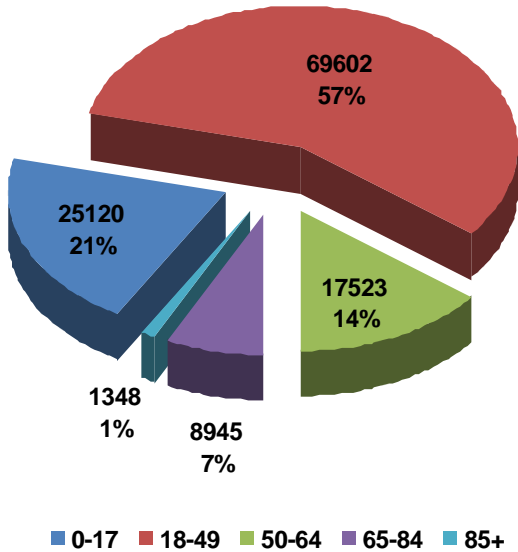


Orange County's Roadmap¹ AAA Region J

In 2006 adults ≥ 65 made up 9% of the county population²

Age Distribution



- By 2030 the population 65 and older will increase 142% to 26,168 people. This group will make up 17% of the county's population, one of the highest projected growths in the state.
- Compared to the state, older adults are better educated (32% have graduate degrees), 32% live in rural areas, the racial distribution is similar, and 23% have two or more disabilities.
- The median income is higher; fewer older adults are at the poverty level.
- Falls are ranked third as the reason for hospitalization.

Healthy Aging³

	COUNTY	STATE
Top Five Hospital Discharge Diagnoses	Total Discharges	% of Discharges
1. Heart failure, heart attack, vascular disease, high blood pressure	819	28
2. Pneumonia, influenza, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	335	11
3. Falls, adverse drug reactions, other injuries	290	10
4. Malnutrition, ulcers, bowel (general disease of digestive system)	242	8
5. Arthritis, osteoporosis, fracture	224	8
Top Five Outpatient Diagnoses	Total Visits	% of Visits
1. Heart failure, heart attack, vascular disease, high blood pressure	13,371	20
2. Arthritis, osteoporosis, fracture	8,396	12
3. Symptoms, signs, ill-defined conditions	7,323	11
4. Cancers of the colon, lung, breast or prostate	5,125	8
5. Diabetes and other metabolic disorders	4,962	7