**Data Resources for Writing the Context for Your Aging Plan**

**Wisconsin Department of Health Services: Demographics of Aging in Wisconsin**

Excel files in the link below contain demographic, economic, and social information about the older population for every Wisconsin county and the state. The source of the profiles is the U.S. Census Bureau’s 2018-2022 American Community Survey, which is a five-year average data.

Each county’s data are compared to their respective statewide averages. The statewide file compares Wisconsin to national averages. Lastly, the cities, towns, and villages profile offers data outlining communities throughout the state.

County and statewide population projections by age and sex (vintage 2013) for 2010-2040 are also housed on this page. Projections for cities, towns, and villages are available by request. These local projections only project total population.

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/aging/demographics.htm>

**2022 Population by Older Age Groups**

This excel file was created using U.S. Census data but does not come from the American Community Survey. This can be used to further examine the older population in a county across age groups (ages 60-69, ages 70-79, and ages 80 and older).

[2022 Population by Older Age Groups](https://gwaar.org/api/cms/viewFile/id/2006550)

**Wisconsin Department of Health Services: Estimated and Projected Population Ages 65 and Older with Dementia Living in Households in Wisconsin Counties, 2010-2040**

This is a projection of household population with dementia applying national dementia prevalence rates by age group against Wisconsin population projections. These data do not account for prevalence in non-household, institutional settings such as nursing homes. These estimates are intended for communities' planning purposes only.

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p01049.xlsx>

**AARP Livability Index**

Curated for use by elected officials, policy makers, legislative staff, community leaders and citizen activists, the site contains interviews, slideshows, "how-to" fact sheets, reports, case studies, tool kits, state and local action plans, advocacy resources and guidance about implementation and funding initiatives.

<https://livabilityindex.aarp.org/>

**Wisconsin Department of Health Services: WISH (Wisconsin Interactive Statistics on Health) Query System**

This site gives you information about health indicators (measures of health) in Wisconsin. WISH allows policy makers, health professionals, and the public to submit questions (requests for data) and receive answers (tables) over the Internet. To construct answers to your questions, WISH uses protected databases containing Wisconsin data from a [variety of sources](https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/wish/sources.htm). Most modules contain data for multiple years and geographic areas.

* Injury Emergency Department Visits
* Injury Hospitalizations
* Injury Mortality
* Opioids

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/wish/index.htm>

**County Health Rankings and Roadmaps**

The County Health Rankings measure the health of nearly all counties in the nation and rank them within states.  The Rankings are compiled using county-level measures from a variety of national and state data sources.  These measures are standardized and combined using scientifically-informed weights through a collaboration of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute.

[https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/](https://nam02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fsecure-web.cisco.com%2F16WDxMteCdE43Ii4QdbF28kuAR0FVOl5yJD-X7dRYQRfqyf6WeO5_jdrNYjjOMX9YiwClPyyW5J0Jod1ua87a885IGQkGn96hB6rysg8KxDjgz5H3IdNlTILl_fWMF3kJCMEjcaoBVkeUoYyk40MD7tcn4meiHwiCxrkvXLKjhQA8NLYc2yGxZXPx0W7LoOZosdaNuvbu3RtTuG7Qe5MpWLUi5-t1gXAt9AWdW7VL47ffKr0GHKPzYeELPZkGGqHQX9yFSjsAYZgE9QafWUaUoA%2Fhttps%253A%252F%252Fwww.countyhealthrankings.org%252F&data=04%7C01%7C%7C529d9049e358434e4a0808d8dcd5cff1%7C8e087664409d4c4ca6b47aa01020d6ea%7C0%7C0%7C637502158185876827%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=%2Bs51L5TEyFISZCy2VKzfNXFhrh%2FD%2FS0vS%2B72Ld0spwc%3D&reserved=0)

If you have any questions or requests for other data, please do not hesitate to contact:

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