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ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS

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

Year	65-74	75-84	85+	TOTAL
2020	17,000	48,000	50,000	120,000
2025	20,000	60,000	54,000	130,000

* Totals may not add due to rounding

Estimated percentage change



OF DEATHS FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (2018)

2,453

6th leading cause of death



GERIATRICIANS

of geriatricians in 2019 **84**
225% increase needed to meet Alzheimer's population needs in 2050

CAREGIVING (2019)

195,000

Number of Caregivers

223,000,000

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$2,918,000,000

Total Value of Unpaid Care

HOSPITALS (2017)

1,510

of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

35.3%

increase in emergency department visits since 2007

20.1%

dementia patient hospital readmission rate

HOSPICE (2017)

5,086

of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

16%

of people in hospice have a primary diagnosis of dementia



MEDICARE

\$21,516

per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2019 dollars)

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\$777 MILLION

Medicaid costs of caring for people with Alzheimer's (2020)

18.9%

change in costs from 2020 to 2025



More than **5 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$305 billion** in 2020, increasing to more than **\$1.1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century. Nearly **one in every three seniors** who dies each year has Alzheimer's or another dementia.

For more information, view the **2020 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures** report at alz.org/facts.

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