



North Carolina

ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS

In the United States, an estimated **5.4 million people** are living with Alzheimer's disease, and someone develops the disease every **69 seconds**. Unless something is done, as many as **16 million** Americans will have Alzheimer's in 2050 and someone will develop the disease every **33 seconds**. In 2010, **14.9 million** family members and friends provided **17 billion hours** of unpaid care to those with Alzheimer's and other dementias – care valued at **\$202.6 billion**.

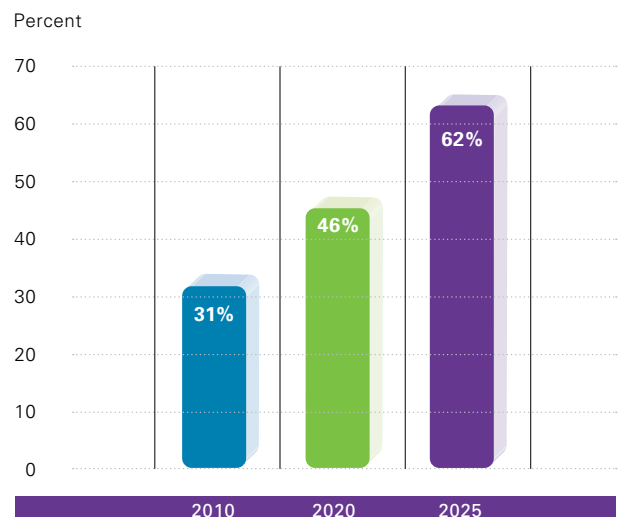
Number of People Aged 65 and Older with Alzheimer's by Age

Year	65–74	75–84	85+	Total	% change from 2000
2000	9,400	72,000	53,000	130,000	
2010	9,200	80,000	78,000	170,000	31%
2020	12,000	88,000	89,000	190,000	46%
2025	14,000	110,000	94,000	210,000	62%

Number of Alzheimer's and Dementia Caregivers, Hours of Unpaid Care, and Economic Value of Care

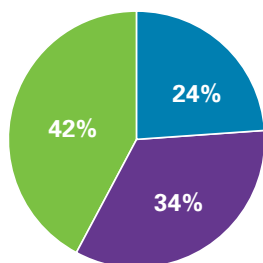
Year	Number of Caregivers	Total Hours of Unpaid Care	Total Value of Unpaid Care
2008	317,742	274,274,804	\$3,044,450,328
2009	356,851	406,381,406	\$4,673,386,174
2010	415,521	473,194,910	\$5,645,215,276

Percentage Change in Number with Alzheimer's Disease Compared to 2000



Cognitive Impairment in Nursing Home Residents, 2008

Total Nursing Home Residents **89,223**



Level of Cognitive Impairment

- severe/moderate
- mild/very mild
- none

Number of Deaths Due to Alzheimer's Disease in 2007

2,460