYTHING)

22 NEED MORE AGENCY OR SERVICES FOR SENIOR INDEPENDENT LIVINGS. ASSISTANCE FOR FAMILY TAKING CARE OF OLDER MEMBERS OF FAMILY.

22 WOULD LIKE AFFORDABLE MEDICAL & DENTAL CARE. NEED AFFORDABLE HOUSING

22 NEED MORE HELP FOR DISABLED YOUNG & OLD

22 MAYBE MORE CLASSES FOR DISABLED PEOPLE. VERY SAD THAT THE SOUTHBAY ADULT HEALTH CARE CENTER CLOSED.

22 HAVE LOOKED UP A/S SERVICES ON THE COMPUTER BUT SERVICES DID NOT WORK FOR MY NEEDS OF TRYING TO HELP OTHERS

22 MY HUSBAND IS BLIND AND PARALYZED, THIS LIMITS ME FROM GOING AND DOING THINGS THAT I LIKE TO DO.

22 DOUBLE LEG AMPUTEE

22 GETTING TREATMENT BY THE VA AND MY PERSONAL MEDICAL PLAN

22 WITH TWO LIFE THREATENING ILLNESSES, I AM VERY GRATEFUL FOR THE COUNTIES CMS INSURANCE PROGRAM, NO DR'S, MED'S, DENTAL, HOSPITAL COVERAGE W/OUT THEM.

22 I DON'T NEED DAY CARE BUT KNOW MANY ELDERS DO. PLEASE DO ALL YOU CAN IN THAT REGARD. THANK YOU

22 I DON'T WANT TO GO TO A NURSING HOME; WILL THERE BE AVAILABLE ASSISTANCE FOR AN IN-HOME CARE?

22 IT IS SUCH A TREMENDOUS HELP TO HAVE IHSS AND MEDICAL. I COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT

22 LIVING IN SKILLED CARE FACILITY

22 IT IS ABSURD THAT DENTAL, HEARING AND GLASSES ARE NOT PAID BY SOCIAL SECURITY (MEDICARE)

22 I AM NOT REALLY KNOWLEDGEABLE TO THE PURPOSE OF THE AIS AS FOR NOW. BUT I HOPE WE THE OLD PEOPLE BE GIVEN THE NECESSARY, MATERIALLY AND FINANCIALLY.

22 RIGHT NOW I'M HAVING TROUBLE GETTING A BRANDNAME ANTIDEPRESSANT THROUGH INSURANCE POLICY FOR REDUCED COST WHICH I HAD PRIOR TO THE GENERIC SUBSTITUTE.

22 THE RENT IS A GREAT PROBLEM, PLUS DENTAL, VISION, GLASSES AND HEARING PROBLEMS COVERAGE ARE NEEDED.

22 GETTING OLD IS STRESSFUL AND PAINFUL

22 THANK GOD FOR COUNTY RETIREMENT & INSURANCE. I'M CONSIDERING DENTAL IMPLANTS & HOW TO PAY FOR THEM.

22 I FIND IT DISAPPOINTING THAT I NEVER SEE/HAVE A MEDICAL DOCTOR MORE THAN ONCE AT THE ALPINE FAMILY MED. FACILITY.

22 I FEEL IT IS UNFAIR THAT WE ARE BEING TAXED FOR SOCIAL SECURITY.

22 REMOVE LIMITATIONS ON WHO CAN BE HIRED TO AID SENIORS IN THEIR HOMES. PAID OUT OF LONG TERM CARE PROGRAMS.

22 HUSBAND BEING LAID OFF & TRANSITIONING TO RETIREMENT-GAPS PRIOR TO ELEGIBILITY FOR MEDI-CARE AND SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS.

22 MORE CONSIDERATION SHOULD BE PAID TO OLDER PEOPLE - SOCIAL SERVICE SHOULD ARRANGE COMPANIONSHIP FOR THE ELDERLY.

22 WE ARE CURRENTLY INVOLVED IN SEARCH FOR CARE - HAVE AVAILABLE ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING THIS THRU FAMILY, PERSONAL REFERENCES.

22 WE BADLY NEED TO FIX OUR HEALTH CARE SYSTEM. OBAMA'S PROGRAM WAS A START, BUT NOT NEARLY ENOUGH.

22 NO TENER QUIEN ME AYUDE A LAVAR EL BANO, LA ESTUFA Y LIMPIAR EL REFRIGERADOR.

22 THERE IS A GREAT NEED FOR AFFORDABLE DENTAL.

22 TRYING TO GET HELP FROM VA FOR PAST YEAR, NO HELP. AIS S.D. SOCIAL SERVICES CAN'T HELP ME BECAUSE I HAVE NO PERMANENT ADDRESS.

22 I AM TIRED OF RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS NEVER COMING TO MY ASSISTANCE ALONG WITH INCOMPETENT SOCIAL WORKERS WHO WOULD CARE LESS, THEY ARE OVERWORKED.

22 I WISH I COULD AFFORD MED. INSUR. IN ADDITION TO MEDICARE. I WISH PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS DID NOT EXIST. IT'S DISCRIMINATORY!

22 WORRIED WE WON'T BE ABLE TO AFFORD MEDICAL OR DENTAL WHEN MY WIFE RETIRES.

22 MEETING MY NEEDS WHEN OLDER

22 I'M LIVING AT THE LEAST LEVEL I CAN WITH THESE BENEFITS. I WOULD BE SEVERELY HURT WITH LESS.

22 I AM THINKING OF GETTING IN THE ELDER CARE PROGRAM.

22 I HAVE A NEPHEW THAT ACTS AS A CARE HELPER

23 NICE THE Q ES TAMBIEN EN ESPA?OL

23 YO Y MI FAMILIA AGRADECEMOS A EL GOBIERNO Y A U.D.W. POR SU AYUDA Y

APOYO.

23 I WON THE LOTTERY BEING BORN INTO THE FAMILY I HAVE. LIFE IS GOOD. AFTER WORKING 50
YRS I AM ENJOYING THE FRUITS OF MY LABOR.

23 LIFE HAS BEEN GOOD

23 I FEEL VERY FORTUNATE. NO DEBT, MINOR HEALTH PROBLEMS, FAMILY, FRIENDS - BUSY - BUSY.

23 THANKS FOR WORKING WITH SENIOR ISSUES!

23 GRACIAS POR INTERESARLES MI PERSONA

23 THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO. MY NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS USED YOUR SERVICES FOR SEVERAL
YEARS WHEN THEY COULD NO LONGER FUNCTION ON THEIR OWN

23 THANKS FOR YOUR CONCERN ABOUT SENIORS

23 THIS A GOOD IDEA TO FIND THOSE THAT NEED HELP

23 JUST FILLING OUT THE SURVEY HELP ME CLEAR MY OWN THOUGHTS - THANK YOU!

23 THANK YOU FOR DOING THE SURVEY.

23 THANKS FOR ASKING

23 THANK YOU FOR THIS SURVEY

23 THANK YOU FOR ASKING!

23 I'M GLAD TO HEAR ABOUT AIS. IF I EVER NEED IT.

23 THANK YOU FOR CARING

23 THANKS FOR ASKING THESE QUESTION AS PEOPLE ARE AWAKE AT NIGHT WORRYING ABOUT
THEM.

23 THANKS FOR OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE INPUT AND INFORMATION.

23 THANK YOU FOR THE CHANCE TO OFFER INPUT.

23 THANK YOU!

23 MAYBE WHEN I REACH THE AGE THAT I'M REALLY DISABLED. MAYBE IT'S THE TIME I NEED YOUR
HELP. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONCERN FOR THE SENIORS

23 THANKS FOR CARING ABOUT OLDER PEOPLE, LIKE ME. MY FAMILY IS TOO BUSY!

23 THANK YOU FOR WHAT ALL YOU DO!

23 THANK YOU FOR SENDING THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. IT'S ENCOURAGING TO KNOW SOMEONE IS
THINKING OF OUR ONGOING NEEDS.

23 I DON'T NEED YOU YET, BUT I'M GLAD YOU'RE THERE!

23 I WORK HARD TO KEEP GOOD HEALTH BY EXERCISE, EATING RIGHT, HAVING LOTS
OF ACTIVITIES-INCLUDING VOLUNTEER WORK IN OUR COMMUNITY. THIS
SURVEY GREAT IDEA.

23 HAVE A GOOD DAY

23 THIS SURVEY IS GREAT. HOW DOES THE COUNTY HELP SENIOR CITIZENS?

23 APPRECIATE THE WORK YOU DO TO ASSIST THOSE LESS FORTUNATE OR OLDER
THAN I.

23 KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK. I WILL NEED YOUR HELP SOME DAY.

23 I THANK YOU FOR ASKING

23 GRACIAS POR PREOCUPARSE POR NOSOTROS LOS VIEJOS.

23 THIS SURVEY OF OLDER AMERICANS IS TO PAY ATTENTION TO THE LIFE OF ALL OLD PERSONS

23 THANKS FOR CARING

23 I GET YOUR NEWSLETTER, THANKS.

23 I APPRECIATE YOUR CONCERN FOR HELPING NEEDY ELDERLY PERSONS. AS A
BELIEVER IN JESUS CHRIST & FIND THAT HE IS WITH ME AND HELP ME OUT ALL
TIMES.

23 THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU!

23 I KNOW I AM VERY FORTUNATE. PLEASE CONTINUE TO HELP THOSE WHO NEED YOUR SERVICES;
I AM WILLING TO PAY HIGHER TAXES TO PROVIDE FOR THIS.

23 IT'S NICE TO KNOW THAT HELP MAY BE AVAILABLE IF NECESSARY. THANK YOU.

23 THANK YOU FOR CARING.

23 HOPE THIS HELPS

23 APPRECIATE THE EFFORT THE COUNTY IS MAKING TO REACH THE SENIORS.

23 THANKS FOR DOING THIS.

23 HOPE THIS HELPS, NEVER WAS A GOOD WRITER, NOW I HAVE ARTHRITIS

23 GRACIAS POR LAS PREGUNTAS.

23 HOPEFULLY THIS QUESTIONNAIRE CAN HELP REACH THOSE SENIOR WHO ARE IN NEED OF
COUNTY SERVICES - NICE CONCEPT!

23 THANK YOU FOR DOING THIS SURVEY. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

23 THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONCERN.

23 THANKS FOR ASKING FOR MY INPUT.

23 IT'S GOOD THAT YOU ARE DOING THIS SURVEY/OUTREACH, THANK YOU.

24 DURANTE MUCHO TIEMPO, MI ESPOSE JOSE ME HA AYUDADO EN TODAS MIS NECESIDADES,
POR FAVOR TOMARLO EN CUENTA, GRACIAS.

24 SUBSCRIBE TO ANNUAL EDITION OF ENCYCLOPEDIA BOOK YEAR

24 OVERALL THESE "GOLDEN YEARS" ARE PRETTY WONDERFUL!

24 NONE

24 WOULD LIKE TO BE MORE ACTIVE! I HAVE NO COMPLAINTS & I AM CONTENT!

24 I AM FORTUNATE TO LIVE IN CARLSBAD BY THE SEA, WHICH LOOKS AFTER MOST OF THE ABOVE
CONCERNS, ALSO TO BE A KAISER PERMANENTE MEMBER.

24 NONE

24 N/A

24 DON'T WORRY BE HAPPY

24 NONE

24 NONE

24 IT'S IMPORTANT TO KEEP ACTIVE YOUR MIND & BODY. FRIENDS ARE AN IMPORTANT FACTOR.
KEEP A POSITIVE ATTITUDE, ENJOY LIFE!

24 NONE

24 I AM A HAPPY 90 YEAR OLD WOMAN

24 WE ARE COMFORTABLE & CONTENT

24 I'M BLESSED

24 I DO FINE BY MYSELF

24 WONDERFUL CHILDREN

24 I'M 82 MARRIED 61 YRS, THE VERY BEST HUSBAND & FAMILY KIDS AND 5 BEAUTIFUL GRAND KIDS.
WERE VERY CLOSE. GOD IS SO GOOD TO US EACH AND ALL.

24 I CONSIDER MYSELF BLESSED, SECURE AND HAPPY UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES I HAVE NO
CONTROL OF.

24 ENJOY FAMILY - FRIENDS

24 MY HUSBAND & I ARE LUCKY, CAUTIOUS, FRUGAL AND WE TRUST OUR COMMON SENSE. WE
COMMUNICATE.

24 I AM MOST THANKFUL THAT I DO NOT HAVE MONEY PROBLEMS YOU STATED.

24 I BELIEVE IF IHSS WAS NOT HELPING ME I WOULD HAVE BEEN DEAD OR SUFFERING MORE NOW.
THIS IS AN EXCELLENT PROGRAM.

24 LIFE IS GOOD THEN YOU DIE

24 I HAVE NO COMPLAINTS; I'M WELL ADJUSTED TO CHANGING LIFE PATTERNS.

24 I WOULD NEED SOME OF THESE SERVICES PROBABLY, IF I WEREN'T MARRIED.

- 24 LIKE LIVING HERE & I LIVE ALONE AS LONG AS I CAN. TOO INDEPENDENT FOR MY OWN GOOD.
- 24 I AM VERY BELSSED TO HAVE A WONDERFUL FAMILY.
- 24 DON'T NEED HELP OF ANY KIND AT AGE 75-BUT FOR HOW MUCH LONGER CAN IT LAST.
- 24 I AM HAPPY AND PROUD TO LIVE IN CALIFORNIA, THE STATE WHICH GIVES UTMOST CARE AND BENEFITS TO THE SENIORS RESIDENTS.
- 24 I'M STILL IN VARIOUS CLUBS, WHICH I BELIEVE KEEPS YOU HEALTHY & HAPPY
- 24 WE ARE RELATIVELY LUCKY AND DOING BETTER THAN MANY OF OUR AQUAINTANCES, SO TREAT ANSWERS ACCORDINGLY. UNDERSTANDING TAXES SO WE DON'T GYPED BY GOVTS.
- 24 I AM WELL CARED FOR BY MY DAUGHTER WHO IS COMPENSATED BY IHSS. I AM VERY BLESSED TO HAVE HER.
- 24 WE GREW UP DURING THE GREAT DEPRESSION AND WW II, SO WE HAVE ALWAYS LIVED FRUGALLY AND ARE SATISFIED WITH OUR FINANCES.
- 24 GOD IS GOOD - WE ARE BOTH ABOVE GROUND, HAVE EACH OTHER AND ARE FUNCTIONING FAIRLY WELL ALL THINGS CONSIDERED.
- 24 WE ARE SOME OF THE "LUCKY" OLD PEOPLES; WE HAVE EXCELLENT INCOME & HEATH INS. AND PEOPLES WHO HELP US.
- 24 AS LONG AS I HAVE MY WIFE AND SHE STAYS IN DECENT HEALTH, I WON'T NEED ANY HELP AT HOME. SHE IS 86 YRS OLD.
- 24 SO FAR I'M HEALTHY & VITAL - I HAVE A GREAT CONSTITUTION & A HEALTHY MIND, BUT EVENTUALLY I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW THERE WILL BE SERVICES SHOULD I NEED THEM
- 24 MY WIFE & I LIVE VERY COMFORTABLY THANK YOU. WE ARE ABLE TO SHARE OUR RESOURCES WITH OTHERS.
- 24 I AM 83 YRS OLD, I CHASE A LAWNMOWER ALL MORNING. I COACH THE TENNIS TEAM AT MESA COLLEGE - PLAY TENNIS ON SAT., COOK, CLEAN HOUSE, GARDEN, NEVER STOP!
- 24 FEEL FORTUNATE TO HAVE MY WIFE WITH ME AND HER ANSWERS TO THE SURVEY WOULD BE SAME AS MINE.
- 24 I AM VERY ACTIVE W/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES & CHURCH.
- 24 MY DAUGHTER & SON-IN-LAW ARE CARE GIVERS, GRANDDAUGHTER CLEANS MY HOUSE EVERY OTHER WEEK. OTHER 2 DAUGHTERS VISIT OFTEN.
- 24 I'LL BE 90 YRS OLD IN 2 MONTHS, VERY HEALTHY, ACTIVE, READ A LOT. OPTIMISTIC, HELPING GRANDSON BY LIVING WITH HIM, DO ALL THE HOUSE WORK
- 24 I AM VERY FORTUNATE - MEDICATION FOR ARTHRITIS & A-FIB AT THIS TIME.
- 24 I AM GRATEFUL & CONTENT WITH WHAT I HAVE.
- 24 I AM HEALTHY & LIVE ALONE 80% OF TIME. I AM VERY HAPPY WITH MY LIFE.
- 24 I AM VERY BLESSED AND HAPPY!
- 24 I BELIEVE THAT I OWE A GREAT DEAL OF MY PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING TO MY FAITH IN GOD AND GOOD NUTRITION.
- 24 A FEW OF THESE ISSUES MAY BE A PROBLEM IN TIME - I'M SOON TO BE 83
- 24 LUCKY TO BE OK IN MOST RESPECTS OF THIS SURVEY.
- 24 I'M RETIRED, HAVE DECENT FINANCIAL RESOURCES, AND I AM ENJOYING LIFE!
- 24 I'M A 72 RETIRED EDUCATOR & FEEL VERY FORTUNATE TO HAVE FAIRLY GOOD HEALTH, GOOD INSURANCE AND A GOOD PENSION. SO I'M NOT NEEDY AT THIS TIME.
- 24 I AM 63 AND VERY FORTUNATE TO HAVE A GREAT HUSBAND, BE IN EXCELLENT HEALTH AND HAVE A GOOD JOB.

- 24 NEARBY DAUGHTER AND FRIENDS PROVIDE HELP.
- 24 HAVE WONDERFUL NEIGHBORS - CARING PEOPLE. PEOPLE AT CHURCH ALSO. 92 YRS YOUNG!
- 24 MY HEALTH IS EXCELLENT, I EAT WELL, EXERCISE 6 TIMES A WEEK FOR HALF HOUR EACH OF THOSE DAYS.
- 24 I'M ENJOYING LIFE AND GOOD HEALTH.
- 24 I AM SO THANKFUL TO BE IN GOOD HEALTH AND ABLE TO GET AROUND AND WORK IN MY GARDEN AT 89 YEARS OLD.
- 24 I AM FORTUNATE TO LIVE A COMFORTABLE LIFE.
- 24 I STILL DRIVE, I HAVE GOOD VISION. MY MEMORY IS STILL GOOD. I EXERCISE AT HOME 10 MINUTES ON OWN AND DO SOME YARD WORK.
- 24 LIFE IS PRECIOUS!
- 24 HAPPY TO STILL STAY ALIVE
- 24 VERY HAPPY TO HAVE LIVED THESE 84 YEARS AND I'M VERY HAPPY TO KNOW I WON'T BE HERE FOR THE NEXT 84. IT'S HOPELESS.
- 24 ENJOY GARDENING VERY MUCH, VERY FRUITFUL.
- 24 MY WIFE AND I EACH SERVE ON THE BOARDS OF SEVERAL NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION. WE STAY VERY BUSY!
- 24 SO FEW, THANK GOD FOR ALL MY BLESSINGS!
- 24 I FEEL FORTUNATE AT MY AGE - TO HAVE MY WIFE WITH ME (IN GOOD HEALTH) FOR BOTH OF US.
- 24 I HAVE A VERY GOOD LIFE - I AM VERY BLESSED AND EXTREMELY HEALTHY.
- 24 NO MAS
- 24 N/A
- 24 NONE
- 24 NONE
- 24 N/A
- 24 N/A
- 24 NONE
- 24 NONE
- 24 NONE
- 24 NOT AT THIS TIME
- 24 N/A
- 24 NO PROBLEMS
- 24 NONE
- 25 INSTEAD OF MAIL - USE PEOPLE TO OBTAIN INFO - IT WOULD HELP THE UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM.
- 25 IN SPANISH "REALLY"
- 25 I FIND THIS SURVEY TO BE AN INVASION OF PRIVACY AND INSULTING. AGE DOESN'T MAKE ME STUPID.
- 25 SURVEYS ARE USELESS, DO SOMETHING RE: AFFORDABLE HOUSING.
- 25 HOW IS IT ALL OF THESE IDEAS GET ENTERED INTO A FORM THAT CAN BE INTELLIGENTLY ORGANIZED AND FOR WHAT PURPOSE?
- 25 PROOF READ THIS, YOU HAVE ERRORS.
- 25 WE NEED MORE SPACE TO ANSWER, TO QUALIFY SOME OF YOUR YES AND NO ANSWERS.
- 25 WHY THIS SURVERY - 2ND ONE RECEIVED - TOO MUCH INFORMATION YOU DON'T NEED.
- 25 THIS WAS SO INAPPROPRIATE!
- 25 IF THIS IS AN OFFICIAL SURVEY SUGGEST YOU HAVE A SIGNATURE OF SOME

AUTHORITY

- 25 WE DO LIVE IN THE U.S., WHY DID YOU SEND A FORM IN SPANISH TOO? WHERE IS THE ONE IN TAGALOG, CHINESE, JAPANESE, GERMAN ETC,?
- 25 SPEND YOUR AND MY TAX DOLLARS MORE EFFECTIVELY BY STAYING OUT OF OUR LIVES.
- 26 I DON'T WANT TO ANSWER PERSONAL QUESTIONS. WE GREW OLD TAKING CARE OF OUR OWN NEEDS. WE RESENT SOCIAL SERVICES PAID FOR BY TAXPAYERS.
- 26 I WORK FOR A HOSPICE AND FIND IT SAD, HOW MANY SENIORS ARE JUST EXISTING IN NURSING HOMES.
- 26 NO ONE WILL HIRE A VISION IMPAIRED PERSON
- 26 LOWER SELF STEEM
- 26 I HATE GETTING - I HATE NOT BEING ABLE TO DO THINGS I ENJOYED, FISHING AND CAMPING.
- 26 PEOPLE ARE SO MEAN TO EACH OTHER!
- 26 MY HUSBAND GAVE OUR SON POWER OF ATTORNEY OVER OUR FINANCES AND TOOK HIM TO LIVE WITH HIM IN COLORADO SO I GOT RID OF TOXIC WASTE.
- 26 WE ARE REALLY SCREWED - AREN'T WE!

APPENDIX C

RESPONSES BY SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT

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<i>Q.1 BEFORE TODAY, HAD YOU HEARD OF THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO'S AGING & INDEPENDENCE SERVICES (AIS)?</i>						
Yes	23%	26%	25%	20%	27%	20%
No	67%	62%	67%	72%	62%	73%
Not sure	10%	12%	9%	9%	12%	7%
<i>Q.3 HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN THIS COMMUNITY?</i>						
5 or less	10%	7%	9%	10%	10%	12%
6 to 10	11%	12%	9%	11%	9%	15%
11 to 20	22%	19%	22%	21%	14%	29%
More than 21	57%	61%	59%	59%	67%	44%
<i>Q.4 WHERE DO YOU USUALLY GET INFORMATION ABOUT SERVICES FOR SENIORS OR REFERRALS FOR SERVICE? (Percent selected)</i>						
AARP	35%	30%	37%	36%	32%	34%
Social Security Administration	23%	21%	22%	24%	24%	22%
Internet	21%	16%	20%	22%	20%	23%
Senior Center	12%	9%	11%	12%	8%	19%
Other	12%	14%	11%	11%	14%	11%
Aging & Independence Services	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
211	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
San Diego Network of Care Web site	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	<1%
I have never called for info/services	46%	47%	46%	48%	47%	47%
<i>Q.5 ARE YOU CURRENTLY RAISING GRANDCHILDREN OR CHILDREN OF ANOTHER FAMILY IN YOUR HOME?</i>						
Yes	5%	6%	7%	4%	5%	4%
No	95%	94%	93%	96%	95%	96%
<i>Q.6 IF YOU PROVIDE UNPAID CARE FOR A FAMILY MEMBER, DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH....? (Percent selected)</i>						
Relief	56%	54%	54%	77%	56%	56%
Support services	14%	19%	14%	16%	22%	11%
Financial services	16%	19%	16%	12%	22%	13%
<i>Q.7 HOW EASY OR DIFFICULT IS IT FOR YOU TO USE THE COMPUTER TO...?</i>						
Send emails						
(Easy) No Difficulty	62%	53%	60%	70%	59%	69%
Minor Difficulty	14%	14%	15%	10%	16%	13%
Serious Difficulty	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%
Unable to Do	19%	28%	21%	16%	21%	15%
Search internet						
(Easy) No Difficulty	57%	45%	54%	65%	55%	64%
Minor Difficulty	19%	20%	21%	15%	19%	18%
Serious Difficulty	5%	8%	4%	4%	5%	3%
Unable to Do	19%	27%	20%	16%	20%	15%

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Q.8 WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES DO YOU PARTICIPATE IN AT LEAST ONCE A MONTH? (Percent selected)

Recreation/hobbies	61%	51%	61%	66%	63%	63%
Physical exercise	73%	65%	70%	79%	79%	73%
Entertainment	60%	54%	58%	67%	63%	60%
Education/classes	14%	15%	13%	17%	18%	12%
Religious/faith	44%	38%	47%	42%	39%	47%
Volunteering	28%	20%	29%	32%	29%	29%
Job training	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Community organizations	14%	15%	14%	15%	16%	14%
Spending time with youth	19%	16%	19%	21%	20%	19%

Q.9 THIS IS A LIST OF ACTIVITIES THAT ARE DIFFICULT FOR SOME PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE HOW DIFFICULT EACH ONE IS FOR YOU.

Eating						
(Easy) No Difficulty	95%	94%	94%	97%	95%	95%
Minor Difficulty	5%	6%	5%	3%	5%	4%
Serious Difficulty	1%	0%	1%	<1%	0%	1%
Unable to Do	<1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	<1%
Bathing						
(Easy) No Difficulty	88%	85%	87%	90%	87%	90%
Minor Difficulty	8%	9%	9%	7%	9%	8%
Serious Difficulty	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Unable to Do	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Dressing/undressing						
(Easy) No Difficulty	88%	83%	88%	90%	87%	90%
Minor Difficulty	10%	13%	10%	8%	10%	8%
Serious Difficulty	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Unable to Do	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Walking						
(Easy) No Difficulty	69%	62%	67%	73%	68%	72%
Minor Difficulty	22%	27%	23%	20%	23%	20%
Serious Difficulty	8%	9%	8%	6%	8%	7%
Unable to Do	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Getting in and out of bed						
(Easy) No Difficulty	86%	82%	85%	88%	84%	89%
Minor Difficulty	11%	15%	12%	10%	13%	9%
Serious Difficulty	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Unable to Do	1%	1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%
Getting to the bathroom						
(Easy) No Difficulty	90%	87%	88%	92%	88%	93%
Minor Difficulty	8%	9%	9%	6%	10%	5%
Serious Difficulty	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Unable to Do	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	<1%
Preparing meals						
(Easy) No Difficulty	84%	89%	82%	86%	80%	87%
Minor Difficulty	10%	8%	12%	10%	12%	9%
Serious Difficulty	3%	2%	3%	2%	5%	2%
Unable to Do	3%	1%	4%	3%	3%	3%

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Using the telephone						
(Easy) No Difficulty	93%	81%	94%	94%	93%	94%
Minor Difficulty	5%	11%	4%	4%	5%	4%
Serious Difficulty	1%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Unable to Do	1%	4%	<1%	<1%	1%	1%
<i>Q.10 IF YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE TASKS, WHO USUALLY ASSISTS YOU? (Percent selected)</i>						
Spouse	22%	22%	21%	23%	24%	24%
Other family member	12%	14%	10%	8%	14%	11%
Agency/volunteer	3%	5%	4%	3%	3%	1%
No one assists me	67%	64%	70%	71%	63%	69%
<i>Q.11 DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES? (Percent selected)</i>						
IN-HOME SERVICES						
Cooking	9%	13%	8%	6%	11%	7%
Routine housework	19%	26%	18%	16%	23%	16%
Bill paying/budgeting	8%	11%	8%	6%	9%	6%
Grocery Shopping	11%	17%	12%	9%	15%	10%
Yard work	30%	31%	34%	27%	29%	28%
Laundry	9%	15%	8%	7%	12%	8%
Picking up Medication	9%	15%	9%	7%	13%	7%
Minor home repairs	30%	34%	34%	29%	32%	27%
Transfer from bed to wheelchair	4%	8%	4%	3%	4%	2%
Other	3%	7%	3%	2%	6%	4%
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES						
Transportation to medical appts	14%	20%	14%	11%	17%	12%
Transportation to grocery/ shopping/errands	12%	18%	11%	10%	15%	10%
Transportation to social activities	11%	16%	10%	9%	13%	9%
Other	5%	8%	5%	4%	9%	5%
<i>Q.12 THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL HOUSING CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A PROBLEM TO YOU PERSONALLY. (Percent selected)</i>						
Paying for my mortgage	8%	8%	10%	7%	6%	8%
Paying rent	8%	11%	8%	7%	10%	7%
Paying condo maintenance fees	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%
Finding affordable housing	7%	10%	8%	5%	9%	6%
Finding housing that allows pets	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Getting my landlord to make needed repairs	2%	4%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Major home repairs	24%	22%	27%	24%	22%	22%
Minor home repairs	19%	20%	23%	18%	17%	17%
Yard work	22%	21%	26%	20%	18%	22%
Having a safe living environment	9%	12%	8%	5%	13%	6%
Other	3%	5%	3%	2%	4%	3%

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Q.13 WHERE DO YOU CURRENTLY RESIDE?

In a home that I own	76%	67%	80%	80%	69%	79%
In a home that I rent	13%	21%	8%	10%	20%	11%
With a relative/friend	6%	7%	6%	5%	7%	5%
Other	5%	6%	6%	5%	4%	6%

Q.14 THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL LEGAL CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A PROBLEM TO YOU PERSONALLY. (Percent selected)

Needing a will or trust	22%	26%	21%	20%	27%	19%
Receiving Social Security benefits	16%	19%	14%	14%	17%	14%
Property crime in my neighborhood	10%	14%	9%	9%	13%	9%
Having financial debt	19%	20%	19%	18%	23%	19%
Being a victim of identity theft	21%	22%	18%	21%	26%	20%
Receiving Medi-Cal benefits	11%	16%	11%	6%	13%	9%
Financial responsibility for a relative	12%	13%	13%	11%	16%	8%
Being a victim of physical abuse	3%	5%	2%	2%	5%	2%
Other	3%	5%	4%	3%	5%	2%

Q.15 HAVE YOU:

Had a physical exam within the last 3 years						
Yes	94%	90%	92%	95%	93%	96%
No	5%	8%	7%	5%	6%	4%
Can't remember	1%	2%	<1%	0%	2%	0%
Had a dental exam within the last 3 years						
Yes	85%	80%	84%	90%	84%	87%
No	14%	19%	15%	10%	15%	12%
Can't remember	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Had a flu shot within the last 1 year						
Yes	77%	74%	78%	80%	78%	77%
No	22%	25%	21%	20%	21%	22%
Can't remember	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	1%	1%
Had a pneumonia shot within the last 10 years						
Yes	69%	65%	72%	70%	67%	71%
No	25%	28%	23%	26%	26%	26%
Can't remember	5%	7%	5%	4%	6%	3%

Q.16 THIS IS A LIST OF POTENTIAL HEALTH CONCERNS FOR OLDER PEOPLE. PLEASE INDICATE IF EACH ONE IS A PROBLEM TO YOU PERSONALLY. (Percent selected)

Being able to afford medical care	30%	32%	32%	25%	27%	32%
Being able to afford dental care	38%	43%	39%	31%	38%	38%
Being able to afford prescription drugs	26%	30%	28%	21%	26%	24%
Being able to afford vision care	30%	35%	30%	23%	29%	29%
Being able to afford hearing care	26%	27%	28%	21%	24%	27%
Getting my prescription refilled on time	13%	16%	14%	10%	11%	13%
Remembering to take my pills on time	12%	16%	13%	9%	13%	11%

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Understanding doctor instructions	11%	14%	11%	7%	9%	11%
Other	5%	7%	5%	3%	6%	4%
<i>Q.17 IN A TYPICAL DAY, HOW MANY SERVINGS OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES DO YOU EAT?</i>						
None	2%	5%	1%	1%	3%	2%
1 to 2	50%	50%	54%	48%	49%	47%
3 to 4	38%	32%	37%	40%	37%	42%
5 or more	10%	13%	8%	10%	10%	9%
<i>Q.18 HOW MANY DAYS DO YOU ENGAGE IN AT LEAST 30 MINUTES OF MODERATE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY IN A TYPICAL WEEK (BRISK WALKING, FITNESS CLASS, ETC.)?</i>						
0 days	20%	25%	22%	16%	21%	18%
1 to 2 days	23%	23%	24%	23%	20%	25%
3 to 4 days	29%	23%	28%	31%	25%	31%
5 or more days	28%	28%	26%	30%	33%	26%
<i>Q.19 HAVE YOU FALLEN IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS?</i>						
Yes	22%	25%	23%	20%	23%	21%
No	78%	75%	77%	80%	77%	79%
<i>Q.20 DO YOU CURRENTLY SMOKE?</i>						
Yes	7%	7%	7%	6%	6%	8%
No	93%	93%	93%	94%	94%	92%
<i>Q.21 HOW MANY ALCOHOLIC DRINKS DO YOU CONSUME IN A TYPICAL WEEK?</i>						
None	56%	62%	57%	48%	55%	55%
1-3 drinks	21%	18%	18%	24%	23%	21%
4-6 drinks	14%	14%	15%	18%	14%	14%
7+ drinks	9%	6%	10%	9%	9%	10%
<i>Q.22 WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING BEST DESCRIBES YOUR EMPLOYMENT SITUATION?</i>						
Currently employed	18%	15%	15%	22%	20%	18%
Currently employed but would like to work fewer hours	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Currently employed but would like to work more hours	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Currently employed and would like to quit job but can't because need the income	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	4%
Not employed, but would like to find a job	9%	10%	7%	7%	10%	11%
Not employed and not interested in finding a job	67%	70%	73%	66%	63%	64%
<i>Q.23 WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING PROVIDE YOU WITH A SOURCE OF INCOME? (Percent selected)</i>						
Employment	21%	16%	17%	26%	24%	22%
Social Security	79%	81%	86%	76%	71%	82%
SSI/SSP	5%	8%	3%	4%	10%	3%
Pension	49%	50%	53%	52%	47%	45%
Investments/savings	46%	40%	45%	53%	38%	51%

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Assistance from family/friends	4%	3%	4%	4%	5%	3%
Other	7%	6%	9%	8%	7%	6%
<i>Q.24 HOW WELL DOES YOUR INCOME SUPPORT YOUR CURRENT NEEDS?</i>						
Extremely well	14%	12%	11%	17%	16%	15%
Well	45%	42%	44%	48%	44%	45%
Somewhat well	33%	40%	35%	27%	28%	32%
Not well at all	9%	7%	10%	8%	11%	8%
<i>Q.25 DURING THE PAST MONTH, HOW OFTEN HAVE YOU BEEN BOTHERED BY EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS FEELING UNHAPPY, ANXIOUS, DEPRESSED, OR IRRITABLE?</i>						
All of the time	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Most of the time	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%
Some of the time	20%	20%	21%	18%	21%	20%
A little of the time	33%	34%	33%	33%	33%	32%
None of the time	38%	35%	38%	40%	35%	40%
Don't know	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%
<i>Q.26 DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE THAT THE ISSUE OF ISOLATION/LONELINESS AFFECTS YOUR QUALITY OF LIFE:</i>						
Yes, Strongly agree	27%	29%	28%	27%	30%	26%
Yes, Somewhat agree	19%	20%	19%	16%	21%	19%
Neutral	22%	20%	19%	20%	20%	23%
No, Somewhat disagree	9%	9%	10%	9%	7%	8%
No, Strongly disagree	23%	22%	24%	28%	22%	24%
<i>Q.27 WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING GROUPS CONTAINS YOUR AGE?</i>						
64 and under	17%	14%	14%	17%	23%	16%
65-74	42%	42%	43%	45%	38%	45%
75-84	27%	29%	29%	24%	26%	26%
85 or over	13%	15%	14%	14%	13%	13%
<i>Q.28 ARE YOU?</i>						
Male	45%	46%	45%	51%	43%	45%
Female	55%	54%	55%	49%	57%	55%
<i>Q.29 ARE YOU CURRENTLY:</i>						
Married	59%	50%	62%	65%	54%	63%
Widowed	18%	22%	20%	15%	18%	14%
Separated	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Divorced	15%	15%	13%	13%	15%	16%
Never married	5%	6%	4%	4%	9%	3%
Not married, but living together in a committed relationship	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Other	<1%	0%	0%	<1%	1%	<1%
<i>Q.30 PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR ETHNIC GROUP.</i>						
White/Caucasian	80%	65%	84%	88%	75%	84%
Hispanic/Latino	8%	18%	8%	4%	7%	7%
Black/African American	3%	3%	2%	1%	6%	2%

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Asian	6%	10%	5%	7%	9%	4%
Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<1%	1%	1%	<1%	1%	<1%
Native American/Alaska native	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
Multi-ethnic	1%	2%	<1%	1%	2%	2%
Other	1%	<1%	<1%	0%	2%	1%

Q.31 PLEASE CIRCLE THE HIGHEST GRADE LEVEL YOU COMPLETED.

0 to 8th grade	5%	12%	3%	3%	5%	4%
9 to 12 grade	16%	20%	20%	13%	14%	14%
Some college	34%	28%	38%	30%	32%	35%
College graduate	45%	39%	39%	54%	49%	46%

Q.32 DO YOU LIVE ALONE?

Yes	27%	31%	25%	22%	28%	26%
No	73%	69%	75%	78%	72%	74%