

Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation Plan



- December 3, 2019

Why the CPT-HST Plan?



Direction:

- The CPT-HST Plan provides communities with a roadmap for livable infrastructure and transportation

Access to Funding:

- Certain grants require that projects seeking funding match with needs identified by the CPT-HST Plan

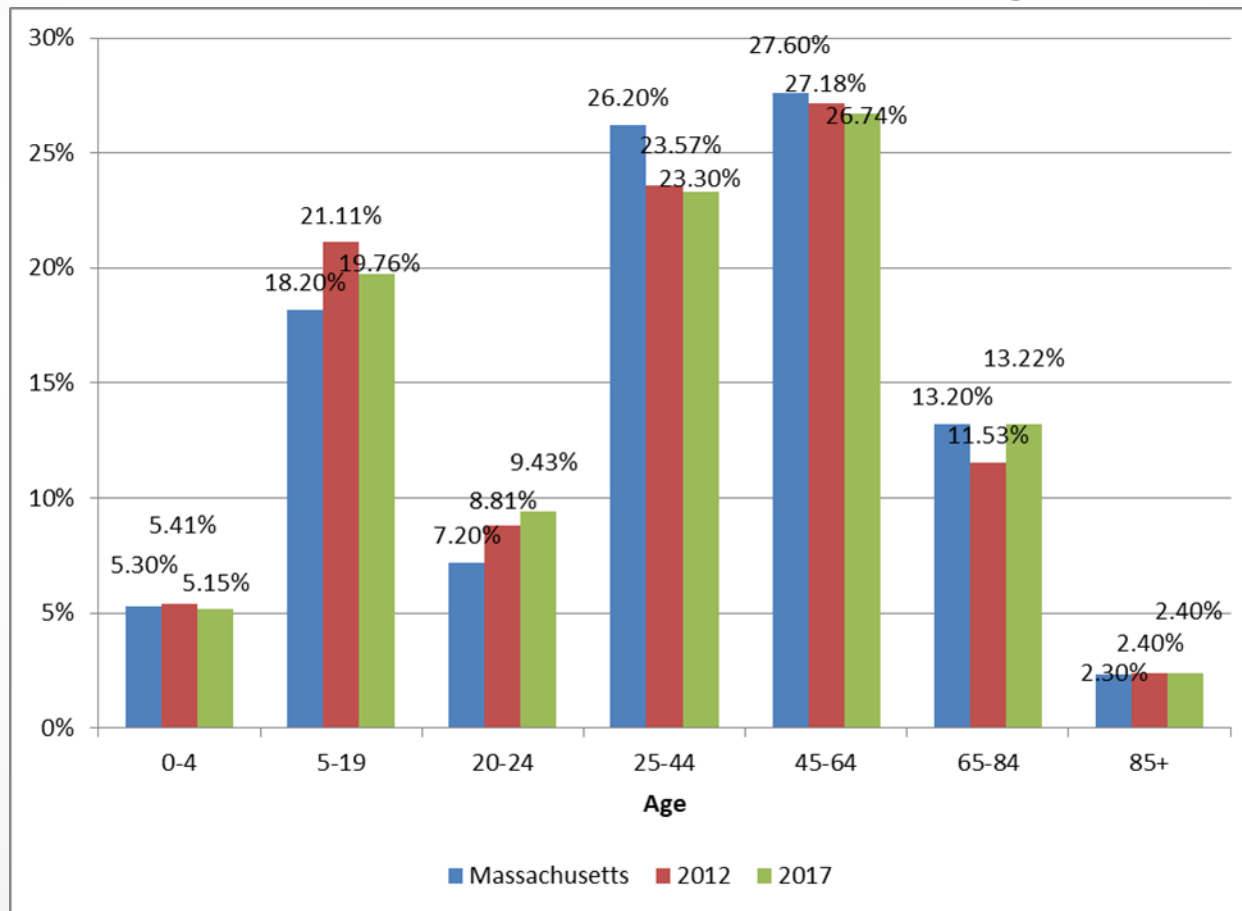
Community Funding Sources

- MassDOT Community Transit Grant Program
 - CPT-HST Plan Requirement
- MassDOT Mobility Assistance Program
 - CPT-HST Plan Requirement
- FTA Mobility for All Pilot Program
 - CPT-HST Plan Requirement
- MassDOT Helping Hand Mini-Grant Program
- MassDOT Workforce Transportation Program
- AARP Community Challenge Grants
- Transportation Networking Companies Assessments



Focus on Populations

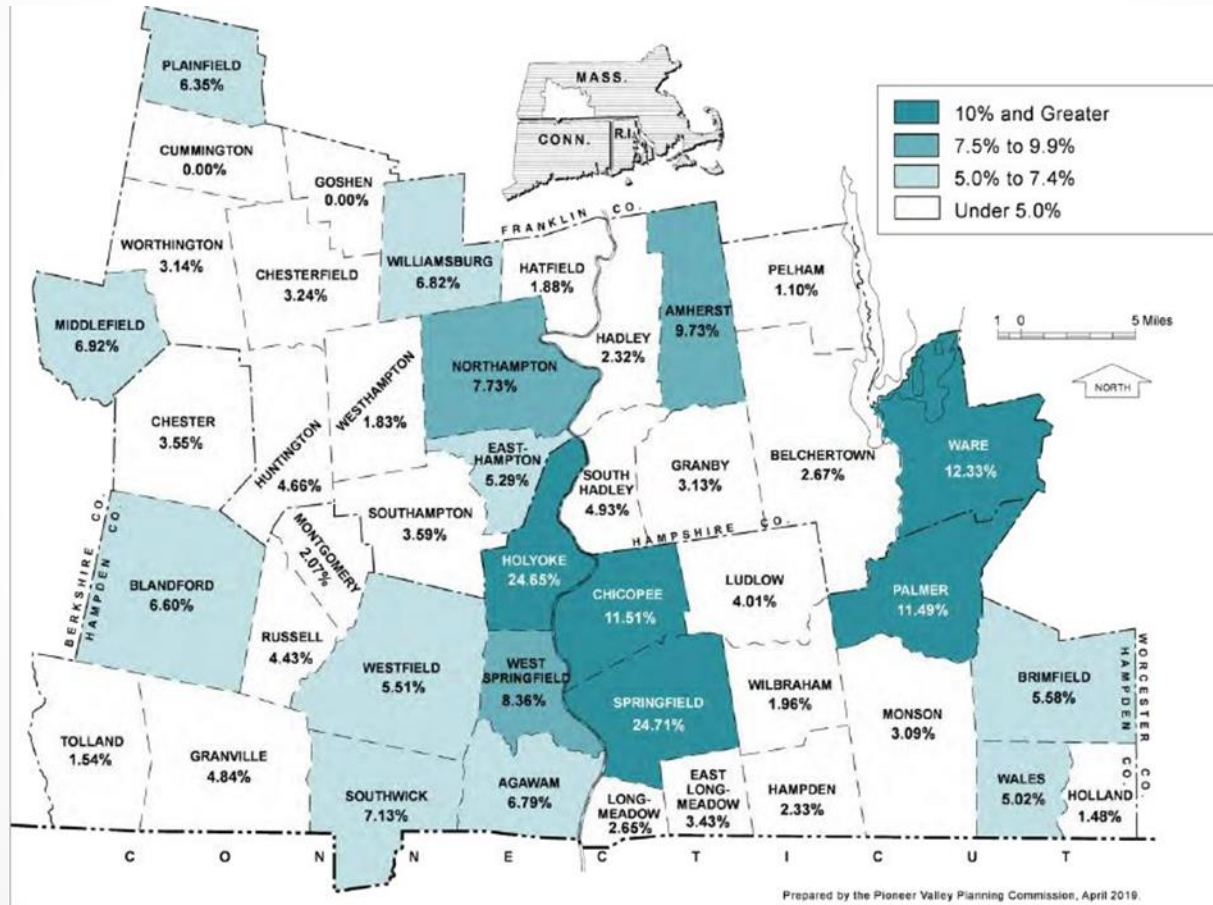
- Individuals over 65 years old
 - 15.5% of the population within the Pioneer Valley region



Source: Census American Fact Finder, ACS 5-year estimates 2013-2017

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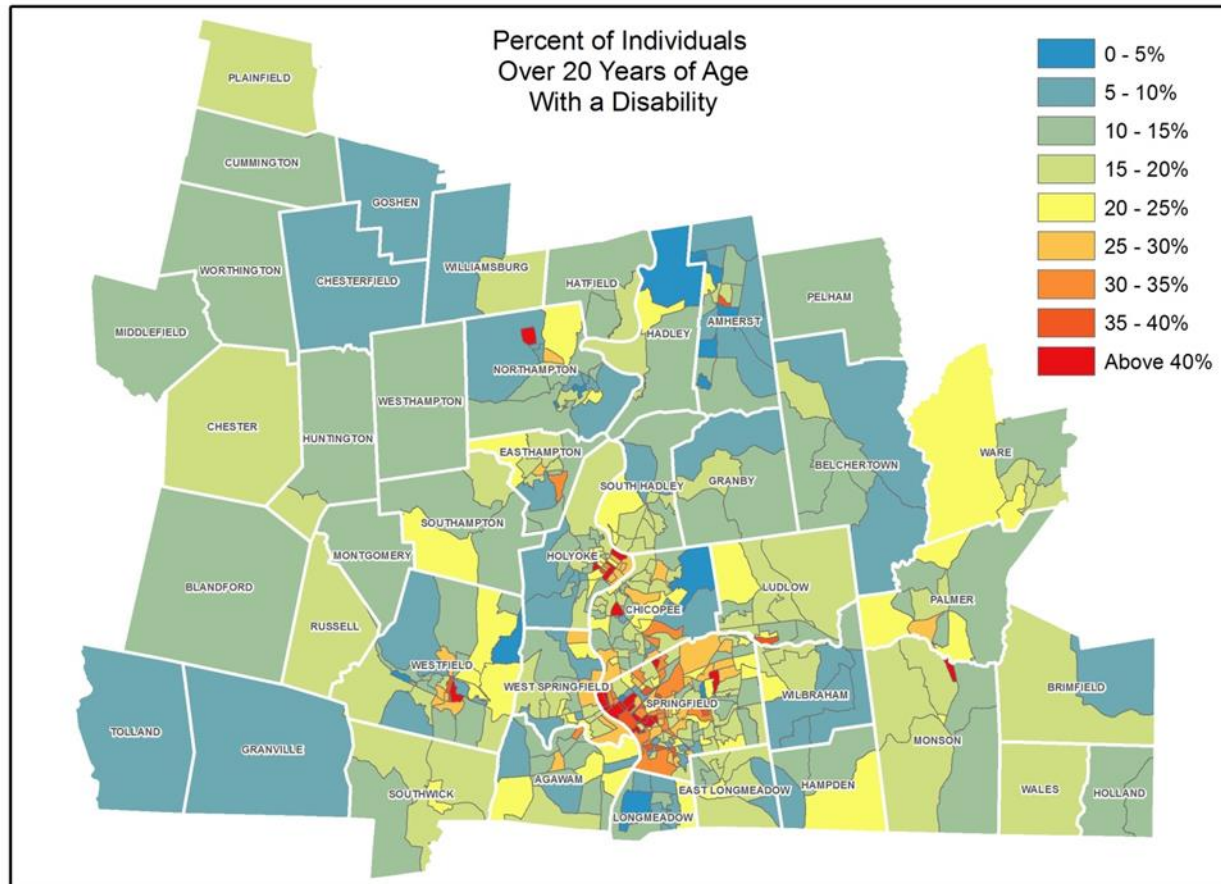
- Families in Poverty



Source: Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy 2019-2024, PVPC 2019

Focus on Populations

- Individuals with Disabilities



Source: Census American Fact Finder, ACS 5-year estimates 2013-2017

Traditional Transportation Services

Regional Transit Authorities:

- FRTA
- WRTA
- PVTA

Councils on Aging

Quaboag Valley Connector

Hilltown Easy Ride

Passenger Rail



Medical Transportation Services

Ambulance and Other Medical Vehicles

- Hadley Innovative Contracting
- Shared Emergency Services
 - Highland Ambulance EMS, Inc.
 - Hilltown Community Ambulance Association
 - Roadmap by Office of Local Health

Cooley Dickinson Hospital Shuttle to Boston

EOHHS Medical Transportation

- MassHealth PT-1
- Income and Disability Eligibility

Private Medical Practice Shuttles

- Community Health Centers
- Other Medical Providers

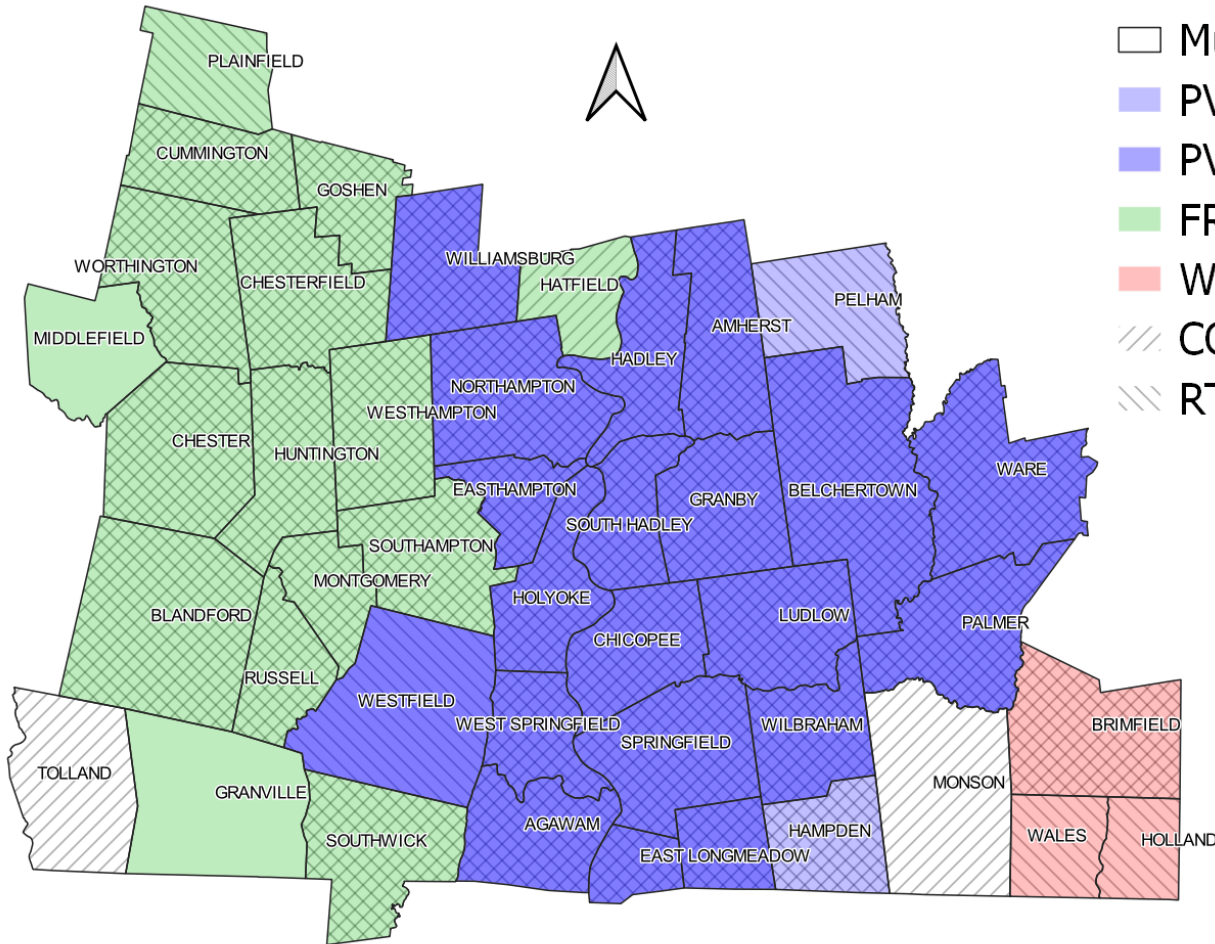
Area Agencies on Aging (Home Care)

- LifePath, Inc., WestMass Elder Care, Inc., Highland Valley Home Care, and Greater Springfield Senior Services, Inc.



Legend

- Municipal Borders
- PVRTA
- PVRTA ADA Service
- FRTA
- WRTA
- ▨ COA Senior Van Service
- ▨ RTA Senior Van Service



Roadway Infrastructure

- More Bike Lanes
 - New 8.5 miles since 2018
- Bike Trails
- Accessible Downtowns
- New ValleyBike Share
- Complete Streets
 - Complete Streets Demonstration Day (Springfield, MA)
- Bay State Bike Week
- Safe Routes to School
 - 98 Schools in 26 Communities

Where are our Gaps?

- Do you feel that certain populations are left out of certain services?
 - Which populations? And what are those services?
- Do you feel any services don't work as intended?
 - What are those services? And how do they not work as intended?
- Do you feel that new services could better serve certain populations?
 - What would those services look like?