

CANCER COUNTRY PROFILES 2020 - ALCOHOL AND CANCER

Source: WHO Cancer Country Profile

GLOBAL	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
7,676,965,500	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
18,078,957	9,555,027
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
15,179,108	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
29.7%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL as measured by PAFs (population attributable fraction).

4-5% (2016)

PAF is the estimated fraction of all cases that would not have occurred if there had been no exposure.

EURO	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
930'166'700	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
4'573'972	2'144'253
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
2'332'881	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
39.7%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

7.9% median (2016)

ICELAND	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
339,037	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
1,510	662
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
407	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
54.7%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

5.5% (2016)

DENMARK	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
5,771,877	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
40,796	17,122
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
11,140	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
49.2%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

7.5% (2016)

NORWAY	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
5,378,859	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
34,299	11,791
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
7,365	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
50.3%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

5.1% (2016)

SWEDEN	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
10,036,391	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
60,853	23,865
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
14,043	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
46.5%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

6.0% (2016)

FINLAND	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
5,532,159	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
33,271	12,749
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
11,056	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
38.7%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

6.3% (2016)

ESTONIA	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
1,325,649	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
7,664	3,916
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
3,842	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
37.5%	

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7.7% (2016)

LATVIA	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
1,906,740	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
12,171	6,087
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
7,213	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
33.9%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

9.3% (2016)

LITHUANIA	
BURDEN OF CANCER	
Total population (2019)	
2,759,631	
Total # cancer cases (2018)	Total # cancer deaths (2018)
16,351	8,583
Premature deaths from NCDs (2016)	
10,260	
Cancer as % of NCD premature deaths (2016)	
34.8%	

Cancer deaths by ALCOHOL

9.7% (2016)

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Alcohol data is retrieved Global Status Report on Alcohol and Health, WHO 2018.

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