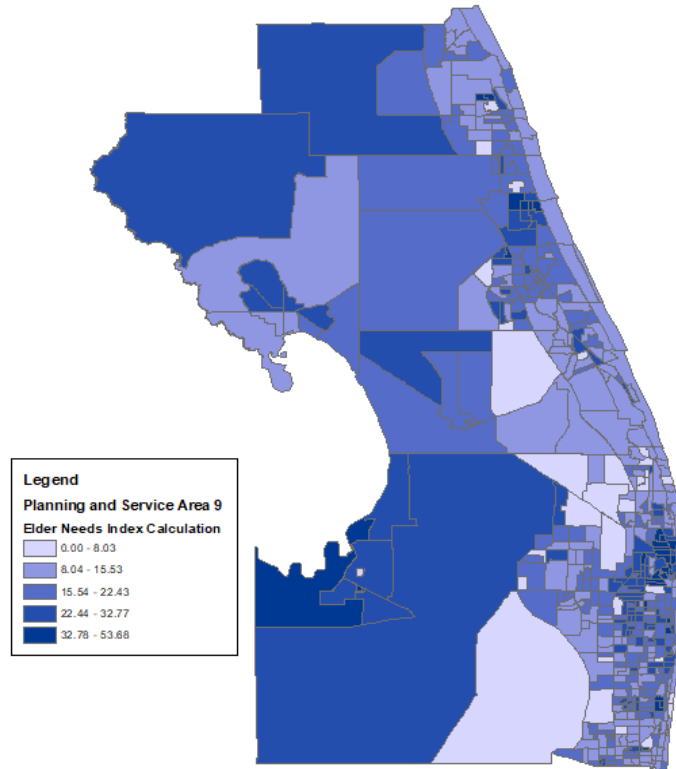


2022 Profile of Older Floridians

Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9

This profile of older Floridians is a source of current information related to older adults in the Planning and Service Area. Topics include the current and future population of older adults, the prevalence of older adults who experience financial and housing issues, the array of health and medical resources, and information related to disasters. As Florida's older adult population grows, awareness of these issues is needed to ensure that older people continue to be vital participants in their communities.

Elder Needs Index



The Elder Needs Index (ENI) is a measure that includes: (1) the percentage of the 60 and older population that is age 85 and older; (2) the percentage of the 55 and older population that are members of racial or ethnic minority groups; (3) the percentage of the 65 and older population with one or more disability; and (4) the percentage of the 55 and older population living below 125 percent of the Federal Poverty Level. ENI is an averaged score indicating older adults who may need social services within a geographic area. **It is not a percentage of the area's population.** The green areas of the map represent bodies of land such as national parks, state forests, wildlife management areas, and local and private preserves. The blue areas of the map represent bodies of water such as lakes, streams, rivers, and coastlines. Interactive maps, viewing software, and a detailed user's guide are available at http://elderaffairs.state.fl.us/doea/eni_home.php

Source: Florida Department of Elder Affairs using U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Useful Websites

Bureau of Economic and Business Research (BEBR)
U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (ACS)
U.S. Census Bureau, Quick Facts
Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)
Florida Department of Elder Affairs (DOEA)
How to Become an Age Friendly Community

Florida Division of Emergency Management (Shelters)
Florida Housing Data Clearinghouse
County Chronic Disease Profile
Aging Integrated Database (AGID)
Florida DOEA ENI Maps

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Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9 Demographic Profile

The demographics section presents the population characteristics of those age 60 and older and examines traits about older Floridians, such as the number of veterans, voters, and drivers.

Age Category	Value	Percent
All Ages	2,184,073	100%
Under 18	421,949	19%
Under 60	1,480,724	68%
18-59	1,175,203	54%
60+	703,349	32%
65+	542,481	25%
70+	396,801	18%
75+	267,974	12%
80+	160,281	7%
85+	88,355	4%

Source: BEBR, 2022

Gender	Value	Percent
Male	319,835	45%
Female	383,514	55%

Source: BEBR, 2022

Living Alone	Value	Percent
Male Living Alone	78,295	39%
Female Living Alone	123,465	61%

Source: AGID 2015-19 ACS

Educational Attainment (65+)	Value	Percent
Less than High School	92,514	12%
High School Diploma	225,085	28%
Some College, No Degree	155,965	20%
Associates Degree or Higher	316,709	40%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

Marital Status	Male	Female
Never Married	21,065	20,845
Percentage Never Married	6%	5%
Married	242,060	206,900
Percentage Married	70%	50%
Widowed	33,195	116,640
Percentage Widowed	10%	28%
Divorced	48,535	70,700
Percentage Divorced	14%	17%

Source: AGID 2015-19 ACS

Race and Ethnicity	Value	Percent
White	618,815	88%
Black	71,610	10%
Other Minorities	12,924	2%
Total Hispanic	64,745	9%
White Hispanic	59,405	8%
Non-White Hispanic	5,340	1%
Total Non-Hispanic	638,604	91%
Total Minority	149,279	21%

The minority population is the summation of black, other, and Hispanic
Source: BEBR, 2022

Driver License Holders	Value	Percent
Drivers	441,465	30%

Source: Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, 2022

Registered Voters	Value	Percent
Registered Voters	657,082	44%

Source: Florida Department of State, 2018

Veterans	Value	Percent
Age 45-64	34,069	25%
Age 65-84	68,131	49%
Age 85+	19,219	14%

Source: U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Grandparents	Value	Percent
Living With Grandchildren	29,205	4%
Grandparent Responsible for Grandchildren	6,935	1%
Grandparent Not Responsible for Grandchildren	22,270	3%
Not Living With Grandchildren	630,350	96%

Grandchildren are defined as being under the age of 18.

Source: AGID 2015-19 ACS

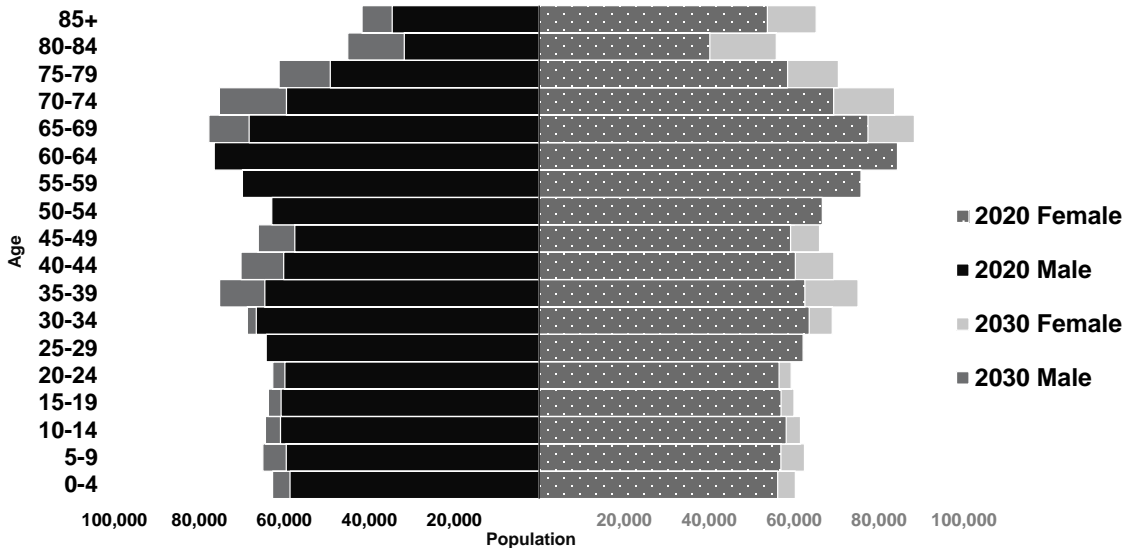
English Proficiency	Value	Percent
With Limited English Proficiency	35,055	5%

Source: AGID 2015-19 ACS

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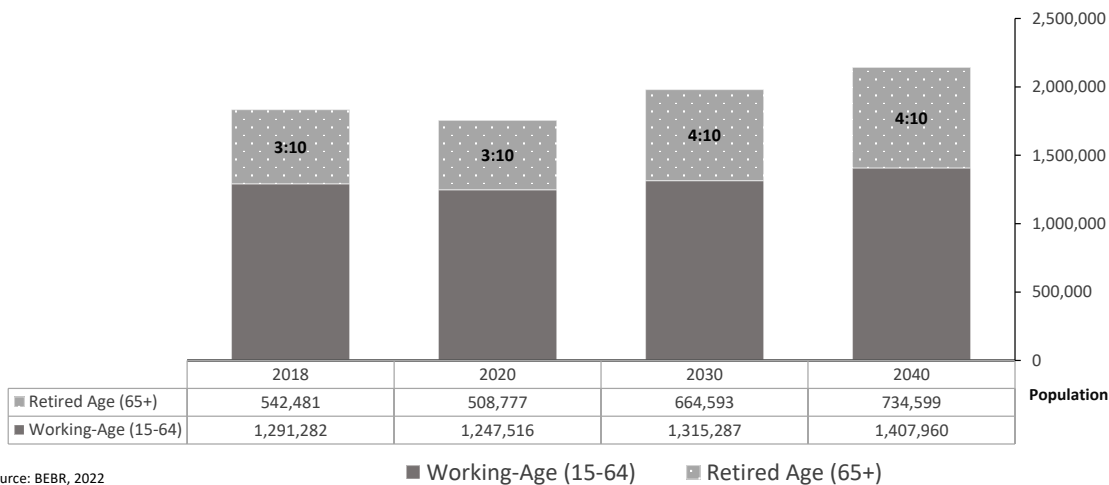
The population pyramid below compares the projected older adult population by gender between 2018 and 2030, demonstrating the changes expected in the next decade. As a whole, Florida is expected to experience population growth, with some areas expecting notable growth in the proportion of those age 65 and older.



Source: BEBR, 2022

Older Adult Dependency Ratio

The dependency ratio contrasts the number of working-age (15-64) individuals compared to the number of individuals age 65 and older who are likely retired from the workforce. This ratio reflects the ongoing contributions of taxes and wages to support the health care and retirement systems used by retirees, as well as the availability of younger individuals to serve as caregivers to older loved ones.



Source: BEBR, 2022

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Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9 Financial Profile

This section examines financial conditions, poverty rates, and the cost of living for older Floridians. The ratio of income to poverty level graphic below shows the distribution of older adults relative to the poverty level to show the proportion of the senior population who fall below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). The portrayal of the financial conditions of older adults is detailed in the final graphic, which includes information about income relative to rates of homeownership and partnership status in the consideration of cost of living.

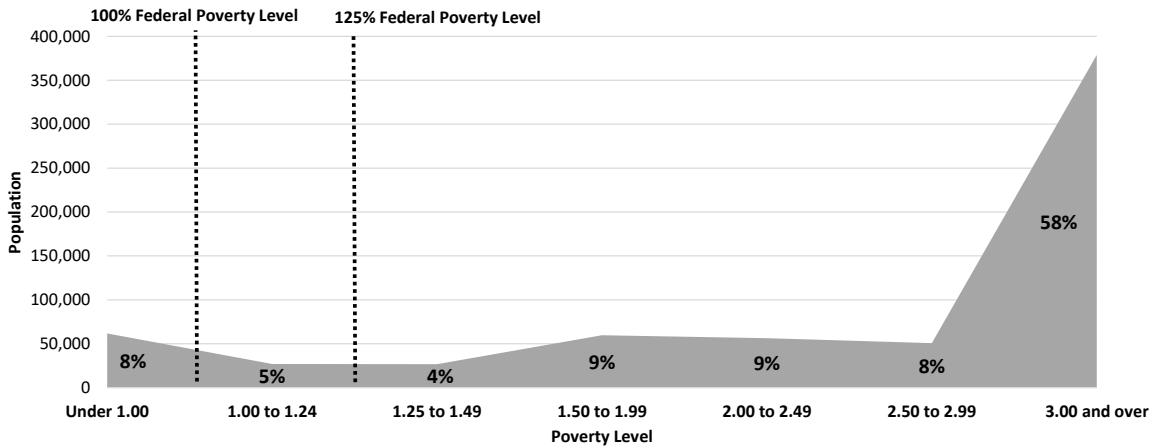
Federal Poverty Level	Value
Single-Person Household	\$13,590
Two-Person Household	\$18,310
125% Single-Person Household	\$16,988
125% Two-Person Household	\$22,888

Source: U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, 2022

Poverty	Value	Percent
At Poverty Level	56,390	8%
Below 125% of Poverty Level	88,760	13%
Minority At Poverty Level	19,878	3%
Minority Below 125% of Poverty Level	59,383	8%

Source: AGID 2016-20 ACS

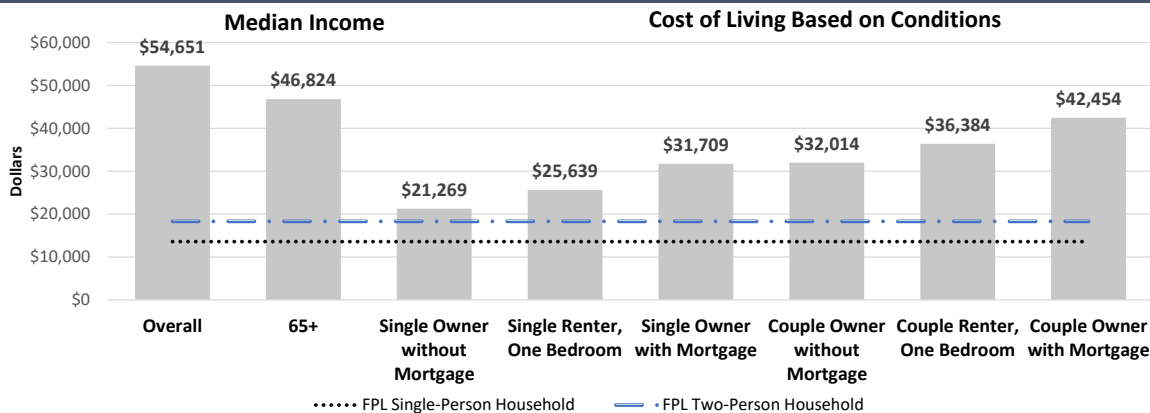
Ratio of Income to Poverty Level



Value is expressed as the percentage of the 60+ population, with the dotted lines representing the Federal Poverty Level.

Source: AGID 2015-19 ACS

Financial Conditions



Cost of living is an index of how much income retired older adults require to meet their basic needs to live in their community without assistance.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS and Elder Index. (2020). The Elder Index™ [Public Dataset]. Boston, MA: Gerontology Institute, University of Massachusetts Boston. Retrieved from E

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Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9 Livability Profile

The livability section presents new elements, such as available affordable housing for older adults. Many essential community elements are also included below, such as sidewalk safety, the safety of roadways, and availability of green spaces. The rates of older Floridians who have access to a vehicle or public transportation, as well as the availability of internet access and various food resources, are also provided. These provide estimates of older adults' ability to access community resources.

Pedestrian Safety Percent

Sidewalks with Barriers 30%

Physical barriers are those that separate motorized vehicle lanes from sidewalks or shared path (e.g. areas for parking lots, guardrail, trees, etc.).

Source: Florida Department of Transportation, 2021

Road Incidents Value

Total Involved in Fatal Car Crashes per 100,000 43

This figure includes occupants and non-occupants involved in a crash.

Source: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 2020

Age Friendly Designation Value

Age Friendly 1

Number of Counties 5

The following counties have received the designation: Indian River

Source: Florida DOEA Livable Communities, 2021

Food Resource Centers Value

SNAP Access Sites 33

Fresh Access Bucks Outlet 17

Farmer's Market 10

Food Distribution (No Cost) 51

SNAP Retailers 1,355

Congregate Meal Sites 14

Food Distribution (No Cost) is the number of food pantries, soup kitchens, and food banks in the area.

Source: Feeding Florida.org, USDA, FDACS and 2021, and Florida DOEA, 2019

Public Transportation Options Value

Bus Operations at least at the County 4

Rail Operations at least at the County 1

Public Transit Service Area (sq. mi.) 4,772

Public Transit Service Area Population 3,477,492

Annual Unlinked Trips 11,046,196

Vehicles Operated in Maximum Service (VOMS) 114

Total Miles of Bike Lanes 1,191

Information on service area is not reported by rural and intercity public transit.

VOMS are the number of vehicles operated to meet the annual max service, and unlinked trips are the number of passengers boarding public transit.

Source: Federal Transit Administration, 2017, and FDOT, 2019

Green Space Value

Number of Nearby State Parks 14

Nearby refers to the park that has the shortest distance from the center of the county.

Source: Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 2021

Rural-Urban Designation Value

Census Tracts Rural 4%

Census Tracts Urban 96%

Number of Census Tracts 512

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, 2019

Households With High Cost Burden (65+) Value

Owner-Occupied Households 78,608

Percent of Owners with High Cost Burden 21%

Renter-Occupied Households 41,789

Percent of Renters with High Cost Burden 30%

Households with a high cost burden have occupants age 65+ paying more than 30% of income for housing costs and having an income below 50% of the area median income.

Source: The Shimberg Center for Housing Studies, 2020

Affordable Housing Inventory Value

Properties 58

Properties Ready for Occupancy 62

Total Units 7,303

Units with Rent and/or Income Restrictions 7,198

Units Receiving Monthly Rental Assistance 1,725

Affordable housing inventory receives funding from HUD, Florida Housing Financing Corp., and the USDA. The inventory above includes older adults as its target population.

Source: The Shimberg Center for Housing Studies, 2020

Housing Units by Occupancy (65+) Percent

Owner-Occupied Housing Units 45%

Renter-Occupied Housing Units 20%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

Vehicle Access (65+) Percent

Owner-Occupied Households with Access to Vehicle(s) 95%

Renter-Occupied Households with Access to Vehicle(s) 74%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

Employment Status (65+) Value Percent

Number of Seniors Employed 158,635 29%

Number of Seniors Unemployed 6,830 1%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

Retirement (65+) Value Percent

Social Security Beneficiaries 450,285 84%

SSI Recipients 11,501 32%

SSI stands for Supplemental Security Income. To qualify, a person must be at least age 65

OR be blind or disabled. Also, the person must have limited income and resources.

Source: U.S. Social Security Administration, 2020

SNAP or Food Stamps Value

Potentially Eligible 88,760

Annual Participants 63,713

Current Beneficiaries as of Dec-20 52,676

Percent of Total Population Receiving Benefits 8%

Potentially Eligible are individuals below 125% of the Federal Poverty Level

Source: Florida Department of Children and Families, 2018

Internet Access (65+) Percent

Have Internet Access 89%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

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Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9 Health Profile and Medical Resources

The health and medical section presents the variety and availability of different types of facilities, medical professionals, and treatment services in the community. This includes complex estimates based on probable usage by older adults. For example, the "Medically Underserved" are areas designated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services as having too few primary care providers, high infant mortality, high poverty, or a high elderly population. Medical access and health support services information is an important area for community planners to ensure that support is in place to accommodate an older population.

Ambulatory Surgical Centers	Value
Facilities	61
Operating Rooms	162
Recovery Beds	493

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Hospitals	Value
Hospitals	29
Hospitals with Skilled Nursing Units	1
Hospital Beds	6,381
Skilled Nursing Unit Beds	33

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Medical Professionals	Value
Medical Doctors	
Licensed	6,299
Limited License	16
Critical Need Area License	38
Restricted	0
Medical Faculty Certification	2
Public Health Certificate	0

Other Professionals	
Licensed Podiatric Physicians	236
Licensed Osteopathic Physicians	914
Dentists	1,616
Licensed Registered Nurses	29,247

Pharmacies	585
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Source: Florida Department of Health, 2022

Assisted Living Facility	Value
Total ALF Beds	12,901
Optional State Supplementation (OSS) Beds	428
Non-OSS Beds	15,591
Total ALF Facilities	319
Facilities with Extended Congregate Care License	26
Facilities with Limited Mental Health License	31
Facilities with Limited Nursing Service License	55

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Medically Underserved	Value	Percent
Total Medically Underserved	93,919	13%
Living in Areas Defined as Having Medically Underserved Populations	69,145	10%
Living in Medically Underserved Areas	5,958	1%

Source: Calculated using U.S. Health Resources & Services Administration and AGID

Health Insurance 65+	Value	Percent
Insured	513,711	99%
Uninsured	6,161	1%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 ACS

Disability Status	Value	Percent
With One Type of Disability	90,495	13%
With Two or More Disabilities	93,395	13%
Total With Any Disability		
Hearing	82,890	12%
Vision	32,485	5%
Cognitive	47,485	7%
Ambulatory	122,715	17%
Self-Care	41,195	6%
Independent Living	74,835	11%
With No Disabilities	477,230	68%
Probable Alzheimer's Cases (65+)	79,693	15%

Source: AGID 2016-20 ACS

Medicaid & Medicare Beneficiaries	Value	Percent
60+ Medicaid Eligible	68,027	15%
60+ Dual Eligible	59,676	80%

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Adult Day Care (ADC)	Value
ADC Facilities	37
Capacity	2,340

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Home Health Agencies	Value
Agencies	344
Medicaid Certified Agencies	6
Medicare Certified Agencies	99
Homemaker and Companion Service Companies	338

Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

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Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Use	Value
SNFs With Beds	79
Community Beds	75
Sheltered Beds	10
Veterans Administration Beds	1
Other Beds	0
SNF Beds	9,066
Community Beds	8,531
Sheltered Beds	535
Veterans Administration Beds	128
Other Beds	0
SNFs With Community Beds	75
Community Bed Days	3,122,346
Community Patient Days	2,320,549
Medicaid Patient Days	1,513,739
Occupancy Rate	74%
Percent Medicaid	65%

The day the patient is admitted is a patient day. A bed day is a day during which a person is confined to a bed and in which the patient stays overnight in a hospital.
Source: Florida AHCA, 2022

Emergency Medical Services (EMS)	Value
Providers	26
EMS providers include air ambulances and ambulances with Basic Life Support (BLS) or Advanced Life Support (ALS).	
Source: Florida Department of Health, 2021	

Adult Family Care Homes	Value
Homes	21
Beds	117
Source: Florida AHCA, 2022	

Memory Disorder Clinics	Value
Total	2
Source: Florida DOEA's Summary of Programs and Services (SOPS), 2020	

Dialysis	Value
End-Stage Renal Disease Centers	58
Source: Florida Department of Health, 2021	

Planning and Service Area (PSA) 9 Disaster Preparedness

The disaster preparedness section presents the count and percentage of people age 60 or older living in the legislative district that fall within particular storm surge evacuation zones, as well as the number of DOEA Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) clients who reside in these zones. The estimate of electricity-dependent individuals is presented by insurance type to show the number of people who use electricity-dependent medical equipment necessary for things such as survival or mobility. This information can also be used to evaluate the sufficiency of shelters, generators, and evacuation route roadways to handle the needs of seniors and medically fragile adults in emergencies.

Electricity-Dependent	Value
Medicare Beneficiary	15,100
Medicaid Beneficiary	2,481

Medicare beneficiary includes the entire Medicare population (65+ and SSI Recipients).
Medicaid beneficiaries are individuals age 60 to 64.

Source: Florida AHCA and U.S. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, 2021

Shelter Resources	Value
Number of General Shelters	203
General Shelter Max Capacity in People	143,462
Number of Special Needs Shelters	12
Special Needs Shelters Max Capacity in People	4,070
Source: FDEM, 2022	

Evacuation Zones	Value	Percent
Total Population Residing in Evac Zone:	568	0%
Zone A	60	0%
Zone B	161	0%
Zone C	132	0%
Zone D	42	0%
Zone E	173	0%
DOEA HCBS Clients	9,114	100%
Lives in an Evac Zone and Has Memory Problems	118	21%
Lives in an Evac Zone and Lives Alone	127	22%

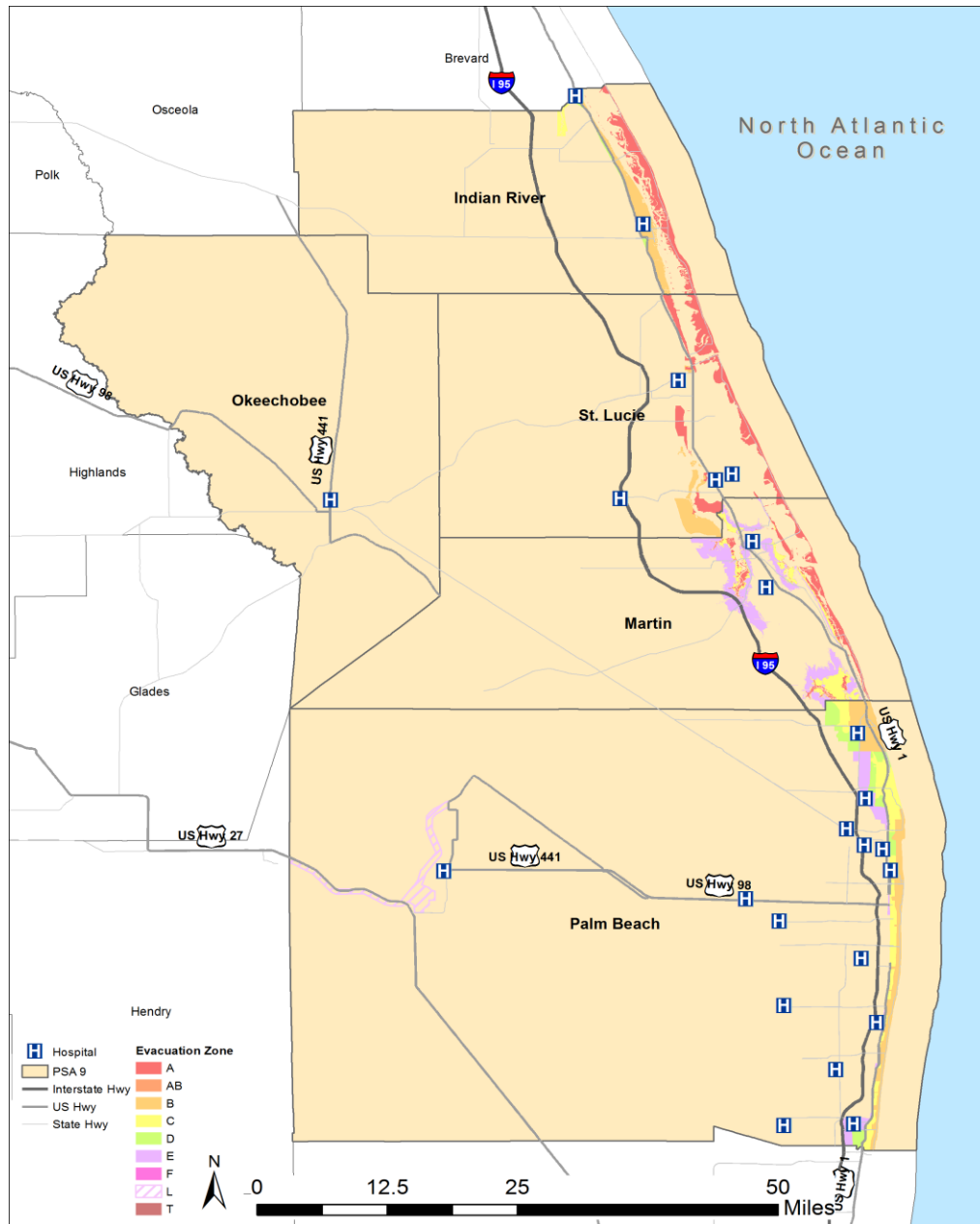
Zones are associated with the following surge heights: Zone A up to 11 feet, Zone B up to 15 feet, Zone C up to 20 feet, Zone D up to 28 feet, and Zone E up to 35 feet.

Source: Florida DOEA CIRTS, ACS, Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM), 2019

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Evacuation Zones



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Source: FDEM, 2021