



dementia caregiving in South Carolina

DATA FROM THE 2021 BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM

More than 1 in 5 caregivers in South Carolina (21.7%) is providing care to an individual with Alzheimer's or other form of dementia.

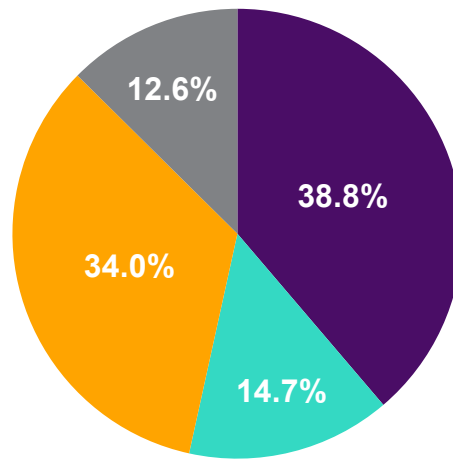
Who are dementia caregivers?

Female	64.0%
Male	36.0%
Urban	93.4%
Rural	6.6%
Also caring for a child	28.0%

Health Effects

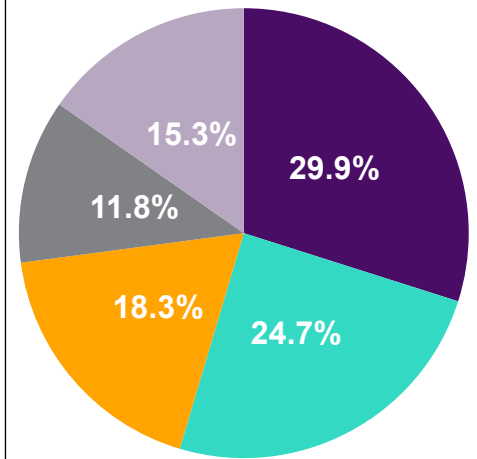
In frequent poor physical health	15.2%
In frequent poor mental health	21.9%
History of depression	31.0%

Relationship to Care Recipient



Child/Child-in-Law Partner/Spouse
Other Relative Non-Relative

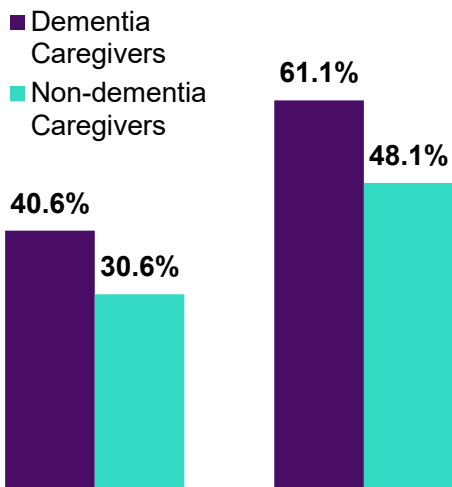
Age



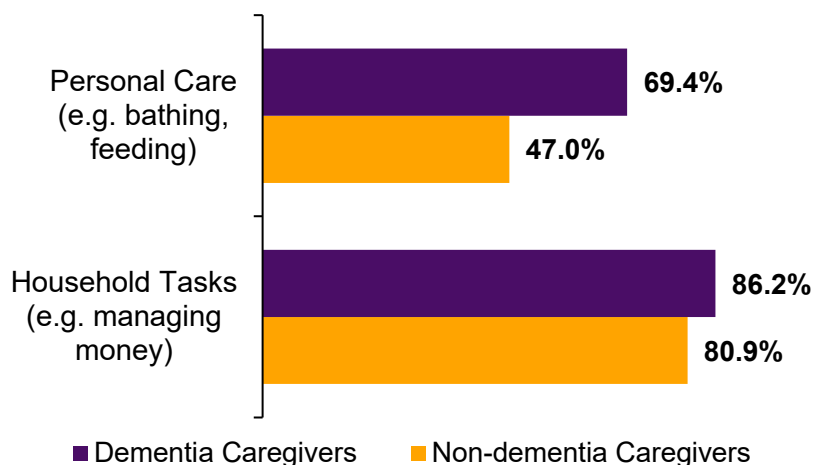
65+ 55-64 45-54
35-44 Under 35

What does dementia caregiving entail?

Length of Care



Type of Assistance Provided



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