



cognitive decline in georgia

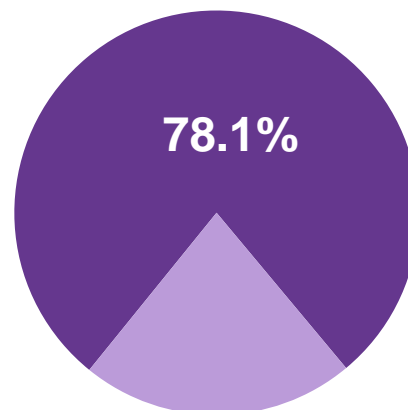
DATA FROM THE 2011 BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM

In Georgia, 14.3 percent – one in seven – of those aged 60 and over report that they are experiencing confusion or memory loss that is happening more often or is getting worse.

Nearly 80 percent of them have not talked to a health care professional about it.

For those with worsening memory problems, one in four says it has interfered with household activities or chores.

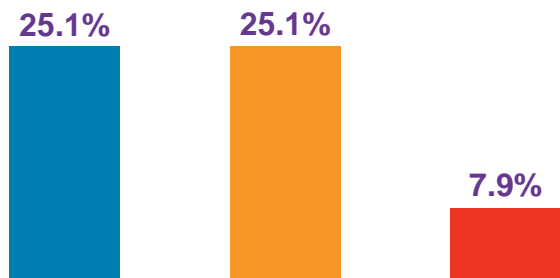
Percent with memory problems who have not talked to a health care provider



Percent of Those Aged 60+ Reporting Worsening Memory Problems in Previous 12 Months

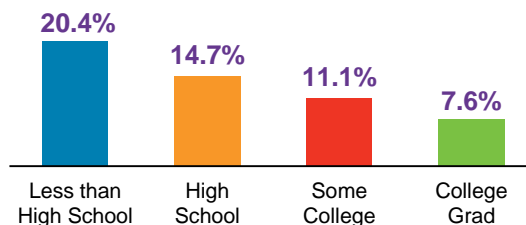
All	Gender		Age				Disability		Veterans	
	Men	Women	60-64	65-74	75-84	85+	Disabled	Not	Veteran	Not
14.3%	14.7%	14.0%	12.2%	12.9%	19.9%	13.4%	21.4%	8.9%	15.7%	13.9%

Percent with memory problems who say it creates difficulties and burden

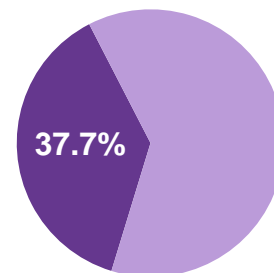


Memory Problems Interfere with Work and Social Activities
 Memory Problems Interfere with Household Activities
 Receive Help from Family and Friends

Percent with memory problems by educational attainment



Percent with memory problems who live alone



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