

# ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION SURVEY RESULTS



# OVERVIEW

CITIZENS PROVIDED INPUT ABOUT  
SIDEWALKS AND OTHER MODES  
OF ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION



The City of McAlester is excited to share input from the community regarding sidewalks and other modes of alternative transportation.

These results are being shared at an Active Transportation Meeting on May 6, 2024, at 6 p.m., to be held at the J.I. Stipe Center located at 801 N. Ninth St.

We are pleased to announce that the City has been awarded a technical assistance grant from the US Department of Transportation's Thriving Communities Program.

This grant is designed to help rural communities like ours address walkability issues. Part of this initiative involves a modest sub-award to help identify critical areas and determine the best strategies for improvement, whether through planning or demonstration projects. This meeting will provide an opportunity to discuss the grant details and explore potential solutions, and citizen participation is crucial to help guide our efforts.

While the May 6 meeting will concentrate on specific topics, the City welcomes feedback on any aspect of multimodal transportation — encompassing all transportation methods. Your insights are valuable to shaping our City's policies and driving improvements across McAlester.

Future Active Transportation Meetings will be held at 6 p.m. at the JI Stipe Center on the following dates:

- Monday, Aug. 5, 2024
- Monday, Nov. 4, 2024

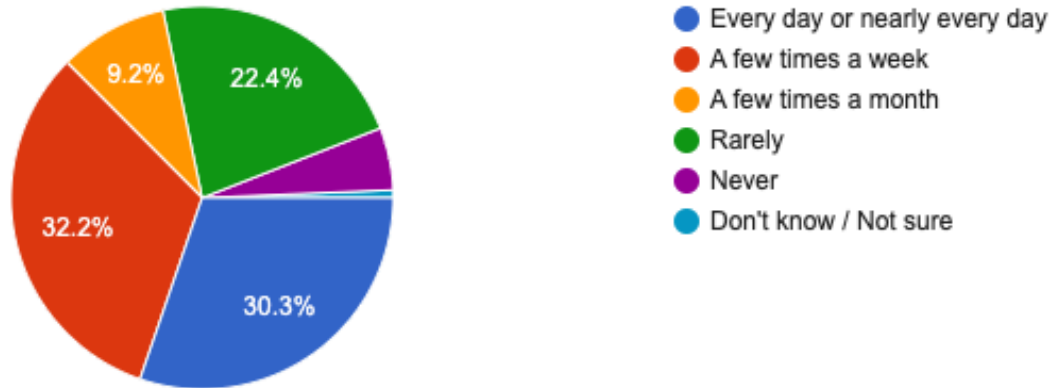
Please share any questions or concerns you'd like addressed at the meeting by emailing [adrian.o'hanlon@cityofmcalester.com](mailto:adrian.o'hanlon@cityofmcalester.com) or posting a comment on our Facebook page. For those unable to attend in person, we are exploring options to make this meeting interactive via the McAlester YouTube Channel.

We look forward to your participation and input!

# RESPONSES (1-3)

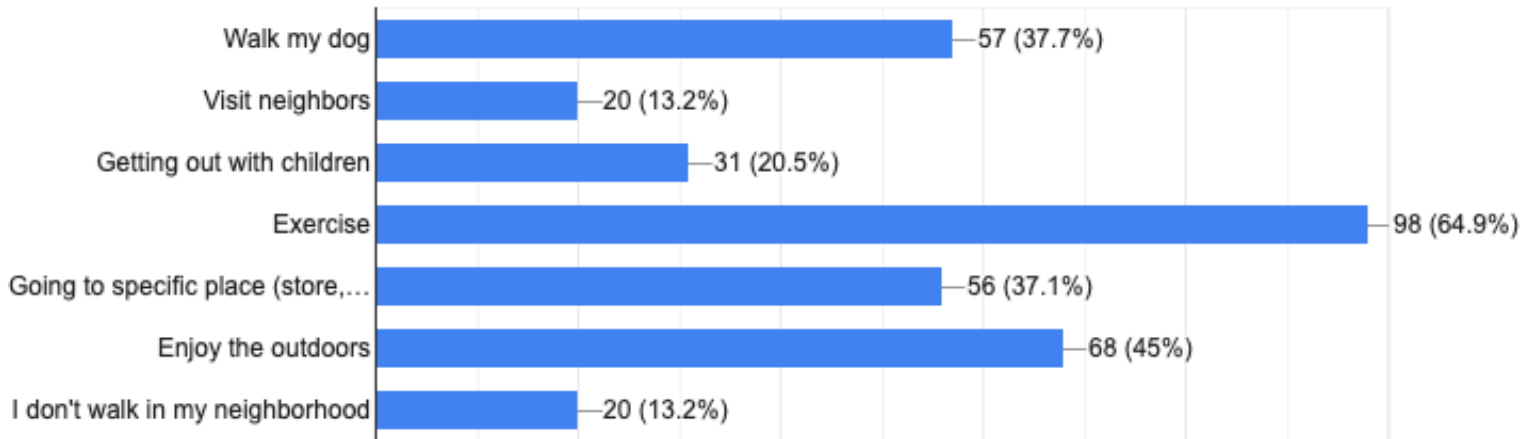
How often do you walk (for any reason)?

152 responses



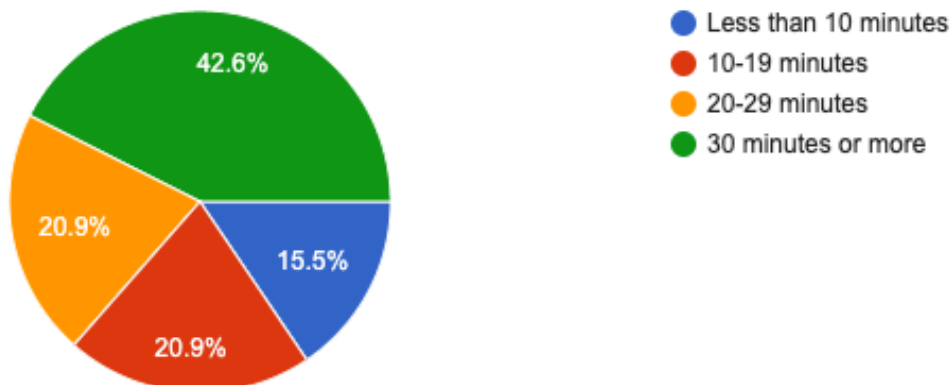
When you walk, what are the reasons you walk? (check all that apply)

151 responses



On those days that you walked, how long (in minutes) was your usual walk?

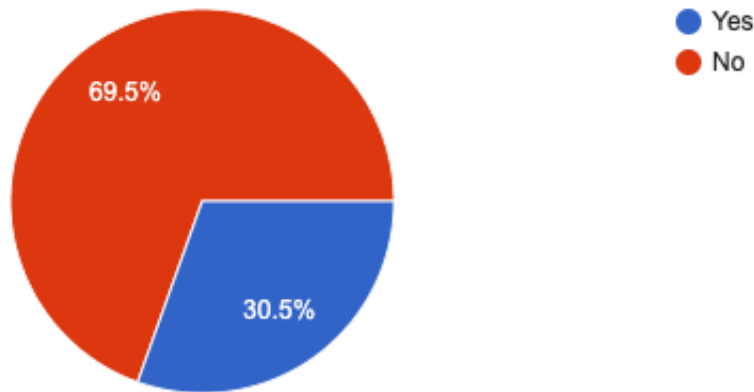
148 responses



# RESPONSES (4-6)

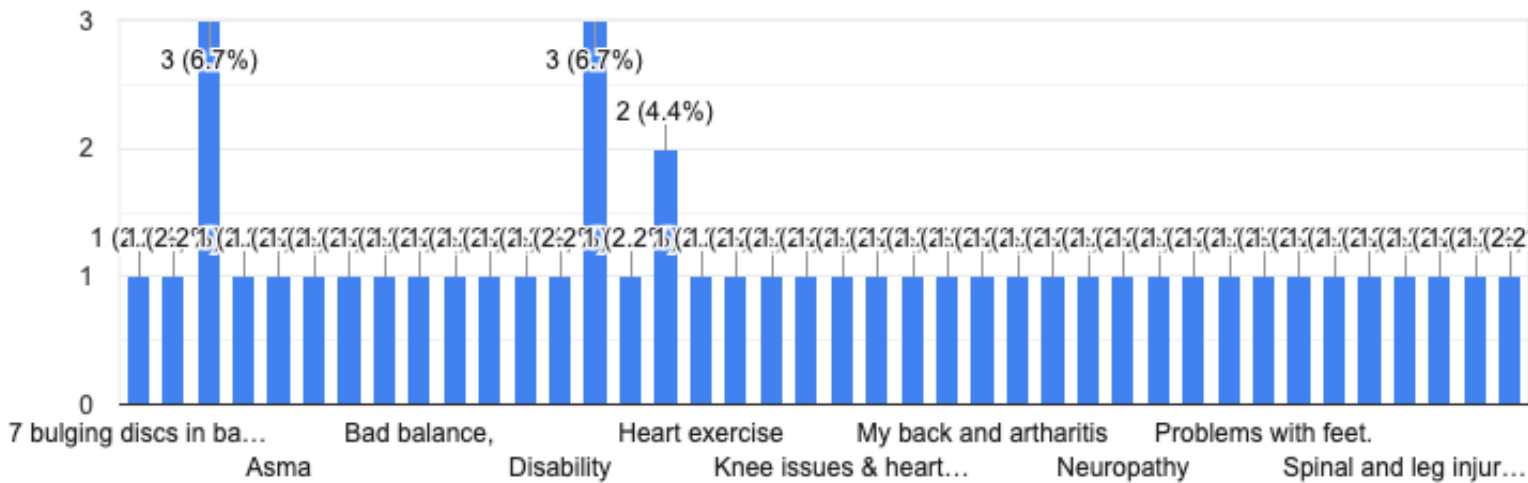
Do you have a physical condition that affects your ability to walk?

151 responses



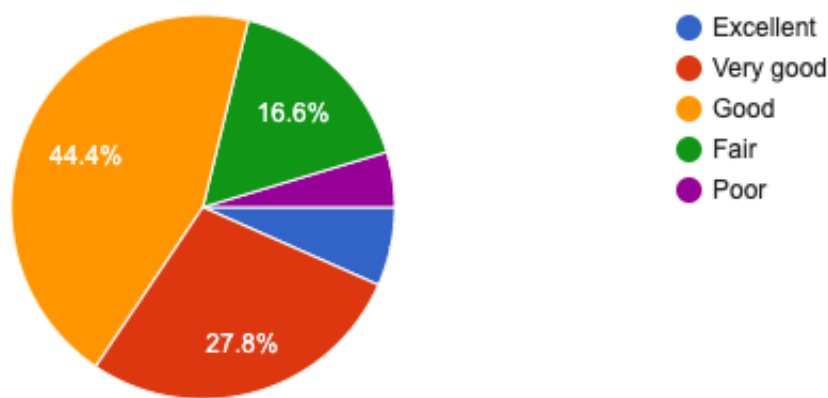
If yes:

45 responses



Would you say in general your health is...

151 responses



# RESPONSES (7)

What important places would you like to connect with?

65 responses

Connect both downtowns to the medical overlay district. Maintain what we already have.

North main needs sidewalk and those huge ditches taken out.

Old town, pruitts, kiamichi tech, Johnnys market

Wellness center

Shopping areas near Walmart and Lowe's.

Medical and shopping

I'm not sure

Good question I have No idea

Parks, groceries and medical

The hospital and school

This town needs a bus system. So those without cars can get a JOB and GET to it.

All the areas of the city

No place in particular

work on the roads before you make new sidewalks!!! out city streets are absolutely ridiculous, but then again you already know this because you drive on them yourselves daily!

Mike Deak Walking Track

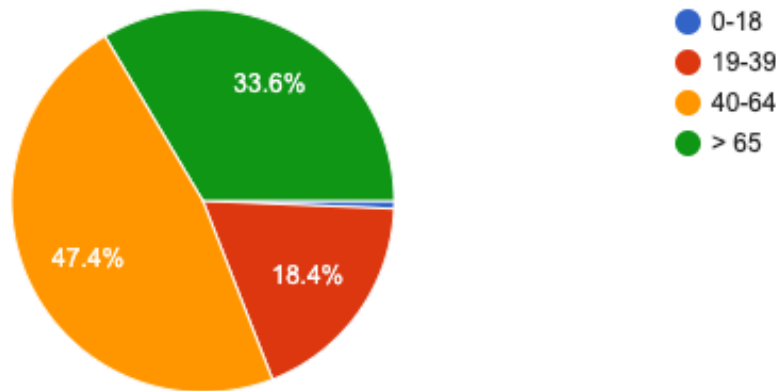
Parsk, schools, stores

Electric st from main st to strong blvd, strong blvd east on polk st to the MHS.

# RESPONSES (8-9)

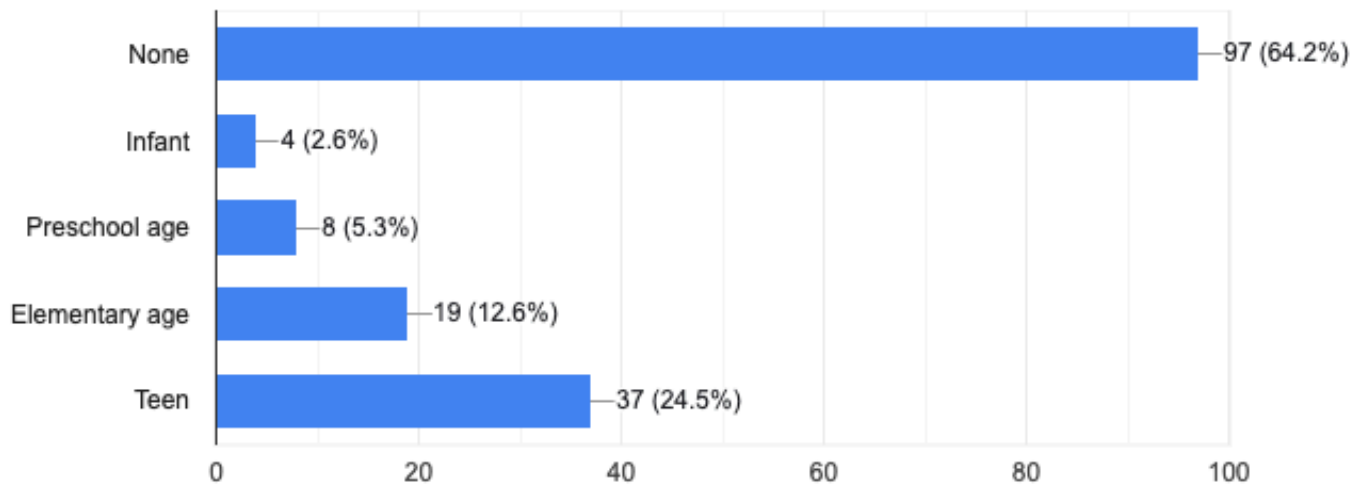
What age group best describes you?

152 responses



Check all that describe children living with you:

151 responses





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