

Mortality At A Glance in Durham Region

Durham Region Compared to Ontario

Mortality rates **lower** in Durham Region than Ontario for:

- Motor vehicle traffic collisions in males
- Cerebrovascular disease in females
- Heart attacks in both males & females

Mortality rates **higher** in Durham Region than Ontario for:



- Lung cancer in females
 Infectious disease in both males & females
- Falls in males & females

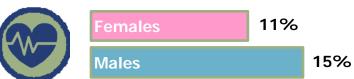
Females Live Longer on Average Than Males



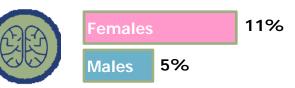
Top 3 Causes By Gender

30% of female deaths and 28% of male deaths in Durham Region are due to 3 leading causes:

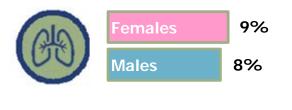
Heart Disease



Dementia



Lung Cancer



3,500 deaths per year on average

Trends in Durham Region (2000 to 2012)

Mortality rates increased for: • Infectious

disease

High blood

pressure

• Falls

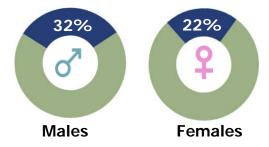
• Suicide

Mortality rates decreased for:

- Cancer
- Diabetes
- Heart disease
- Respiratory disease

Potentially Avoidable: Preventable + Treatable

More potentially avoidable deaths in Durham Region males than females.



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Source: Durham Region Health Department, Mortality at a Glance, June 2017. See: durham.ca/healthstats



Evaluation

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