



# MONTANA

## ALZHEIMER'S STATISTICS



### PREVALENCE

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

Year	TOTAL	ESTIMATED % CHANGE
2020	22,000	<b>22.7%</b>
2025	27,000	



### MORTALITY



DEMENTIA DEATHS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

**168** more deaths than expected from dementia in 2020 **17.8%** higher than average

**#** OF DEATHS FROM ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (2019)

**326**

**6<sup>th</sup>** leading cause of death

Death certificates often list acute conditions such as pneumonia as the primary cause of death. As a result, people with Alzheimer's may not be counted among the number of people who die from Alzheimer's although it may have been the causative factor.



HOSPICE (2017)

**507**

# of people in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia

**11%**

% in hospice with a primary diagnosis of dementia



HOSPITALS (2018)

**1,329**

# of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

**16.6%**

dementia patient hospital readmission rate



MEDICAID

**\$ 166** MILLION

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

**22.2%**

projected change in costs from 2020 to 2025



MEDICARE

**\$19,995**

per capita Medicare spending on people with dementia (in 2020 dollars)



CAREGIVING (2020)

**16,000**

Number of Caregivers

**24,000,000**

Total Hours of Unpaid Care

**\$425,000,000**

Total Value of Unpaid Care

**56.9%**

% of caregivers with chronic health conditions

**22.8%**

% of caregivers with depression

**10.0%**

% of caregivers in poor physical health

More than **6 million Americans** are living with Alzheimer's. The cost of caring for those with Alzheimer's and other dementias is estimated to total **\$355 billion** in 2021, increasing to more than **\$1.1 trillion** (in today's dollars) by mid-century. Dementia caregivers today are providing **20% more care** than in 2009.



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For more information, view the **2021 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures** report at [alz.org/facts](http://alz.org/facts).

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