



cognitive decline in New York

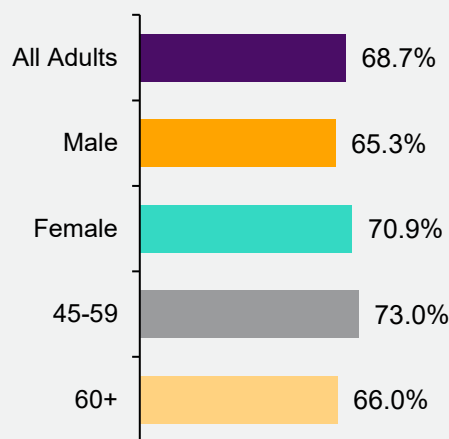
DATA FROM THE 2023 BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM

In New York, 15.7% of adults 45 and older are experiencing subjective cognitive decline (SCD) – that is, thinking or memory problems that are getting worse.

Among those with SCD...

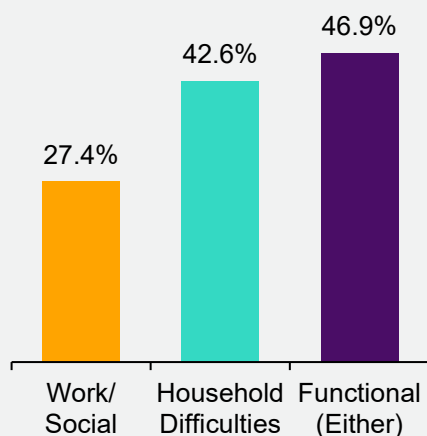
68.7% are worried about it.

Percentage with SCD who are worried



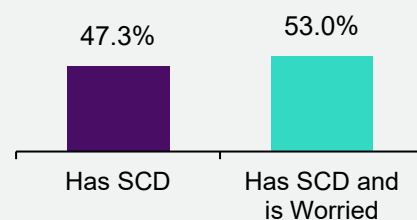
46.9% say it causes difficulties.

Percentage with SCD who have limitations

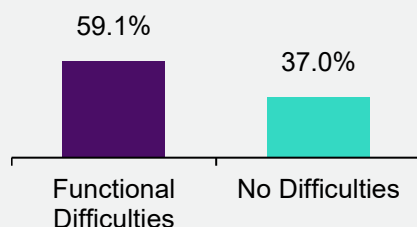


Only 47.3% have talked to a health professional about it.

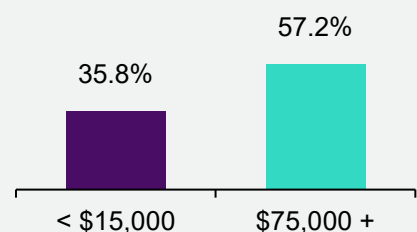
Percentage who have spoken to a health care provider



Those who are experiencing functional difficulties are more likely to talk to a provider . . .

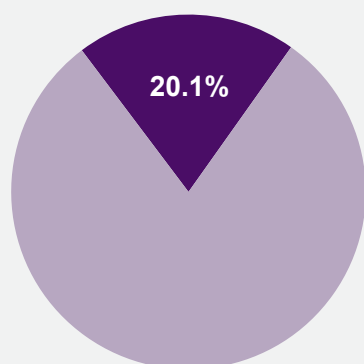


In New York, those with incomes under \$15,000 are least likely to talk to a provider about SCD . . .



20.1% live alone.

Percentage with SCD who live alone



Percentage with SCD:

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| Female | 17.4% |
| Male | 13.7% |
| 60 and older | 16.1% |
| <High School | 19.8% |
| High School | 15.1% |
| Some College | 18.8% |
| College Grad | 12.3% |
| Income <\$15,000 | 19.5% |
| \$15,000 - \$24,999 | 29.6% |
| \$25,000 - \$49,999 | 18.4% |
| \$50,000 - \$74,999 | 15.9% |
| \$75,000 or more | 11.5% |
| Veteran | 15.6% |
| Fair/Poor Health | 29.5% |