CAREGIVING AMONG HISPANIC ADULTS

2021–2022 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) Data from Hispanic adults in 47 States and Puerto Rico



1 in 7 Hispanic adults are caregivers

CAREGIVERS provide regular care or assistance to a FRIEND or FAMILY member with a health problem or disability

CAREGIVING CAN BE

Nearly half

have provided care for at least two years



INTENSE

Over a third have provided care for at least 20 hours per week



WHO ARE CAREGIVERS?

58% are women

10% are 65 years old or older

37% are caring for a parent or parent-in-law

20% of caregivers are providing care to someone with dementia



HOW DO CAREGIVERS HELP?



Over 75% manage household tasks

Over half assist with personal care





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FUTURE CAREGIVERS

1 in 6
NON-CAREGIVERS
expect to BECOME
CAREGIVERS within
2 years

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