

# 2025 KENTUCKY ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



## PREVALENCE

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

**80,500**

% of Adults Over 65 with Alzheimer's

**10.4%**

## WORKFORCE

# of Geriatricians in 2021

**48**

Increase Needed to Meet 2050 Demand

**200.0%**

# of Home Health and Personal Care Aides in 2022

**24,650**

Increase Needed to Meet 2032 Demand

**23.9%**

## CAREGIVING

# of Caregivers

**160,000**

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

**307M**

Total Value of Unpaid Care

**\$4.9B**

Caregivers with Chronic Health Conditions

**65.5%**

Caregivers with Depression

**39.8%**

Caregivers in Poor Physical Health

**21.4%**

Average Number of Hours per Caregiver Rank

**5th**

## HEALTH CARE

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

**2,895**

Hospice Residents with a Primary Diagnosis of Dementia

**15%**

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

**1,735**

Dementia Patient Hospital Readmission Rate (2018)

**23.1%**

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

**\$1.0B**

Per Capita Medicare Spending on People with Dementia in 2024 Dollars

**\$30,450**

More than **7 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's, and nearly **12 million** provide their unpaid care. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$384 billion** in 2025, increasing to nearly **\$1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century.

For more information, view the *2025 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures* report at [alz.org/facts](https://alz.org/facts).



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## MORTALITY

# of Deaths from Alzheimer's Disease (2022)

**1,509**