

# National & State Costs of Schizophrenia & Related Disorders

Estimated Annual Cost of Schizophrenia in the U.S. in 2024

# \$366.8 BILLION

Caregiver  
Unpaid Wages

## \$104.6 BILLION

Other Caregiver  
Impacts<sup>\* \*\*</sup>

## \$60.4 BILLION

Reduced Quality of Life  
& Life Expectancy

## \$88.9 BILLION

Supportive Housing  
& Homelessness<sup>\*\*</sup>

## \$35.2 BILLION

Healthcare  
Costs

## \$36.7 BILLION

Incarceration<sup>†\*\*</sup>

## \$9.2 BILLION

Supplemental  
Security Benefits

## \$5.1 BILLION

Justice System  
Interactions

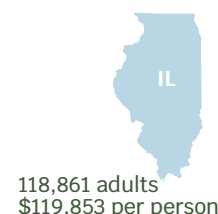
## \$2.8 BILLION

Non-employment  
& Reduced Wages

## \$55.4 BILLION

<sup>\*</sup>Out-of-pocket costs, healthcare, productivity <sup>\*\*</sup>Cost of living offsets and transfer costs (\$31.5B) accounted for in total cost. <sup>†</sup>All costs including healthcare

Costs vary meaningfully from  
state to state due to cost of  
living, wages, and services.



## 3.07 MILLION<sup>†</sup>



Estimated number of people in the  
U.S. living with  
schizophrenia

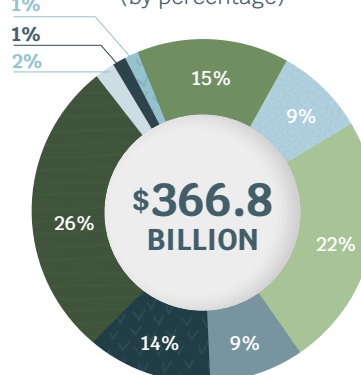
<sup>†</sup> Based on an estimated adult prevalence of 1.17%

For each person  
diagnosed at age 18,  
the annual cost of  
schizophrenia is

## \$119,436<sup>‡</sup>

<sup>‡</sup> Actual costs may vary by individual depending on course of illness and circumstances.

### Cost Breakdown (by percentage)



Percentages  
have been rounded.\*

- Justice System Interactions (1%)
- Social security disability benefits (1%)
- Incarceration (2%)
- Homelessness and Housing Costs (9%)
- Healthcare (9%)
- Other Caregiver Burden (15%)
- Reduced Quality of Life & Life Expectancy (22%)
- Non-employment and Reduced Wages (14%)
- Unpaid Caregiver Wages (26%)