

2026

ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS NEW YORK



PREVALENCE

426,500

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

12.7%

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

714

of Geriatricians in 2021

of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2022

551,740

Increase Needed to Meet 2032 Demand

28.7%

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

776,000 # of Caregivers

1.3B Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$33.8B Total Value of Unpaid Care

61.2%
Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

20.5%
Caregivers with Depression

15.5%
Caregivers in Poor Physical Health

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

7,669

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

16.0%

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

1,461

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

23.7%

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

\$7.14B

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2025 Dollars

\$45,486

HEALTH CARE

MORTALITY

3,208 # of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2024)

