



2024 KENTUCKY ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



PREVALENCE

Number of People Aged 65 and Older with Alzheimer's (2020) **80,500** % of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's **10.4%**



CAREGIVING 5TH HIGHEST AVERAGE NUMBER OF HOURS PER CAREGIVER

of Caregivers **157,000** Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions **65.5%**

Total Hours of Unpaid Care **302,000,000** Caregivers with Depression **39.8%**

Total Value of Unpaid Care **\$4,869,000,000** Caregivers in Poor Physical Health **21.4%**



WORKFORCE

of Geriatricians in 2021 **39** # of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2020 **22,230**

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand **430.8%** Increase Needed to Meet 2030 Demand **35.5%**



HEALTH CARE

of People in Hospice (2017) with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia **2,895** Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018) **23.1%**

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia **15%** Medicaid Costs of Caring for People with Alzheimer's (2020) **\$803M**

of Emergency Department Visits per 1,000 People with Dementia (2018) **1,735** Projected Change in Medicaid Costs from 2020 to 2025 **18.2%**

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2023 Dollars **\$29,473**



MORTALITY

of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2021) **1,632**

Nearly **7 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's, and more than **11 million** provide their unpaid care. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$360 billion** in 2024, increasing to nearly **\$1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century. For more information, view the **2024 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures** report at alz.org/facts.