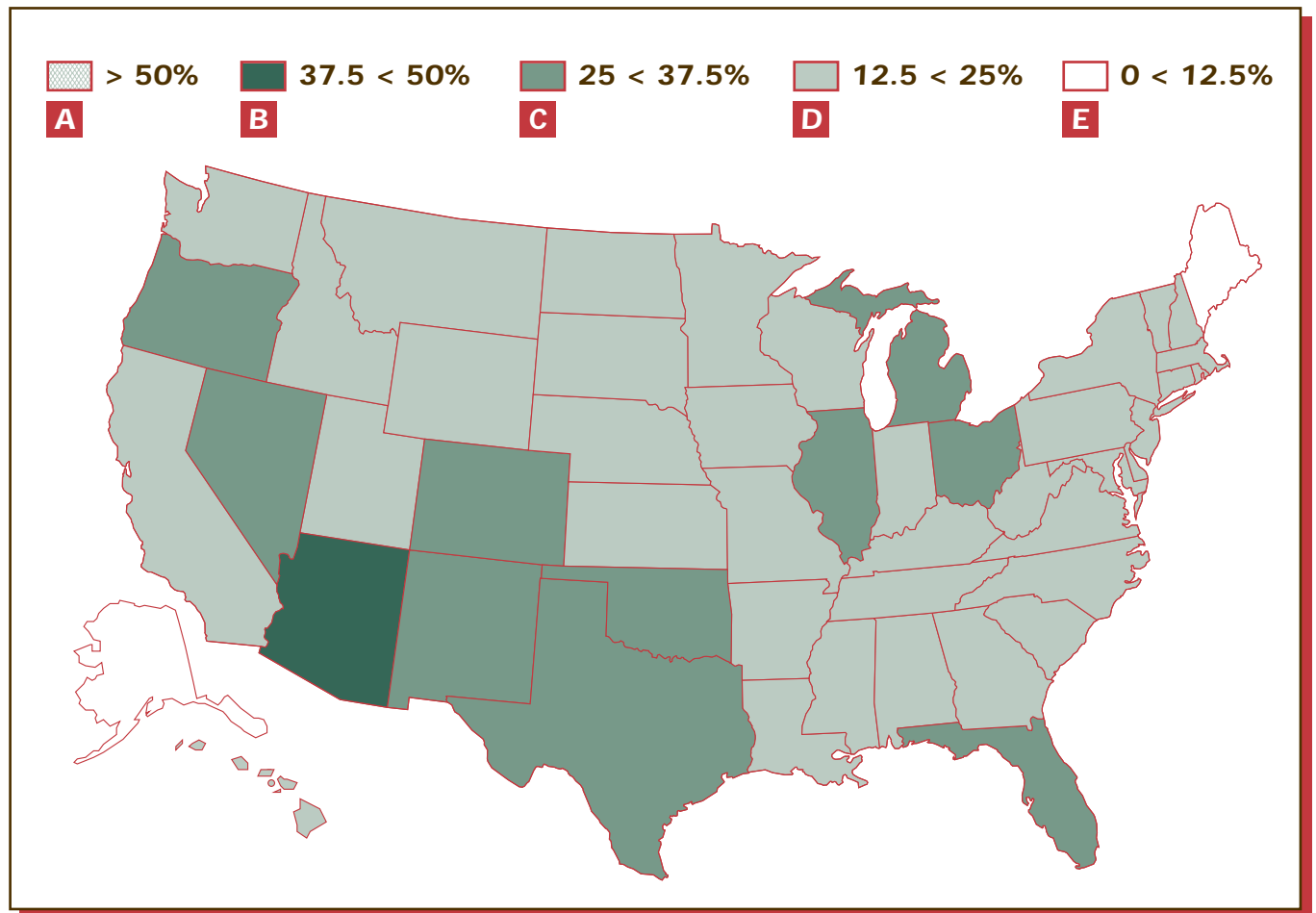


People over 65 who used hospice in the last year of life, 2000

Range 4.9 – 42.0% Mean 21.5%



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