

BLADDER HEALTH: IMPACT ON AMERICANS

BLADDER DISEASES
AND CONDITIONS COST

\$70 BILLION
ANNUALLY 

MORE THAN
575,000
Americans live
with bladder cancer.
An estimated 77,000 will be
diagnosed this year, and an
estimated 16,400 will die
from the disease.

MORE THAN
33
MILLION
ADULTS IN THE U.S.
HAVE OAB

NURSING HOME ADMISSIONS
ARE ESTIMATED TO COST
\$6 BILLION
ANNUALLY

DUE TO URINARY INCONTINENCE

1/3
OF AMERICANS
AGES 40 AND OLDER
REPORT HAVING SOME
LEVEL OF URINARY
INCONTINENCE AT
LEAST "SOMETIMES"

80%
OF AMERICANS
WITH MULTIPLE
SCLEROSIS REPORT
**BLADDER
SYMPTOMS**



More than 1 in 10 military service members injured in Afghanistan and Iraq have urotrauma injuries (damage to the urinary tract or reproductive organs)

1 in 3 younger female veterans report overactive bladder, stress urinary incontinence and/or painful bladder symptoms

More than three-quarters of veterans with spinal cord injury suffer from neurogenic bladder

Bladder cancer is the fourth most commonly diagnosed cancer among Veterans Affairs (VA) Health System patients

URINARY TRACT INFECTIONS
CAUSE MORE THAN

8 MILLION

PROVIDER VISITS ANNUALLY
OF THOSE, ABOUT

1.3M ARE CHILDREN
5.3M ARE WOMEN
1.2M ARE MEN