
WHO Global Status Report on Alcohol and Health

Worldwide, 3.3 million deaths in 2012 were due to harmful use of alcohol - equivalent to one death every 10 seconds. Globally, approximately 16% of drinkers engage in heavy episodic drinking - often referred to as 'binge-drinking' - which is the most harmful to health

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