# 2025 DELAWARE ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



### **PREVALENCE**

Number of People Aged 65 and Older with Alzheimer's (2020)

22,300

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

11.3%

## WORKFORCE

# of Geriatricians in 2021

17

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand

**158.8**%

# of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2022

9,530

Increase Needed to Meet 2032 Demand

29.6%

### CAREGIVING

# of Caregivers

32,000

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

47M

Total Value of Unpaid Care

\$1.1B

Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

61.8%

Caregivers with Depression

23.3%

### **HEALTH CARE**

# of People in Hospice (2017) with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

716

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

12%

# of Emergency Department Visits per 1,000 People with Dementia (2018)

1,578

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

21.5%

Medicaid Costs of Caring for People with Alzheimer's (2025)

\$339M

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2024 Dollars

\$33,418

More than **7 million** 

**Americans** are living with Alzheimer's.

and nearly 12 million

provide their unpaid

care. The cost of caring for those

with Alzheimer's

and other dementias

is estimated to total

**\$384 billion** in 2025,

increasing to nearly

\$1 trillion

(in today's dollars) by mid-century.

For more

information, view

the 2025 Alzheimer's

Disease Facts and

Figures report at

alz.org/facts.



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# **MORTALITY**

295.5% INCREASE IN ALZHEIMER'S DEATHS 2000-2022

# of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2022)

Alzheimer's Disease as Cause of Death Rank

7th

435