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### 1. 13.1 Who Are the Elderly? Aging in Society Questions

4.1.1. In most countries, elderly women \_\_\_\_\_ than elderly men.

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In most countries, elderly women \_\_\_\_\_ than elderly men.

Please choose only one answer:

- are mistreated less
- live a few years longer
- suffer fewer health problems
- deal with issues of aging better

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#### 4.1.2. America's baby boomer generation has contributed to all of the foll...

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America's baby boomer generation has contributed to all of the following except:

Please choose only one answer:

- Social Security's vulnerability
- improved medical technology
- Medicaid being in danger of going bankrupt
- rising Medicare budgets

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#### 4.1.3. The measure that compares the number of men to women in a populatio...

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The measure that compares the number of men to women in a population is \_\_\_\_\_.

Please choose only one answer:

- cohort
- sex ratio
- baby boomer
- disengagement

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4.1.4. The "graying of the United States" refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

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The "graying of the United States" refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

Please choose only one answer:

- the increasing percentage of the population over 65
- faster aging due to stress
- dissatisfaction with retirement plans
- increased health problems such as Alzheimer's

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#### 4.1.5. What is the approximate median age of the United States?

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What is the approximate median age of the United States?

Please choose only one answer:

- 85
- 65
- 37
- 18

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