

## ***Oldest Counties (Median Age, Head of Household)***

Florida contains 16 of the 25 oldest counties in the U.S., including all of the top 12. Three Pennsylvania counties join the retirement havens on the list, a sign of the nation's ongoing migration away from former industrial centers.

<b>Rank</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>MSA</b>	<b>Median Age, Head of HH</b>
1	Charlotte, FL	Punta Gorda, FL	61.6
2	Citrus, FL	Homosassa Springs, FL	60.5
3	Hernando, FL	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	59.8
4	Sarasota, FL	Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice, FL	58.9
5	Indian River, FL	Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	57.6
6	Martin, FL	Port St. Lucie, FL	57.1
7	Marion, FL	Ocala, FL	56.3
8	Lake, FL	Orlando-Kissimmee, FL	55.9
9	Collier, FL	Naples-Marco Island, FL	55.7
10	Lee, FL	Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	55.5
11	Pasco, FL	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	55.1
12	Manatee, FL	Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice, FL	54.4
13	Mohave, AZ	Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	54.3
14	Ocean, NJ	New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA	54.0
15	Yavapai, AZ	Prescott, AZ	53.8
16	Barnstable, MA	Barnstable Town, MA	53.6
17	St. Lucie, FL	Port St. Lucie, FL	53.5
18	Volusia, FL	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	53.2
19	Palm Beach, FL	Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach, FL	53.0
20	Sussex, DE	Seaford, DE	52.7
21	Pinal, AZ	Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	52.7
22	Cambria, PA	Johnstown, PA	52.4
23	Pinellas, FL	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	52.2
24	Schuylkill, PA	Pottsville, PA	52.1
25	Luzerne, PA	Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	51.8

\*Only counties with at least 50,000 households in 2009 are included

*Demographics as of June 2009*

## ***Youngest Counties (Median Age, Head of Household)***

The list of youngest counties is dominated by those containing college towns and military bases, but it is also marked by exurban communities in the Atlanta and Dallas metros.

<b>Rank</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>MSA</b>	<b>Median Age, Head of HH</b>
1	Brazos, TX	College Station-Bryan, TX	36.0
2	Lee, AL	Auburn-Opelika, AL	40.6
3	Travis, TX	Austin-Round Rock, TX	41.0
4	Utah, UT	Provo-Orem, UT	41.0
5	Johnson, IA	Iowa City, IA	41.2
6	Douglas, KS	Lawrence, KS	41.3
7	Denton, TX	Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	41.6
8	Onslow, NC	Jacksonville, NC	41.7
9	Tippecanoe, IN	Lafayette, IN	41.8
10	Monroe, IN	Bloomington, IN	41.9
11	Arlington, VA	Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	42.2
12	Montgomery, TN	Clarksville, TN-KY	42.2
13	Collin, TX	Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	42.2
14	Alexandria city, VA	Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	42.4
15	Boone, MO	Columbia, MO	42.4
16	Bell, TX	Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	42.5
17	Champaign, IL	Champaign-Urbana, IL	42.5
18	Cass, ND	Fargo, ND-MN	42.5
19	Clayton, GA	Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	42.6
20	Leon, FL	Tallahassee, FL	42.6
21	Wake, NC	Raleigh-Cary, NC	42.9
22	Loudoun, VA	Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	42.9
23	Gwinnett, GA	Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	43.0
24	Alachua, FL	Gainesville, FL	43.0
25	Rutherford, TN	Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	43.0

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