

Cancer in women

There were **3.5 million** cancer deaths in women in 2012, expected to rise to 5.5 million by 2030.

Cancer mortality varies around the world, with **64% of deaths** in developing countries.

Top three cancer killers for women in selected countries

- Legend
- Red: Breast
 - Pink: Lung
 - Light Pink: Colorectal
 - Purple: Cervix
 - Teal: Liver
 - Yellow: Stomach
 - Dark Blue: Three commonest in developed countries
 - Light Blue: Third most common in developing countries
 - Grey: Oesophagus
 - Brown: Mouth/throat

Life expectancy at birth, women

- Lightest Blue: 80+
- Light Blue: 70-80
- Dark Blue: 60-70
- Grey: 50-60

