

# Summary of Results



**330**

COMPLETED SURVEYS\*

**81.1%**

RESPONSE RATE

**2,713**

POPULATION ESTIMATE

\*On reservation sample. Totals do not include blank surveys; reported percentages were calculated based on total responses for each question. Not all respondents answered every question.

**960**

LCO residents' information was collected in the survey

**69.8%**

are enrolled members of the tribe

**83.1%**

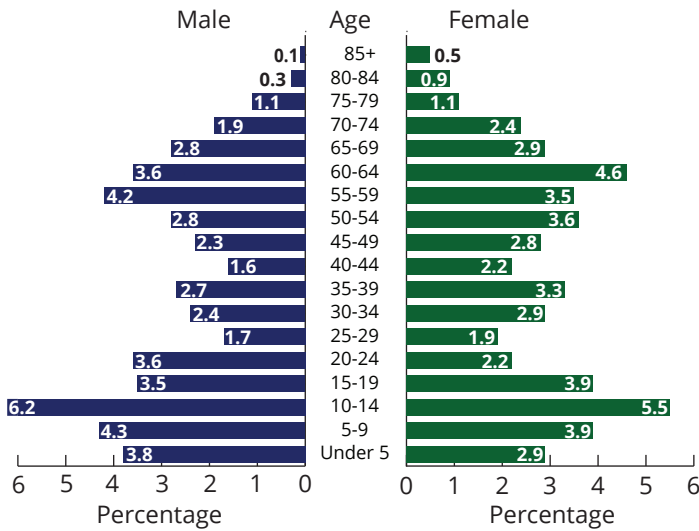
are American Indian or Alaska Native

**10.2%**

are veterans

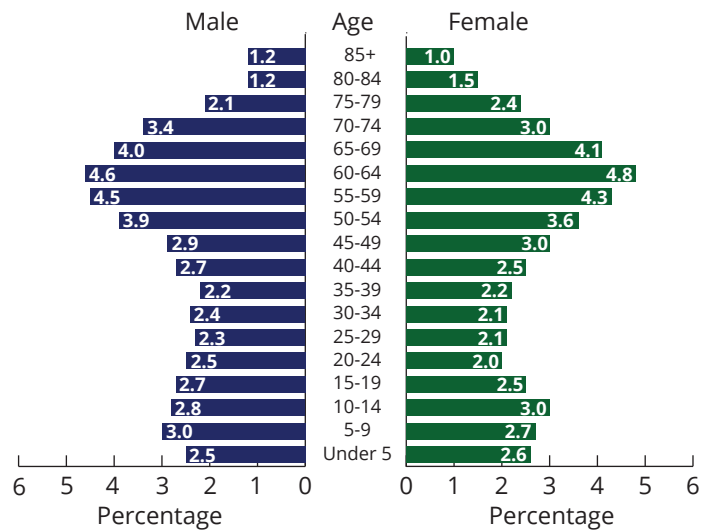
## Population in Surveyed Households

LCO Community Assessment, 2019



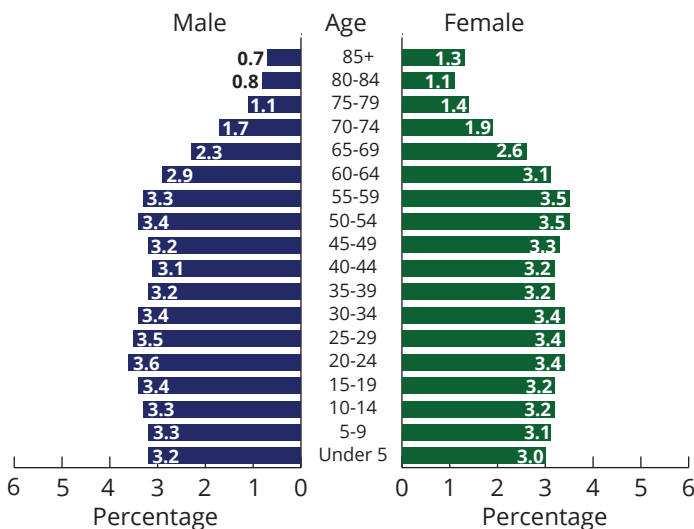
## Sawyer County Population

ACS 2017



## US Population

ACS 2017



**36.6**

was the average age of the surveyed population

**51.0%**

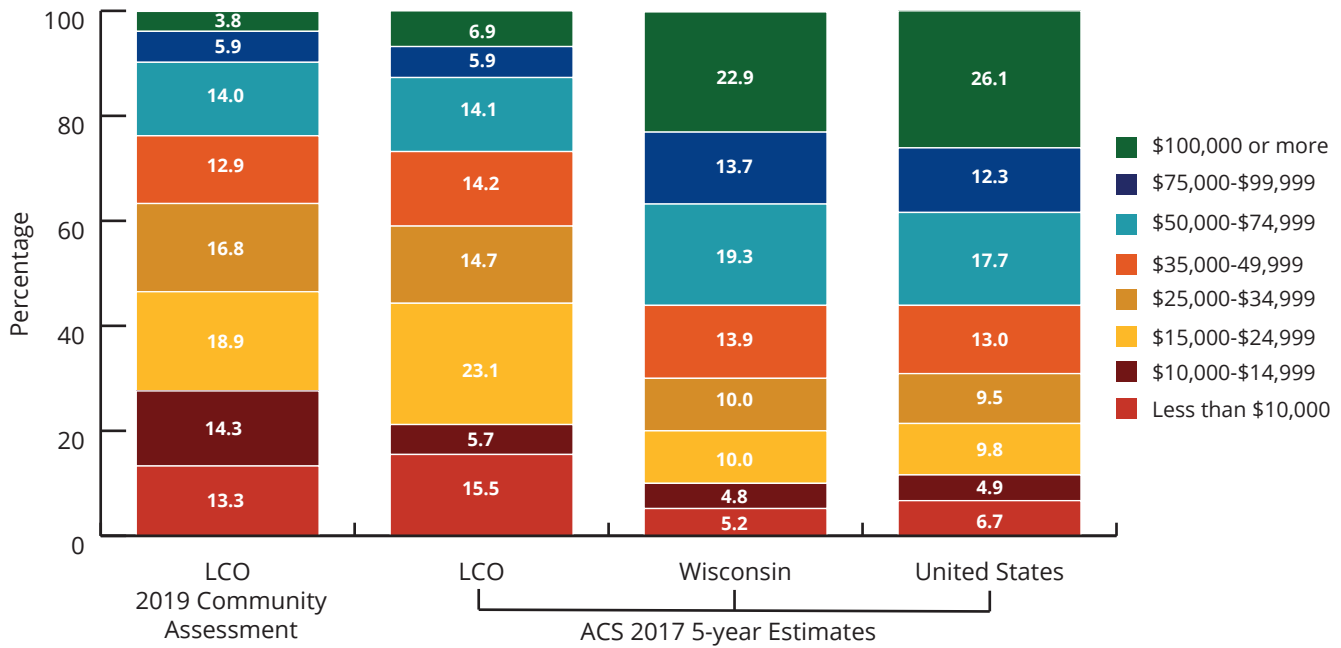
of individuals in surveyed households were female

**31.3%**

of individuals in surveyed households were children (under 18 years of age)

# INCOME

## Household Income Comparison



**27.3%**

of households were **below the Federal Poverty level**

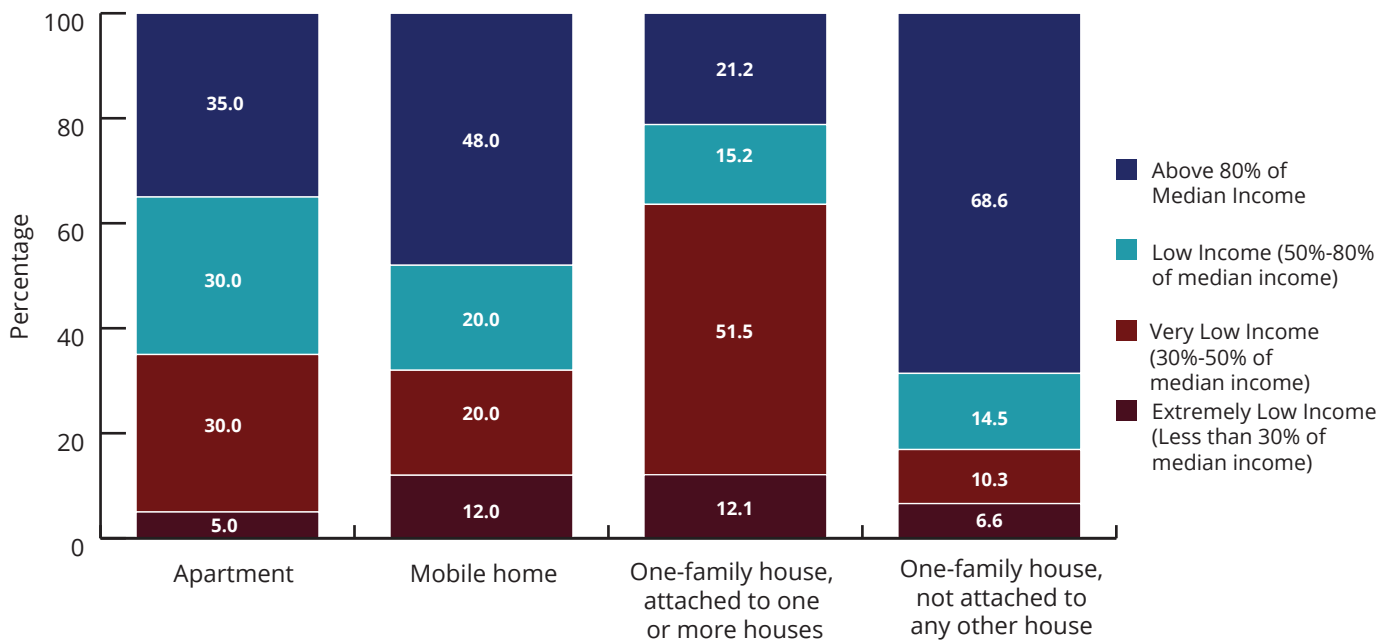
**39.8%**

of households with a child were **below the Federal Poverty level**

### Household Income

**MEAN:** \$34,304  
**MEDIAN:** \$26,000  
**RANGE:** \$0 – \$200,000

## Housing Type by Household Income



# EMPLOYMENT

## JOB STATUS\*

Permanent Full-Time	243 (37.6%)
Permanent Part-Time	37 (5.7%)
Temporary Full-Time	7 (1.1%)
Temporary Part-Time	19 (2.9%)
Seasonal Full-time	15 (2.3%)
Seasonal Part-time	22 (3.4%)
Self-Employed	25 (3.9%)
Student	21 (3.2%)
Stay-At-Home Caregiver (Unpaid)	12 (1.9%)
Unemployed	125 (19.3%)
Retired	109 (16.8%)
Disabled	43 (6.6%)

\*Multiple-answer question. Percentages add up to more than 100%.

# 61.4%

of unemployed adults **did not look for work** in the past month

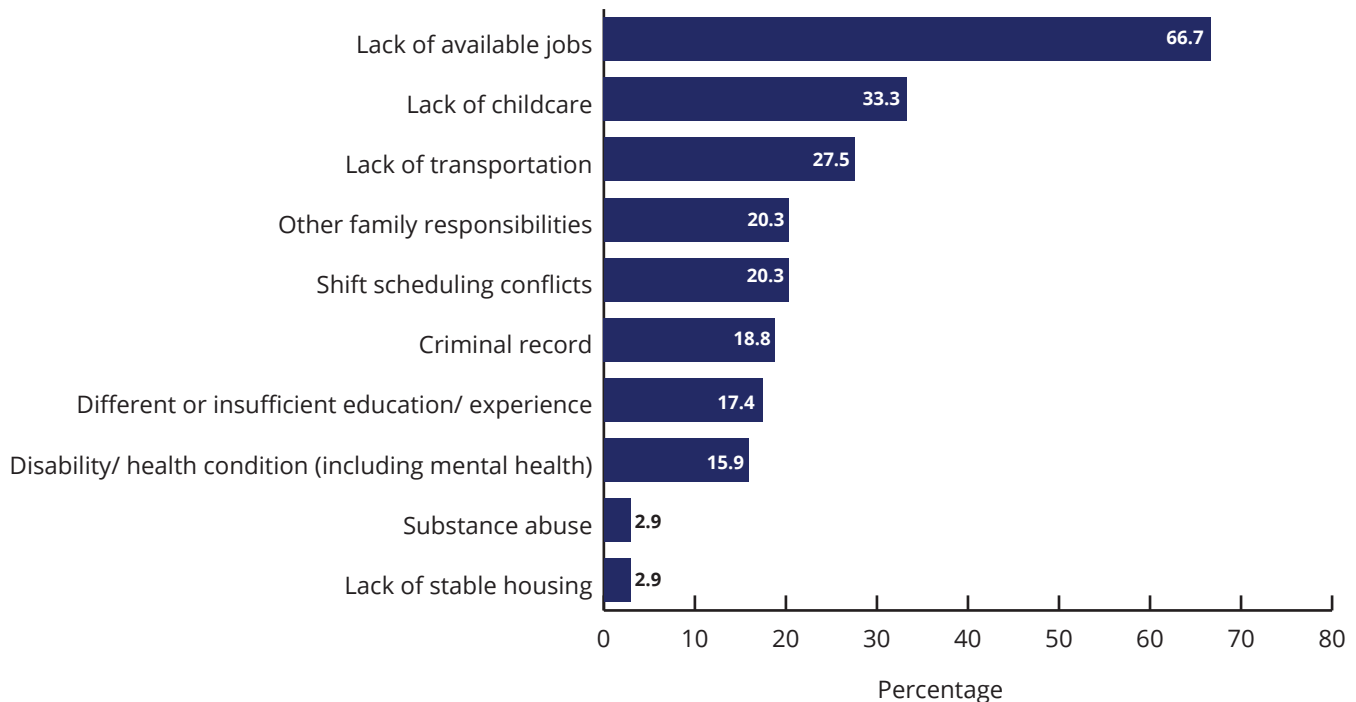
# 28.0%

of elders **worked permanent full-time or part-time jobs**

# 27.8%

of households reported an interest in receiving **training for skilled labor** (e.g., carpentry, ironwork, masonry, etc.)

## Reported Barriers to New Employment



Total responses | 69  
 This question was asked to households with members seeking new or different employment.  
 Multiple-answer question. Percentages add up to more than 100%.  
 \*Denotes a response that was not an original answer choice.

# HOUSING

## Current Housing Status Adults

	RESPONSES
RENT:	250 (38.4%)
OWN:	168 (25.8%)
LIVE WITH FAMILY/FRIENDS PERMANENTLY: (NO PAYMENT)	91 (14.0%)
LIVE WITH FAMILY/FRIEND TEMPORARILY: (NO PAYMENT)	59 (9.1%)
RENT WITH FAMILY/FRIENDS:	45 (6.9%)
OWN WITH FAMILY/FRIENDS:	36 (5.5%)
UNHOUSED:	2 (0.3%)

## Current Housing Status Children

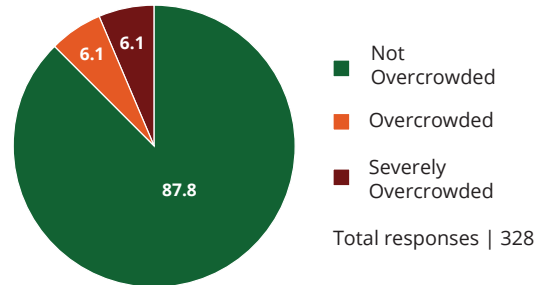
	RESPONSES
LIVE WITH IMMEDIATE FAMILY OR RELATIVES: (PERMANENTLY)	267 (90.2%)
LIVE WITH IMMEDIATE FAMILY OR RELATIVES: (TEMPORARILY)	18 (6.1%)
LIVE WITH AN UNRELATED CAREGIVER: (TEMPORARILY)	7 (2.4%)
LIVE WITH UNRELATED CAREGIVER: (PERMANENTLY)	4 (1.4%)

## Total Number of People in Current Unit

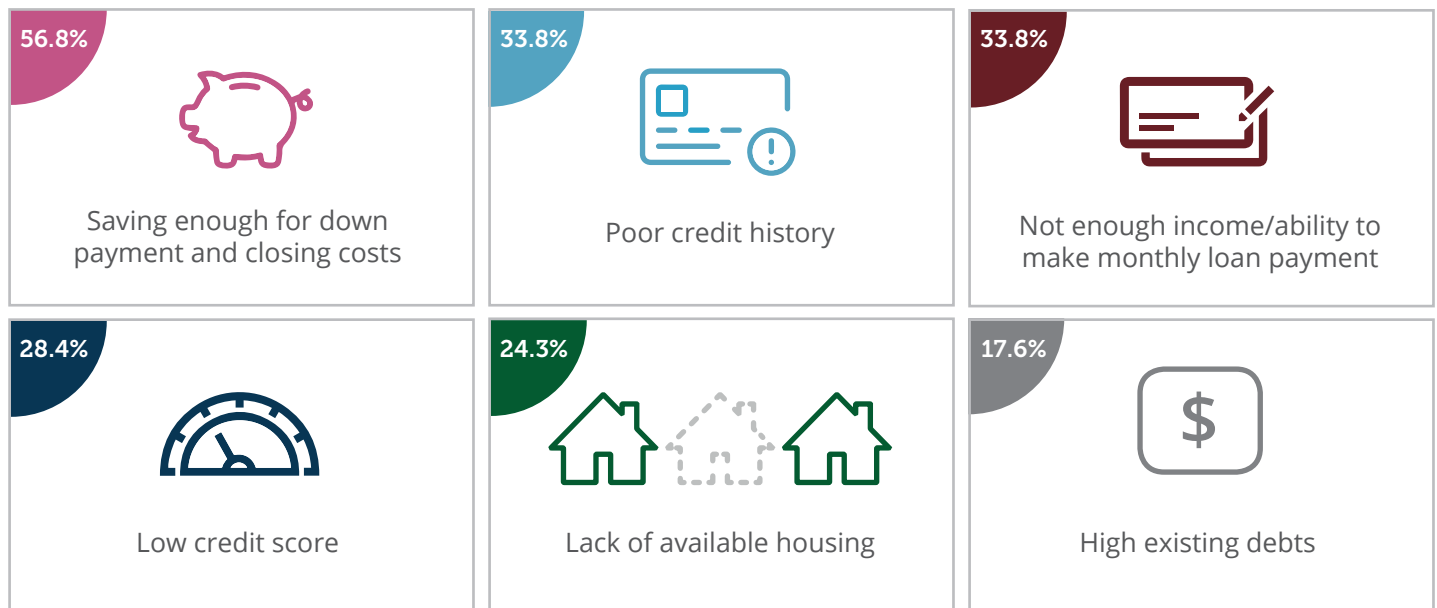
<b>AVERAGE:</b>	2.92 PEOPLE
<b>MEDIAN:</b>	2 PEOPLE
<b>RANGE:</b>	1 – 12 PEOPLE
<b>ACS REPORTED AVG:</b>	2.36 PEOPLE

## Overcrowding Rate in Sampled Households

An overcrowded household has more than 1 person per room; severely overcrowded households have more than 1.5 persons per room.



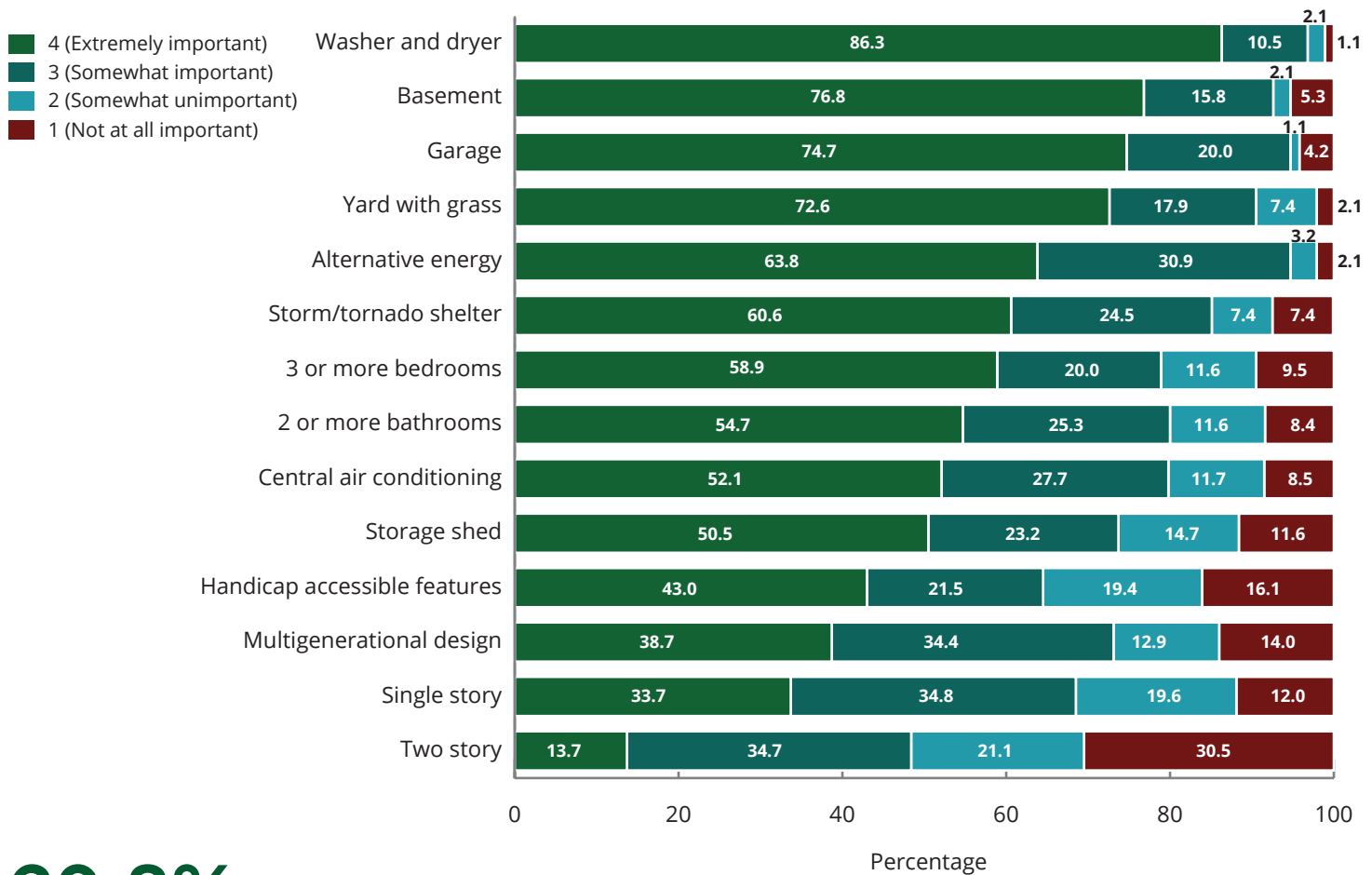
## Biggest Barriers to Homeownership (Respondent could choose up to 3)\*



\*Multiple-answer question. Percentages add up to more than 100%.

# HOUSING

## Importance of Housing Features



**29.8%**

of households are **interested in buying** or renting-to-own a new home

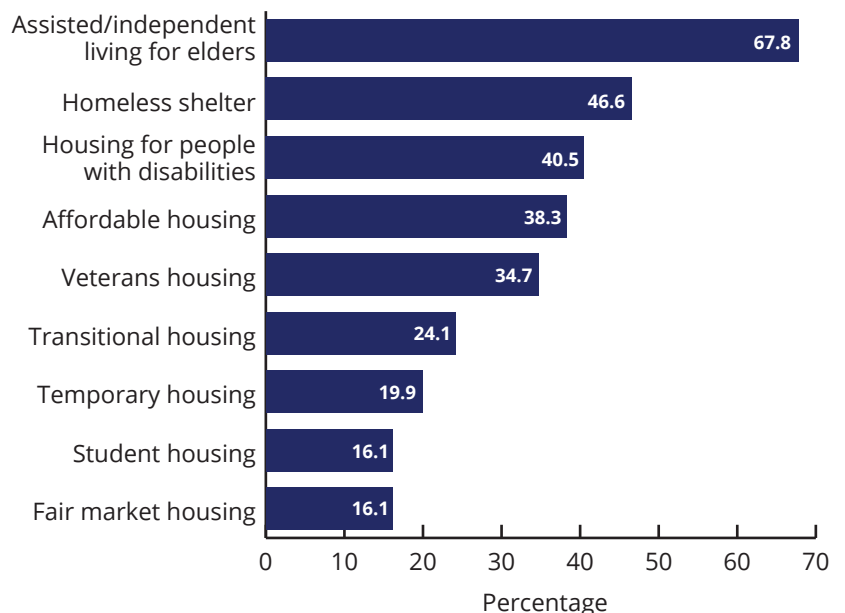
**485**

estimated **additional housing units are needed** on the LCO reservation if every individual, couple, or family unit who wanted to live in their own housing unit could live separately

## Most Popular Neighborhoods for A New Housing Unit

	RESPONSES
Northwoods Beach	38 (14.8%)
New Post	32 (12.5%)
Akikaandag	28 (10.9%)
Gurno Lake	25 (9.8%)
Reserve	25 (9.8%)

## Housing Most Needed to Serve LCO Community



Total responses | 311  
Multiple-answer question. Percentages add up to more than 100%.  
\*Denotes a response that was not an original answer choice.

# EDUCATION

## HIGHEST EDUCATION ATTAINED BY ADULTS (AGE 25+)

Below 9th Grade	8 (1.2%)
9th-12th Grade (No High School Diploma)	87 (13.5%)
High School Diploma	195 (30.2%)
GED/HSED	51 (7.9%)
Technical College/Certification	37 (5.7%)
Some College (No Degree)	109 (16.9%)
Associate's Degree	70 (10.8%)
Bachelor's Degree	55 (8.5%)
Graduate or Professional Degree	26 (4.0%)
Doctorate	8 (1.2%)

**37.6%**

of households have one or more adults **interested in pursuing additional education**

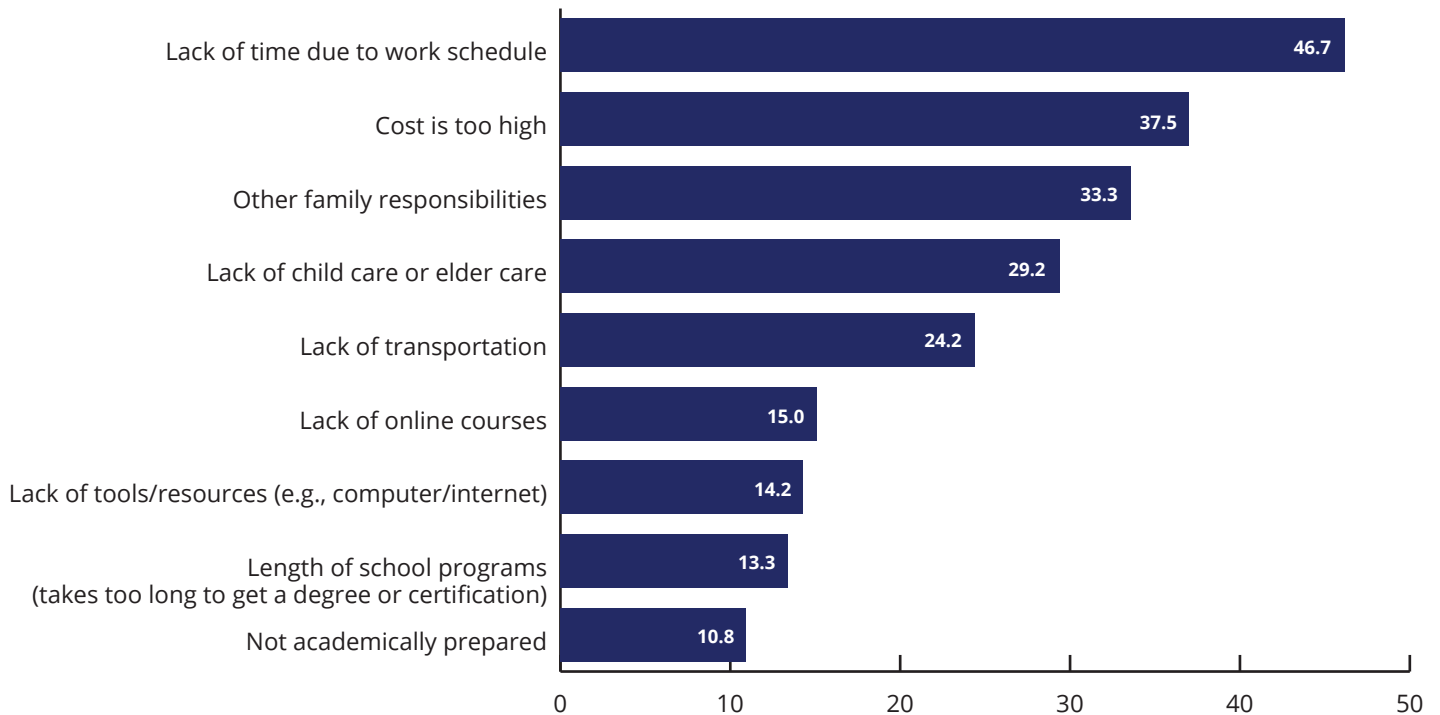
**28.2%**

of households have one or more individuals (adult or child) who **dropped out of school**

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dropped out of school to **take care of children** or other family members

## Reported Barriers to Completing Education



Total responses | 120

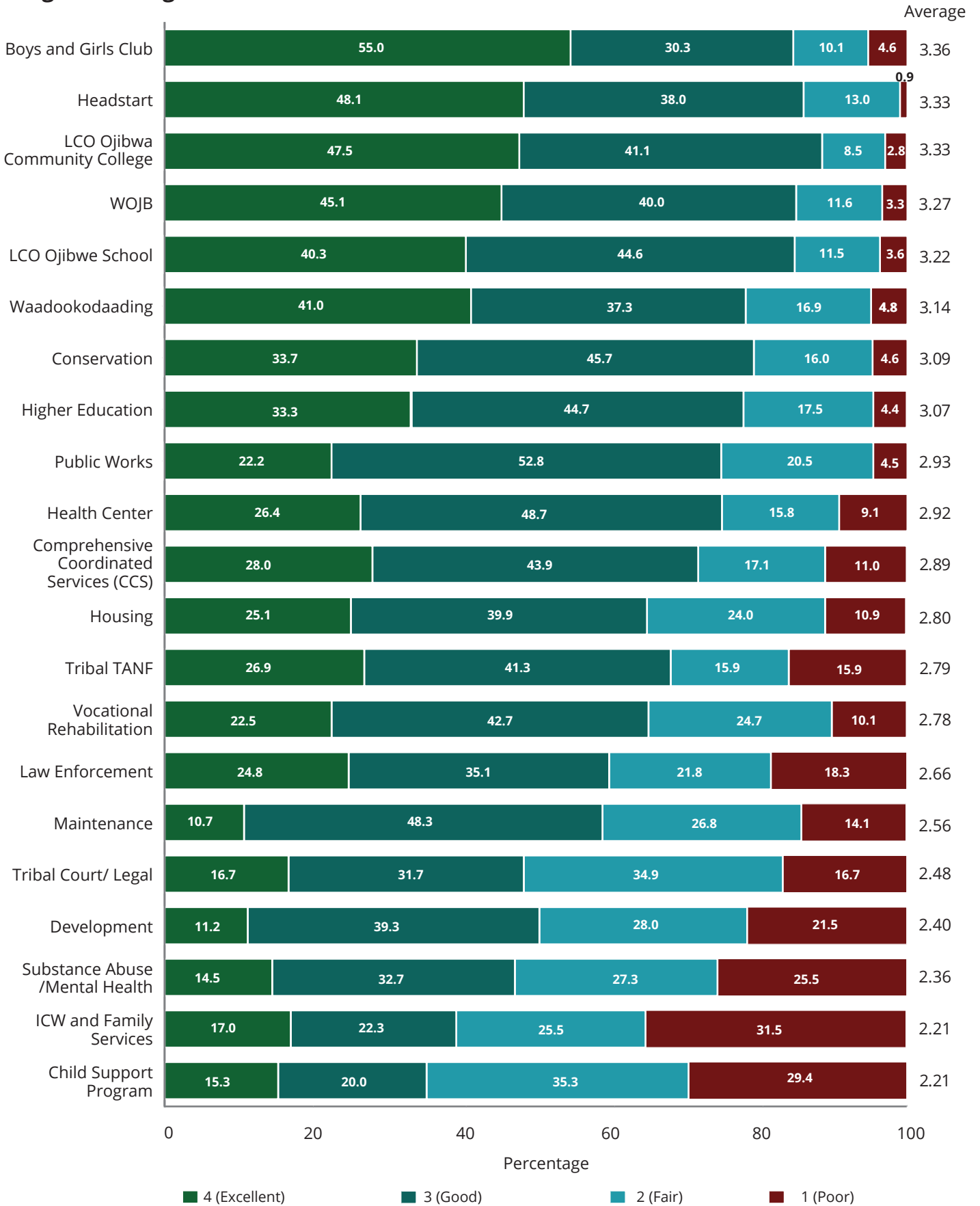
This question was asked to households with members interested in further education. Multiple-answer question. Percentages add up to more than 100%.

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Percentage

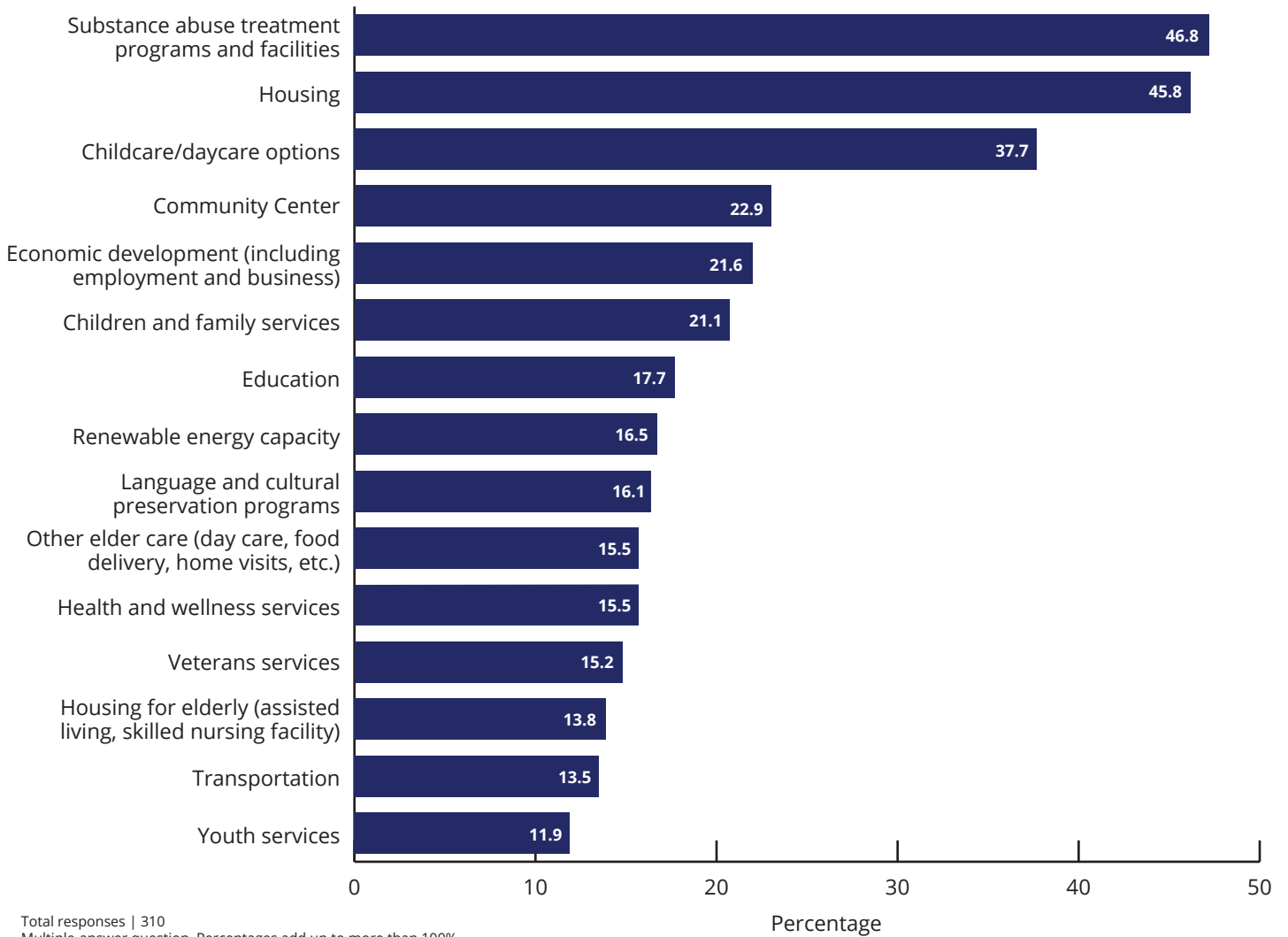
# PROGRAMS

## Program Ratings

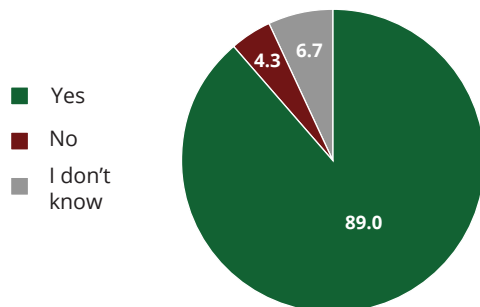


# TRIBE PRIORITIES

## Top Priorities for the LCO Tribe

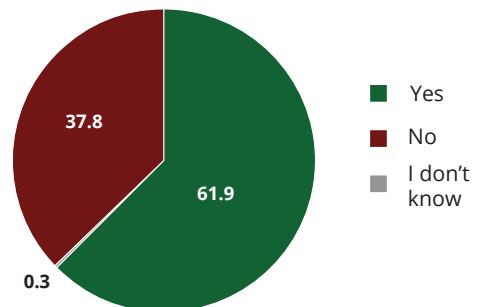


## Should LCO Have Its Own AODA Facility?



Total responses | 326

## Does any Member of this Household Hunt, Fish, or Gather?

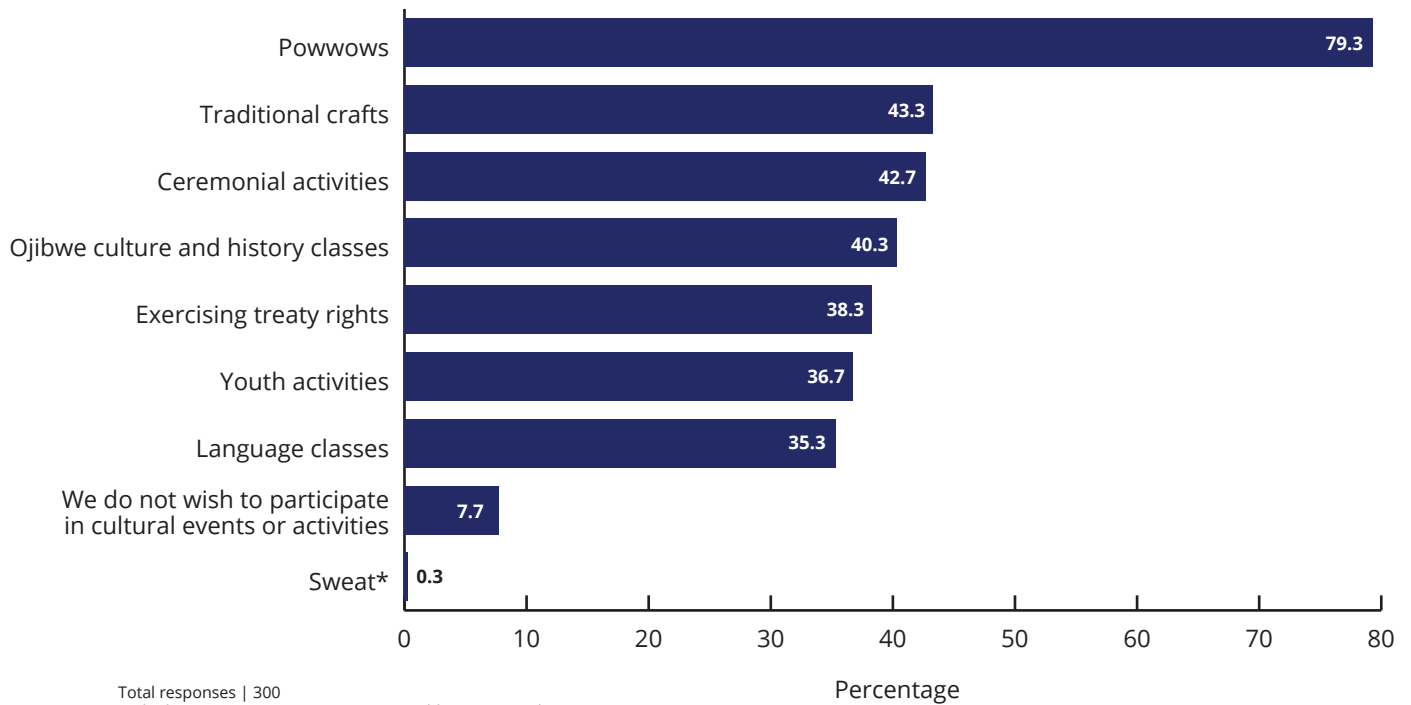


Total responses | 323



# LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

## Interest In Cultural Activities



## Ojibwe Speaking Ability by Age

