

## Appendix B: Complete tables, Scituate Resident Survey

Below, percentage distributions are shown for quantitative items included in the Scituate Council on Aging resident survey. Percentages are provided separately for Boomers (age 45 to 59) and Seniors (age 60+), and subsets are provided for two age groups within the Senior population (those 60 to 79; and those 80 and older). Calculations are weighted to account for sample stratification and age-graded return rates. Readers are cautioned against drawing strong conclusions based on differences between groups with small numbers of respondents.

### Unweighted number of respondents

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
N of respondents	98	529	303	226

### Section I: Current Housing

**Q1. Which option best describes your current place of residence in Scituate? (Check only one)**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Single family home	92%	84%	87%	72%
Condominium or townhouse	3%	9%	8%	11%
Multi-family home (2, 3, or more units)	4%	2%	1%	4%
Apartment complex, including subsidized apartment housing	1%	4%	3%	8%
Independent living, assisted living or health care facility	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	2%	1%	6%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q2. Do you and/or your spouse/partner own the residence you live in?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Yes	91%	92%	94%	81%
No	9%	8%	6%	19%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q3. Who do you live with? (Check all that apply)**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
I live alone	12%	22%	16%	48%
With a spouse/partner	81%	72%	80%	39%
With my child(ren)	45%	9%	9%	10%
With my parent(s)	7%	1%	1%	0%
With another relative	2%	2%	2%	2%
With someone else (including housemates)	0%	1%	1%	1%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q4. Does your current residence need home modifications or changes to improve your ability to live in it over the next 5 years?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Yes	16%	20%	19%	23%
No	84%	80%	81%	77%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q4a. Can you afford to make these changes?**

**[Respondents who report “Yes” on Q4 only]**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Yes	27%	41%	44%	31%
No	73%	59%	56%	69%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q5. Do you live in Scituate year-round?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	100%	96%	95%	98%
No	0%	4%	5%	2%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q6. How long have you lived in Scituate? (Check only one)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Fewer than 5 years	8%	3%	3%	3%
5-14 years	15%	13%	14%	11%
15-24 years	35%	12%	14%	7%
25-34 years	15%	14%	15%	7%
35 years or longer	15%	48%	44%	63%
Scituate native	12%	10%	10%	9%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Section II: Health & Caregiving**

**Q7. How would you rate your overall physical health?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Excellent	47%	33%	38%	10%
Good	44%	56%	55%	62%
Fair	8%	10%	7%	25%
Poor	1%	1%	0%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q8. Due to a health issue, do you require help with activities around the house (e.g., doing routine chores like cleaning or yard work)?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	10%	23%	17%	53%
No	90%	77%	83%	47%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q9. Due to a health issue, do you require help with daily activities (e.g., using the telephone, preparing meals, taking medications, or keeping track of bills) or with personal care activities (e.g., taking a shower or getting dressed)?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	4%	3%	1%	11%
No	96%	97%	99%	89%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q10. Referring to the activities in questions 8-9 for which you answered Yes”: Who helps you with these activities? (Check all that apply)**

**[Respondents who report “Yes” on question 8 or question 9]**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
I need help, but I have no one to help me	10%	3%	4%	2%
I pay someone to help me	60%	61%	65%	55%
A family member helps me	40%	44%	43%	44%
Someone else pays for my care	10%	0%	0%	1%
A friend or neighbor helps me	20%	8%	6%	12%
Someone else helps me	0%	10%	10%	10%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q11. Within the past 1 year have you provided unpaid care or assistance to a spouse, relative, or friend who is disabled or frail?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	36%	27%	29%	19%
No	64%	73%	71%	81%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q11a. If Yes on question 11: Does the person for whom you provide care have Alzheimer’s disease or another dementia?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Yes	21%	34%	33%	39%
No	79%	66%	67%	61%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q11b. If Yes on question 11: How challenging is it for you to care for this person and meet your other responsibilities with family and/or work?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Very Challenging	12%	11%	12%	10%
Somewhat Challenging	29%	37%	39%	23%
Neither Challenging Nor Easy	35%	19%	16%	33%
Somewhat Easy	15%	19%	19%	23%
Very Easy	9%	14%	14%	11%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

### **Section III: Social and Emotional Wellbeing**

**Q12. Over the last month, how often did you feel sad, depressed, or “down in the dumps”?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Never	26%	29%	30%	23%
Rarely	41%	41%	42%	39%
Sometimes	27%	27%	25%	34%
Often	5%	3%	3%	4%
Always	1%	0%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q13. How often do you talk on the phone, email, or get together with family, friends, or relatives?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Never	0%	0%	0%	0%
Very rarely (e.g., only on holidays)	0%	2%	2%	1%
Every two to three months	2%	3%	3%	3%
Once a month	5%	3%	2%	4%
Two or three times a month	12%	11%	10%	17%
One or more times a week	81%	81%	83%	75%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q14. Outside of the Scituate Council on Aging Senior Center, in what other types of local programs, services, or activities do you participate? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Volunteer programs	25%	27%	29%	18%
Recreational/exercise /health programs	40%	39%	43%	22%
Faith-based activities	30%	27%	26%	32%
Nutrition/meal programs	0%	2%	1%	7%
Social activities	35%	37%	38%	32%
Educational/cultural programs	15%	23%	26%	11%
Other	17%	16%	15%	19%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q15. How safe do you feel in the neighborhood where you live?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Completely Safe	57%	51%	52%	45%
Very Safe	40%	44%	43%	45%
Somewhat Safe	3%	5%	5%	9%
Slightly Safe	0%	0%	0%	1%
Not at All Safe	0%	0%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q16. Do you feel a sense of belonging in the community where you live?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	95%	91%	90%	93%
No	5%	9%	10%	7%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q17. How important is it to you to remain living in Scituate as long as possible?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Very Important	53%	75%	74%	80%
Somewhat Important	37%	18%	18%	16%
Slightly Important	8%	5%	5%	2%
Not at All Important	2%	2%	3%	2%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Section IV: Transportation**

**Q19. How do you meet your transportation needs? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
I drive myself	98%	93%	97%	77%
My spouse or child(ren) drive me	6%	18%	16%	27%
Friends or neighbors drive me	1%	5%	2%	15%
Public transportation (e.g., bus, commuter rail)	12%	9%	10%	3%
Scituate Senior Center transportation services	1%	3%	1%	10%
Other	1%	2%	1%	7%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q20. Below is a list of possible difficulties one might face when traveling locally. Which have you experienced when traveling locally, if any? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
N/A, I have experienced no difficulties	66%	69%	69%	66%
Public transportation is inconvenient and/or not available where I want to go	21%	20%	21%	16%
There is no one I can depend on for help	1%	3%	3%	3%
Physical or other limitations	4%	5%	3%	13%
No door-to-door assistance	1%	3%	2%	3%
Walkability issues (e.g., lack of or interrupted sidewalks)	22%	12%	11%	14%
Other	1%	5%	4%	5%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q21. Do you ever modify your driving by engaging in any of the following behaviors? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Not applicable-- I do not drive	7%	8%	5%	21%
I do not modify my driving at all	70%	44%	49%	22%
I avoid driving at night	10%	29%	25%	45%
I avoid making left hand turns	2%	5%	5%	3%
I avoid driving in bad weather	10%	30%	27%	41%
I avoid expressway driving	3%	10%	9%	16%
I avoid driving far distances	6%	15%	12%	29%
I avoid driving in unfamiliar areas	4%	15%	12%	25%
Other	2%	4%	4%	4%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q22. How satisfied are you with the transportation options available to you in Scituate?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Completely Satisfied	17%	13%	14%	13%
Very Satisfied	24%	20%	19%	20%
Somewhat Satisfied	32%	27%	27%	26%
Slightly Satisfied	6%	18%	18%	19%
Not at All Satisfied	21%	22%	22%	22%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q23. If you currently drive, do you ever assist any older adults by providing them with transportation?**

**[Calculated only for respondents who drive]**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	37%	49%	49%	48%
No	63%	51%	51%	52%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q24. Have you ever traveled to senior centers in other towns to participate in their programs?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Yes	2%	19%	18%	24%
No	98%	81%	82%	76%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

## **Section V: Current Senior Center Services**

**Q25. The following items refer to programs and services that are currently offered by the *Scituate Council on Aging Senior Center* or are being considered for future programming. In your opinion, what is the importance of each program or service to the community?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
<b>Scituate Senior Center Van for local transportation</b>				
Very Important	82%	80%	81%	74%
Somewhat Important	11%	11%	12%	10%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	6%	6%	5%	11%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	1%	1%	2%
Very Unimportant	0%	2%	1%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Senior Center Transportation for out-of-town medical appointments</b>				
Very Important	72%	79%	80%	74%
Somewhat Important	20%	12%	12%	11%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	6%	5%	4%	9%
Somewhat Unimportant	2%	2%	2%	2%
Very Unimportant	0%	2%	2%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Support groups</b>				
Very Important	51%	55%	56%	46%
Somewhat Important	34%	31%	31%	31%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	14%	9%	8%	17%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	2%	2%	2%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

<b>Q25 (Cont.)</b>	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
<b>Volunteer opportunities</b>				
Very Important	45%	45%	46%	36%
Somewhat Important	39%	37%	37%	37%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	15%	13%	12%	18%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	2%	2%	6%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Health and wellness programs (blood pressure &amp; glucose screening, fall prevention, etc.)</b>				
Very Important	67%	62%	64%	52%
Somewhat Important	25%	27%	26%	29%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	6%	6%	6%	10%
Somewhat Unimportant	2%	2%	1%	5%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Professional services (tax preparation, financial advisor, &amp; legal services)</b>				
Very Important	46%	49%	50%	44%
Somewhat Important	38%	34%	35%	30%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	13%	12%	11%	19%
Somewhat Unimportant	3%	2%	1%	3%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

Q25 (Cont.)	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
<b>Fitness activities (exercise, dance, yoga, Tai Chi, etc.)</b>				
Very Important	59%	53%	56%	39%
Somewhat Important	34%	31%	31%	35%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	7%	11%	9%	18%
Somewhat Unimportant	0%	2%	1%	3%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	5%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Social activities (lunch groups, book club, quilting, board &amp; card games, etc.)</b>				
Very Important	60%	48%	50%	39%
Somewhat Important	29%	35%	34%	39%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	10%	11%	11%	14%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	3%	3%	4%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	2%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	199%
<b>Social functions (entertainment, sponsored lunches, etc.)</b>				
Very Important	51%	45%	46%	39%
Somewhat Important	34%	34%	34%	35%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	13%	16%	15%	19%
Somewhat Unimportant	2%	2%	2%	4%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Bus trips and outings (to theaters, museums, &amp; destination tours)</b>				
Very Important	39%	45%	47%	45%
Somewhat Important	44%	36%	36%	36%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	15%	14%	13%	14%
Somewhat Unimportant	2%	2%	1%	2%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

Q25 (Cont.)	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
<b>Learning opportunities &amp; educational seminars</b>				
Very Important	42%	46%	48%	32%
Somewhat Important	39%	37%	36%	36%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	19%	13%	12%	22%
Somewhat Unimportant	0%	1%	1%	5%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	5%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Information &amp; referral services to local resources &amp; care providers</b>				
Very Important	46%	54%	56%	45%
Somewhat Important	42%	30%	30%	32%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	11%	11%	10%	16%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	2%	1%	3%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	4%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Assistance applying for local or state programs (fuel assistance or food stamps)</b>				
Very Important	55%	59%	61%	50%
Somewhat Important	33%	23%	22%	25%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	12%	10%	9%	15%
Somewhat Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	4%
Very Unimportant	0%	5%	5%	6%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

Q25 (Cont.)	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
<b>SHINE program—Help with health insurance &amp; prescription needs</b>				
Very Important	58%	63%	66%	51%
Somewhat Important	32%	22%	21%	22%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	9%	9%	7%	18%
Somewhat Unimportant	1%	3%	3%	3%
Very Unimportant	0%	3%	3%	6%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>In-home outreach services (friendly visitor, minor home repairs, case management)</b>				
Very Important	62%	54%	56%	45%
Somewhat Important	27%	28%	28%	29%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	11%	11%	10%	17%
Somewhat Unimportant	0%	3%	2%	4%
Very Unimportant	0%	4%	4%	5%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Programs on coping with chronic conditions (e.g., diabetes, arthritis)</b>				
Very Important	50%	52%	53%	45%
Somewhat Important	40%	31%	31%	33%
Neither Important Nor Unimportant	10%	11%	10%	14%
Somewhat Unimportant	0%	2%	3%	2%
Very Unimportant	0%	4%	3%	6%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q26. Do you currently use programs or services offered at the Scituate Council on Aging Senior Center (or at other buildings used by the Senior Center)?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
No	3%	20%	16%	40%
Yes	97%	80%	84%	60%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q26a. If No on question 26: What is the reason that you do not currently utilize the Scituate Council on Aging Senior Center programs and services? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
I am not interested	13%	32%	32%	35%
I am not old enough	77%	17%	20%	0%
I participate in programs elsewhere	5%	11%	11%	15%
The senior center building is not adequate or appealing	10%	22%	21%	28%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q26b. If Yes on question 26: How often do you attend programs or utilize services offered by the Senior Center?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59*</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
One or more times a week		18%	17%	19%
Two or three times each month		13%	15%	11%
Once a month		9%	10%	9%
Every two to three months		16%	20%	9%
Very rarely (e.g., only for special events)		44%	39%	53%
Total		100%	100%	100%

\*Too few Boomers participate to calculate

**Q26c. If Yes on question 26: Overall, how satisfied are you with the programs and services offered by the Scituate Council on Aging Senior Center?**

	Boomers Age 45-59	Seniors Age 60+	Age 60-79	Age 80+
Completely Satisfied		9%	7%	11%
Very Satisfied		33%	35%	31%
Somewhat Satisfied		37%	37%	38%
Slightly Satisfied		17%	16%	17%
Not at All Satisfied		4%	5%	3%
Total		100%	100%	100%

\*Too few Boomers participate to calculate

**Q27. Below is a list of problems one could encounter when accessing the Senior Center or its programs. Which of these problems have you or someone you know experienced? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
The Senior Center building is not adequate	19%	38%	37%	43%
Lack of transportation	5%	5%	4%	8%
Lack of sufficient parking	14%	34%	33%	39%
Not knowing how to access programs or services	4%	6%	7%	2%
Not enough available openings to participate in some events or activities	4%	12%	12%	12%
I don't think I would fit in there	2%	6%	6%	4%
Not knowing what programs/services are available	9%	11%	12%	7%
I am concerned about protecting my privacy	1%	3%	2%	3%
Inconvenient location of the Senior Center	4%	12%	11%	17%
Hours of Senior Center are inconvenient	3%	4%	5%	2%
Programs don't interest me	2%	11%	11%	13%
Senior center-provided transportation is not available when needed or difficult to use	2%	6%	5%	10%
Appointment-based services are not available when needed	0%	3%	3%	7%
Other	4%	5%	5%	8%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

## **Section VI: Future Senior Center Planning**

**Q29. In the future, how likely are you to participate in programs and services offered by the Scituate Council on Aging or the Senior Center?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Very Likely	25%	24%	25%	19%
Somewhat Likely	40%	44%	45%	38%
Neither Likely Nor Unlikely	22%	19%	19%	23%
Somewhat Unlikely	5%	4%	4%	4%
Very Unlikely	8%	9%	7%	16%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q30. In the future, what would encourage you to participate in programs and services offered by the Scituate Council on Aging or the Senior Center? (check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
They offered programs that interested me	71%	66%	70%	48%
They offered services I needed	60%	50%	53%	41%
My friends, family or neighbors attended	40%	26%	28%	16%
A new facility or different location	31%	42%	43%	40%
I had transportation to get there	15%	9%	9%	9%
I knew about the programs & services they offered	44%	30%	33%	16%
Other	2%	5%	5%	6%

**Q31. Thinking about possible *future* needs and interests, which of the following areas would you prioritize for *new* programs and services at the Scituate Council on Aging the Senior Center? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
On-Site Senior Lunch Program	38%	26%	25%	29%
Performances/presentations	37%	39%	42%	29%
Quiet sitting/reading area	16%	14%	14%	13%
Programs for veterans	27%	21%	20%	28%
Strength training/aerobic exercise programs	56%	49%	54%	28%
Lifelong learning and education programs	53%	52%	57%	31%
Support groups for caregivers providing care to individuals with dementia	39%	23%	24%	15%
Hiking/walking club	47%	32%	37%	11%
Technology and computer courses	46%	41%	45%	27%
Arts & crafts programs	43%	31%	32%	22%
Social programs	48%	36%	37%	30%
Intergenerational programs	26%	18%	20%	11%
Workshops on preparing for retirement	47%	14%	16%	8%
Assistance with finding or obtaining home care or assisted living resources	44%	35%	36%	32%
Other	3%	5%	5%	6%

**Q32. How would you like to learn about the activities and services offered by the Scituate Senior Center? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Scituate Senior Center newsletter	46%	71%	70%	77%
Cable TV	20%	21%	21%	19%
The Scituate Mariner Newspaper	60%	54%	55%	49%
Facebook (or other social media sites)	32%	17%	20%	5%
Other	20%	11%	12%	7%

**Q33. Many towns offer a Social Adult Day Care program through their Council on Aging. Social Adult Day Care provides fee-based daytime supervision and care for adults, often seniors with dementia, in a small group setting. These programs are frequently helpful in providing respite for caregivers. To what degree to you favor or oppose offering a Social Adult Day Care program in Scituate?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Strongly favor	45%	41%	43%	31%
Favor	38%	42%	42%	40%
Neither favor nor oppose	16%	16%	14%	28%
Oppose	0%	1%	1%	1%
Strongly oppose	1%	0%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

## **Section VII: Demographics**

**Q34. Please select your gender**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Female	62%	61%	61%	61%
Male	38%	39%	39%	39%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q35. What is your age range?**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Age 45-59	100%	0%	0%	0%
Age 60-69	0%	43%	53%	0%
Age 70-79	0%	38%	47%	0%
Age 80+	0%	19%	0%	100%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

**Q36. Which of the following best describes your race/ethnicity? (Check all that apply)**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
White/Caucasian	95%	97%	96%	99%
Black/African American	0%	0%	0%	0%
Asian	0%	0%	0%	0%
Hispanic/Latino	2%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	2%	2%	1%

*Note: Participants could choose all options that apply, therefore totals by age category do not equal 100%.*

**Q37. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statement: "I have adequate resources to meet my financial needs, including home maintenance, personal healthcare, and other expenses."**

	<b>Boomers Age 45-59</b>	<b>Seniors Age 60+</b>	<b>Age 60-79</b>	<b>Age 80+</b>
Strongly agree	29%	28%	31%	17%
Agree	55%	55%	54%	61%
Disagree	6%	9%	8%	11%
Strongly disagree	4%	2%	2%	2%
Not sure	6%	6%	5%	9%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%