

2025 TENNESSEE ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS

PREVALENCE

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

129,200

% of Adults Over 65
with Alzheimer's

10.9%

WORKFORCE

of Geriatricians
in 2021

74

Increase Needed to
Meet 2050 Demand

232.4%

of Home Health
and Personal Care
Aides in 2022

32,820

Increase Needed to
Meet 2032 Demand

42.8%

CAREGIVING

of Caregivers

386,000

Total Hours
of Unpaid Care

675M

Total Value
of Unpaid Care

\$13.2B

Caregivers with Chronic
Health Conditions

67.3%

Caregivers
with Depression

33.4%

Caregivers in
Poor Physical Health

16.4%

HEALTH CARE

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

6,435

Hospice Residents
with a Primary Diagnosis
of Dementia

19%

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

1,549

Dementia Patient
Hospital Readmission
Rate (2018)

21.5%

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

\$1.5B

Per Capita Medicare
Spending on People with
Dementia in 2024 Dollars

\$29,420

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

186.4% INCREASE IN ALZHEIMER'S DEATHS 2000-2022

of Deaths from
Alzheimer's Disease (2022)

2,933

Alzheimer's Disease as
Cause of Death Rank

7th