

DEMENTIA

Saskatchewan statistics



based on an analysis of 10 linked administrative health data databases (2012/13)

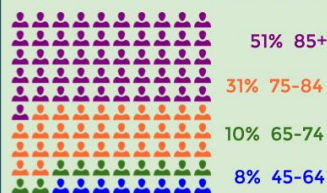
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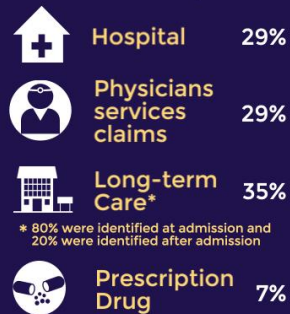
3,270

Number of individuals newly identified with dementia in a 12-month period

Age when first identified



DATABASE of identification (how individuals were first identified with dementia)



PREVALENCE

13,012

Number of individuals living with dementia in a 12-month period



WHO is currently living with dementia?



5 Recommendations for Action

- ✓ Establish a patient registry and decision support tools for health care professions (similar to other chronic conditions, like diabetes)
- ✓ Track quality indicators of dementia care, provincially and by health region
- ✓ Improve and encourage access to a timely and accurate diagnosis
- ✓ Ensure that individuals with dementia and their families are adequately supported
- ✓ Revisit the Provincial Strategy for Alzheimer Disease and Related Dementias in Saskatchewan (released in 2004)

SOURCE A Multi-Method Investigation of Dementia and Related Services in Saskatchewan: Final Report and Recommendations (2015).

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