

ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



## **PREVALENCE**

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

Year TOTAL

2020 410,000

2025 460,000 **ESTIMATED % CHANGE** 

12.2%





more deaths than expected from dementia in 2020

8 % higher than average

OF DEATHS FROM ALZHEIMER'S **DISEASE (2019)** 

3.753



#### **HOSPICE** (2017)

# of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

% in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia



**HOSPITALS** (2018)

# of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

23.7%

dementia patient hospital readmission rate



# MEDICAID

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

15.6%

projected change in costs from 2020 to 2025



### **MEDICARE**

\$33,631

per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2020 dollars)

More than 6 million

### **CAREGIVING** (2020)

586,000 Number of Caregivers

**52.2**%

% of caregivers with chronic health conditions 774,000,000

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

% of caregivers with depression \$14,620,000,000

Total Value of Unpaid Care

% of caregivers in poor physical health

10<sup>th</sup> highest percentage of adults who are dementia caregivers

Americans are living with Alzheimer's. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$355 billion** in 2021, increasing to more than \$1.1 trillion (in today's dollars) by mid-century. Dementia caregivers today are providing 20% more care than in 2009.

