

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—AGE

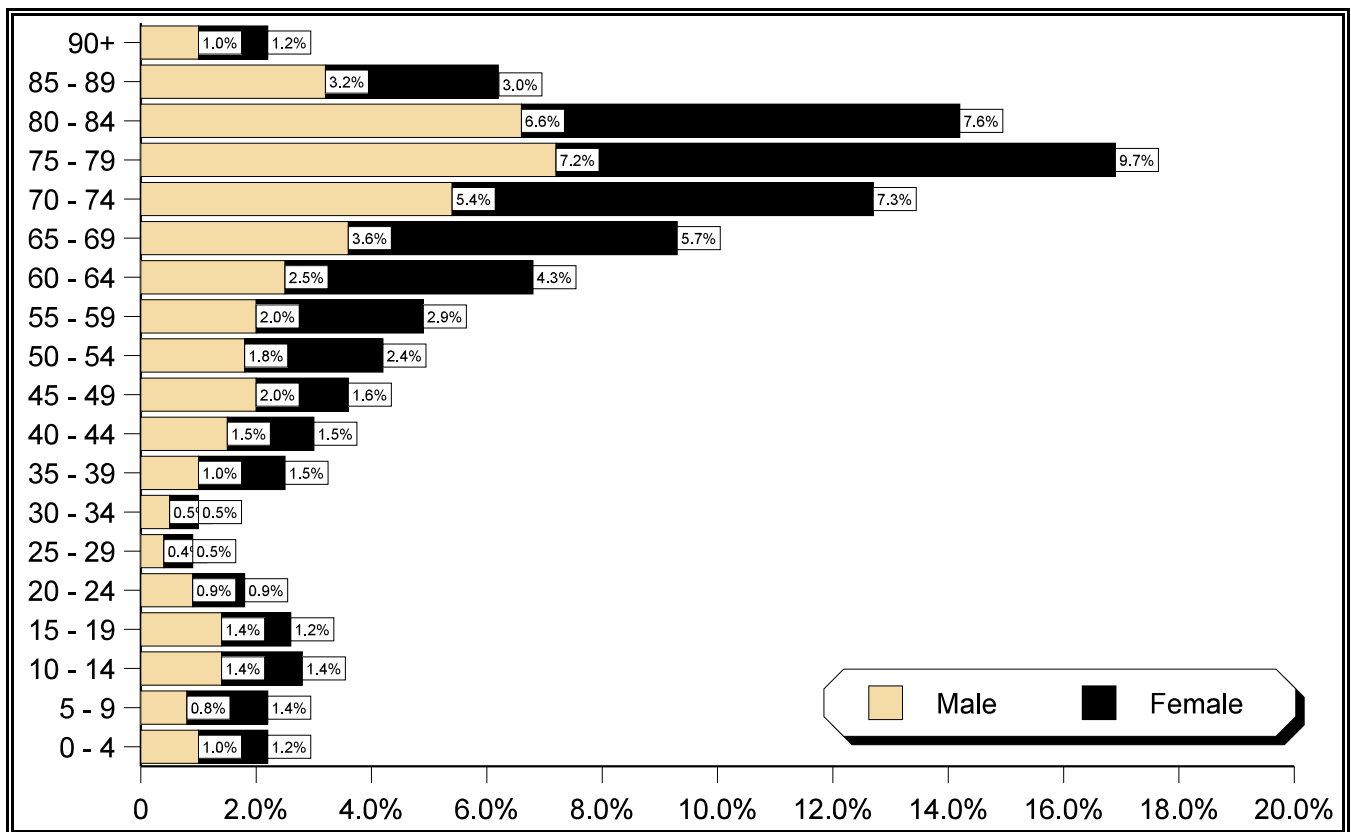
**T**he age and sex distribution of a population is among the most important demographic indicators. It is a major determinant of the types of programs a Jewish community must offer. Age is related to everything from levels of religious observance to synagogue membership and levels of philanthropy.

### Children

▣ The 9% of persons age 0-17 in Jewish households in South Palm Beach is the lowest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 18% in Miami, 15% in Broward, and 9% in West Palm Beach. The 9% compares to 6% in 1995. The 9% compares to 20% nationally, 22% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) of Palm Beach County as of 2003, and 26% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

▣ 3,556 children age 0-5 live in Jewish households (of whom 92% (3,272 children) are being raised Jewish), as do 4,650 children age 6-12 (of whom 93% (4,319 children) are being raised Jewish) and 3,693 children age 13-17 (of whom 92% (3,403 children) are being raised Jewish). An average of 593 children are born each year to persons in Jewish households in South Palm Beach, of whom 546 children will be raised Jewish.

▣ The 10,994 Jewish children age 0-17 is about average among about 45 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 30,000 children in Broward, 19,765 children in Miami, and 7,908 children in West Palm Beach. The number of Jewish children age 0-17 increased by 103% from 5,412 children in 1995.



**Age Distribution of Persons in Jewish Households**

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**TABLE 4: AGE AND SEX DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

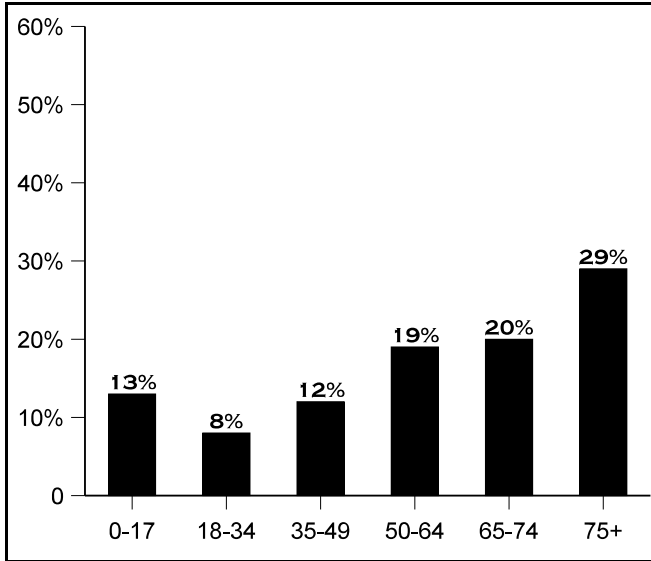
Age Group	Percentage			Number		
	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
0 - 5	1.1%	1.5%	2.6%	1,504	2,051	3,556
6 - 12	1.6	1.8	3.4	2,188	2,462	4,650
13 - 17	1.3	1.4	2.7	1,778	1,915	3,693
18 - 24	1.4	1.4	2.8	1,915	1,915	3,829
25 - 34	0.9	1.0	1.9	1,231	1,368	2,599
35 - 44	2.5	3.0	5.5	3,419	4,103	7,522
45 - 54	3.8	4.0	7.8	5,197	5,471	10,668
55 - 64	4.5	7.2	11.7	6,154	9,847	16,002
65 - 74	9.0	13.0	22.0	12,309	17,780	30,089
75 - 84	13.8	17.3	31.1	18,874	23,661	42,534
85 and over	4.2	4.2	8.4	5,744	5,744	11,488
<b>Total</b>	<b>44.1%</b>	<b>55.9%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>60,314</b>	<b>76,452</b>	<b>136,766</b>
<b>CUMULATIVE AGE CATEGORIES</b>						
0 - 17	4.0%	4.7%	8.7%	5,470	6,428	11,899
18 and over	40.1%	51.2%	91.3%	54,844	70,024	124,867
18 - 34	2.3%	2.4%	4.7%	3,146	3,283	6,428
35 - 49	4.5%	4.6%	9.1%	6,154	6,290	12,446
50 - 64	6.3%	9.6%	15.9%	8,616	13,129	21,746
65 and over	27.0%	34.5%	61.5%	36,927	47,185	84,111
75 and over	18.0%	21.5%	39.5%	24,618	29,405	54,022
Median Age <sup>1</sup>	71.1	70.7	70.9	<sup>1</sup> Median age in years.		

### Elderly

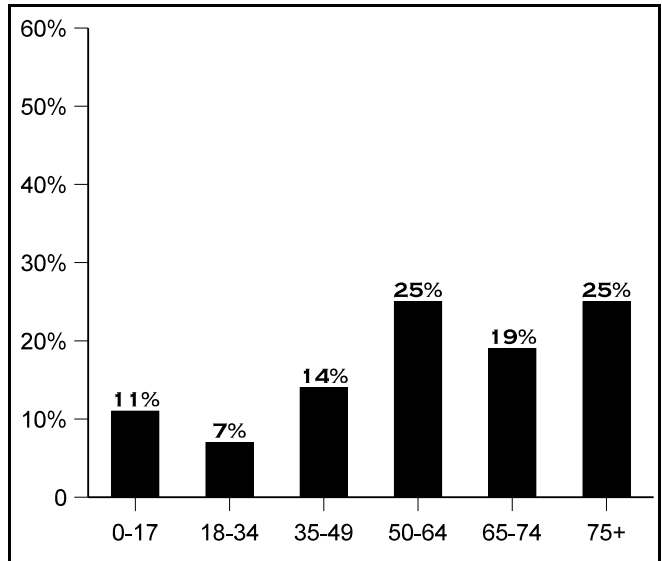
▣ The 62% of persons age 65 and over in Jewish households is the highest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 57% in West Palm Beach, 46% in Broward, and 30% in Miami. The 62% compares to 69% in 1995. The 62% compares to 16% nationally, 22% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) of Palm Beach County as of 2003, and 12% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

▣ The 84,111 persons age 65 and over in Jewish households is the third highest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 123,471 persons in Broward, 78,391 persons in West Palm Beach, and 36,754 persons in Miami. The 84,111 persons age 65 and over compares to 79,265 persons in 1995.

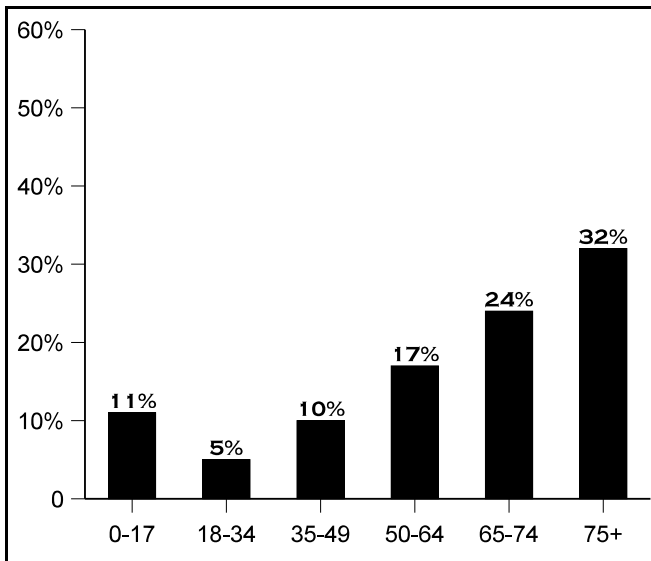
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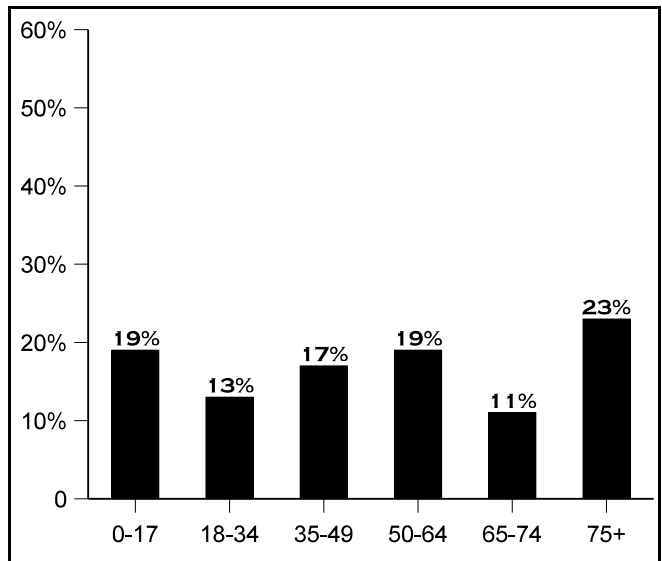
**Boca Raton**  
(Median Age = 64 years)



**East Boca**  
(Median Age = 61 years)



**Central Boca**  
(Median Age = 68 years)

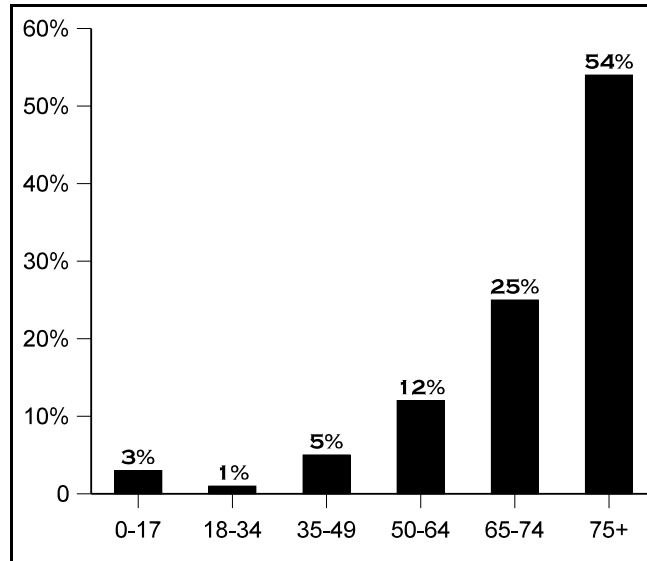


**West Boca**  
(Median Age = 52 years)

### AGE DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA

▣ The 40% of persons age 75 and over in Jewish households is the highest of about 45 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 32% in West Palm Beach, 29% in Broward, and 18% in Miami. The 40% compares to 29% in 1995. The 40% compares to 8% nationally and 6% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

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**Delray Beach**  
(Median Age = 76 years)

### AGE DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA – CONTINUED

**TABLE 5**  
**CHANGES IN THE AGE DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**  
**BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA, 1995-2005**

Geo- graphic Area	0-17		18-34		35-49		50-64		65 and Over		75 and Over	
	1995	2005	1995	2005	1995	2005	1995	2005	1995	2005	1995	2005
East Boca	9.3%	10.5%	15.8%	7.4%	13.5%	13.8%	25.0%	25.0%	36.4%	43.4%	14.9%	24.9%
Central Boca	9.2%	11.0%	5.8%	5.2%	10.4%	10.1%	14.3%	17.4%	60.3%	56.3%	24.5%	32.1%
West Boca	13.9%	18.6%	10.0%	12.5%	19.4%	16.8%	16.2%	18.5%	40.5%	33.7%	13.4%	22.7%
Boca Raton	10.2%	12.9%	8.4%	7.5%	13.0%	12.3%	16.4%	19.0%	52.0%	48.4%	20.5%	28.5%
Delray Beach	0.2%	3.4%	1.6%	1.1%	2.5%	4.9%	9.5%	12.1%	86.2%	78.4%	38.0%	53.6%
All	5.5%	8.7%	5.1%	4.7%	7.9%	9.1%	12.9%	15.9%	68.6%	61.5%	28.9%	39.5%

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### Changes in Age Distribution, 1995-2005

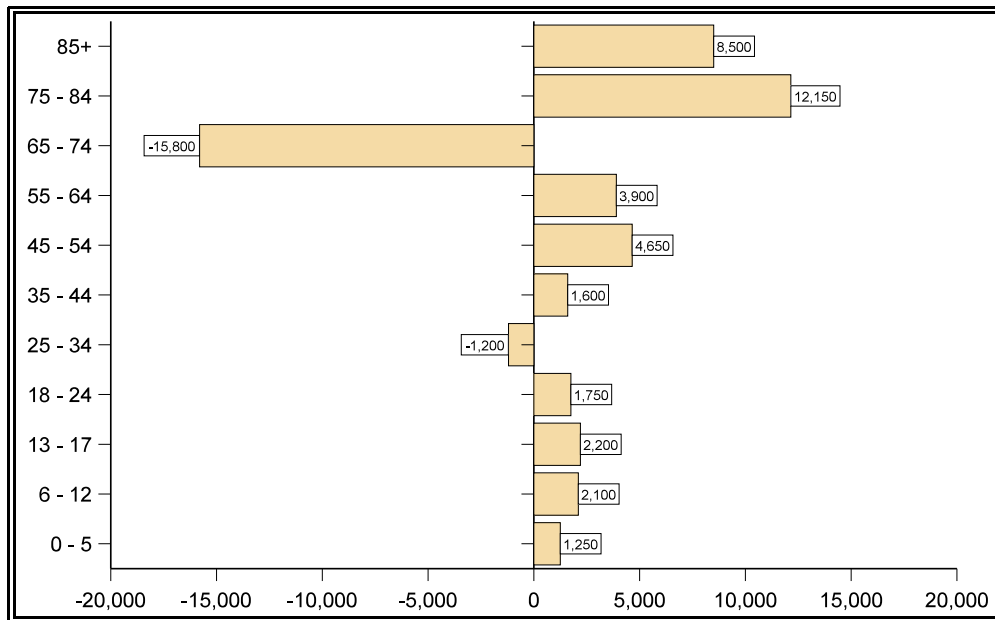
▣ In East Boca, the percentage of persons age 18-34 in Jewish households decreased from 16% in 1995 to 7% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 65 and over increased from 36% in 1995 to 43% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 75 and over increased from 15% in 1995 to 25% in 2005.

▣ In Central Boca, the percentage of persons age 75 and over in Jewish households increased from 25% in 1995 to 32% in 2005.

▣ In West Boca, the percentage of persons age 0-17 in Jewish households increased from 14% in 1995 to 19% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 65 and over decreased from 41% in 1995 to 34% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 75 and over increased from 13% in 1995 to 23% in 2005.

▣ In Boca Raton, the percentage of persons age 65 and over in Jewish households decreased from 52% in 1995 to 48% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 75 and over increased from 21% in 1995 to 29% in 2005.

▣ In Delray Beach, the percentage of persons age 65 and over in Jewish households decreased from 86% in 1995 to 78% in 2005. The percentage of persons age 75 and over increased from 38% in 1995 to 54% in 2005.



**Increases/Decreases in Number of Persons in Jewish Households  
1995-2005**

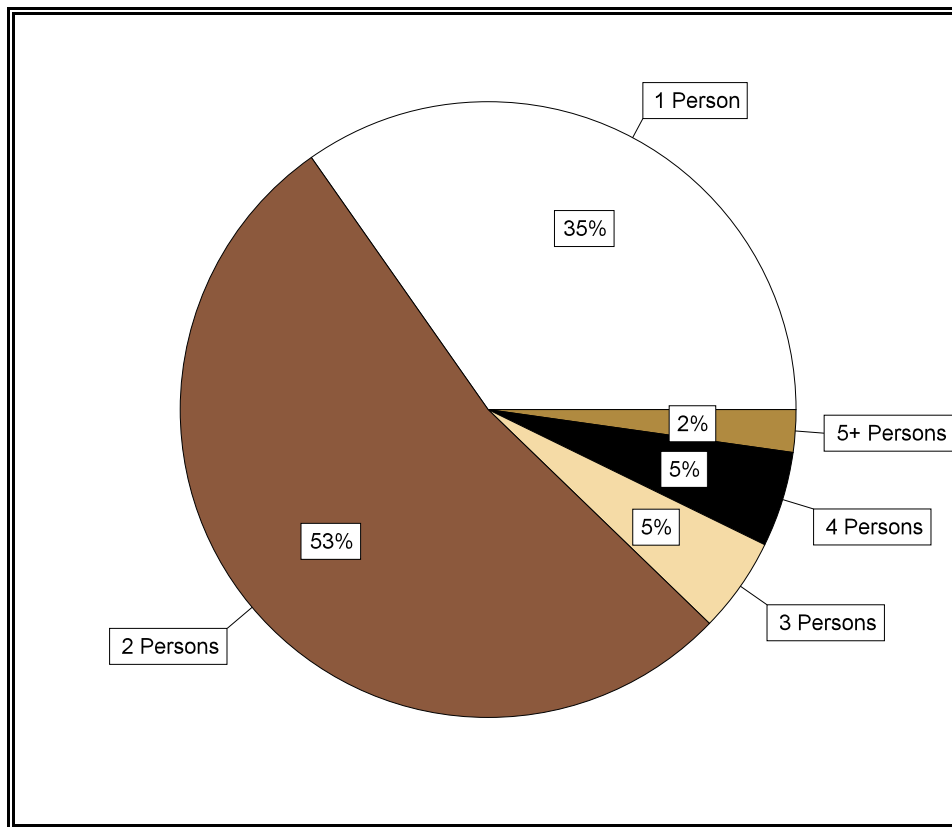
▣ While only 9% of all persons age 0-19 in Palm Beach County as a whole live in Jewish households, more than two-thirds of all persons in Palm Beach County age 65 and over live in Jewish households.

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD SIZE

The average household size of Jewish households in South Palm Beach is 1.87 persons. The 1.87 is the lowest of about 55 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 2.25 in Miami, 2.02 in Broward, and 1.99 in West Palm Beach. The 1.87 compares to 1.89 in 1995. The 1.87 compares to 2.31 nationally, 2.45 for all households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) in Palm Beach County as of 2003, and 2.61 for all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

▣ The 35% of one-person households (*single person households*) is the second highest of about 45 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 35% in Broward, 32% in Miami, and 25% in West Palm Beach. The 35% compares to 26% in 1995. The 35% compares to 30% nationally, 31% of all households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) in Palm Beach County as of 2003, and 27% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

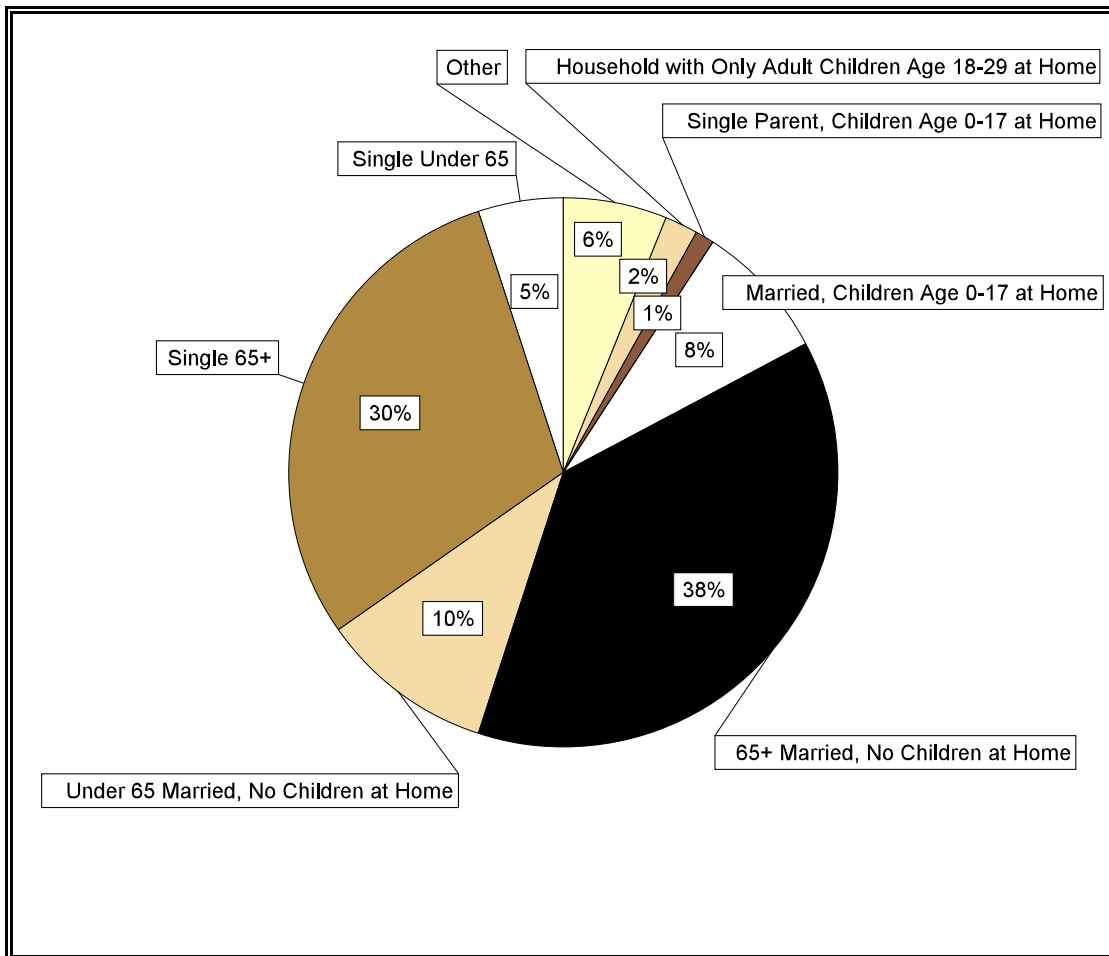
▣ The 7% of households with four or more persons is the lowest of about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 17% in Miami, 12% in Broward, and 7% in West Palm Beach. The 7% compares to 4% in 1995. The 7% compares to 19% nationally, 19% of all households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) in Palm Beach County as of 2000, and 25% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2000.



Household Size

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

**T**he household structure of Jewish households in South Palm Beach is determined by a combination of age, sex, marital status, and the relationships between persons in the household.



**Household Structure**

### Households with Children

▣ The 8% of married households with children age 0-17 at home is the lowest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 19% in Miami, 14% in Broward, and 9% in West Palm Beach. The 8% compares to 6% in 1995. The 8% compares to 19% nationally and 24% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2000.

▣ The 1% of single parent households with children age 0-17 at home is about average among about 45 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 2% in both Miami and Broward and 1% in West Palm Beach. The 1% compares to 1% in 1995. The 1% compares to 3% nationally and 8% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2000.

# DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

**TABLE 6  
HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE**

Household Structure	Percentage	Number
<b>HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN AGE 0-17 AT HOME</b>		
Married	7.6%	5,548
Unmarried	0.1	73
Single Parent	1.4	1,022
■ <b>Total Households with Children Age 0-17 at Home</b>	9.1%	6,643
<b>HOUSEHOLDS WITH ONLY ADULT CHILDREN AGE 18-29 AT HOME</b>		
Married	1.6%	1,168
Unmarried	0.1	73
Single Parent	0.5	365
■ <b>Total Households with Only Adult Children Age 18-29 at Home</b>	2.2%	1,606
<b>MARRIED HOUSEHOLDS—NO CHILDREN AT HOME</b>		
Under Age 35	0.1%	73
Age 35 - 49	0.7	511
Age 50 - 64	8.7	6,351
□ <b>Total Non-Elderly Couple Households</b>	9.5%	6,935
Age 65 - 74	16.2%	11,826
Age 75 and over	22.1	16,133
□ <b>Total Elderly Couple Households</b>	38.3%	27,959
■ <b>Total Married Households—No Children at Home</b>	47.8%	34,894
<b>SINGLE PERSON HOUSEHOLDS</b>		
Male under Age 65	2.2%	1,606
Female under Age 65	2.7	1,971
□ <b>Total Non-Elderly Single Households</b>	4.9%	3,577

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Household Structure	Percentage	Number
Male Age 65 - 74	1.8%	1,314
Female Age 65 - 74	5.4	3,942
Male Age 75 and over	4.1	2,993
Female Age 75 and over	18.5	13,505
□ <b>Total Elderly Single Households</b>	29.8%	21,754
■ <b>Total Single Person Households</b>	34.7%	25,331
<b>OTHER HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURES</b>		
Unmarried Couple	2.6%	1,898
Roommate/Friend	0.6	438
Household with Only Adult Children Age 30 and over	2.3	1,679
Other	0.7	511
■ <b>Total Other Household Structures</b>	6.2%	4,526
<b>Grand Total</b>	100.0%	73,000

### **Married Households—No Children at Home**

▣ The 48% of married households with no children at home is the fourth highest of about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 54% in West Palm Beach, 38% in Broward, and 31% in Miami. The 48% compares to 63% in 1995. The 48% compares to 26% nationally and 30% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2000.

▣ The 0% of married households under age 35 with no children at home is about average among about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 2% in Miami and 1% in both West Palm Beach and Broward. The 0% compares to 1% in 1995.

▣ The 9% of married households age 35-64 with no children at home is the lowest of about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 13% in West Palm Beach, 10% in Miami, and 9% in Broward. The 9% compares to 11% in 1995.

▣ The 38% of married households age 65 and over with no children at home is the third highest of about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 41% in West Palm Beach, 28% in Broward, and 19% in Miami. The 38% compares to 51% in 1995.

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE

### Single Person Households

▣ The 5% of single person households under age 65 is the second lowest of about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 11% in Miami, 6% in Broward, and 4% in West Palm Beach. The 5% compares to 4% in 1995.

▣ The 6% of single male households age 65 and over is about average among about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 4% in each of West Palm Beach, Miami, and Broward. The 6% compares to 4% in 1995.

▣ The 24% of single female households age 65 and over is the second highest of about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 25% in Broward and 17% in both West Palm Beach and Miami. The 24% compares to 18% in 1995.

### Living Arrangements of Children

▣ 30% (2,495 children) of children *age 0-12* in Jewish households live in households in which both parents (or *the* parent in a single parent household) are employed full time (*households with working parents*). The 30% is below average among about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 50% in Miami, 41% in Broward, and 37% in West Palm Beach. The 30% compares to 25% in 1995. The percentage of children age 0-12 living in households with working parents helps to determine the need for after school programs.

▣ 12% (1,416 children) of children *age 0-17* in Jewish households live in single parent households. The 12% is above average among about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 11% in both Miami and Broward and 8% in West Palm Beach. The 12% compares to 10% in 1995. These findings are in sharp contrast to the belief of many in the Jewish community that a high percentage of children age 0-17 in Jewish households live in single parent households. The 12% compares to 25% of all White American children (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 0-17 as of 2000.

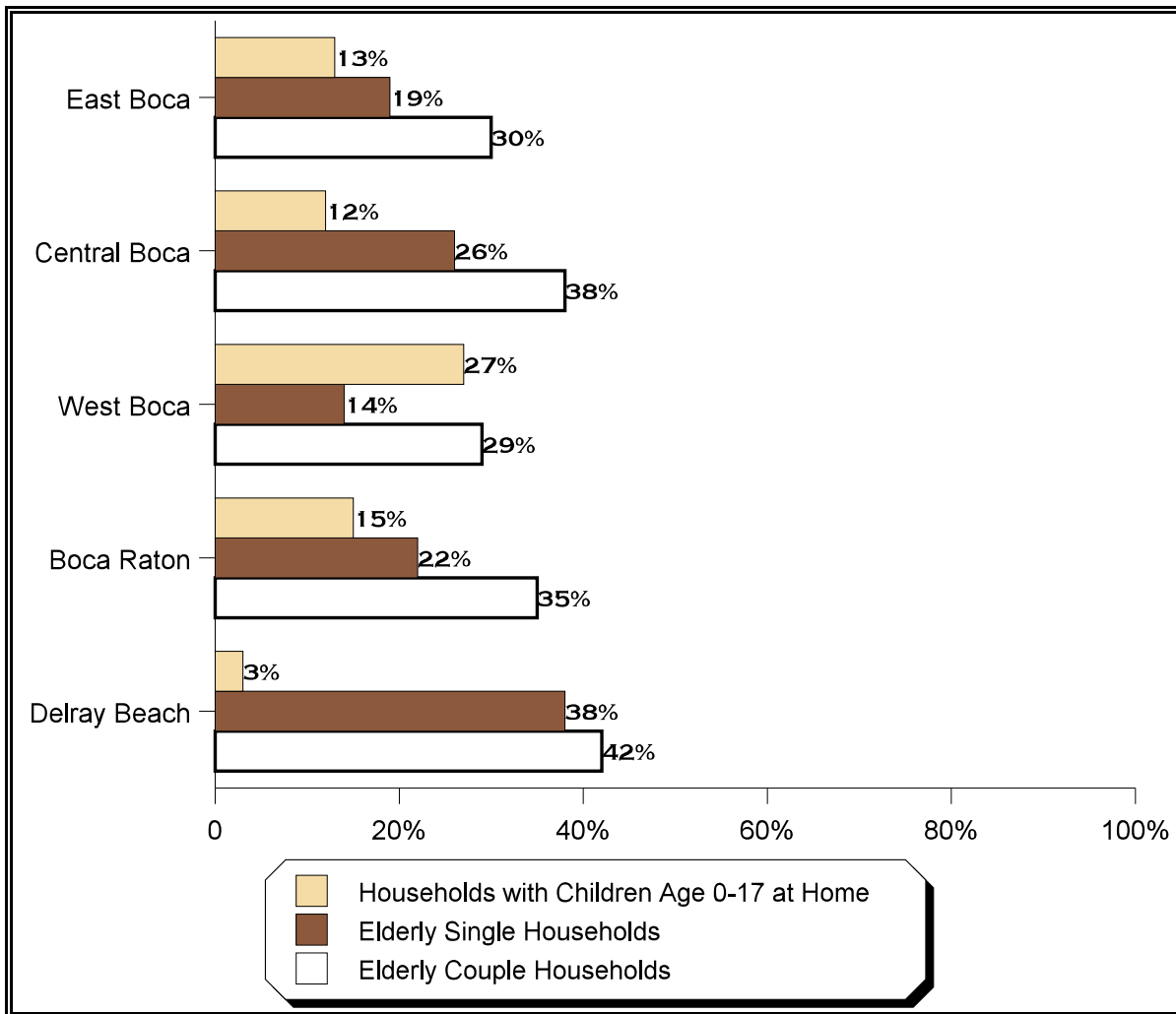
▣ 25% (3,022 children) of children *age 0-17* in Jewish households live in households in which an adult is either currently divorced or divorced and remarried. The 25% is about average among about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 36% in Broward, 33% in West Palm Beach, and 30% in Miami. The 25% compares to 40% in 1995.

### Living Arrangements of the Elderly

▣ The 26% of persons age 65 and over in Jewish households living alone is about average among about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 31% in both Miami and Broward and 19% in West Palm Beach. The 26% compares to 19% in 1995. The 26% compares to 31% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 65 and over as of 2000.

▣ The 31% of persons age 75 and over in Jewish households living alone is about average among about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 36% in Miami, 35% in Broward, and 22% in West Palm Beach. The 31% compares to 25% in 1995.

# DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE



**Selected Household Structures by Geographic Area**

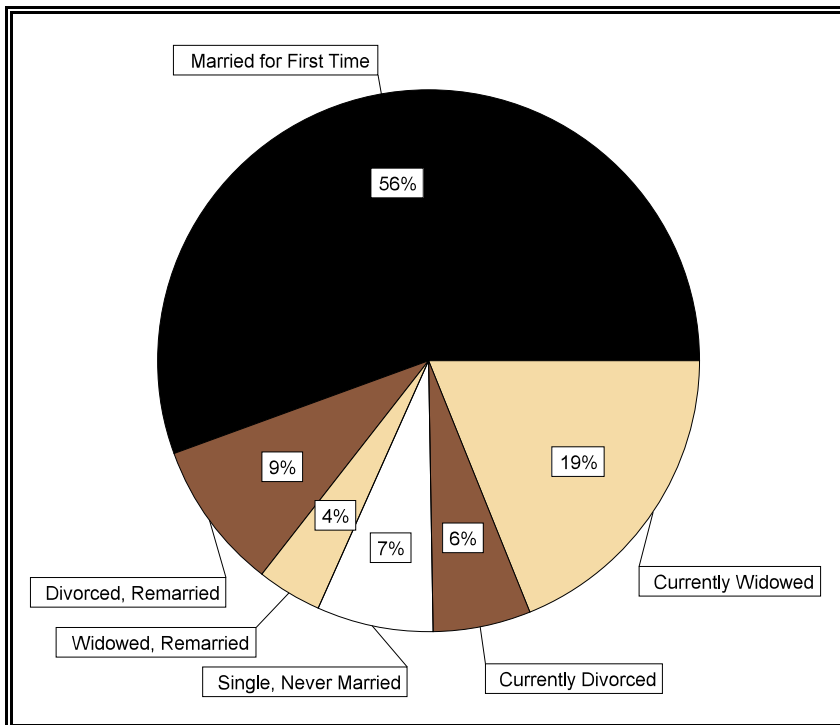
## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—MARITAL STATUS

**T**he 69% of adults in Jewish households in South Palm Beach who are currently married is about average among about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 74% in West Palm Beach, 65% in Broward, and 62% in Miami. The 69% compares to 80% in 1995. The 69% compares to 55% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 54% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* as of 2003.

▣ The 7% single, never married is the third lowest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 17% in Miami, 11% in Broward, and 7% in West Palm Beach. The 7% compares to 4% in 1995. The 7% compares to 23% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 27% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* as of 2003.

▣ The *divorce rate* is the number of divorced adults per 1,000 married adults. The divorce rate of 87 for adults in Jewish households is about average among about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 124 in Miami, 78 in Broward, and 61 in West Palm Beach. The 87 compares to 37 in 1995. The 87 compares to 206 for all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* of Palm Beach County and 187 for all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* as of 2003.

▣ The 19% currently widowed is the highest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 19% in Broward, 14% in West Palm Beach, and 13% in Miami. The 19% compares to 13% in 1995. The 19% compares to 9% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 6% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 15 and over* as of 2003.



▣ 15% of adults in Jewish households *are or have been* divorced, 23% *are or have been* widowed, 93% *are or have been* married, and 13% are on their second or higher marriage.

**Marital Status of Adults**

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—MARITAL STATUS

**TABLE 7  
MARITAL STATUS BY AGE FOR ADULT MALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Marital Status	Under 35	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
Married for First Time	20.0%	67.9%	54.3%	71.5%	66.6%	68.2%
Single, Never Married	78.7	14.9	10.8	1.3	0.6	0.9
Divorced, Remarried	0.0	6.5	19.3	11.3	7.1	8.5
Widowed, Remarried	0.0	0.0	2.1	4.8	8.8	7.5
Currently Divorced	1.3	10.7	12.5	6.7	1.3	3.1
Currently Widowed	0.0	0.0	1.0	4.4	15.4	11.7
Separated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**TABLE 8  
MARITAL STATUS BY AGE FOR ADULT FEMALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Marital Status	Under 35	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
Married for First Time	24.4%	70.5%	53.8%	61.1%	40.2%	48.1%
Single, Never Married	71.8	6.5	4.0	0.9	1.2	1.1
Divorced, Remarried	2.5	9.5	19.8	7.3	3.0	4.6
Widowed, Remarried	0.0	0.0	1.5	4.6	4.5	4.5
Currently Divorced	1.3	12.2	14.9	5.3	3.2	4.0
Currently Widowed	0.0	1.3	5.7	20.6	47.9	37.6
Separated	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

### Single Jewish Adults

▣ 31% (37,886 adults) of *Jewish* adults in Jewish households are single. 12% (4,471 adults) of single Jewish adults are under age 35, 7% (2,500 adults) are age 35-49, 13% (5,039 adults) are age 50-64, 16% (6,213 adults) are age 65-74, and 52% (19,663 adults) are age 75 and over.

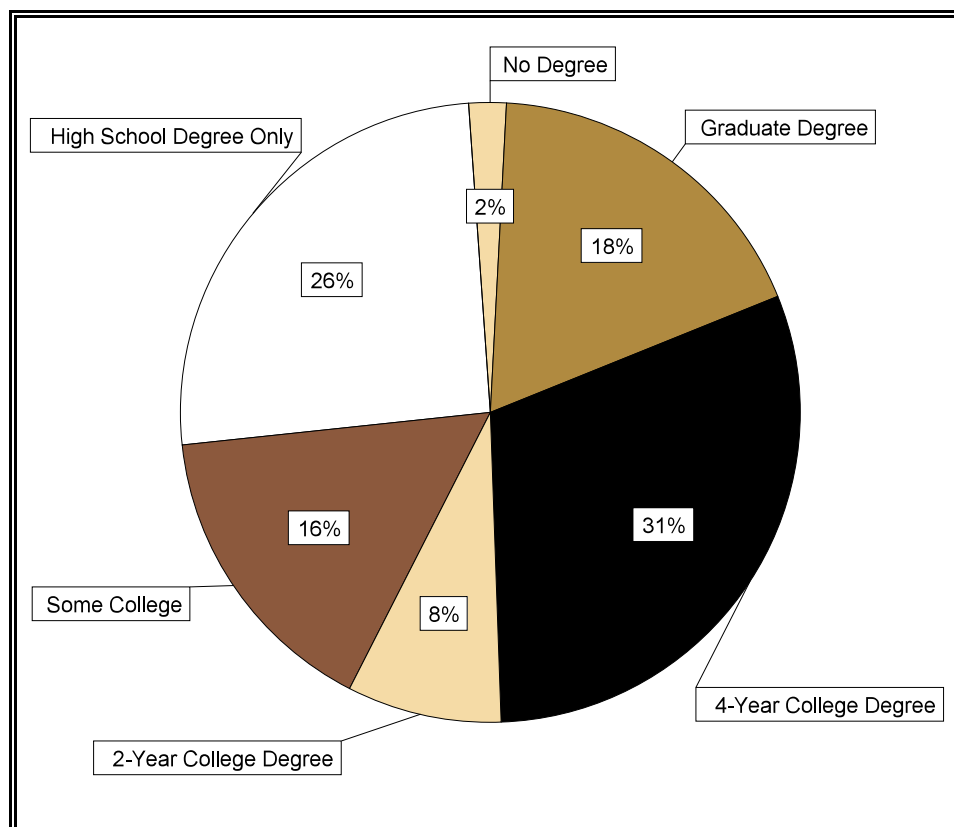
## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—SECULAR EDUCATION

Only 2% of adults age 25 and over in Jewish households in South Palm Beach do not have a high school degree. 49% of adults age 25 and over (58% of males age 25 and over and 42% of females age 25 and over) have a four-year college degree or higher, including 18% with a graduate degree.

▣ The 49% with a four-year college degree or higher is the fourth lowest of about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 60% in Miami, 55% in West Palm Beach, and 35% in Broward. The 49% compares to 40% in 1995. The 49% compares to 31% of all adults (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 25 and over in Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 27% of all American adults (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 25 and over as of 2003.

▣ The 18% with a graduate degree is the fourth lowest of about 35 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 26% in Miami, 20% in West Palm Beach, and 11% in Broward. The 18% compares to 12% in 1995. The 18% compares to 11% of all adults (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 25 and over in Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 10% of all American adults (both Jewish and non-Jewish) age 25 and over as of 2003.

▣ 12% of adults age 25 and over in Jewish households have a Master's degree; 2%, a doctoral degree; 2%, a medical or dental degree; and 2%, a law degree. There are about 1,625 doctors, 750 dentists, and 2,125 lawyers age 25 and over living in Jewish households.



**Secular Education of Adults Age 25 and Over**

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—SECULAR EDUCATION

**TABLE 9  
SECULAR EDUCATION BY AGE FOR ADULT MALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Highest Degree Earned	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
High School Degree or Less	19.7%	18.6%	14.8%	6.7%	19.8%	33.0%	28.6%
Some College/2-Year College Degree	66.1	13.6	11.9	16.3	22.9	20.1	21.0
4-Year College Degree	14.2	45.8	43.7	47.0	34.0	28.4	30.3
Graduate Degree	0.0	22.0	29.6	30.0	23.3	18.5	20.1
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Total 4-Year College Degree or Higher	14.2%	67.8%	73.3%	77.0%	57.3%	46.9%	50.4%

**TABLE 10  
SECULAR EDUCATION BY AGE FOR ADULT FEMALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Highest Degree Earned	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
High School Degree or Less	12.3%	16.2%	5.4%	17.4%	27.4%	45.9%	38.9%
Some College/2-Year College Degree	70.0	15.1	18.0	24.1	30.2	28.6	29.2
4-Year College Degree	17.7	59.2	44.0	38.4	29.6	18.5	22.7
Graduate Degree	0.0	9.5	32.6	20.1	12.8	7.0	9.2
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Total 4-Year College Degree or Higher	17.7%	68.7%	76.6%	58.5%	42.4%	25.5%	31.9%

▣ Note that adults age 18-24 in Jewish households are not included in the results on the previous page for adults age 25 and over.

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—EMPLOYMENT STATUS

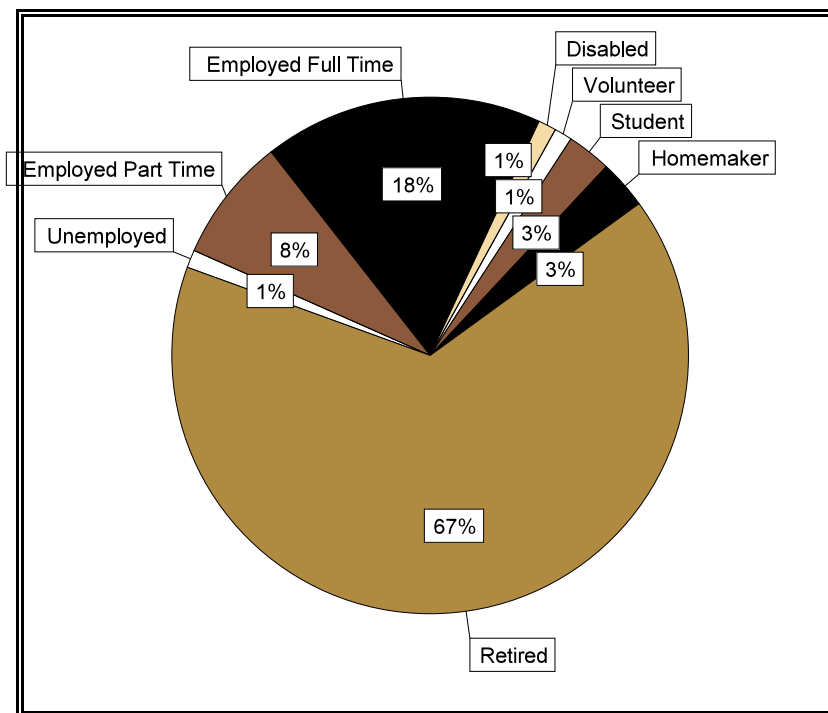
**T**he 18% of adults in Jewish households in South Palm Beach who are employed full time is the lowest of about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 40% in Miami, 33% in Broward, and 22% in West Palm Beach. The 18% compares to 14% in 1995.

▣ The 8% employed part time is the fourth lowest of about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 9% in Miami, 7% in West Palm Beach, and 6% in Broward. The 8% compares to 7% in 1995.

▣ The 67% retired is the highest of about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 64% in West Palm Beach, 51% in Broward, and 34% in Miami. The 67% compares to 71% in 1995.

▣ The percentage of adults *in the labor force* is the sum of the percentages of adults who are employed full time, employed part time, and unemployed. The 26% of adults in Jewish households who are in the labor force is the lowest of about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 50% in Miami, 39% in Broward, and 30% in West Palm Beach. The 26% compares to 21% in 1995. The 26% compares to 60% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 16 and over* of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 66% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 16 and over* as of 2003.

▣ The *unemployment rate* is the percentage of adults who are unemployed divided by the percentage of adults in the labor force. The unemployment rate for adults in Jewish households is 3%. The 3% is about average among about 40 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 3% in each of West Palm Beach, Miami, and Broward. The 3% compares to 1% in 1995. The 3% compares to 7% for all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 16 and over* of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 6% for all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) *age 16 and over* as of 2003.



**Employment Status of Adults**

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—EMPLOYMENT STATUS

**TABLE 11**  
**EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY AGE FOR ADULT MALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Employment Status	Under 35	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
Employed Full Time	39.8%	85.4%	53.2%	11.0%	2.4%	5.3%
Employed Part Time	2.0	6.8	11.8	12.9	5.6	8.0
Unemployed	0.7	1.2	2.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
Retired	0.0	5.9	26.9	75.9	91.1	86.1
Homemaker	1.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Student	55.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Disabled	0.7	0.7	4.5	0.0	0.5	0.3
Volunteer	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.2	0.1
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**TABLE 12**  
**EMPLOYMENT STATUS BY AGE FOR ADULT FEMALES IN JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS**

Employment Status	Under 35	35-49	50-64	65-74	75+	65+
Employed Full Time	17.8%	51.8%	32.3%	3.6%	1.2%	1.9%
Employed Part Time	5.1	18.1	13.9	5.3	2.8	3.8
Unemployed	1.9	1.6	1.4	0.5	0.0	0.2
Retired	1.3	3.2	39.9	86.4	94.3	91.3
Homemaker	13.5	24.1	8.1	3.4	1.2	2.1
Student	58.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Disabled	1.3	1.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Volunteer	0.4	0.2	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.7
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

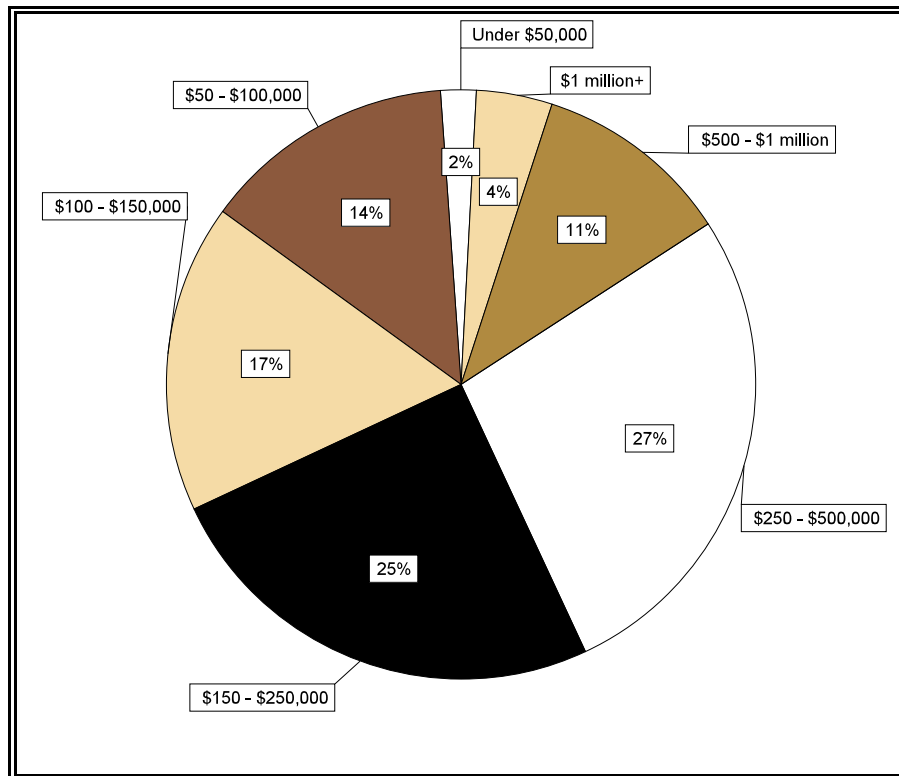
## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSING VALUE

**R**espondents in Jewish households in South Palm Beach who own their homes were asked to estimate the value of their homes. The housing values are based upon respondents' perceptions and *may not* represent actual selling prices. Some respondents have a reasonable idea of the selling prices of similar homes in their neighborhoods. Some respondents may remember what they paid for their homes, but are unaware of changes in the housing market. 13% of homeowners were unwilling or unable to provide an estimate of the value of their homes.

▣ The median housing value of \$217,700 is about average among about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to \$305,900 in West Palm Beach, \$274,000 in Miami, and \$93,600 in Broward. The \$217,700 compares to \$107,400 in 1995. The \$217,700 compares to \$193,500 for all homes (both Jewish-owned and non-Jewish-owned) in Palm Beach County as of 2003 and \$147,300 for all American homes (both Jewish-owned and non-Jewish-owned) as of 2003. (Note that these data have been adjusted for inflation to current dollars.)

▣ The median housing value is \$446,500 in East Boca, compared to \$306,500 in West Boca, \$258,000 in Central Boca, and \$163,800 in Delray Beach. The median housing value is \$307,300 for Boca Raton as a whole.

▣ The median housing value is \$455,000 for households with children, \$437,500 for households with only adult children, and \$369,600 for non-elderly couple households, compared to \$240,700 for non-elderly single households, \$212,200 for elderly couple households, and \$135,900 for elderly single households.



**Housing Value**

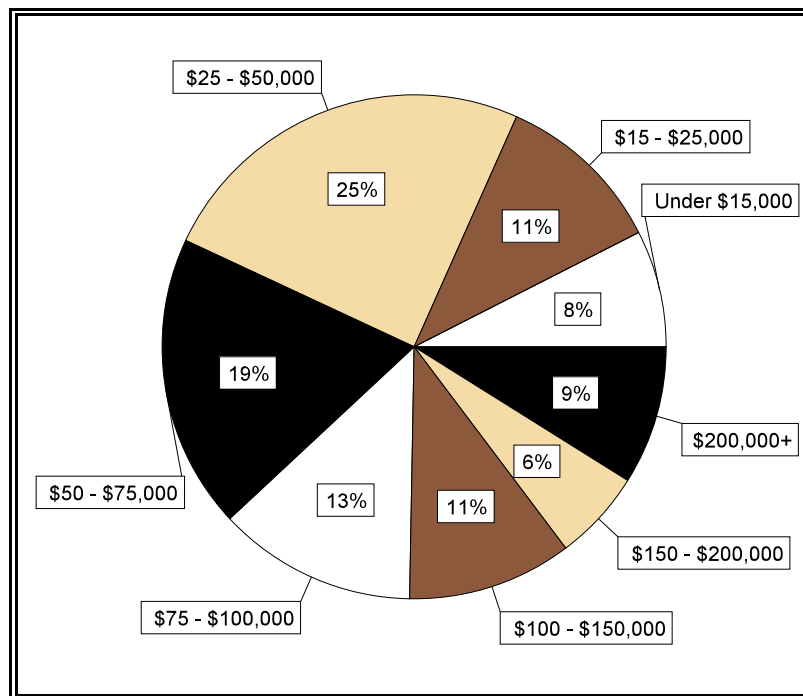
## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD INCOME

**R**espondents in Jewish households in South Palm Beach were asked their household income before taxes in 2004. 66% of respondents answered this question. The type of bias introduced by the lack of a response from 34% of respondents is unknown. Not all 34% of respondents *refused* to answer this question. In some cases, particularly when an adult child was interviewed, the respondent simply did not know the household income.

▣ The median household income of \$58,700 is the eighth lowest of about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to \$69,800 in West Palm Beach, \$64,100 in Miami, and \$46,000 in Broward. The \$58,700 compares to \$51,500 in 1995. The \$58,700 compares to \$54,000 nationally, \$46,000 for all households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) in Palm Beach County as of 2003, and \$43,600 for all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003. (Note that these data have been adjusted for inflation to current dollars.)

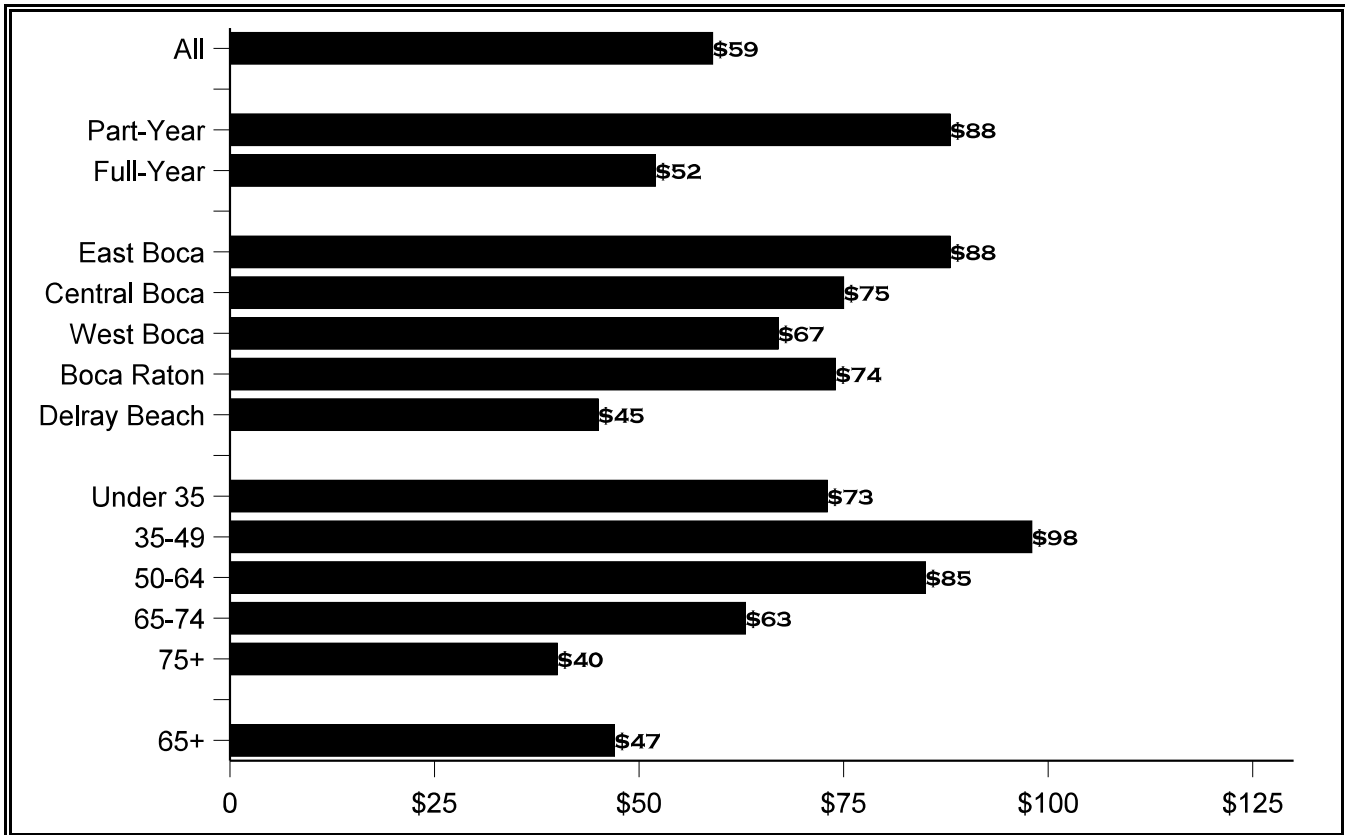
▣ The 25% earning an annual household income of \$100,000 and over is about average among about 50 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 31% in Miami, 28% in West Palm Beach, and 11% in Broward. The 25% compares to 13% in 1995. The 25% compares to 21% nationally, 17% of all households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) in Palm Beach County as of 2003, and 14% of all American households (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003. (Note that these data have *not* been adjusted for inflation to current dollars.)

▣ The median household income of households with children of \$117,800 is the fourth highest of about 30 comparison Jewish communities and compares to \$97,700 in Miami, \$94,300 in West Palm Beach, and \$74,000 in Broward. The \$117,800 compares to \$85,800 in 1995. (Note that these data have been adjusted for inflation to current dollars.)



**Annual Household Income**

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD INCOME



Median Household Income (in thousands)

### Low Income Households

▣ Households who reported a household income under \$25,000 before taxes in 2004 may be considered to be *low income households*. 19% (13,724 households) of households are low income households.

▣ 69% of low income households live in Delray Beach, 21% live in Central Boca, 7% live in West Boca, and 3% live in East Boca.

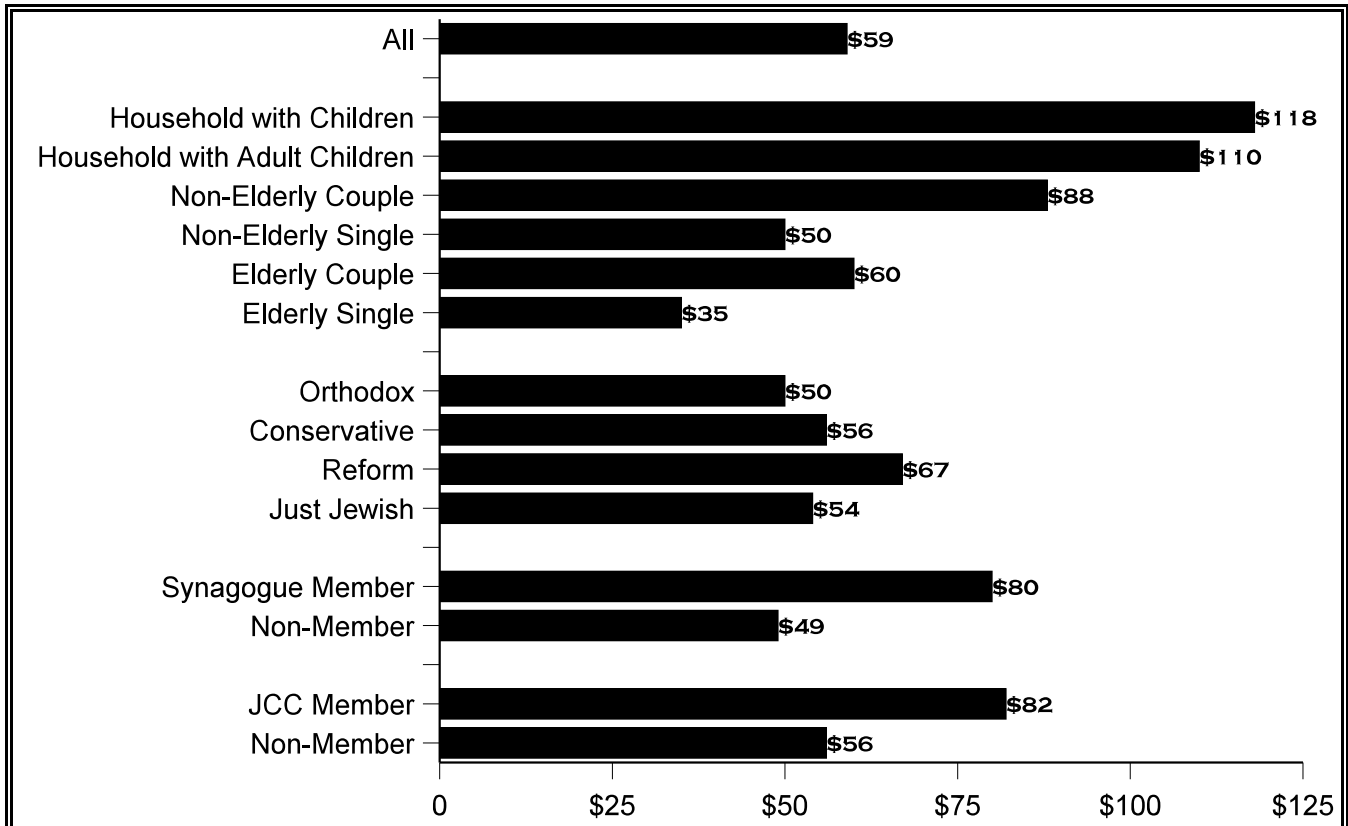
▣ 55% of low income households are elderly single households, 26% are elderly couple households, 7% are non-elderly single households, 6% are non-elderly couple households, and 1% are households with children.

▣ 37% of *Jewish* respondents in low income households identify as Conservative, 30% identify as Reform, 29% identify as Just Jewish, 3% identify as Orthodox, and 1% identify as Reconstructionist.

▣ 15% of low income households are synagogue members; 5% are JCC members; 28% are Jewish organization members.

▣ 71% of low income households did not donate to the Jewish Federation in the past year, 25% donated under \$100, 3% donated \$100-\$500, and 1% donated \$500 and over.

## DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE—HOUSEHOLD INCOME



**Median Household Income – continued (in thousands)**

### Poverty Level Households

▣ 1.5% (1,095 households) of households reported a household income that was below the Federal poverty levels. The 1.5% is about average among about 20 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 3.5% in Miami and 1.0% in West Palm Beach. The 1.5% compares to 5.0% nationally.

▣ 1.3% (1,735 persons) of persons in Jewish households live below the Federal poverty levels. The 1.3% compares to 10.3% of all residents (both Jewish and non-Jewish) of Palm Beach County as of 2003 and 12.7% of all Americans (both Jewish and non-Jewish) as of 2003.

▣ 1.8% (1,004 households) of households with elderly persons reported a household income that was below the Federal poverty levels. The 1.8% is about average among about 15 comparison Jewish communities and compares to 4.5% in Miami and 1.0% in West Palm Beach. The 1.8% compares to 9.0% nationally.

Poverty Levels	
Household Size	2004 Poverty Level
1	\$9,000
2	\$12,000
3	\$15,000
4	\$18,400
5	\$21,500