

United States Of America

Total population: 322 000 000

Income group: High

Mortality

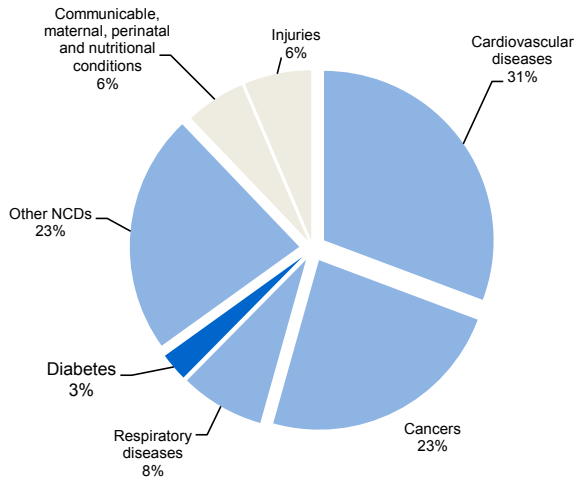
Number of diabetes deaths

| | males | females |
|------------|--------|---------|
| ages 30–69 | 16 600 | 10 600 |
| ages 70+ | 20 400 | 23 400 |

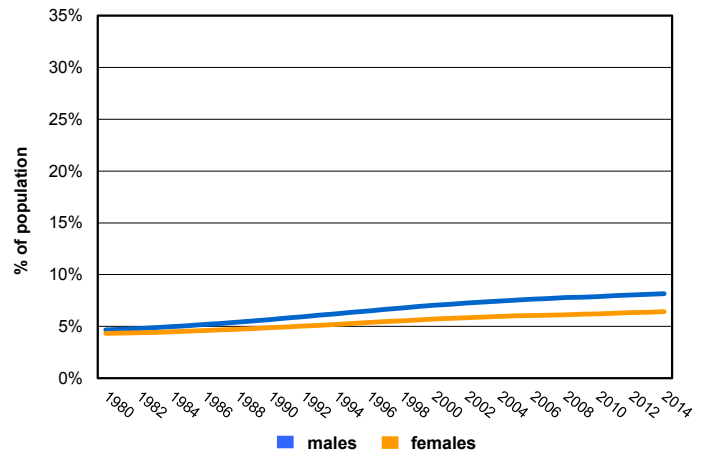
Number of deaths attributable to high blood glucose

| | males | females |
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| ages 30–69 | 39 600 | 19 900 |
| ages 70+ | 63 200 | 64 800 |

Proportional mortality (% of total deaths, all ages)



Trends in age-standardized prevalence of diabetes



Prevalence of diabetes and related risk factors

| | males | females | total |
|---------------------|-------|---------|-------|
| Diabetes | 9.8% | 8.3% | 9.1% |
| Overweight | 74.1% | 65.3% | 69.6% |
| Obesity | 33.7% | 36.3% | 35.0% |
| Physical inactivity | 27.6% | 42.1% | 35.0% |

National response to diabetes

Policies, guidelines and monitoring

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| Operational policy/strategy/action plan for diabetes | Yes |
| Operational policy/strategy/action plan to reduce overweight and obesity | Yes |
| Operational policy/strategy/action plan to reduce physical inactivity | Yes |
| Evidence-based national diabetes guidelines/protocols/standards | DK |
| Standard criteria for referral of patients from primary care to higher level of care | Not available |
| Diabetes registry | No |
| Recent national risk factor survey in which blood glucose was measured | Yes |

Availability of medicines, basic technologies and procedures in the public health sector

Medicines in primary care facilities

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| Insulin | ● |
| Metformin | ● |
| Sulphonylurea | ● |

Procedures

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| Retinal photocoagulation | ● |
| Renal replacement therapy by dialysis | ● |
| Renal replacement therapy by transplantation | ● |

Basic technologies in primary care facilities

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| Blood glucose measurement | ● |
| Oral glucose tolerance test | ● |
| HbA1c test | ● |
| Dilated fundus examination | ● |
| Foot vibration perception by tuning fork | ● |
| Foot vascular status by Doppler | ● |
| Urine strips for glucose and ketone measurement | ● |

DK = country responded "don't know"

○ = not generally available ● = generally available