Immigrants in the Home Health Care Industry

Immigrants currently represent **17% of the 12.4 million people** working in the health care industry.

Immigrants working in the health care sector make up **24% of direct care health positions** such as home health care workers.

Rural areas have **shortages** in all types of health care workers, data has shown there are **roughly 20% more aides** employed in metropolitan areas than in rural areas.

Between 2014-2024, the **health care sector** is expected to increase by **2.3 million jobs**

From 2016 to 2026, jobs for personal care aides and **home health aides** are expected to grow by more than **1 million jobs**