

**RESEARCH DATA & RESOURCES**

Latinos and Economic Security (LES) is a national research project funded by the Ford Foundation designed to enhance retirement security for middle-aged and older Latinos by developing and fostering a new policy agenda that will make issues of aging Latinos a priority for policy makers as well as the Hispanic community.

The rates of homeownership in 2000, an important precursor of asset accumulation, were similar for non-Latino baby boomers and for U.S.-born and naturalized Latino boomers. These rates were lower, however, for both non-citizen Latino boomers and Latino boomers born in U.S. territories.

**BOOMERS' HOMEOWNERSHIP STATUS, BY ETHNICITY AND CITIZENSHIP STATUS**

