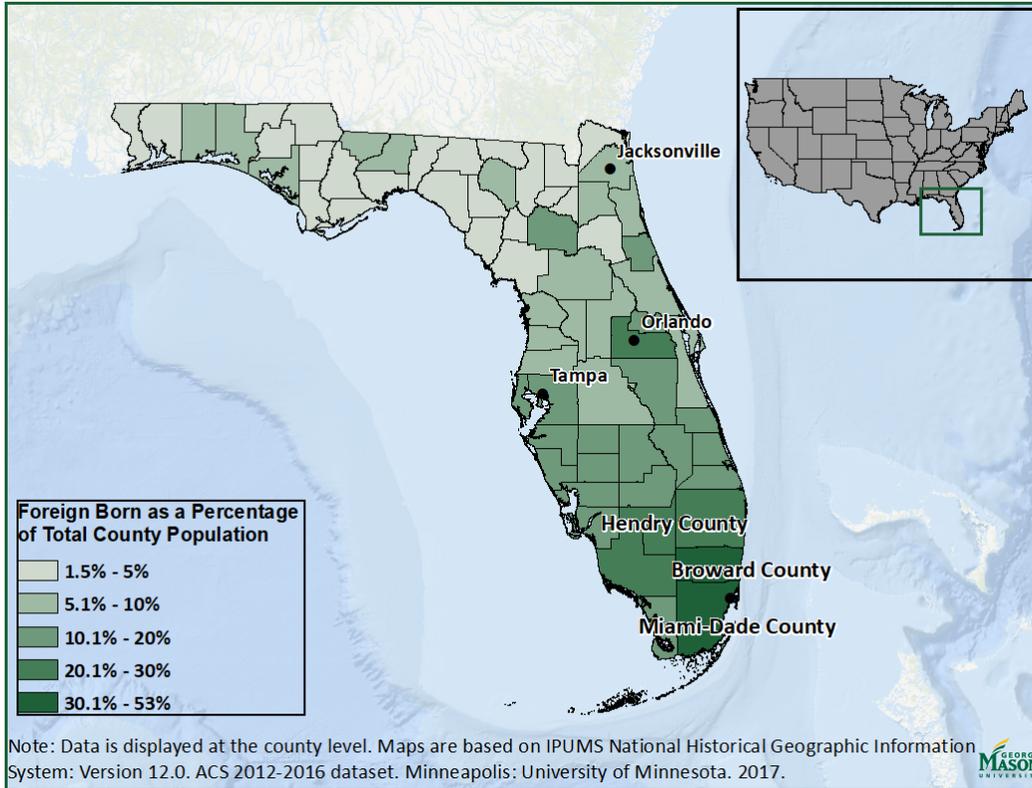


Immigrants in Florida

Figure 1. Immigrants in Florida



2016 NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

- **42,228,200:** Approximate number of immigrants* living in the U.S. (13% of the population)
- **3,981,200:** Approximate number of immigrants living in Florida (20% of the state's population)

Immigrants in Florida

Figure 1 shows how the immigrant population is distributed across the state of Florida. Miami-Dade (52%), Broward (33%) and Hendry (27%) Counties have the highest percentages of foreign-born residents in Florida.

Figure 2. Age Distribution of Immigrants

Age

Figure 2 shows that more than half of the immigrants living in Florida are age 45 or older. The median age of immigrants living in Florida is 47.

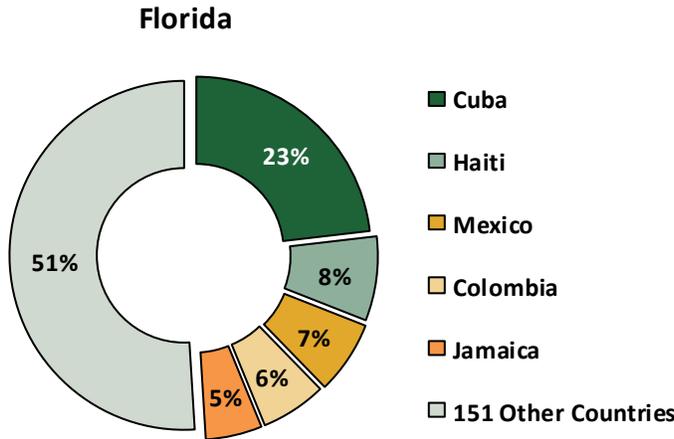
Age	Florida
0 to 4	<1%
5 to 15	4%
16 to 24	8%
25 to 34	15%
35 to 44	19%
45 to 54	19%
55 to 64	15%
65 and Older	20%
Estimated Immigrant Population	3,981,193

All analysis in this fact sheet is based on source data from the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey, 2012-2016 distributed through IPUMS-USA, University of Minnesota, www.ipums.org.

*Please note that the terms "immigrant" and "foreign born" are used interchangeably throughout this fact sheet. Foreign born refers to individuals who are not a U.S. citizen at birth or who were born outside the U.S., Puerto Rico or other U.S. territories and whose parents are not U.S. citizens. The foreign born may include naturalized U.S. citizens, Legal Permanent Residents, temporary residents, refugees and asylees, and others. Additionally, native born includes those who are U.S. citizens at birth, those born in the United States, Puerto Rico, or other U.S. territories, and those born abroad to a parent who is a U.S. citizen.

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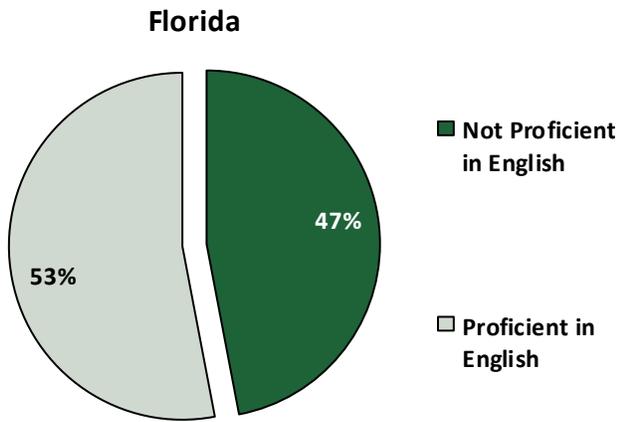
Figure 3. Top Five Birthplaces Among Immigrants



Country of Birth

Figure 3 shows that Cuba is the top country of birth for immigrants in Florida. Slightly fewer than one in four immigrants living in Florida are from Cuba.

Figure 4. English Proficiency Rates Among Immigrants
Foreign-Born Individuals, Age 5+



Est. Pop. = 3,960,716

English Proficiency

Figure 4 shows that more than half of immigrants living in Florida are proficient in English (speaks only English or speaks English very well).

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