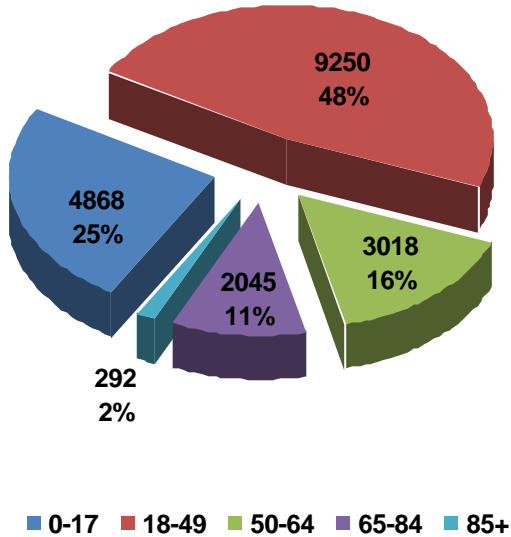


# Greene County's Roadmap<sup>1</sup> AAA Region P

In 2006 adults  $\geq 65$  made up 12% of the county's population<sup>2</sup>

## Age Distribution



- By 2030 the population age 65 and older will increase 70% to 4,166 people. This group will make up 15% of the county's population.
- Compared to the state, older adults are less educated, have more disability (31% have two or more), 100% live in rural areas, and 32% are African American.
- The median income is significantly lower than the state, and 27% of adults age 75+ are below the poverty level.
- Designated as a Primary Medical Care Shortage Area in 2006.

## Healthy Aging<sup>3</sup>

	COUNTY	STATE
<b>Top Five Hospital Discharge Diagnoses</b>	Total Discharges	% of Discharges
1. Heart failure, heart attack, vascular disease, high blood pressure	244	28
2. Pneumonia, influenza, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	90	14
3. Malnutrition, ulcers, bowel (general disease of digestive system)	73	10
4. Kidney and urinary tract infections, nephritis, kidney stones	53	8
5. Infectious and parasitic diseases (septicemia)	38	7
<b>Top Five Outpatient Diagnoses</b>	Total Visits	% of Visits
1. Heart failure, heart attack, vascular disease, high blood pressure	2,711	20
2. Symptoms, signs, ill-defined conditions	1,469	11
3. Arthritis, osteoporosis, fracture	1,402	11
4. Diabetes and other metabolic disorders	1,145	9
5. Diseases of central and peripheral nervous system, eyes and ears	996	7