

Table 29
2001 Survey of Older Minnesotans
Statewide Population 55+
Any Difficulty Shopping for Groceries

	Total Number	Has Difficulty Shopping for Groceries	No Difficulty Shopping for Groceries
State Total	2,485	5.3%	94.7%
Age*			
55-59	451	4.0%	96.0%
60-64	390	3.8%	96.2%
65-74	917	3.7%	96.3%
75-84	578	7.8%	92.2%
85+	121	14.9%	85.1%
Gender			
Male	932	2.7%	97.3%
Female	1,552	6.9%	93.1%
Marital Status			
Married	1,712	3.6%	96.4%
Not Married	763	9.3%	90.7%
Living Arrangement			
Lives Alone	633	8.8%	91.2%
Lives with Others	1,847	4.0%	96.0%
Education			
Less than High School	343	7.0%	93.0%
High School Graduate	897	4.1%	95.9%
Post-Secondary	1,229	5.7%	94.3%
Per Capita Income*			
Less than \$12,000	358	11.2%	88.8%
\$12,000 - \$17,999	401	7.2%	92.8%
\$18,000 - \$29,999	482	2.9%	97.1%
\$30,000+	522	2.1%	97.9%
Region			
NE	398	5.3%	94.7%
W	386	4.1%	95.9%
SE	514	4.1%	95.9%
Metro	1,185	6.2%	93.8%

*Differences are statistically significant.

Survey Question:

Do you have any difficulty shopping for groceries because of a health or physical problem?