



TRB Snap Search: Underserved Populations

TRB's involvement in research on Underserved Populations from 2017-2019

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Recent Reports & Publications

- [Airport Cooperative Research Program \(ACRP\)](#)
 - [Report 177](#) - Enhancing Airport Wayfinding for Aging Travelers and Persons with Disabilities
- [Transit Cooperative Research Program \(TCRP\)](#)
 - [Report 135](#) - ADA Paratransit Service Models
 - [Report 133](#) - Administration of ADA Paratransit Eligibility Appeal Programs
- [Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board](#)
 - [Volume 2650](#) - Public Transportation, Volume 4: Paratransit, Accessibility, Mobility, and the Sharing Economy

Current & Upcoming Projects

- [Current Projects](#)
 - [ACRP Synthesis 11-03/Topic S07-02](#) - Strategies for Airport Passenger Access and Mobility
 - [NCHRP 20-65/Task 76](#) - Opportunities for State DOTs (and Others) to Encourage Shared Use Mobility Practices in Rural Areas
 - [TCRP Synthesis I-07/Topic SB-32](#) - Use of Agency Trip Agreements in ADA Paratransit Service Delivery and Addressing Changing Demographics
 - [TCRP Synthesis I-07/Topic SB-31](#) - Implementing the US DOT Reasonable Modification Rule
 - [TCRP Synthesis I-07/Topic SF-21](#) - Attracting, Retaining and Advancing Women in Transit
 - [Transit IDEA I-04/IDEA 85](#) - Location Aware Networks Optimizing Use of Transit
 - [Transit IDEA I-04/IDEA 90](#) - sUAS-Based GeoINTEL for Commuter Rail Parking in Rural and Suburban Areas
 - [Transit IDEA I-04/IDEA 91](#) - Comprehensive Wayfinding for All (CWall)
- [Upcoming Projects](#)
 - [NCHRP 20-65/Task 81](#) - Best Practices in Rural Service Assessment
 - [NCHRP 20-65/Task 78](#) - Impact of Decline in Volunteerism on Rural Transit Systems

Reports from the [National Academies Press](#) on Underserved Populations

- [People Living with Disabilities - Health Equity, Health Disparities, and Health Literacy: Proceedings of a Workshop](#)
- [Aging and Disability - Beyond Stereotypes to Inclusion: Proceedings of a Workshop](#)
- [Permanent Supportive Housing - Evaluating the Evidence for Improving Health Outcomes Among People Experiencing Chronic Homelessness](#)
- [Health Literacy and Older Adults - Reshaping the Landscape: Proceedings of a Workshop](#)
- [Opportunities for Improving Programs and Services for Children with Disabilities](#)
- [Achieving Rural Health Equity and Well-Being](#)
- [Communities in Action – Pathways to Health Equity](#)

- [Strengthening the Workforce to Support Community Living and Participation for Older Adults and Individuals with Disabilities](#)
- [Developing Affordable and Accessible Community-Based Housing for Vulnerable Adults](#)

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- [ABE60](#) - Accessible Transportation and Mobility
- [ABE70](#) - Women's Issues in Transportation
- [ABE80](#) - Native American Transportation Issues
- [ADD20](#) - Social and Economic Factors of Transportation
- [ANB60](#) - Safe Mobility of Older Persons
- [AP055](#) - Rural Public and Intercity Bus Transportation
- [AP060](#) - Paratransit

Task Forces - Search for *task force* under committee here

CRP Panels

- [TA33](#) - Emergency Preparedness and Recovery Outreach and Communications to Vulnerable Populations
- [TB42](#) - Improving Transportation Options and Coordination of Transportation for Veterans
- [TB46](#) - Tactile Walking Surface Indicators to aid Wayfinding for Visually Impaired Travelers in Multimodal Travel

Councils

- [A0040T](#) - Young Member Council

Recent and Upcoming Events

[Upcoming Conferences](#) - Left hand menu “upcoming conferences by topic”
(Conferences cosponsored by TRB are denoted with an asterisk.)

[6th International Conference on Women's Issues in Transportation \(WiiT 2019\)](#)

September 10-13, 2019

Irvine, California

[Webinars](#) – View upcoming webinars, suggest a webinar or add registration information

[Past Webinars](#)

- [Changes in Demographics and Markets for Public Transportation](#) - November 28, 2018
- [Successful Mobility Management Practices in Small Urban and Rural Areas](#) – October 15, 2018
- [Practices in Rural Regional Mobility: Case Studies and Lessons Learned](#) – September 27, 2018
- [Road Safety and Vulnerable Road Users in Low- and Middle-Income Countries](#) - April 9, 2018

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Publications Index (PubsIndex) Database – The papers, articles and reports published by the Transportation Research Board, Highway Research Board, Strategic Highway Research Programs or the Marine Board - [pubsindex.trb.org](#)

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