**Sweden**

**Total population:** 9,511,000  
**Income Group:** High

**Percentage of population living in urban areas:** 85.2%  
**Population proportion between ages 30 and 70 years:** 50.9%

**Premature mortality due to NCDs**

The probability of dying between ages 30 and 70 years from the 4 main NCDs is **10%**.

**Adult risk factors**

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<td>Current tobacco smoking (2011)</td>
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<td>Total alcohol per capita consumption, in litres of pure alcohol (2010)</td>
<td>12.9</td>
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<td>Raised blood pressure (2008)</td>
<td>34.9%</td>
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**National systems response to NCDs**

- Has an operational NCD unit/branch or department within the Ministry of Health, or equivalent: **Yes**
- 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: **Yes**
- Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce physical inactivity and/or promote physical activity: **Yes**
- Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the burden of tobacco use: **Yes**
- Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce unhealthy diet and/or promote healthy diets: **Yes**
- Has evidence-based national guidelines/protocols/standards for the management of major NCDs through a primary care approach: **Yes**
- 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: **Yes**