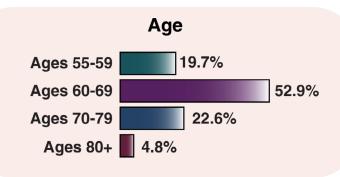


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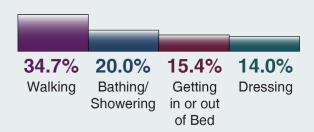
Falls

52.8% of Elders had one or more falls.

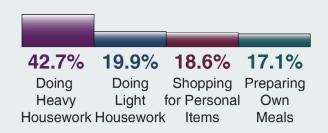
reported that they injured themselves seriously enough to need medical treatment in at least one of their falls.

Difficulties with:

Activities of Daily Living



Instrumental Activities of Daily Living



Most Commonly Reported Exercises



Vision and Hearing



38.3%

Had trouble seeing, even when wearing corrective lenses.

19.8%

Had trouble hearing, even when wearing a hearing aid.

Special Equipment

31.2%

of Elders reported having a health problem that required an assistive device such as a cane, wheelchair, special bed, or special phone.

Disability

39.8%

of Elders reported being disabled. Among them, 37.9% were disabled due to chronic disease; 35.5% due to accident/injury; 5.6% congenital; and 5.9% due to military service.