

# Tehama 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<sup>†</sup>

	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*)	\$17,273	\$27,588	\$20,780	\$27,594	\$37,910	\$31,102

### 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]	159%	253%	191%	188%	258%	211%
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]	-\$7,308	-\$17,623	-\$10,815	-\$10,708	-\$21,023	-\$14,215
Median Social Security Payment 2011	\$12,095	\$12,095	\$12,095	\$22,037	\$22,037	\$22,037
Soc Sec Income Gap [Average Social Security Payment minus (-) Elder Index]	-\$5,178	-\$15,493	-\$8,685	-\$5,557	-\$15,873	-\$9,065

### \*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	\$304	\$1,164	\$597	\$304	\$1,164	\$597
Food	253	253	253	472	472	472
Transportation	239	239	239	335	335	335
Health Care (Good Health)	403	403	403	805	805	805
Miscellaneous @ 20%	240	240	240	383	383	383
Elder Index Per Month	\$1,439	\$2,299	\$1,732	\$2,300	\$3,159	\$2,592

†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>

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



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