

2026

ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS NORTH DAKOTA



PREVALENCE

13,700

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

11.1%

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

of Geriatricians in 2021

19

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand

42.1%

of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2022

7,310

Increase Needed to Meet 2032 Demand

23.3%

WORKFORCE

More than **7 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's, and more than **12 million** provide their unpaid care. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$409 billion** in 2026, increasing to nearly **\$1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century.

For more information, view the *2026 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures* report at alz.org/facts.

CAREGIVING

19,000

 # of Caregivers

26M

 Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$609M

 Total Value of Unpaid Care

60.1%

Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

30.4%

Caregivers with Depression

8.6%

Caregivers in Poor Physical Health

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

468

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

18.0%

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

1,173

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

18.4%

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

\$244M

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2025 Dollars

\$23,985

HEALTH CARE

MORTALITY

375

 # of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2024)

4th

highest Alzheimer's death rate in the U.S.

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leading cause of death