El Dorado County Costs 2011 Older Adults with Adult Children Living at Home: Additional Costs

Annual Elder Index, Additional Costs for Adult Children, and Monthly Cost Component Example

Annual Elder Index for Elder(s) Only

	Elder Person			Elder Couple						
Income Needed to Meet	Owner w/o	Owner		Owner w/o	Owner					
Basic Needs	mortgage	w/mortgage	Renter	mortgage	w/mortgage	Renter [†]				
(based on Elder Index)	\$18,597	\$34,821	\$22,544	\$27,082	\$43,306	\$31,029				
Additional Adult Child Costs										
Add for 1 Adult Child	\$13,231	\$13,231	\$13,231	\$13,090	\$13,090	\$15,336				
Total Income Needed	\$31,827	\$48,051	\$35,774	\$40,172	\$56,396	\$46,365				
2011 FPL ¹	\$14,710	\$14,710	\$14,710	\$18,530	\$18,530	\$18,530				
Total Income Needed as % of FPL	216%	327%	243%	217%	304%	250%				
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Add for 2 Adult Children	\$24,227	\$24,227	\$26,473	\$23,819	\$23,819	\$26,066				
Total Income Needed	\$42,823	\$59,047	\$49,017	\$50,902	\$67,126	\$57,095				
2011 FPL ¹	\$18,530	\$18,530	\$18,530	\$22,350	\$22,350	\$22,350				
Total Income Needed as % of FPL	231%	319%	265%	228%	300%	255%				

Example: Monthly Cost Components for Older Couple Renter with One Adult Child

	Housing	Food	Health Care	Transportation	Misc+Taxes [‡]	Total
Older Couple - Renter	\$853	\$472	\$550	\$335	\$376	\$2,586
One Adult Child	\$187	\$216	\$152	\$267	\$455	\$1,278
Total	\$1,040	\$688	\$703	\$602	\$831	\$3,864

¹ FPL = 2011 Federal Poverty Guidelines:

http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/11poverty.shtml

For the complete report, methodology or other counties visit: http://healthpolicy.ucla.edu/elder-index-adultchildren2011

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

http://www.insightcced.org/communities/cfess/cal-eesi.html

†Renter annual total may not equal the sum of monthly totals due to rounding

*Taxes are included for the Adult Child Only. To see the cost breakdown, please see the Additional Monthly Cost Components for Adult Children under County Comparison Supplemental Sheets





