

◆ Results of Age-friendliness Survey

1) Outline

(1) Purposes

- This survey purposes to promote good city environment in preparation of elderly society, and to enhance age-friendliness of the Geumcheon-gu in the future.
- The results of this survey will serve as the basic resources on which the basic plans, guidelines, and action plans for the age-friendly city will be established.

(2) Survey Periods

- Surveys were carried out from May 3rd, 2021 to May 18th, 2021.

(3) Survey Sampling

① Sampling

- General citizens: 571 people in ages 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, and 60-64
- Senior citizens: 229 senior citizens in ages over 65-69, 70-79, and 80 or older
- Focus Group Interview (FGI): 7 Groups (each 5 people)

(4) Survey Plan and Contents

① Sampling Plan

- To carry out an age-friendliness survey among general citizens (19-64 years old) and senior citizens (65 or older people)
- General citizens were sampled out from Geumcheon-gu (Gasam-, Doksan 1-, Doksan 2-, Doksan 3-, Doksan 4-, Siheung 1-, Siheung 2-, Siheung 3-, Siheung 4-, Siheung 5-)
- Data were collected by sampling from the followings: by region, gender, age of proportional allocation extraction

② Survey Contents

- Survey questions were prepared through a literature study to include the 8 areas suggested by the WHO and other questions to diagnosis the age-friendliness of the Geumcheon-gu.

Areas	Survey Contents	Number of Questions

Outdoor spaces and buildings	Enough rest facilities, pedestrian passages, safe pedestrian crosses, environment and safety, services for the aged, preparation level of convenient facilities, adequate amenities	12
Transportation	convenient use of public transportation, age-friendly transportation, care for the aged in public transportation, aged driver vehicles	19
Housing	Adequate housing cost, age-friendly house structures, service provision for house maintenances, age-friendly housing environment, easy access	9
Social Participation	Expansion of social participation opportunities, information provision regarding social participation, easy access to social activities, various cross-generational amalgamation within community	7
Respect and social inclusion	Provision of education for a renewed understanding of the aged, mass media image on the aged, significance of the aged in local community, community help for the aged, community respect for the aged	9
Civic participation and employment	Procuring volunteers for the aged, volunteer activities of the aged, employment of the aged, job training services provision for the aged, provision of job information for the aged	7
Communication and information	Visual provision of information, audio provision of information, age-friendly information provision, age-friendliness of information technology	11
Community and health services	Access to medical and welfare facilities, health service provision, customized medical welfare, first-aid for the aged	12
Demographic Characteristics	Gender, age, marriage status, resident, health condition, disabled condition, housing type, house ownership, economic activity status, job type, residing area, etc.	14

2) Survey Analysis

(1) Demographic Survey

- The results of survey on demographic characteristics (such as age, marriage status, resident, health condition, disabled condition, housing type, house ownership, economic activity status, job type, residing area, etc.) of 571 general citizens and 229 senior citizens are as follows:
 - Gender composition of the respondents
 - General citizens: 295 male (51.7%), 276 female (48.3%)
 - Senior citizens: 106 male (46.3%), 123 female (53.7%)
 - Ages
 - General citizens: 68 people in 60-64 age group (8.5%), 203 people in 50-59 age group (25.4%), 93 people in 40-49 age group (11.6%), 100 people in 30-39 age group (12.5%), 107 people in 20-29 age group (13.4%)
 - Senior citizens: 100 people in 65-69 age group (12.5%), 114 people in 70-79 age group (14.3%), 15 people in 80 or older group (1.9%)

(2) Average Comparison by Survey Areas

Areas	all Average	General Citizens	Senior Citizens
Outdoor spaces and buildings	3.10	3.04	3.15
Transportation	3.30	3.23	3.36
Housing	3.14	3.06	3.22
Social Participation	2.93	2.80	3.03
Respect and social inclusion	.98	2.90	3.06
Civic participation and employment	2.94	2.90	2.98
Communication and information	3.16	3.07	3.24
Community and health services	3.21	3.12	3.29