

# Yolo 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*)	\$17,476	\$32,256	\$22,757	\$26,203	\$40,983	\$31,484

### 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]	160%	296%	209%	178%	279%	214%
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]	-\$7,511	-\$22,291	-\$12,792	-\$9,316	-\$24,096	-\$14,597
Median Social Security Payment 2011	\$12,533	\$12,533	\$12,533	\$20,814	\$20,814	\$20,814
Soc Sec Income Gap [Average Social Security Payment minus (-) Elder Index]	-\$4,943	-\$19,723	-\$10,224	-\$5,389	-\$20,169	-\$10,670

### \*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	\$427	\$1,658	\$867	\$427	\$1,658	\$867
Food	273	273	273	508	508	508
Transportation	239	239	239	335	335	335
Health Care (Good Health)	275	275	275	550	550	550
Miscellaneous @ 20%	243	243	243	364	364	364
Elder Index Per Month	\$1,456	\$2,688	\$1,896	\$2,184	\$3,415	\$2,624

†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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