

NUMBER OF DEATHS FROM **ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (2017)**

1,077

HOSPICE (2016)

of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

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(2015)

HOSPITALS

of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

dementia patient hospital readmission rate



per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2018 dollars)



MEDICAID

Medicaid costs of caring for people with Alzheimer's (2019)

change in costs from 2019 to 2025

NUMBER OF PEOPLE AGED 65 AND OLDER WITH ALZHEIMER'S BY AGE*

Year	65-74	75-84	85+	TOTAL
2019	10,000	31,000	36,000	78,000
2025	11,000	40,000	39,000	91,000

Estimated percentage change





For more information, view the 2019 Alzheimer's **Disease Facts and Figures** report at alz.org/facts.



CAREGIVING (2018)

178,000 Number of Caregivers

202,000,000 Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$2,559,000,000 Total Value of **Unpaid Care**

\$158,000,000 Higher **Health Costs** of Caregivers



US **STATISTICS**

Over 5 million **Americans** are living with Alzheimer's, and nearly **14 million** will have the disease in 2050. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total \$290 billion in 2018. increasing to \$1.1 trillion (in today's dollars) by

one in every three seniors who dies each year has Alzheimer's or

mid-century. Nearly

another dementia.

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