

<b>Ventura County</b>	1,845 sq.mi. 408 persons / sq.mi.	<b>Median Age: 34.2</b>
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<b>Snapshot</b>	<b>Workforce</b>
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Ventura lies along the coast of California above Los Angeles. It is a county of ocean bluffs and lagoons, forests and craggy mountains.

In 2000, the median age was about 1 year older than California. More than one of every 10 people was 65 years or older, and one in 77 was 85 or older. More than one in 5 adults was 65+ or disabled.

Unemployment was 4.5% (2001). There were estimated to be 737 direct care nursing staff needed in facilities (2000). Average hourly wages (2001):

RN	HHA	Nurse Asst	IHSS	MSW	PT
\$34.24	\$8.60	\$10.15	\$7.11	\$29.38	\$29.98

<b>Medi-Cal</b>	<b>Housing</b>
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In Ventura one in every 10 persons was Medi-Cal eligible. One in every 77 persons in the county was 65+ and a Medi-Cal recipient.

The median home price was \$266,833 (2001). Compared to California, housing vacancy rates in 2000 were lower: homeowners at 0.9% and rentals at 2.6%.

Ventura had more households with individuals 65+ (19.0%) and with those 65+ living alone (7.4%) than California. Of those over 65, one in 3.0 was living alone (33.0%).

<b>Long Term Care: Special Programs</b>	<b>Transportation</b>
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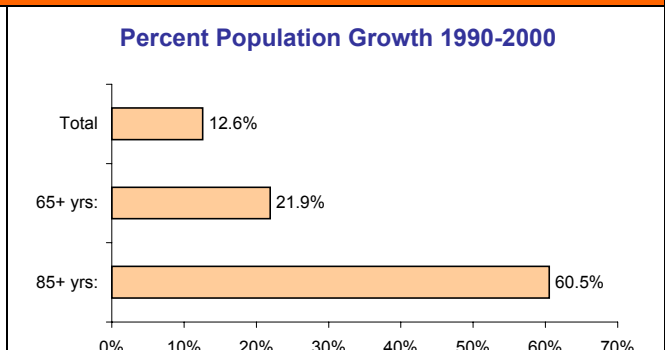
LTC Innovation Grant: COIL InfoVan for outreach through AAA.

Reported transit services for people in the cities and county of Ventura: 345,095 passengers using special services vehicles; 30 vehicles operated peak hours and 27 middays during the week; 16 on Saturdays and 7 on Sundays (FY 99-00).

<b>Population Growth</b> (increase since 1990): <b>12.6%</b>	<b>65+ yrs: 21.9%</b>	<b>85+ yrs: 60.5%</b>
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**Demographics**

Population	1990	%	2000	%	2010	%
	(US Census)		(US Census)		(DOF Projection)	
<b>Total Population</b>	669,016	100%	753,197	100%	854,580	100%
Over 60	86,038	13%	102,686	14%	149,923	18%
Disabled (21-64)	not available	not available	78,730	10%	not available	not available
Total 65+	63,005	9%	76,804	10%	102,491	12%
<b>Total Over 65 + Disabled (21-64)</b>	not available	not available	155,534	21%	not available	not available
Total 65-74	37,079	6%	40,244	5%	59,392	7%
Total 75-84	20,140	3%	27,271	4%	30,497	4%
Total 85+	5,786	1%	9,289	1%	12,602	1%



Gender (2000) US Census	Total	65+	85+
Male	49.9%	4.3%	0.4%
Female	50.1%	5.9%	0.8%

Ethnicity (2000) US Census	Total	65+
<b>Total</b>	100%	10%
White*	57%	8.11%
Black or African American*	2%	0.13%
Hispanic or Latino	33%	1.58%
Asian	5%	0.52%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.2%	0.01%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.4%	0.03%
Some Other Race	0.1%	0.01%
Multi-Racial (two or more)	2.0%	0.10%

\*Not of Hispanic or Latino Origin

Enrollment (2000)	Eligibles	% Tot Pop	Elig 65+	% 65+
Medi-Cal Recipients	74,083	9.7%	9,734	1.27%
SSI/SSP Recipients	13,954	1.8%	not available	not available
Dual Eligibles	13,072	1.7%	not available	not available

**Demographic Trends**

Ventura County's population grew at a slightly slower pace than California's in the last decade. However, there was a faster rate of growth in both the 65+ and 85+ population.

In 2000, Ventura had 43% non-Whites, while California had 53% non-Whites. One of every 3 persons in the county was Latino/Hispanic; one in 19 was Asian; one in every 50 persons was multi-racial; and one in 56 was Black/African American. Looking at age and ethnicity: one in 12 persons was 65+/White; one in 63 was 65+/Hispanic/Latino; and one in 192 was 65+/Asian.

The median household income was \$12,200 more than California's, with fewer people living below the poverty level—one in 11.

<b>Persons under Poverty Level: 9.2%</b>	<b>65+ yrs: 5.8%</b>	<b>Median Household Income: \$59,666</b>
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NOTE: Data on Page 2 are from statewide sources only. Data may not include all funding sources. See notes on Data Sources.

SERVICES	ANNUAL INFORMATION		
Home and Community Based Services (County Level Data)	Providers or Sites	Serving	Expense / Allocation
<b>Adult Day Services (ADS)</b>			
Adult Day Health Care (ADHC) Providers	1	51	\$376,519
Adult Day Care (ADC) / Adult Day Support Centers (ADSC)	8	222	not available
<b>Multipurpose Senior Services Program (MSSP)</b>	1	244	\$645,855
<b>In-Home Services</b>			
Home Health Agencies (HHAs)	21	14,250	not available
In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)	1,562	2,160	\$10,853,869
<b>Adult Protective Services (APS)</b>	1	132	\$1,163,987
<b>Independent Living Centers (ILCs)</b>	1	748	\$480,545

County Level Data Not Available			
<b>Caregiver Resource Centers (CRCs)</b>	1	700	\$873,833
The Coast Caregiver Resource Center provides services to San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura counties.			

PSA 18 - Single-County AAA (County Level Data)			
<b>Area Agencies on Aging</b>			
\$0.8M (State) + \$1.5M (Fed) = \$2.3M			
Includes \$34K Info & Assistance, \$31K Case Mngmt, \$0.37M Fed Caregiver Support Prgm			
Serving: Ventura County			
The AAA serves as an access point for persons needing information or services for elders, persons with disabilities, and their families or caregivers. The agency provides advocacy, information and assistance, local planning, funding allocations, and monitoring of services. The following may not represent all the AAA's local programs, services or expenditures:			
<b>Nutrition</b>			
Brown Bag	not available	1,769	\$25,247
Home Delivered Meals	not available	887	\$364,662
Congregate Meals	not available	2,581	\$703,008
<b>Assistance / Counseling / Advocacy</b>			
Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Programs (HICAP)	1	1,507	\$189,251
Ombudsman	1	295	\$91,833
<b>Care Coordination</b>			
Linkages	1	138	\$236,495
<b>Specialized Care</b>			
Alzheimer's Day Care Resource Centers (ADCRCs)	1	125	\$81,708
<b>Senior Service Corps</b>			
Foster Grandparents (number of senior volunteers)	not available	10	\$41,989
Senior Companions (number of senior volunteers)	not available	15	\$60,827

Facility Based Services (County Level Data)	Providers	Serving	Expense / Allocation
Freestanding Nursing Facility (NFs)	24	1,494	\$31,296,873
Hospital-Based Nursing Facility (NFs)	5	145	\$9,667,377
Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly (RCFEs)	138	4,005	not available

County Comparisons	
How does your county rank on these indicators - in the highest, middle, or lowest third of all counties in the state?	
Indicator	Rank
Median Household Income	5
RCFE Beds/1,000	7
Total Population	12
65+ Pop Growth (1990-2000)	17
85+ Pop Growth (1990-2000)	19
ADS Providers/1,000	23
HHA Providers/1,000	25
Median Age	33
Tot Pop Growth (1990-2000)	36
% Age 21-64 Disabled	37
% Population 85+	38
% Population 65+	40
% Medi-Cal Recipients	41
% Unemployment Rate	42
% Medi-Cal Recipients 65+	45
% 65+ and Live Alone	45
% Vacancy - houses	45
% Dual Eligibles	47
% Persons < Poverty	47
Total NF Patients/1,000	48
% SSI / SSP Recipients	48
% 65+ < Poverty	49
% Vacancy - rentals	51
IHSS Providers/1,000	56
Note: Rankings are out of 58 counties, where 1 represents the highest number and 58 represents the lowest number	

Highest Third (1-19)

Middle Third (20-39)

Lowest Third (40-58)

Emerging Long Term Care Issues	
~ More than one in 5 adults was 65+ or disabled.	~ Housing was not available and few seniors lived alone.
~ The population of those 65+ and 85+ grew rapidly, although the percent of seniors 65+ was low.	~ RCFEs were more available than adult day and home health services, with few NFs and IHSS providers.
~ Income was high, with few seniors, or others, living in poverty.	
~ Unemployment was low and few people, including seniors, were receiving Medi-Cal, Medicare or SSI/SSP.	

