

Liberia

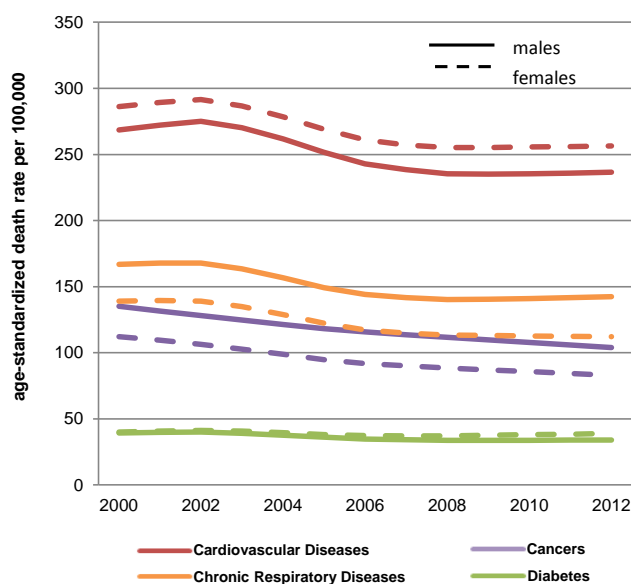
Total population: 4 190 000

Income Group: Low

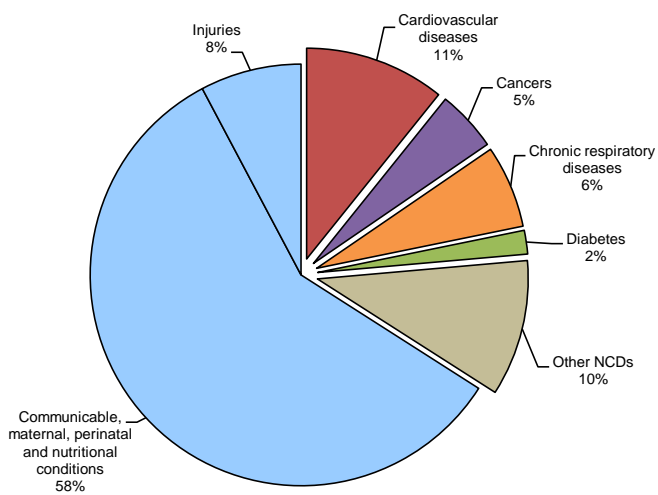
Percentage of population living in urban areas: 48.2%

Population proportion between ages 30 and 70 years: 28.4%

Age-standardized death rates*



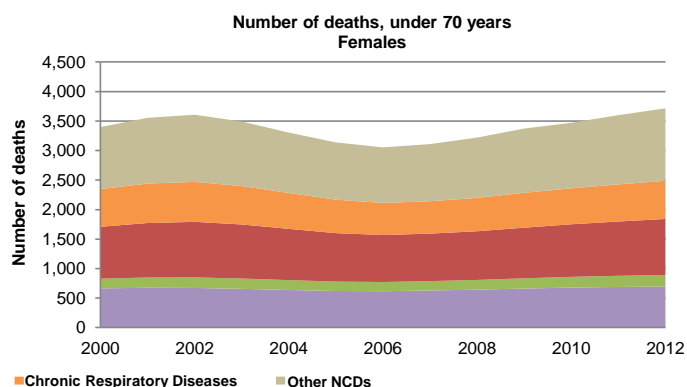
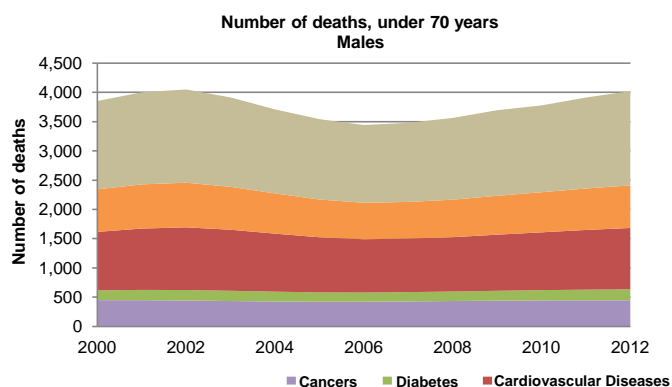
Proportional mortality (% of total deaths, all ages, both sexes)*



Total deaths: 34,000
NCDs are estimated to account for 34% of total deaths.

Premature mortality due to NCDs*

The probability of dying between ages 30 and 70 years from the 4 main NCDs is 21%.



Adult risk factors

| | males | females | total |
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| Current tobacco smoking (2011) | 18% | 2% | 10% |
| Total alcohol per capita consumption, in litres of pure alcohol (2010) | 7.5 | 2.0 | 4.7 |
| Raised blood pressure (2008) | 32.0% | 28.7% | 30.3% |
| Obesity (2008) | 2.8% | 6.8% | 4.8% |

National systems response to NCDs

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| Has an operational NCD unit/branch or department within the Ministry of Health, or equivalent | No |
| Has an operational multisectoral national policy, strategy or action plan that integrates several NCDs and shared risk factors | No |
| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the harmful use of alcohol | No |
| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce physical inactivity and/or promote physical activity | No |
| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the burden of tobacco use | No |
| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce unhealthy diet and/or promote healthy diets | No |
| Has evidence-based national guidelines/protocols/standards for the management of major NCDs through a primary care approach | No |
| Has an NCD surveillance and monitoring system in place to enable reporting against the nine global NCD targets | No |
| Has a national, population-based cancer registry | No |

* The mortality estimates for this country have a high degree of uncertainty because they are not based on any national NCD mortality data (see Explanatory Notes).