## Vermont Alzheimer's Statistics

### Prevalence

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### Hospice (2017)

- 543 
  - # of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia
- 17% 
  - % in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

### Hospitals (2018)

- 1,528 
  - # of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia
- 19.6% 
  - Dementia patient hospital readmission rate

### Medicaid

- $116 million
  - Medicaid costs of caring for people with Alzheimer’s (2020)
- 26.4% 
  - Projected change in costs from 2020 to 2025

### Medicare

- $23,830 per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2020 dollars)

### Caregiving (2020)

- 25,000 Number of Caregivers
- 36,000,000 Total Hours of Unpaid Care
- $717,000,000 Total Value of Unpaid Care

### Mortality

- 315 of deaths from Alzheimer’s Disease (2019)
  - 5th leading cause of death
- 47 more deaths than expected from dementia in 2020
- 7.6% higher than average

### Dementia Deaths During the COVID-19 Pandemic

- 30.8% more deaths than expected from dementia in 2020

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