

2019 Alzheimer's Association® Facts & Figures

Alzheimer's is the...

6th leading cause of death in the United States



Every 65 seconds

someone in the United States develops Alzheimer's

5.8 Million

Americans are living with Alzheimer's

By **2050**, this number is projected to rise to nearly

14 Million



1 in 3

seniors dies with Alzheimer's or another dementia

Alzheimer's kills more than breast cancer and prostate cancer

combined



Between 2000 and 2017 deaths from heart disease have decreased by

9%



while deaths from Alzheimer's have increased by

145%



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Montana Caregiving 2018

50,000 Number of Caregivers

57,000,000 Total Hours of Unpaid Care

\$723,000,000 Total Value of Unpaid Care

\$37,000,000 Higher Health Costs of Caregivers

Number of Montanans Aged 65 and Older With Alzheimer's

Year	65 – 74	75 – 84	85+	TOTAL
2019	3,300	8,900	8,800	21,000
2025	4,200	12,000	10,000	27,000

285

of deaths in Montana from Alzheimer's Disease (2017)



Hospitals 2015

1,230 # of emergency department visits per 1,000 people with dementia

16.3% dementia patients hospital readmission rate

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