Caregiving in the US 2025:

Spotlight on Hawai'i





In Hawai'i, one quarter of adults (23%) are family caregivers, currently providing care to a family member or friend or had provided care within the last year, representing 260,000 adults in Hawai'i.

23%* = 260,000 caregivers of adults

Who Are Family Caregivers in the Pacific* Division?

Women



Caregiver average age is 49 years old



have worked while caregiving

Care recipient average age is 66 years old



42%

care for a parent

34%

are sandwich generation caregivers with a child at home while caring for an adult

Well-Being of Family Caregivers in the Pacific* Division



49% experienced at least one negative financial impact such as taking on more debt, stopping saving, or being unable to afford basic expenses



receive no help with caregiving (either paid or unpaid)



36%

report moderate to high levels of emotional stress

What Are Family Caregivers in the Pacific* Division Doing?

99%

assist with instrumental activities of daily living such as meal prep, administering medicines, and managing finances

74%

assist with activities of daily living such as bathing, dressing, and feeding

56%

help with medical and nursing tasks

52%

engage in high-intensity caregiving (more hours and higher complexity of care)

provide at least 40 hours of care per week or constant care

*Due to limited data collection in Hawai'i, the prevalence estimate was modeled using Hierarchical Logit Modeling and detailed information about Hawai'i's caregivers cannot be presented. The Census Bureau's designation of the Pacific Division includes Alaska, California, Hawai'i, Oregon, and Washington.

For full methodology, see Methodology Appendix of https://www.aarp.org/pri/topics/ltss/family-caregiving/caregiving-in-the-us-2025caring-across-states.



