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this Report

Structure

The World Cancer Declaration Progress Report 2016 consists of 113 country reports and two regional commentaries that document progress against the World Cancer Declaration targets. Each country report focuses on four core areas:

- 1 Overall progress**
- 2 Key successes**
- 3 Remaining challenges in order for countries to reach the 2025 targets**
- 4 Achievements of the lead author**

These country reports have been grouped geographically by WHO region.

Between each of these regional chapters, the Report includes a focus piece on one of the Declaration targets. These give a brief introduction to the topic, highlighting key statistics, with a specific focus on sharing global initiatives and resources for use in national advocacy work.




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Data sources and keys

Alongside data from UICC Members, the report also draws on two key documents from WHO, displayed in the two data trackers at the top of each country report:

- The first tracker is compiled from the **WHO Country Cancer profiles** which synthesises the global status of cancer prevention and control, drawing on data reported by Member States on a range of key cancer control activities. From these profiles, we have selected the 11 metrics which relate most closely to progress against the Declaration targets. We encourage you to explore the full cancer country profile data for your country as a great starting point for understanding national progress, and engaging with governments and cancer planners.
- The second tracker highlights key data from the **WHO NCD progress monitor** which presents data on how each country has progressed against the ten targets identified within the 2014 UN Outcome Document on NCDs. We have selected and included the parameters most relevant to cancer prevention and control efforts. We encourage you to explore the full data for your country in the NCD progress monitor for a snapshot of country progress on NCDs more broadly.

The symbols used within this tracker have been taken directly from the WHO NCD progress monitor and the key below provides a brief overview of their meanings:

	Target has not been achieved
	Target has been partially achieved
	Target has been fully achieved

Abbreviations

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Throughout the report a number of common abbreviations are used, as noted below;

AFRO	WHO Regional Office for Africa
EMRO	WHO Regional Office for the Eastern Mediterranean
EU	European Union
EURO	WHO Regional Office for Europe
FCTC	Framework Convention on Tobacco Control
HBV	Hepatitis B virus
HPV	Human papillomavirus
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
LINAC	Linear accelerator
MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging
NCD	Non-communicable disease
NGO	Non-governmental organisation
Pap	Papanikolaou test (Pap smear)
PAHO	Pan American Health Organization (WHO Regional Office for the Americas)
PET	Positron emission tomography
SEARO	WHO Regional Office for South-East Asia
SPF	Sun protection factor
UHC	Universal health coverage
UICC	Union for International Cancer Control
USD	United States dollar
UV	Ultraviolet
VIA	Visual inspection with acetic acid
WHO	World Health Organization
WPRO	WHO Regional Office for the Western Pacific