

VERMONT

ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS

65⁺ NUMBER OF PEOPLE AGED 65 AND OLDER WITH ALZHEIMER'S BY AGE*

Year	65-74	75-84	85+	TOTAL
2020	2,300	5,800	5,300	13,000
2025	2,600	7,900	6,100	17,000

* Totals may not add due to rounding

Estimated percentage change



OF DEATHS FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (2018)

333

2nd highest Alzheimer's death rate in America

.48.5% increase in Alzh

5th leading cause of death



of geriatricians in 2019

540% increase needed to meet Alzheimer's

to meet Alzheimer's population needs in 2050



CAREGIVING (2019)

30,000 Number of Caregivers

34,000,000 Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$449,000,000 Total Value of Unpaid Care



HOSPITALS (2017)

1,486

of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

28.3%

department visits since 2007

19.2%

dementia patient hospital readmission rate



543

of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

17%

of people in hospice have a primary diagnosis of dementia



\$116 MILLION

Medicaid costs of caring for people with Alzheimer's (2020)

26.4%

from 2020 to 2025



\$22,588

spending on people with dementia (in 2019 dollars)



More than 5 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total \$305 billion in 2020, increasing to more than \$1.1 trillion (in today's dollars) by mid-century. Nearly one in every three seniors who dies each year has Alzheimer's or another dementia.

For more information, view the 2020 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures report at alz.org/facts.

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