

Table 33
2001 Survey of Older Minnesotans
Statewide Population 55+
Any Difficulty With Mobility (Getting Outside)

	Total Number	Has Difficulty Getting Outside	No Difficulty Getting Outside
State Total	2,485	2.6%	97.4%
Age*			
55-59	452	2.9%	97.1%
60-64	391	1.0%	99.0%
65-74	917	1.6%	98.4%
75-84	577	3.3%	96.7%
85+	121	10.7%	89.3%
Gender			
Male	931	2.4%	97.6%
Female	1,553	2.7%	97.3%
Marital Status			
Married	1,712	1.8%	98.2%
Not Married	763	4.6%	95.4%
Living Arrangement			
Lives Alone	633	4.9%	95.1%
Lives with Others	1,848	1.8%	98.2%
Education			
Less than High School	341	4.4%	95.6%
High School Graduate	899	2.1%	97.9%
Post-Secondary	1,230	2.5%	97.5%
Per Capita Income			
Less than \$12,000	357	5.6%	94.4%
\$12,000 - \$17,999	401	3.5%	96.5%
\$18,000 - \$29,999	482	0.6%	99.4%
\$30,000+	522	0.6%	99.4%
Region			
NE	398	2.5%	97.5%
W	388	2.6%	97.4%
SE	515	2.3%	97.7%
Metro	1,185	2.8%	97.2%

*Differences are statistically significant.

Survey Question:

Do you have any difficulty getting outside of the home or building you live in because of a health or physical problem?