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## Definition of indicators

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Indicator	Definition
Share of population 65+ (%)	Percent of the population aged 65 and older *.
Population 65+	Total population aged 65 years and older.
Share of population 85+ (%)	Percent of the population aged 85 and older.
Population 85+	Total population aged 85 years and older.
People 65+ living below poverty (%)	Percent of the population aged 65 and older living in households whose total income in the past 12 months was below the appropriate federal poverty line for that person's family size and composition.
People 65+ living below poverty	Total population aged 65 years and older classified as 'poor' (by previous definition).
Employment at 65-74 (%)	Ratio of employment-to-population (during the reference week) for the age group of 65 to 74 years old.
Employment at 75+ (%)	Ratio of employment-to-population for the age group of 75 years and older.
People 60+ with retirement income (%)	Percent of the population aged 60 and older receiving retirement income ** during the past 12 months.
People 60+ with social security income (%)	Percent of the population aged 60 and older receiving social security income *** during the past 12 months.

Sources: American Community Survey [Definitions](#) (ACS, 2020). Notes: \* "The age classification is based on the age of the person in complete years at the time of interview." (ACS, 2020, p. 51). \*\* "Retirement income includes regular income from a company pension, union pension, Federal government pension, state government pension, local government pension, U.S. military pension, KEOGH retirement plan, SEP (Simplified Employee Pension) or any other type of pension, retirement account or annuity such as IRA, ROTH IRA, 401(k) or 403(b). Do not include Social Security or income that is "rolled over" or reinvested in another retirement account." (ACS, 2020, p. 87). \*\*\* "Social Security income includes Social Security and U.S. railroad retirement pensions and survivor benefits, permanent disability insurance payments made by the Social Security Administration prior to deductions for medical insurance, and railroad retirement insurance checks from the U.S. government. Medicare reimbursements are not included." (ACS, 2020, p. 87).

2019 ACS's API variables and tables (due to COVID, the ACS tables for 2020 were not made available, see [here](#)):

<https://api.census.gov/data/2019/acs/acs1/variables.html>

<https://api.census.gov/data/2019/acs/acs1/profile/variables.html>

<https://api.census.gov/data/2019/acs/acs1/subject/variables.html>

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