

Table 5: Years and Percent (for Each Caregiver Group) of Care for Older Adults, 2011–2017

Years of care	Spouses who cared for each other	Adult children who cared for parents	Caregivers for other relatives	Caregivers for non-relatives
Average	5.1	4.7	3.9	4.1
1-2 years	796,681 (25%)	6,081,434 (26%)	3,474,396 (28%)	2,716,250 (26%)
3-5 years	573,610 (18%)	3,976,322 (17%)	2,233,540 (18%)	1,567,067 (15%)
5-9 years	637,345 (20%)	4,911,928 (21%)	2,109,455 (17%)	1,567,067 (15%)
10 years	478,008 (15%)	3,742,421 (16%)	1,489,027 (12%)	1,462,596 (14%)
5 years or more	1,115,353 (35%)	8,654,348 (37%)	3,598,482 (29%)	3,029,664 (29%)

Source: Jeszeck 2019, 59.