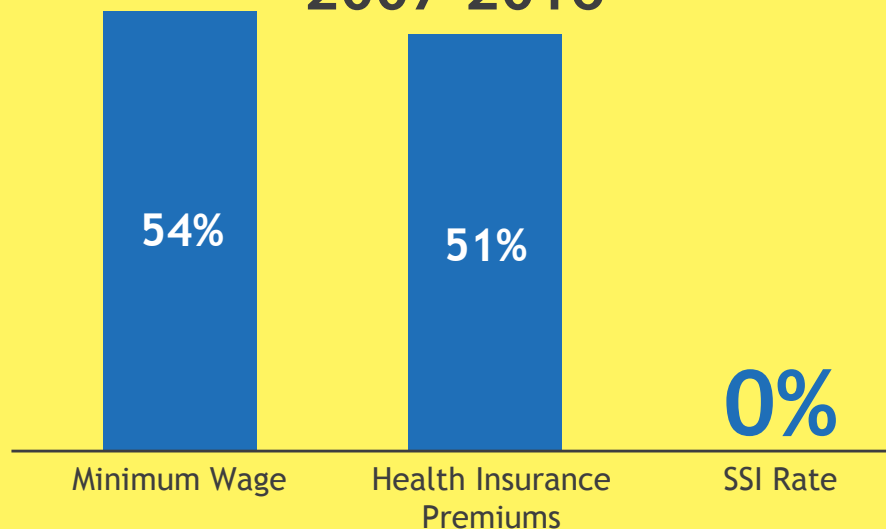


# Facts About New York State's 10-Year SSI Rate Freeze



As adult care facilities (ACFs) across New York continue to struggle with the rising costs of caring for New York's rapidly growing elderly population, the SSI (Supplemental Security Income) rate has remain frozen for the past 10 years at \$41 per day.

## Percentage Increase Cost of Care vs. SSI Rate, 2007-2016



Sources: New York State Department of Labor; Kaiser Family Foundation

**Did You Know?**  
**12,000**  
New Yorkers in adult care facilities depend on SSI.



Sadly, the SSI rate of \$41 per day that we spend on housing and caring for low-income seniors is comparable to the daily cost of boarding a dog.



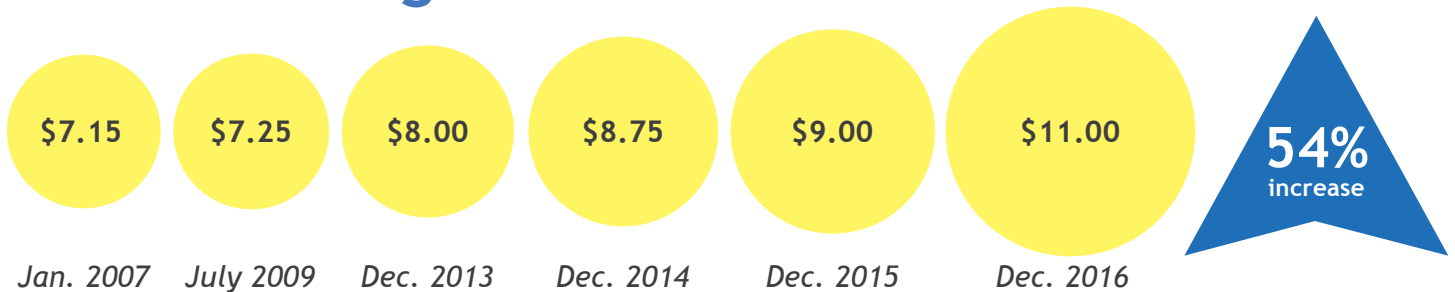
As a result of financial losses, SSI facilities are closing. More than two dozen SSI facilities have shut their doors in the past decade - forcing low-income seniors to search for other care options.

# Facts About Cost Drivers for Adult Care Facilities



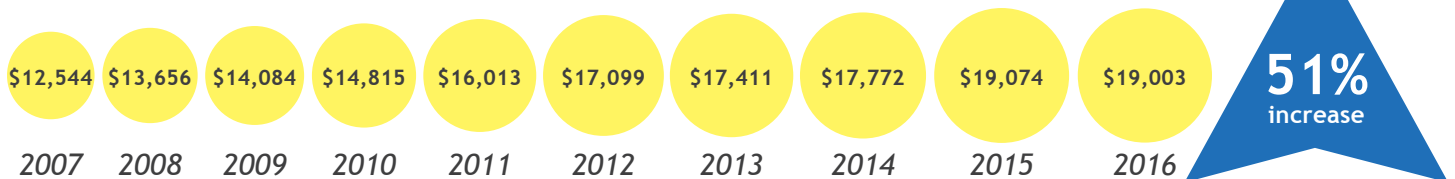
Every Adult Care Facility (ACF) in New York has been impacted by large increases in cost drivers. As these cost drivers continue to rise, more ACFs are forced to close their doors; leaving thousands of seniors without adequate, affordable care.

## Minimum Wage



Source: New York State Department of Labor

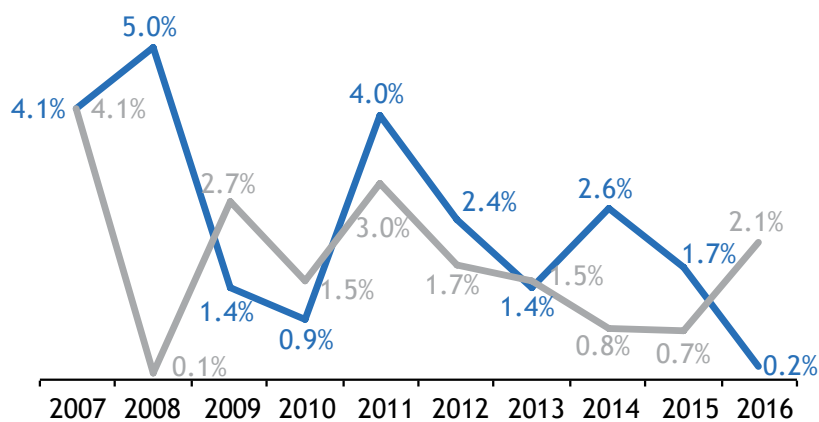
## Health Insurance Premiums\*



\*Premium figures for families residing in the Northeast

Source: Kaiser Family Foundation, [www.kff.org/interactive/premiums-and-worker-contributions/](http://www.kff.org/interactive/premiums-and-worker-contributions/)

## Food Inflation Rate vs. Annual Inflation Rate



Over the last decade, the rate of food inflation outpaced annual inflation by **60%**

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, [www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)