State Profile: Nevada

Selected State Background Characteristics

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<th>Population</th>
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<td>Total Pop. (thousands)</td>
<td>2,790</td>
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<td>Pop. 60+ (thousands)</td>
<td>475.3</td>
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<td>% 60+</td>
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<td>% White (60+)</td>
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<td>% African American (60+)</td>
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<td>% Hispanic/Latino (60+)</td>
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<td>% Asian (60+)</td>
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<td>% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islanders (60+)</td>
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<td>% American Indian/ Alaska Native (60+)</td>
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<td>% Two or More Races (60+)</td>
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<td>Pop. 65+ (thousands)</td>
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<td>Pop. 85+ (thousands)</td>
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<th>Socio-Demographics</th>
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<tr>
<td>Average Household Size</td>
<td>2.71</td>
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<td>Average Family Size</td>
<td>3.33</td>
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<td>%Pop. in Rural Area</td>
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<td>%Households with Persons 65+</td>
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<td>% Persons Age 65+ Living Alone</td>
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<td>% Households with Internet Access</td>
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<th>Informal Caregivers</th>
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<tr>
<td># of Caregivers (thousands)</td>
<td>226</td>
<td>28,828</td>
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<td># of Caregiving Hours (million)</td>
<td>242</td>
<td>30,880</td>
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<td>Value of Caregiving (millions)</td>
<td>$2,402</td>
<td>$306,333</td>
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<td># Grandparents Living with Grandchildren (thousands)</td>
<td>69.7</td>
<td>7070</td>
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<td>% with Responsibility for the Grandchildren</td>
<td>36.5</td>
<td>38.8</td>
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<td>Where to Call to Arrange Help in the Home for Elderly Relatives or Friends</td>
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<tr>
<td>% Relative or Friend</td>
<td>25.0</td>
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<td>% Self</td>
<td>22.5</td>
<td>17.2</td>
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<td>% Medical Support</td>
<td>28.5</td>
<td>21.6</td>
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<td>% Religious Support</td>
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<td>% Area Agency on Aging</td>
<td>1.5</td>
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<td>% Other</td>
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<td>% Don't Know</td>
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<td>Medicaid Spending on Long-Term Care</td>
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<tr>
<td>% Spending on Nursing Facilities</td>
<td>46.0</td>
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<td>% Spending on Home Health &amp; Personal Care</td>
<td>39.3</td>
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<tr>
<td># of Certified Nursing Facilities</td>
<td>51</td>
<td>15,465</td>
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<td>% of Certified Facilities with Family Groups</td>
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<td># of Certified Nursing Facility Beds (thousands)</td>
<td>5.8</td>
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<td>% Certified Nursing Facility Occupancy Rate</td>
<td>81.6</td>
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<td>Average Cost Per Day in a Nursing Home (private)</td>
<td>$245</td>
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<td>Average Assisted Living Monthly Cost</td>
<td>$3,062</td>
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<td>Average Daily Cost for Adult Day Care Services</td>
<td>$74</td>
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<td>Average Hourly Cost for Home Health Care</td>
<td>$21</td>
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<td># of Home Health Aides</td>
<td>2,550</td>
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<td>Median Hourly Wage</td>
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<td>Certified Medical Assistant</td>
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<td>Personal Care/Home Care Aide</td>
<td>$10.23</td>
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| **Care Receivers**                        |    |    |
| % Pop. 18-64 Years with Disability        | 9.8  | 10.1 |
| % Pop. 65+ w/Disability                  | 34.9 | 36.4 |
| % 65+ by Type of Disability              |    |    |
| Hearing Difficulty                        | 14.2 | 14.9 |
| Ambulatory                               | 22.5 | 23.5 |
| Self-Care                                | 7.1  | 8.8  |
| Cognitive                                | 7.9  | 9.4  |
| Independent Living Difficulty             | 13.7 | 16.1 |

| **Medicare Prescription Drug Plans**      |    |    |
| # of Organizations Offering PDPs         | 15  | N/A  |
| # of PDP                                  | 32  | N/A  |
| # of Medicare Advantage Drug Plan Contracts | 9   | N/A  |

Updated September 2014. Data sources for selected characteristics are available at https://caregiver.org/50-state-profiles-sources-2014-update
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### State System of Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS)

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<th>Service</th>
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<tr>
<td>Caregiver Assessment in Medicaid HCBS Waiver Program</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>At Least One State Program with Consumer-Directed Option for Family Caregivers</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Lifespan Respite Grant</td>
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<td>State Respite Coalition</td>
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### Workplace Benefits for Family Caregivers

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<td>Paid Family Leave</td>
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<td>Unemployment Insurance for Family Caregivers</td>
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<td>Paid Sick Days</td>
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<td>Preemptive Law Prohibiting local Governments from Establishing the Right to Sick Leave</td>
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### Miscellaneous Statewide Programs, Regulations and Legislation

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<td>State Alzheimer’s Plan</td>
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<td>Uniform Adult Guardianship and Protective Proceedings Jurisdiction (UAGPPJA)</td>
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<td>State Policy Permitting Delegation of 16 Nursing Tasks</td>
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