New Zealand

Total population: 4,460,000
Income Group: High

Age-standardized death rates

Premature mortality due to NCDs

The probability of dying between ages 30 and 70 years from the 4 main NCDs is 11%.

Adolescent risk factors

Current tobacco smoking (2011)
Total alcohol per capita consumption, in litres of pure alcohol (2010)
Raised blood pressure (2008)
Obesity (2008)

National systems response to NCDs

Has an operational NCD unit/branch or department within the Ministry of Health, or equivalent
Has an operational multisectoral national policy, strategy or action plan that integrates several NCDs and shared risk factors
Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the harmful use of alcohol
Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce physical inactivity and/or promote physical activity
Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the burden of tobacco use
Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce unhealthy diet and/or promote healthy diets
Has evidence-based national guidelines/protocols/standards for the management of major NCDs through a primary care approach
Has an NCD surveillance and monitoring system in place to enable reporting against the nine global NCD targets
Has a national, population-based cancer registry

DK = Country responded “don’t know”