

# Stanislaus County, CA 2011

## Elder Economic Security Standard™ Index

Elder Index Per Year, Annual Comparisons, and Basic Monthly Expenses for Selected Household Types

### Elder Index Per Year†

	Elder Person			Elder Couple		
	Owner w/o mortgage	Owner w/mortgage	Renter, one bedroom	Owner w/o mortgage	Owner w/mortgage	Renter, one bedroom
Income Needed to Meet Basic Needs (based on monthly expenses shown below*)	\$16,140	\$29,061	\$20,736	\$24,194	\$37,115	\$28,790

### Annual Comparison Amounts

Federal Poverty Guideline (2011 DHHS)	\$10,890	\$10,890	\$10,890	\$14,710	\$14,710	\$14,710
% of Federal Poverty [Elder Index divided by (/) Federal Poverty Guideline]	148%	267%	190%	164%	252%	196%
SSI Payment Maximum, California 2011	\$9,965	\$9,965	\$9,965	\$16,886	\$16,886	\$16,886
SSI Income Gap [SSI Payment Maximum minus (-) Elder Index]	-\$6,175	-\$19,096	-\$10,772	-\$7,307	-\$20,228	-\$11,904
Median Social Security Payment 2011	\$12,103	\$12,103	\$12,103	\$19,431	\$19,431	\$19,431
Soc Sec Income Gap [Average Social Security Payment minus (-) Elder Index]	-\$4,037	-\$16,958	-\$8,633	-\$4,763	-\$17,684	-\$9,359

### \*Basic Monthly Expenses Used to Calculate Elder Index

	Elder Person			Elder Couple		
	Owner w/o mortgage	Owner w/mortgage	Renter, one bedroom	Owner w/o mortgage	Owner w/mortgage	Renter, one bedroom
Monthly Expenses						
Housing	\$383	\$1,460	\$766	\$383	\$1,460	\$766
Food	253	253	253	472	472	472
Transportation	239	239	239	335	335	335
Health Care (Good Health)	245	245	245	490	490	490
Miscellaneous @ 20%	224	224	224	336	336	336
Elder Index Per Month	\$1,345	\$2,422	\$1,728	\$2,016	\$3,093	\$2,399

†Note: Annual total may not equal the sum of monthly totals due to rounding.

For the complete report, methodology or other counties visit:

<http://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/elder-index2011>

For more information about the California Elder Economic Security Initiative™ program visit:

<http://www.insightccd.org/communities/cfess/cal-eesi.html>

