



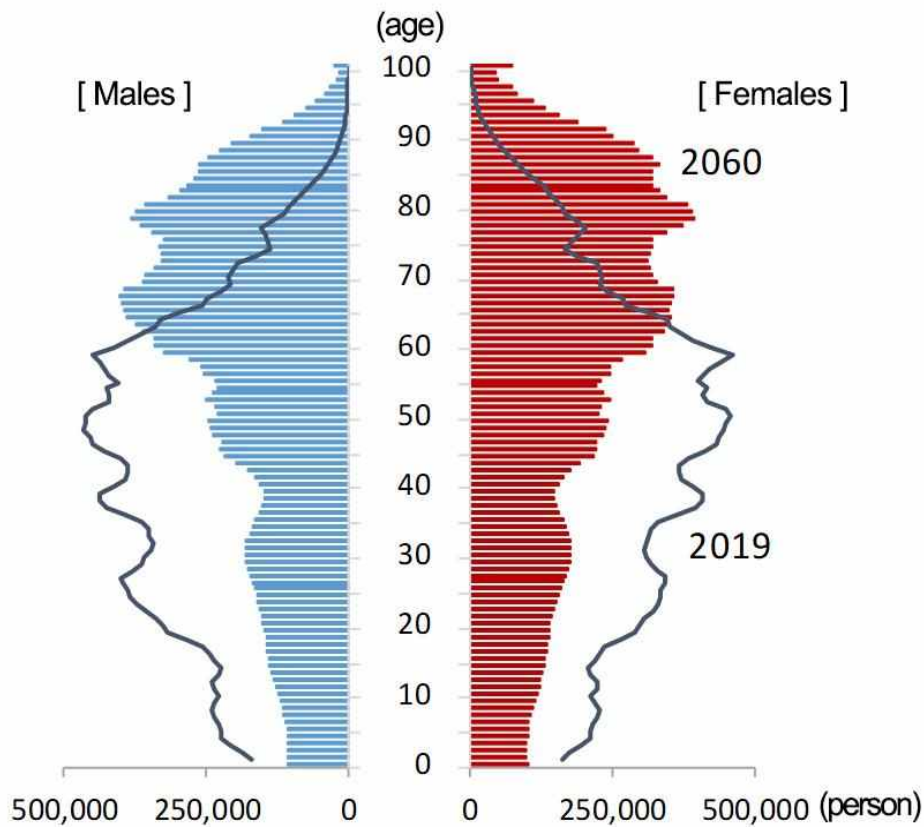
2019 Statistics on the Aged

I Population

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- In 2019, Jeonnam shows the highest share of the aged population at 22.3%. In the meantime, Sejong shows the lowest share of the aged population at 8.9%.

[Population pyramid]



Source: Special Population Projections <Statistics Korea>

○ In 2019, the aged dependency ratio stands at 20.4, which is projected to increase to 100.4 in 2065.

* Aged dependency ratio: Population aged 65 or more per 100 working age population aged 15 ~ 64

- The aging index exceeded 100 persons for the first time to stand at 100.1 persons in 2016. This figure stands at 119.4 persons in 2019.

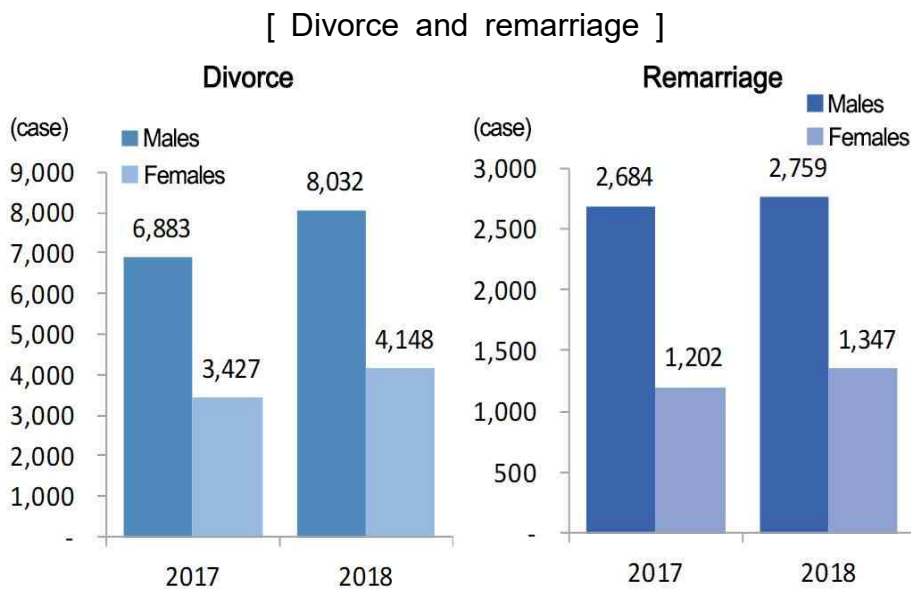
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II Family

In 2018, the number of divorces and remarriages showed a year-on-year increase for both males and females aged 65 or more.

○ In 2018, the total number of divorces increased by 2.5% from 2017. In the meantime, the number of divorces for the population aged 65 or more increased by 16.7% for males and 21.0% for females compared to 2017.

○ In 2018, the total number of remarriages dropped by 1.4% for males and 1.3% for females compared to 2017. In the meantime, the number of remarriages for the population aged 65 or more increased by 2.8% for males and 12.1% for females compared to 2017.



Source: Vital Statistics <Statistics Korea>

○ In 2018, 10.4% of people aged 65 or more thought that 'if there is a reason, it's better to divorce'. This percentage rose by 1.3%p from 9.1% in 2016.

- If there's a reason, it's better to divorce.: 7.7% (2014) → 9.1% (2016) → 10.4% (2018)

○ In 2018, the households of the elderly living in a detached house occupied 47.9% of the total elderly households, showing a decreasing trend. The households of the elderly living in an apartment-type house (including apartments, row houses and multiplex houses) occupied 50.4% of the total elderly households, showing an increasing trend.

- Share of households of the elderly living in an apartment-type house: 23.0% (2000) → 31.1% (2005) → 38.1% (2010) → 45.6% (2015) → 48.7% (2017) → 50.4% (2018)

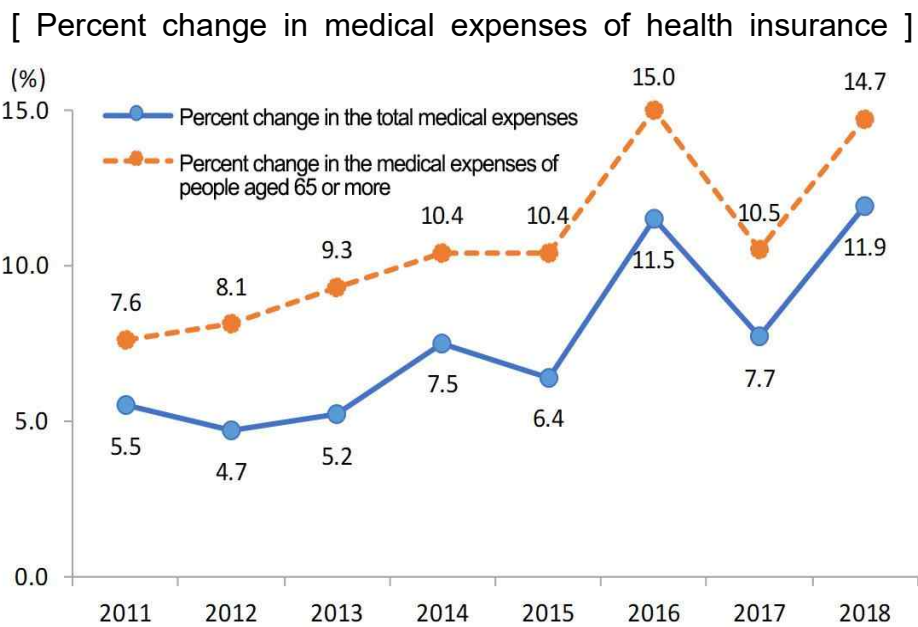
III Health care

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○ In 2018, 22.8% of people aged 65 or more thought that they were healthy. This percentage went up by 0.5%p compared to 22.3% in 2016.

○ In 2018, the medical expenses of people aged 65 or more rose by 14.7% from 2017. This increase rate was 2.8%p higher than that of the total population (11.9%).

- In 2018, the medical expenses per capita stood at 4.387 million won, rising by 10.0% from 3.987 million won in 2016.: 3.433 million won (2015) → 3.811 million won (2016) → 3.987 million won (2017) → 4.387 million won (2018)



Source: Statistics of Medical Expenses <Health Insurance Review and Assessment Service>

IV Economic activity

In 2019, 64.9% of people aged 55 ~ 79 wanted to work in the future. This percentage showed an increasing trend.

- As for the employed persons aged 55 ~ 79 by industry, 'Business, personal and public services' showed the highest share at 36.4%. As for the employed persons aged 55 ~ 79 by occupation, 'Elementary workers' occupied the highest share at 24.3%.
 - Employed persons by industry: 'Business, personal and public services' (36.4%) > 'Wholesale and retail trade' & 'Accommodation and food service activities' (19.8%) > 'Agriculture, forestry and fishing' (13.8%)
 - Employed persons by occupation: Elementary workers (24.3%) > Service workers and sale workers (23.0%) > Craft workers and machine operators (22.0%)
- In 2019, 64.9% of people aged 55 ~ 79 wanted to work in the future. This share rose by 0.8%p from 64.1% in 2018.
 - Reasons for wanting to be employed: To earn living expenses (60.2%) > Pleasure of working (32.8%)
 - Criteria when selecting a job: Amount and time of work (28.4%) > Wage level (23.8%) > Possibility of working continuously (16.6%)

V	Welfare
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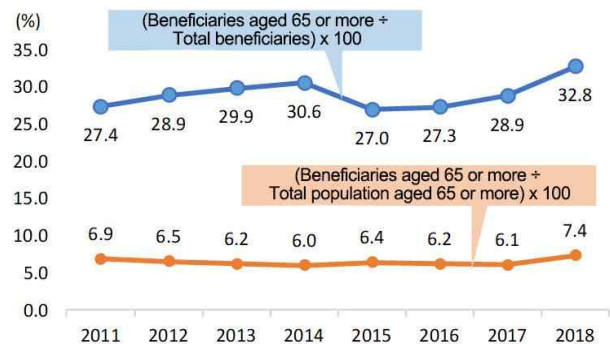
- In 2019, 45.9% of the population aged 55 ~ 79 were pensioners, rising by 0.3%p from 45.6% in 2018. Their monthly average pension recorded 610 thousand won for the population aged 55 to 79, rising by 40 thousand won from 570 thousand won in 2018.
- In 2018, the percentage of beneficiaries aged 65 or more receiving the national basic living security stood at 7.4%, which went up by 1.3%p from 6.1% in 2017.
- In 2018, the number of welfare facilities for the elderly was 76,382, which showed a steadily upward trend.
 - Number of welfare facilities for the elderly: 73,774 in 2014 → 75,029 in 2015 → 75,708 in 2016 → 76,371 in 2017 → 77,382 in 2018

[Pensioners and monthly average pension (aged 65 or more)]



Source: Supplementary Results of the Economically Active Population Survey for the Old Population <Statistics Korea>

[Beneficiaries of national basic living security (aged 65 or more)]



Source: Beneficiaries of national basic living security <Ministry of Health and Welfare>

VI Leisure, Social Participation, Safety and Environment

The Internet usage rate of the elderly aged 60 or more showed a steadily increasing trend.

- In 2018, the Internet usage rate stood at 88.8% for those aged 60 ~ 69 and 38.6% for those aged 70 or more. This percentage showed an ever-increasing trend.
 - * Internet usage rate of the elderly aged 60 ~ 69: 59.6% (2015) → 74.5% (2016) → 82.5% (2017) → 88.8% (2018)
 - Internet usage rate of the elderly aged 70 or more: 17.9% (2015) → 25.9% (2016) → 31.8% (2017) → 38.6% (2018)
- In the 2018 local election, the turnout of voters stood at 72.5% for those aged 60 ~ 69 and 74.5% for those aged 70 or more. The turnout of these two voter groups was higher than that of the total voters (60.2%).
- As for overall safety of Korean society, in 2018, 33.7% of the elderly aged 65 or more thought 'Korean society is not safe'. This percentage was 2.4%p higher than that of the total population (31.3%).
- In 2018, 44.4% of the elderly aged 65 or more thought of overall living environment as 'Good'. This percentage was 8.6%p higher than that of the total population (35.8%).