



# CALIFORNIA FACT SHEET

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## ALZHEIMER'S AND LATINOS IN CALIFORNIA

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### PREVALENCE

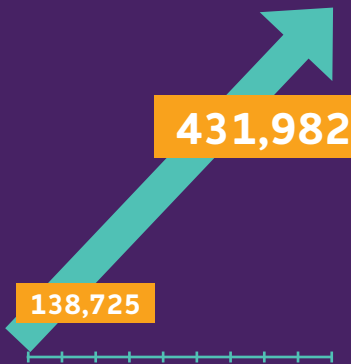


**31+%**

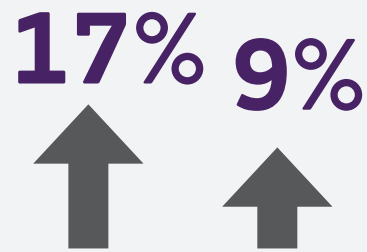
A 2016 study by Kaiser Permanente estimates that over 31% of its Latino members who are dementia-free at age 65 will be diagnosed with dementia over the next 25 years.

**20%**  
In 2019, 20% of Californians living with Alzheimer's were Latino.

Alzheimer's will more than triple among Latino Californians by 2040.



The poverty rate for Latinos aged 65 and older is 17% compared to 9% for all Americans aged 65 and older.



Current scientific knowledge suggests that Latinos may be at greater risk of developing dementia than other ethnic groups due to increased life expectancy, health conditions, and socioeconomic factors.

Latinos in California are descended from a variety of countries. Alzheimer's rates may vary by subgroup and levels of acculturation.



### CAREGIVING



Latino caregivers generally spend a higher proportion of their income on out-of-pocket costs to provide care when compared to White and AAPI caregivers.



Data comes from the California Department of Public Health Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Facts and Figures in California: Current Status and Future Projections report.