

Illinois Alcohol Profile

Morbidity



After adjusting for age, Illinois has the **11th highest** alcohol-associated cancer incidence rate in the country

Nearly **27%** of all admissions into a substance use treatment facility in 2018 involved alcohol



Mortality



36% of crash fatalities in 2019 were from alcohol-impaired driving crashes

From 2010-2019, **18%** of accidental drug overdose deaths involved alcohol





In 2018, the alcohol-associated cancer mortality rate was **33.1 deaths per 100,000**

Cost



According to the most recent data, the total cost of excessive drinking in Illinois is **\$9.7 billion**

The total cost of excessive drinking in Illinois is **\$1.86** per drink



Alcohol Policy Landscape

The Alcohol Policy Scale (APS) assesses 29 state-level policies from 1999-2018 and assigns all 50 states plus the District of Columbia a score out of 100. A score close to 100 reflects a strong alcohol policy environment. A state rank of 1 demonstrates the most restrictive alcohol policy environment, while a rank of 51 demonstrates the least restrictive policy environment.



Overall score of **45.8** out of 100



Ranked 18th out of 51

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