

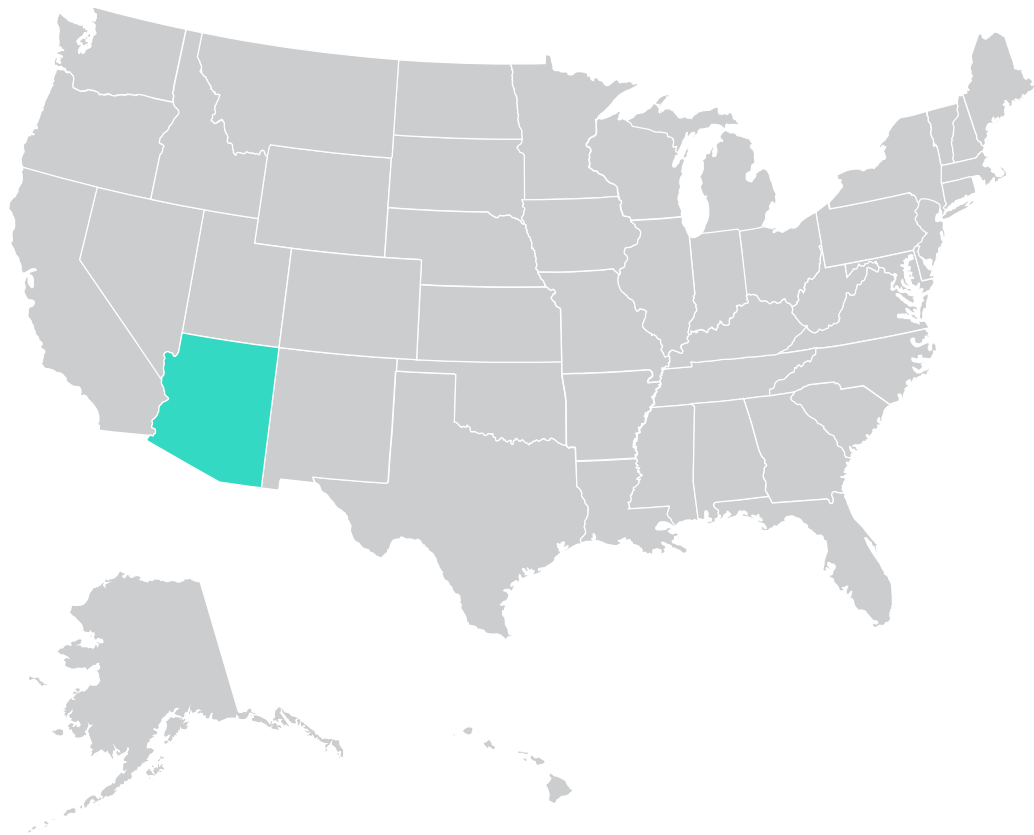


2022 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures



 <p>1 in 3 seniors dies with Alzheimer's or another dementia</p>	<p>Over 11 million Americans provide unpaid care for people with Alzheimer's or other dementias</p>	 <p>These caregivers provided more than 16 billion hours valued at nearly \$272 billion</p>
 <p>More than 6 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's</p>	 <p>In 2020, COVID-19 contributed to a 17% increase in Alzheimer's and dementia deaths</p>	<p>In 2022, Alzheimer's and other dementias will cost the nation \$321 billion</p>
<p>Between 2000 and 2019, deaths from heart disease have decreased 7.3%</p>	<p>It kills more than breast cancer and prostate cancer combined</p>	<p>By 2050, these costs could rise to nearly \$1 trillion</p>
<p>while deaths from Alzheimer's disease have increased 145%</p>	<p>More than 80% of Americans know little or are not familiar with mild cognitive impairment (MCI), which can be an early stage of Alzheimer's.</p>	



In

Arizona

alone, there are more than

150,000

people age 65 and older living with Alzheimer's disease.

They are supported by

257,000

caregivers - many of whom provide unpaid care.

MAKING AN IMPACT



CARE AND SUPPORT

The Alzheimer's Association works on a national and local level to provide care and support for all of those affected by Alzheimer's and other dementias.



RESEARCH

As the largest nonprofit funder of Alzheimer's research, the Association is committed to advancing vital research toward methods of treatment, prevention and, ultimately, a cure.



ADVOCACY

The Alzheimer's Association is the leading voice for Alzheimer's disease advocacy, fighting for critical Alzheimer's research and care initiatives at the state and federal level.

ALZHEIMER'S IMPACT ON FAMILIES

Alzheimer's is taking a physical, emotional, social and financial toll on people worldwide. Alzheimer's is not an elderly person's issue – **it's a family issue.**



APPROXIMATELY 25%

of caregivers are in the “sandwich generation”, caring for an aging parent and children under the age of 18



16 BILLION HOURS

In 2021, more than 11 million Americans provided an estimated 16 billion hours of unpaid care, valued at more than \$271 billion.



FINANCIALLY DEVASTATING

Alzheimer's is the most expensive disease in the U.S. By 2050, it could cost the nation as much as \$1.1 trillion

ALZHEIMER'S IN THE WORKPLACE

EMPLOYEE - CAREGIVER GROWTH

1 in 6 employees provide some level of care for a family member or friend; and the number of employee - caregivers is expected to **grow exponentially** over the coming decade

Employees may be juggling work and caregiving responsibilities leading to **Absenteeism**



57%

of employed caregivers had to go in late, call in sick or take time off due to caregiving duties

25%

Nearly 1/4 of caregivers are in the “Sandwich generation” caring for an aging parent and a child under the age of 18

\$34B

Employee caregivers often neglect their own care leading to increased health care costs resulting in losses to U.S. employers of up to \$34 Billion annually



Held annually in more than 600 communities nationwide, the **Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's®** is the world's largest fundraiser for Alzheimer's care, support and research.

alz.org/walk



START A TEAM **TODAY!**



ALZHEIMER'S  ASSOCIATION®

Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's®

Walk to End Alzheimer's – Quad Cities

October 1st
Yavapai College - Prescott
Alz.org/quadcitieswalk

Walk to End Alzheimer's - West Valley

October 15th
Glendale Heroes Regional Park - Glendale
Alz.org/westvalleywalk

Walk to End Alzheimer's – Verde Valley

October 22nd
Dead Horse State Park - Cottonwood
Alz.org/verdevalleywalk

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Dead Horse State Park - Cottonwood
Alz.org/verdevalleywalk

Walk to End Alzheimer's - Phoenix

November 5th
Wesley Bolin Plaza
Alz.org/phoenixwalk

Walk to End Alzheimer's – Yuma

November 12th
West Wetlands Park
Alz.org/yumawalk