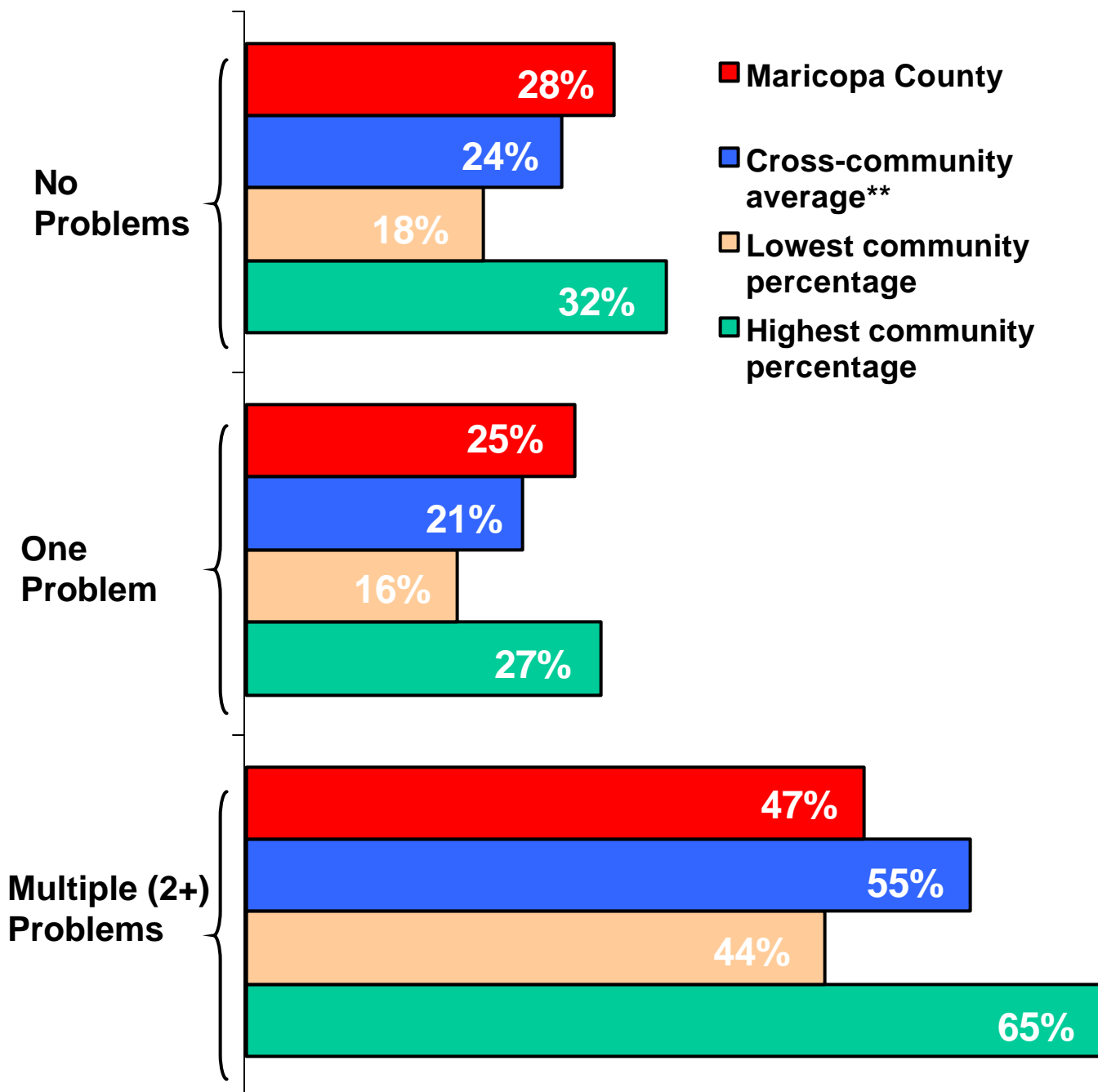


Figure 5.5

## ALL-COMMUNITY COMPARISON

Percentage of people age 65+ who report few/multiple problems\* in the neighborhood



\*People were read a list of ten neighborhood problems and were asked to indicate whether each item posed a big problem, small problem, or no problem in their neighborhood. Responses of "small problem" and "big problem" were combined to indicate a "problem" and summed across all participants to create an index of number of problems.

\*\* The cross-community average was obtained by calculating the percentage for each separate community, then summing these percentages and dividing by the total number of communities.

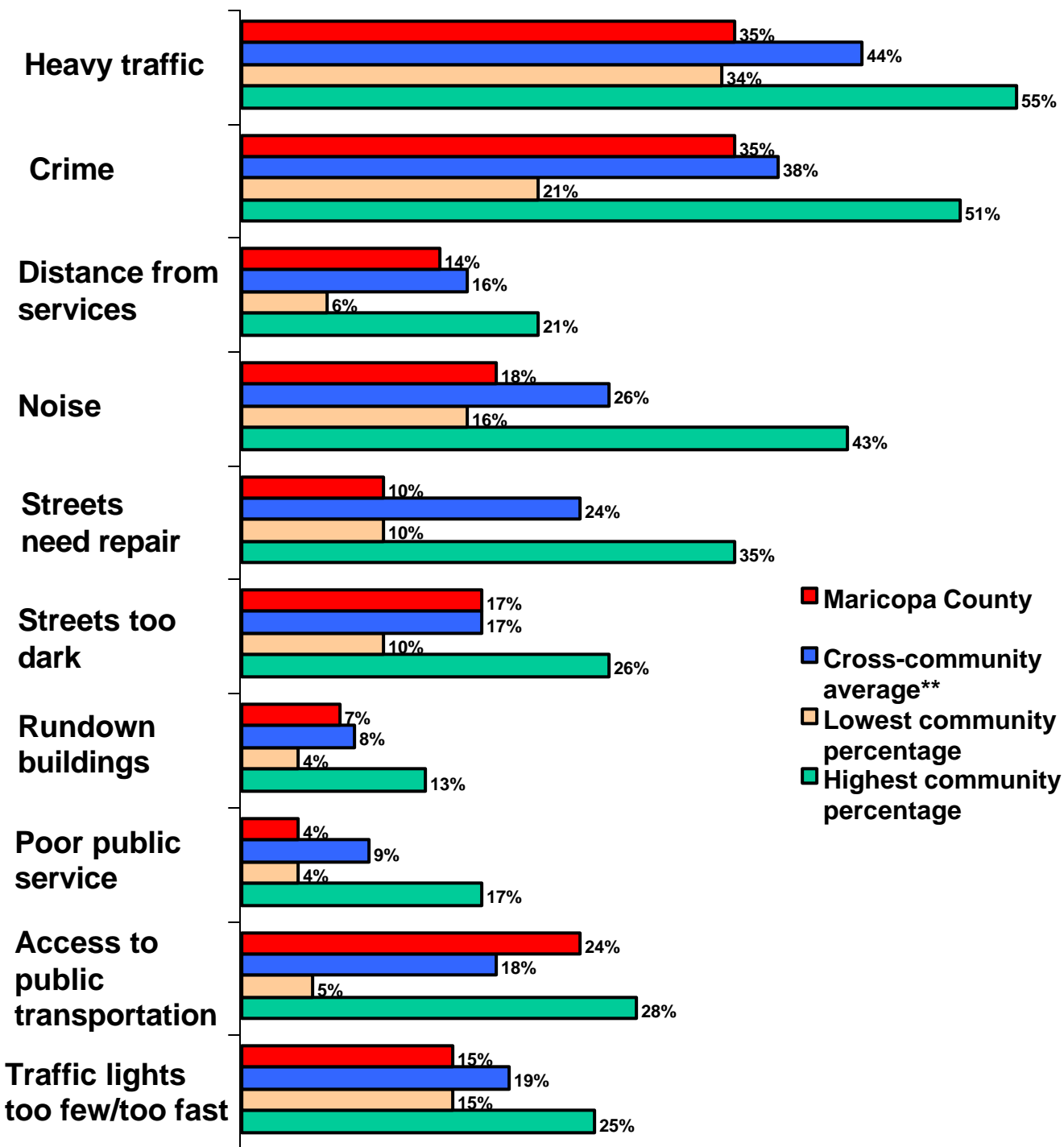
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Figure 5.6

## ALL-COMMUNITY COMPARISON

Percentage of people age 65+ who perceive each item as a problem\* in their community



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