COMMUNITY TRENDS
- 52% of respondents to the most recent 65+ survey reported a very good quality of life.
- There was a slight decline between 2010 and 2015 in life satisfaction for adults 65+.
- There was an increase in social support for adults age 75+ in the same time period.

SYSTEMS GOAL: Increase or maintain independent living factors for vulnerable adults 60 years of age and older with low incomes.

COMMUNITY OUTCOME: Increase or maintain independent living factors for vulnerable, low-income adults who are 60 years of age and older.

AGING ADULTS IN WASHTENAW COUNTY

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- Lack of resources for staffing means wait lists and longer response times.
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POLICY UPDATES FROM AREA AGENCY ON AGING 1B
- Funding for evidenced-based health programs was increased by 22%.
- Nursing home/long-term care funding was increased by 9%.
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Breakdown by Income

- Income of All WCF Participants: $20,654
- Income of Aging Participants: $22,000

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

Race of All WCF Participants (FY17)

- White/African American: 73%
- Black/African American: 17%
- Asian: 3%
- Other: 3%
- Income unknown: 3%

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