



# NUMBER OF DEATHS FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (2017)

3,710

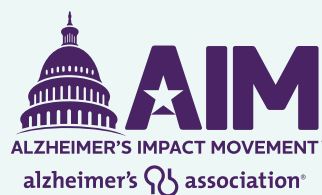
9<sup>th</sup> highest Alzheimer's death rate in America

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

\* Totals may not add due to rounding

Year	65-74	75-84	85+	TOTAL
2019	18,000	48,000	46,000	110,000
2025	23,000	68,000	54,000	140,000

Estimated percentage change



For more information, view the 2019 **Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures** report at [alz.org/facts](http://alz.org/facts).

HOSPICE (2016)

5,305

# of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

21%

of people in hospice have a primary diagnosis of dementia

MEDICARE

\$20,674

per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2018 dollars)

HOSPITALS (2015)

1,415

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

17.7%

dementia patient hospital readmission rate

MEDICAID

\$517 MILLION

Medicaid costs of caring for people with Alzheimer's (2019)

↑ 31.8% change in costs from 2019 to 2025

CAREGIVING (2018)

348,000 Number of Caregivers

396,000,000 Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$5,011,000,000 Total Value of Unpaid Care

\$249,000,000 Higher Health Costs of Caregivers

US STATISTICS

Over **5 million** Americans are living with Alzheimer's, and nearly **14 million** will have the disease in 2050. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$290 billion** in 2018, increasing to **\$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.