

State Profile: **Delaware****Selected State Background Characteristics**

	DE	US		DE	US
<b>■ Population ■</b>			<b>■ Socio-Demographics ■</b>		
Total Pop. ( <i>millions</i> )	0.8	293.7	Average Household Size	2.6	2.6
Pop. 60+ ( <i>thousands</i> )	147.8	48,883.4	Average Family Size	3.0	3.1
% 60+	17.8	16.6	% Pop. in Rural Area	20.7	16.9
National Ranking 60+	16	N/A	Households with Persons 65+ ( <i>millions</i> )	0.07	25.2
% White (60+)	84.5	81.4	% Persons Age 65+ Living Alone	28.8	29.8
% African American (60+)	11.9	8.5	% Pop. 65+ in Major Cities	9.0	40.1
% Hispanic/Latino (60+)	1.4	6.1	% Households with Internet Access	56.9	54.7
% Asian (60+)	1.4	2.9			
% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islanders (60+)	0.0	0.1	<b>■ Informal Caregivers ■</b>		
% American Indian/ Alaska Native (60+)	0.3	0.5	# of Caregivers	100,000	34,000,000
% Two or More Races (60+)	0.4	0.6	# of Caregiving Hours ( <i>millions</i> )	108.0	36,720
Pop. 65+ ( <i>thousands</i> )	109.0	36,294.0	Value of Caregiving ( <i>millions</i> )	\$1,150.0	\$350,000
% Pop. 65+	13.1	12.4	% Grandparents Living with Grandchildren	3.6	3.4
National Ranking 65+	19	N/A	% with Responsibility for the Grandchildren	1.8	1.4
Pop. 85+ ( <i>thousands</i> )	13.3	4,859.6	Where to Call to Arrange Help in the Home for Elderly Relatives or Friends		
% Pop. 85	1.6	1.7	% Relative or Friend	24.8	21.5
National Ranking 85+	25	N/A	% Self	22.0	17.2
<b>■ Economic Indicators ■</b>			% Medical Support	17.6	21.6
Per Capita Income	\$35,559	\$33,041	% Religious Support	0.2	0.4
Median Household Income	\$50,152	\$44,473	% Area Agency on Aging	1.8	2.0
Total State Expenditures Per Capita	\$5,645	\$4,009	% Other	28.4	4.5
% Pop. 65+ Below Poverty	7.2	9.4	% Don't Know	5.3	32.7
% Pop. 50+ Who Did Not Visit Doctor Due to Cost	6.3	8.1			

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<b>■ Long-Term Care ■</b>			<b>■ Care Receivers ■</b>		
Medicaid Spending on Long-Term Care			% Pop. 21-64 Years w/Disability	12.9	12.1
% Spending on Nursing Facilities	55.6	46.0	% Pop. 65+ w/Disability	37.2	39.6
% Spending on Home Health & Personal Care	28.3	37.3	% 65+ by Type of Disability		
# of Certified Nursing Facilities	37	15,209	Sensory	14.4	16.0
% of Certified Facilities with Family Councils	51.4	43.2	Physical	28.3	30.2
# of Certified Nursing Facility Beds ( <i>thousands</i> )	3.9	1,579.9	Self-Care	9.7	9.3
Certified Nursing Facility Occupancy Rate	88.7	85.5	Mental	8.9	10.9
Average Cost Per Day in a Nursing Home	\$231	\$213	Difficulty Going Outside Home	14.2	16.3
Average Assisted Living Monthly Cost	\$4,649	\$2,969	<b>■ Medicare Prescription Drug Plans ■</b>		
Average Daily Cost for Adult Day Services	\$72	\$61	# of Companies Offering PDPs	19	N/A
Average Hourly Cost for Home Health Care	\$22	\$19	# of PDP	47	N/A
Average Hourly Cost for Personal/Home Care	\$21	\$18	# of Companies Offering Medicare Advantage Drug Plans	2	N/A
Nursing Facility Residents as % of 65+ Pop.	3.3	3.8			
# of Licensed Adult Day Facilities	15	3,407			
# of Home Health Aides	1,610	751,480			
Median Hourly Wage					
Certified Nursing Assistant	\$12.32	\$10.67			
Home Health Aide	\$10.43	\$9.34			
Personal Care/Home Care Aide	\$10.03	\$8.54			

State Profile: **Delaware** (cont'd)**State System of Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS)**

Legislation Enacted Within the Last Three Years (2001-2003) that Addresses Family Caregiving Issues	None
Task Force or Commission Specifically to Examine Family Caregiver Issues	No
Name of Task Force:	N/A
Single Point of Entry for State System of HCBS	Yes
Single Point of Entry Includes Access to State's Caregiver Support Program	Yes
Uniform Assessment Tool for All HCBS Programs for the Elderly and Adults with Disabilities	Yes
Assessment Includes Caregiver Component	Yes
At Least One State Program with Consumer-Directed Option for Family Caregivers	No

**State Program Information**■ **Administrative Structure** ■

Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
Administering State Agency	DE Department of Health & Social Services	DE Department of Health and Social Services
Organizational Unit or Person Specifically Designated for Caregiving Programs or Activities	Yes	Yes
Geographic Region Served	Statewide	Statewide
Local Program Administrative Responsibility	SUA	SUA

■ **Funding & Caseload** ■

Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
Major Sources of Program Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ OAA, Title III-E</li> <li>▪ State general fund</li> </ul>	Medicaid HCBS waiver
FY 2001 Expenditures	\$564,300	\$160,778 ( <i>respite only</i> )
FY 2002 Expenditures	\$644,212	\$105,994 ( <i>respite only</i> )
FY 2003 Expenditures	\$705,756	\$10,962,500 ( <i>total waiver</i> )
FY 2001 A/D Waiver Respite Participants	N/A	86
FY 2002 A/D Waiver Respite Participants	N/A	108

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Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
Caregiver Age Requirement	None	None
Care Receiver Age Requirement	60+	18+
Care Receiver Functional Status Requirement	2 ADLs	Nursing home level of care
Client population	Family caregiver	Care receiver

■ **Assessment** ■

Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
Program Assesses	Both family caregiver and care receiver	Care receiver
Uniform Assessment Tool	Yes	Yes
Includes Caregiver Assessment	Yes	Yes
Areas Addressed by Caregiver Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ability of caregiver to provide care</li> <li>▪ Care frequency</li> <li>▪ Caregiver demographic information</li> <li>▪ Willingness of caregiver to provide care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ability of caregiver to provide care</li> <li>▪ Care duration</li> <li>▪ Care frequency</li> <li>▪ Caregiver strain</li> <li>▪ Willingness of caregiver to provide care</li> </ul>

■ **Services** ■

Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
All Caregivers Eligible for Program Have Access to Same Package of Services	Yes	Yes
Services Provided Specifically to Family Caregivers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Care mgt.</li> <li>▪ Educ. &amp; training</li> <li>▪ Emerg. response</li> <li>▪ Homemaker/chore/personal care</li> <li>▪ Home modification/repairs</li> <li>▪ Info. &amp; assistance</li> <li>▪ Respite care</li> <li>▪ Support groups</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Assistive technology</li> <li>▪ Home modification/repairs</li> <li>▪ Homemaker/chore/personal care</li> <li>▪ Respite care</li> </ul>
Types of Respite Care Offered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Adult day svcs.</li> <li>▪ In-home</li> <li>▪ Overnight</li> <li>▪ Weekend/camp</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Adult day svcs.</li> <li>▪ In-home</li> <li>▪ Overnight</li> </ul>
Caregiver Must Live with Care Receiver to Receive Respite	No	No
Respite Cap	250 hours/year	336 hours/year
Uniform Respite Cap Across Program Sites	Yes	Yes
Entity that Formulates the Respite Cap	Administering state agency	Administering state agency

■ **Consumer Direction** ■

Program Name	CARE Delaware (FC)	Elderly & Disabled Waiver (MC)
Consumer-Directed Options	None	None
Family Members Can Be Paid to Provide Care	No	No
Types of Services Families Can Be Paid to Provide	N/A	N/A