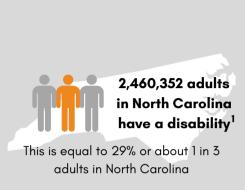
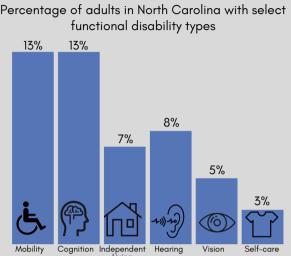
## CDC's National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities DISABILITY IMPACTS **NORTH CAROLINA**



Everyone can play a role in supporting more inclusive state programs, communities, and health care to help people with, or at risk for, disabilities be well and active in their communities. Join CDC and its partners as we work together to improve the health of people with disabilities.





## **Disability Types**

**Mobility**: Serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs

Cognition: Serious difficulty

concentrating, remembering, or making decisions

decisions

**Independent living**: Serious difficulty doing errands alone, such as visiting a doctor's office

**Hearing**: Deafness or serious difficulty

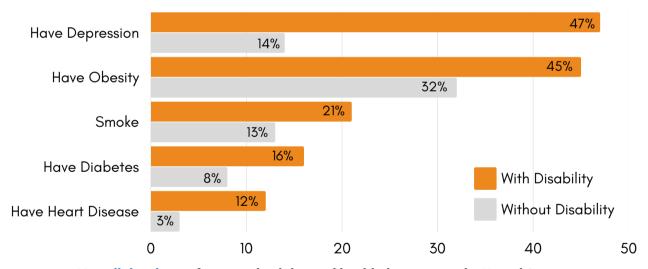
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Vision: Blind or serious difficulty seeing,

even when wearing glasses

Self-care: Difficulty dressing or bathing

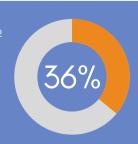
Adults with disabilities in **North Carolina** experience health disparities and are more likely to... <sup>1</sup>



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## (\$) DISABILITY HEALTHCARE COSTS IN NORTH CAROLINA 2

- About \$25 BILLION per year, or up to 36% of the state's healthcare spending
- About \$15,230 per person with a disability



Learn how CDC and state programs support people with disabilities at www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/disabilityandhealth/programs.html.

NOTE: DATA ARE ROUNDED TO THE NEAREST WHOLE FIGURE. FOR MORE PRECISE PREVALENCE DATA, PLEASE VISIT DHDS.CDC.GOV.



