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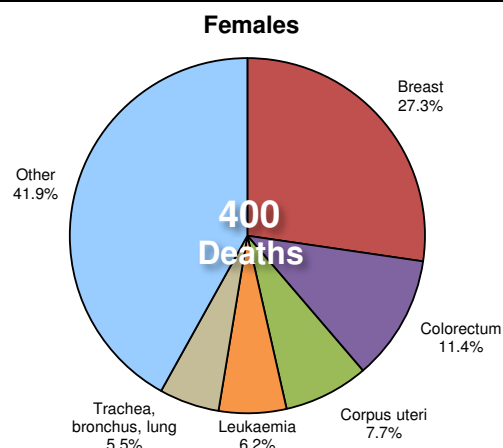
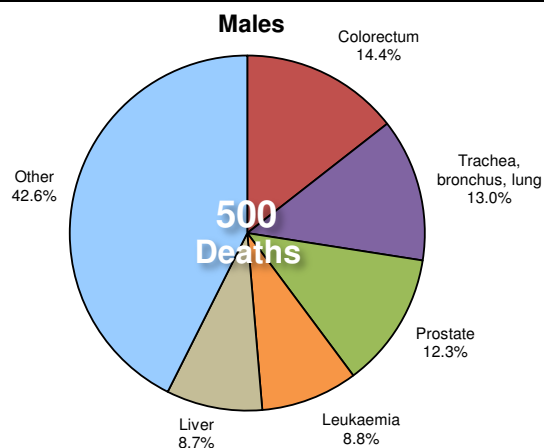
Total population: 3,250,000

Income group: High

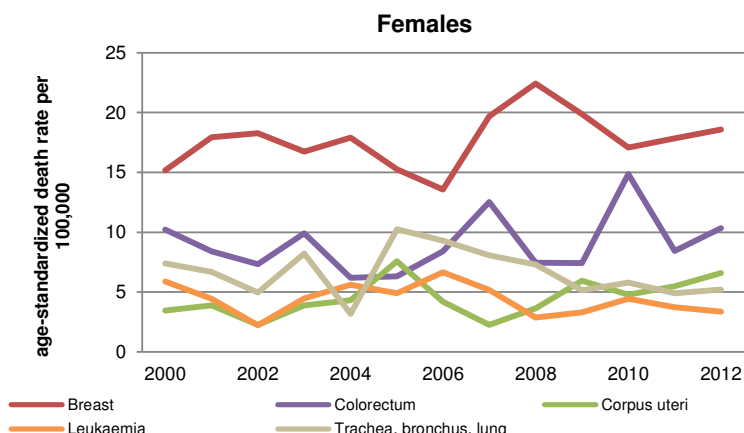
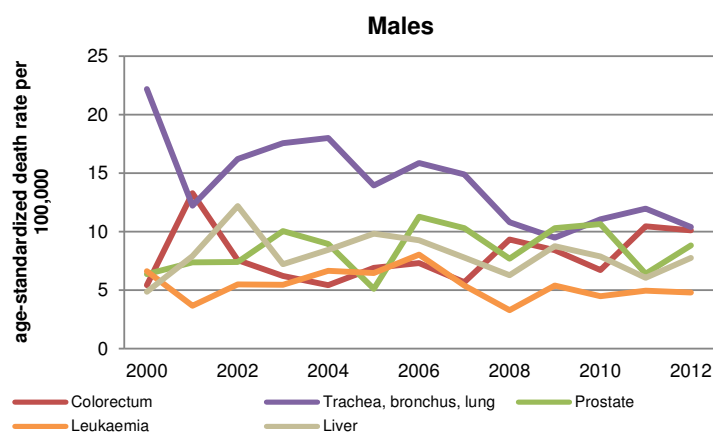
Total deaths: 6,100

Life expectancy at birth: Total:78 Males:78 Females:79

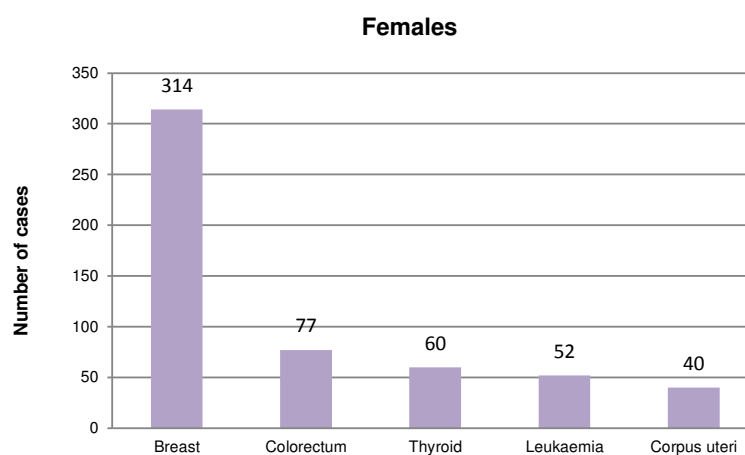
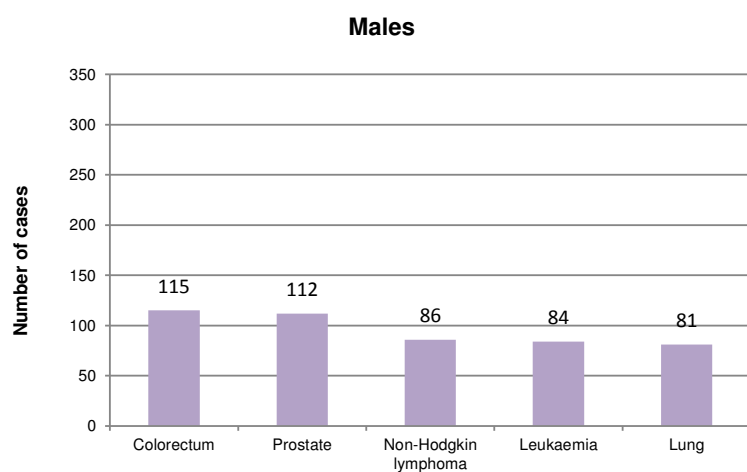
Cancer Mortality Profile



Age-Standardized Cancer Mortality Trends



Cancer Incidence



Adult Risk Factors

	Males	Females	Total
Current tobacco smoking (2011)	35.1%	3.5%	19.3%
Total alcohol per capita consumption, in litres of pure alcohol (2010)	0.2	0.0	0.1
Physical inactivity (2010)	48.3%	62.8%	53.6%
Obesity (2014)	34.8%	43.5%	38.3%
Household solid fuel use (2012)	-	-	0.0%

Cancer Plans, Monitoring and Surveillance

Has an operational cancer policy/strategy/action plan	No
Has a cancer registry	Yes
Scope	Population-based
Coverage	National
Last year of data	2010

Cancer Primary Prevention Policies

Tobacco control

Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the burden of tobacco use	No
Smoke-free legislation	Six to seven public places completely smoke-free
Tobacco dependence treatment	National quit line, and both NRT and some cessation services cost-covered*
Warning labels	Medium size warnings with all appropriate characteristics OR large warnings missing some appropriate characteristics
Bans on advertising, promotion and sponsorship	Ban on all forms of direct and indirect advertising*
Tobacco taxes	≤25% of retail price is tax

Overweight and obesity prevention and control

Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan for reducing overweight/obesity	No
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Physical inactivity prevention and control

Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce physical inactivity and/or promote physical activity	No
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Harmful use of alcohol prevention and control

Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the harmful use of alcohol	No
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National immunization

Human Papillomavirus vaccination schedule	...
Hepatitis B vaccination schedule	Birth
Hepatitis B vaccination coverage, infants	99%

Cancer Screening and Early Detection

Cervical cancer

Cervical cytology (PAP)	Generally available at the public primary health care level
Acetic acid visualization (VIA)	Not generally available at the public primary health care level

Breast cancer

Breast palpation / clinical breast exam (CBE)	Generally available at the public primary health care level
Mammogram	Not generally available at the public primary health care level

Colorectal cancer

Faecal occult blood test or faecal immunological test	Not generally available at the public primary health care level
Bowel cancer screening by exam or colonoscopy	Not generally available at the public primary health care level

Cancer Treatment and Palliative Care

Radiotherapy	Generally available in the public health system
Total high energy teletherapy units / million inhabitants	1.2
Number of radiotherapy centres	1
Number of radiation oncologists	...
Chemotherapy (medicines not specified)	Generally available in the public health system
Oral morphine (formulation not specified)	Generally available in the public health system
Non-methadone morphine equivalent consumption per cancer death (mg)	...
Community/home care for people with advanced stage cancer and other NCDs	Generally available

* Indicates highest possible level of achievement

... = No data available