

Benton

Population 65+, 2011: 5,107
 Percent Change 65+, 2008-2011: 16.5%



Composite County Rank: 63

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2007	0.64%	↑	0.36%	80
	2010	0.58%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2007	4.9%	↓	12.2%	109
	2011	4.4%			
Economic Contribution **					
Economic Impact Index	2008	28.5%	↑	20.0%	3
	2011	34.3%			
Housing **					
Percent of Seniors Housing Cost Burdened	2008	16.1%	↓	29.4%	6
	2011	17.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2008	95.0%	↓	88.6%	19
	2011	92.1%			
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2007	64.0%	↓	56.7%	28
	2011	63.3%			
Civic Engagement **					
Senior Voters Index	2008	57.5	↑	71.7	99
	2011	64.9			
Long Term Care Costs **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2008	\$196	↓	\$153	66
	2010	\$219			
Safety					
Crime and Senior Abuse per 1,000 Persons	2008	20.4	↑	27.4	55
	2011	17.9			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2006	60.8	↓	66.0	58
	2010	61.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2004	2.6	↓	13.1	106
	2008	1.6			

Status Indicators

Demographics	Measure	Quality of Life	Measure
Total Population, 2008	18,534	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2011	92.5%
Total Population, 2011	19,115	Seniors Living in Families, 2011	69.7%
Total Population Change/%, 2008-2011	581/3.1%	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2011	\$101,013
Population 65+, 2008	4,382	Seniors in Poverty, 2011	8.9%
Percent of Population 65+, 2008	23.9%	Percent Age 60+ Receiving SNAP, 2011	4.8%
Percent of Population 65+, 2011	26.7%	Average Income of Senior Households, 2011	\$36,424
Population Projections 65+, 2020	28.7%	Seniors with a College Education, 2011	12.6%
Population Projections 65+, 2030	37.3%	Health and Wellness	
		No Exercise, 2011	33.2%
		No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2011	33.7%
		High Blood Pressure, 2011	57.6%
		Obesity, 2011	32.3%
		Smoking, 2011	8.7%
		No Mammography, 2011	50.8%
		High Cholesterol, 2011	56.8%

*Three year average 2005-2007 and 2009-2011
 ** Not included in composite county rank