

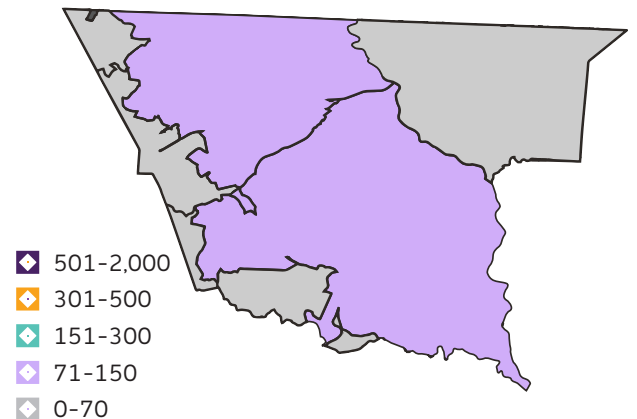
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE & RELATED DEMENTIAS IN CHEROKEE COUNTY, SC

ACCORDING TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE REGISTRY:

- 1,080 individuals in Cherokee County were living with Alzheimer's Disease or Related Dementias (ADRD).
- Cherokee County has seen a 165% increase in documented cases since 2000.*
- Statewide, 122,699 South Carolinians were living with ADRD.

*This fact sheet reflects data from 2021, the most current year that complete data is available through the South Carolina Alzheimer's Disease Registry.

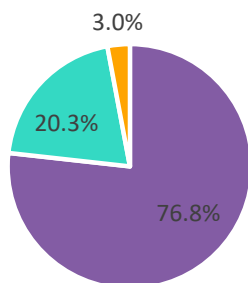
COUNTY MAP: CASES BY ZIP CODE†



†Values above reflect cases in an entire ZIP Code. Since some ZIP Codes cross county boundaries, only a portion of cases from shared ZIP Codes are included in the total cases for the county.

COUNTY CASES BY RACE

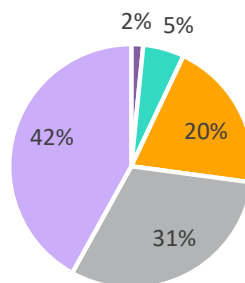
African Americans were 39% more likely to have ADRD than their non-Hispanic white counterparts.**



†Includes Asian, American Indian, Hispanic, and Unknown

COUNTY CASES BY AGE

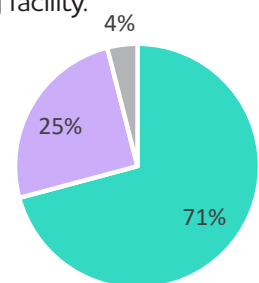
While most individuals with ADRD were 65 or older, 7.0% of county cases were under the age of 65.



Legend: <55, 55-64, 65-74, 75-84, >85

PLACE OF RESIDENCE

At time of diagnosis, most county residents lived in a community setting§ rather than in a skilled nursing facility.



§Community Settings may include Assisted Living environments.

**Statewide, African Americans in South Carolina were an average of 35% more likely to have ADRD than their non-Hispanic white counterparts.

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