



2024 MARYLAND ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



PREVALENCE

Number of People Aged 65 and Older with Alzheimer's (2020)

127,200

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

12.9%



CAREGIVING

of Caregivers

247,000

Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

55.7%

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

405,000,000

Caregivers with Depression

24.8%

Total Value of Unpaid Care

\$8,144,000,000

Caregivers in Poor Physical Health

8.4%



WORKFORCE

of Geriatricians in 2021

146

of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2020

42,560

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand

97.3%

Increase Needed to Meet 2030 Demand

33.4%



HEALTH CARE

of People in Hospice (2017) with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

4,072

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

24.4%

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

17%

Medicaid Costs of Caring for People with Alzheimer's (2020)

\$1.231B

of Emergency Department Visits per 1,000 People with Dementia (2018)

1,524

Projected Change in Medicaid Costs from 2020 to 2025

24.7%

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2023 Dollars

\$37,381



MORTALITY

of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2021)

1,129

Nearly **7 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's, and more than **11 million** provide their unpaid care. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$360 billion** in 2024, increasing to nearly **\$1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century. For more information, view the **2024 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures** report at alz.org/facts.