



**DYSPHAGIE**  
**III<sup>ème</sup> SYMPOSIUM**  
**PLURIDISCIPLINAIRE**

DE LA DYSPHAGIE  
A LA DENUTRITION  
CHEZ LES SENIORS, I L N'Y A QUE  
QUELQUES BOUCHEES ...

Que pouvons nous faire pour les aider?

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# Introduction

# Considération # 1

- En 2000
  - un patient hospitalisé sur trois est agé d'au moins 65 ans
  - un patient hospitalisé sur six est agé d'au moins 75 ans
- EN 2050
  - Un patient hospitalisé sur deux sera agé d'au moins 65 ans
  - Un patient hospitalisé sur trois sera agé d'au moins 75 ans

# Considération #2

- 70 à 90% des patients âgés hospitalisés présentent une forme de dysphagie
- 40 à 60% des résidents de MR/MRS présentent une forme de dysphagie

*( T. Murry, RL Carrau, clinical manual of swallowing disorders, 2nd ed. Plural publishing 2006)*

# Considération #3

## The Cost of Care

A recent survey looked at the out-of-pocket spending of Americans who care for an adult over 50 needing help with daily activities like bathing, preparing meals, shopping or managing finances. The survey was conducted by telephone in June and July and included 1,000 respondents. Here are some of the survey's findings.

### Out-of-pocket spending

The average annual spending on care among all survey respondents was more than \$5,500. Here is a breakdown:

Medical	\$1,161
Meals, household goods	868
Travel	551
Home health services	547
Assisted living/nursing home	497
Home maintenance, repairs	447
Housing payments	354
Caregiver support services	343
Home modifications	262
Clothing	241
Medical equipment/supplies	182
Legal fees	78

### Compensations

The percentage of respondents who compensated for expenses in these ways:

Cut back on spending for hobbies, leisure activities	49%
Cut back on vacations	47
Used savings	34
Deferred major purchase or home improvement	34
Cutback spending on groceries	25
Cut back on own spending for health or dental care	23
Reduced or stopped saving for children's future	18

### Time providing care

Lower income families spent more time.

Annual income	Average hours of care per week
Less than \$25,000	41
\$25,000-\$50,000	38
\$50,000-\$75,000	36
\$75,000-\$100,000	23
More than \$100,000	23

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