



Wider Opportunities for Women



Statewide Averages for IL 2007

Elder Economic Security Standard™ Index

Elder Index Per Year, Annual Comparisons, and Basic Monthly Expenses for Selected Household Types

Elder Index Per Year

(based on monthly expenses shown below*)

| Elder Person | | | Elder Couple | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Owner w/o mortgage | Renter, one bedroom | Owner w/ mortgage | Owner w/o mortgage | Renter, one bedroom | Owner w/ mortgage |
| \$18,269 | \$19,810 | \$25,060 | \$27,188 | \$28,729 | \$33,979 |

Annual Comparison Amounts

Federal Poverty Guideline
(2007 DHHS)

% of Federal Poverty

[Elder Index divided by (/) Federal Poverty Guideline]

| | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| \$10,210 | \$10,210 | \$10,210 | \$13,690 | \$13,690 | \$13,690 |
| 179% | 194% | 245% | 199% | 210% | 248% |

SSI Payment Maximum,
Illinois 2007

SSI Income Gap

[SSI Payment Maximum minus (-) Elder Index]

| | | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| \$7,476 | \$7,476 | \$7,476 | \$11,208 | \$11,208 | \$11,208 |
| -\$10,793 | -\$12,334 | -\$17,584 | -\$15,980 | -\$17,521 | -\$22,771 |

Average Social Security Payment 2007

Soc Sec Income Gap

[Average Social Security Payment minus (-) Elder Index]

| | | | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| \$12,996 | \$12,996 | \$12,996 | \$21,312 | \$21,312 | \$21,312 |
| -\$5,273 | -\$6,814 | -\$12,064 | -\$5,876 | -\$7,417 | -\$12,667 |

*Basic Monthly Expenses Used to Calculate Elder Index

Monthly Expenses

Housing
Food
Transportation
Health Care (Good Health)
Miscellaneous
Elder Index Per Month

| | Elder Person | | | Elder Couple | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | Owner w/o mortgage | Renter, one bedroom | Owner w/ mortgage | Owner w/o mortgage | Renter, one bedroom | Owner w/ mortgage |
| Housing | \$410 | \$538 | \$976 | \$410 | \$538 | \$976 |
| Food | 215 | 215 | 215 | 395 | 395 | 395 |
| Transportation | 286 | 286 | 286 | 369 | 369 | 369 |
| Health Care (Good Health) | 357 | 357 | 357 | 715 | 715 | 715 |
| Miscellaneous | 254 | 254 | 254 | 378 | 378 | 378 |
| Elder Index Per Month | \$1,522 | \$1,651 | \$2,088 | \$2,266 | \$2,394 | \$2,832 |

For more information about the Illinois Elder Economic Security Initiative™ program visit:

<http://www.wowonline.org/ourprograms/eesi/>