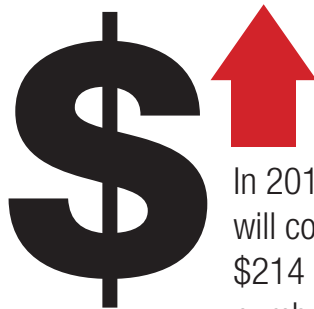


# 2014 Alzheimer's Disease Facts & Figures

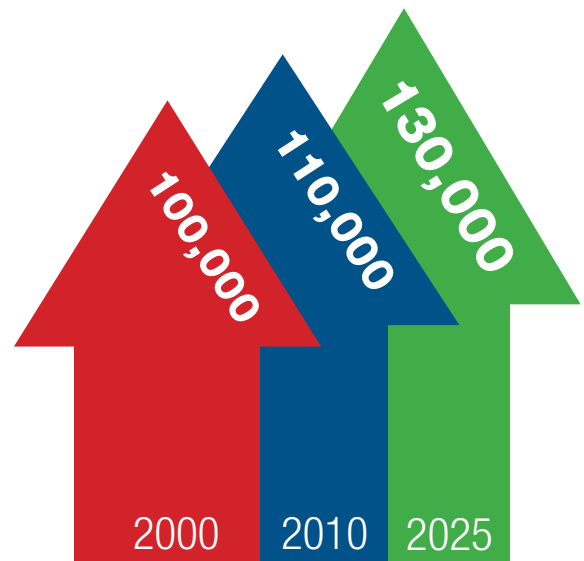
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Alzheimer's is the sixth leading cause of death in the United States.

Deaths from Alzheimer's have increased 68% between 2000 and 2010 while deaths from other major diseases have decreased.



In 2014, Alzheimer's will cost the nation \$214 billion. This number is expected to rise to \$1.2 trillion by 2050.



Projected number of Wisconsin residents with Alzheimer's disease by 2025 is 130,000.

Alzheimer's is the only cause of death among the top 10 in the United States that cannot be prevented, cured or even slowed.

Dementia is the second largest contributor to death among older Americans, second only to heart failure.



Healthy brain



Alzheimer's brain

Data is taken from Alzheimer's Association's 2014 Alzheimer's Disease Facts and Figures report.



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