2022 Alzheimer’s Disease Facts and Figures

1 in 3 seniors dies with Alzheimer’s or another dementia

Over 11 million Americans provide unpaid care for people with Alzheimer’s or other dementias

These caregivers provided more than 16 billion hours valued at nearly $272 billion

More than 6 million Americans are living with Alzheimer’s

In 2020, COVID-19 contributed to a 17% increase in Alzheimer’s and dementia deaths

It kills more than breast cancer and prostate cancer combined

Between 2000 and 2019, deaths from heart disease have decreased 7.3%

while deaths from Alzheimer’s disease have increased 145%

In 2022, Alzheimer’s and other dementias will cost the nation $321 billion

By 2050, these costs could rise to nearly $1 trillion

More than 80% of Americans know little or are not familiar with mild cognitive impairment (MCI), which can be an early stage of Alzheimer’s.

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