## Seniors & Services Fact Sheet

## People & Place:

In Humboldt County there are... 47,076 people over 50 17,725 people over 60 5,014 people over 80

Most of these people live in one of 36 communities.

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<u>Age-Friendly</u>: An age-friendly community is accessible to and supportive of people of all ages.

Age-in-place: Aging in place refers to people growing old in their own homes or communities of their choosing, as opposed to aging in institutional living facilities.

<u>Baby-Boomer</u>: The baby-boomer generation is the large age-cohort born after WWII. It includes those born from 1946 to 1964.

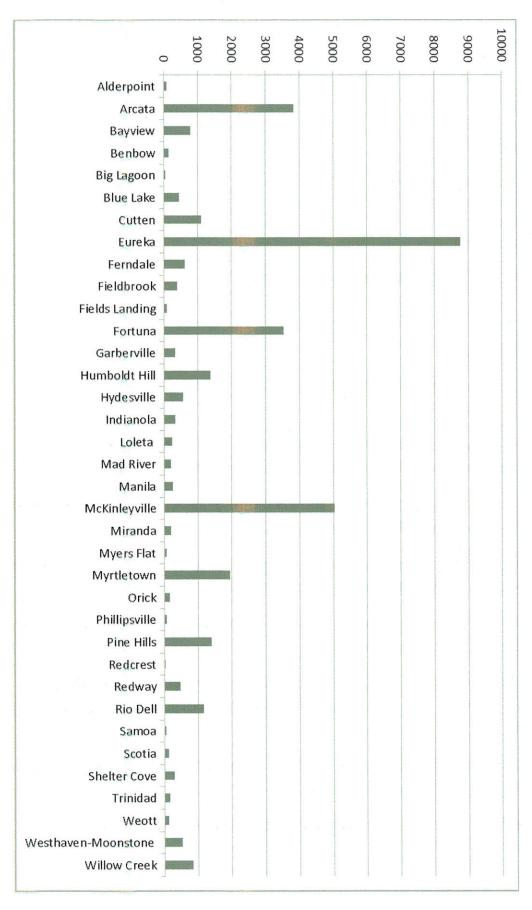
<u>Census Designated Place (CDP)</u>: A census designated place is a community which can be defined geographically and by name by locals, but has no legal delineation.

<u>City</u>: An incorporated city or municipality is an official government unit with a mayor, city council, and planning commission.

<u>Community Service District (CSD)</u>: A community service district is a legally and spatially defined area within which specified public services such as sewer, water or fire are provided.

<u>Geographic Information System (GIS)</u>: GIS is a computerized system for capturing, analyzing and mapping spatial information.

Senior: The Older American's Act defines those 60 and over as seniors



## People Over 50 in Humboldt County