



2024 GEORGIA ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



PREVALENCE

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

188,300

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

12%



CAREGIVING 2ND HIGHEST AVERAGE NUMBER OF HOURS PER CAREGIVER

of Caregivers

374,000

Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

64.9%

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

755,000,000

Caregivers with Depression

33.2%

Total Value of Unpaid Care

\$11,417,000,000

Caregivers in Poor Physical Health

15.1%



WORKFORCE

of Geriatricians in 2021

100

of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2020

44,060

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand

392.0%

Increase Needed to Meet 2030 Demand

37.0%



HEALTH CARE

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

10,435

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

22.5%

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

21%

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

\$1.265B

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

1,573

Projected Change in Medicaid Costs from 2020 to 2025

26%

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2023 Dollars

\$30,219



MORTALITY 254.5% INCREASE IN ALZHEIMER'S DEATHS 2000-2021

of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2021)

4,378

Alzheimer's Disease as Cause of Death Rank

7th

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.