Subjective Cognitive Decline in Rhode Island

Data from the 2015 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

1 in 9 people aged 45 and older are experiencing Subjective Cognitive Decline.

SCD is self-reported MEMORY PROBLEMS that have been getting worse over the past year.

Only HALF with SCD have talked to a health care provider about it.

Over 75% with SCD have at least one chronic condition.

Among those with SCD...

39.9% needed help with household chores.

46.7% had to give up day-to-day activities.

TWO in FIVE say SCD interfered with social activities, work, or volunteering.

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