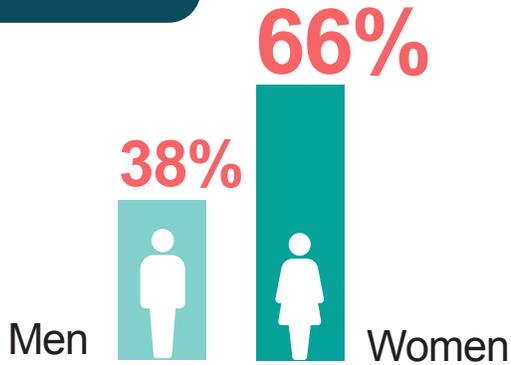
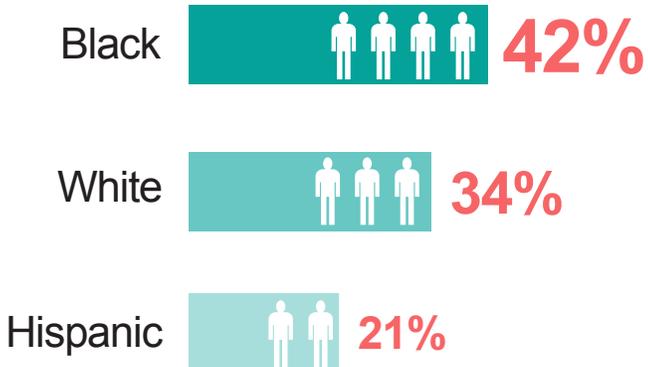


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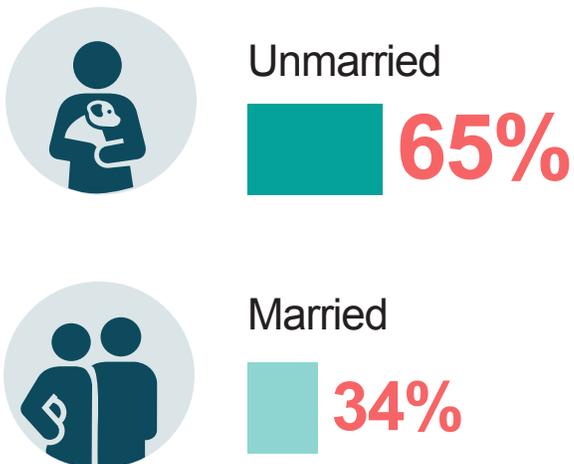
## Gender



## Race/Ethnicity



## Marital Status



## Income



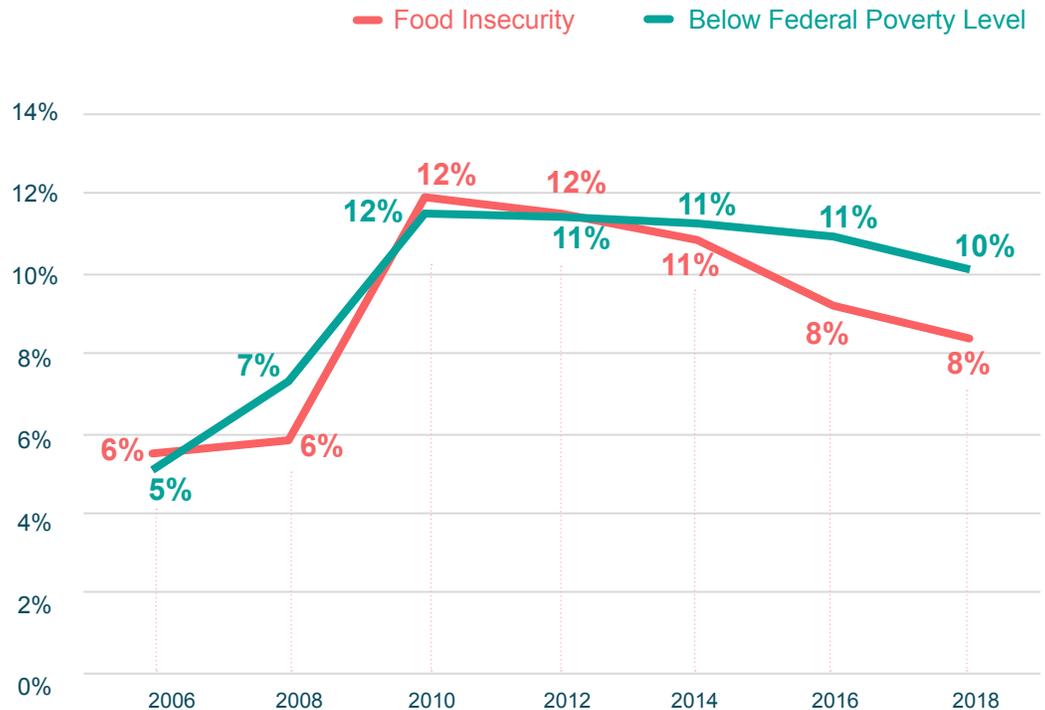
## Health Status



# Older adults who utilized SNAP during the recession had 42% lower odds of skipping meals.

After the Great Recession, food insecurity and poverty more than doubled among older adults.

Food Insecurity and Poverty Rate among those Age 60+ from 2006 to 2018



The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) plays an important role in reducing food insecurity and skipped meals among older adults, yet 85% of older SNAP users' benefits were below the lowest USDA food budget.

Percentage of SNAP Users Age 60+ with Monthly Benefit Amounts Below the USDA 'Thrifty Plan' Budget (2006 to 2018)

