Some older adults were more than three times as likely to lose all of their teeth

More than 1 in 3 adults aged 65 or older who were:
- low-income
- had less than a high school education
- currently smoking cigarettes

lost all their teeth

They were more than 3x as likely to lose all of their teeth as the comparison groups.


![Percentage of adults aged 65 or older missing all of their teeth, 2011–2016](chart)

- low-income: 34%
- higher-income*: 11%
- less than HS education: 35%
- more than HS education*: 9%
- currently smoking cigarettes: 43%
- never smoked cigarettes*: 12%

*comparison groups