## Distribution of cancer mortality rates by province in SA

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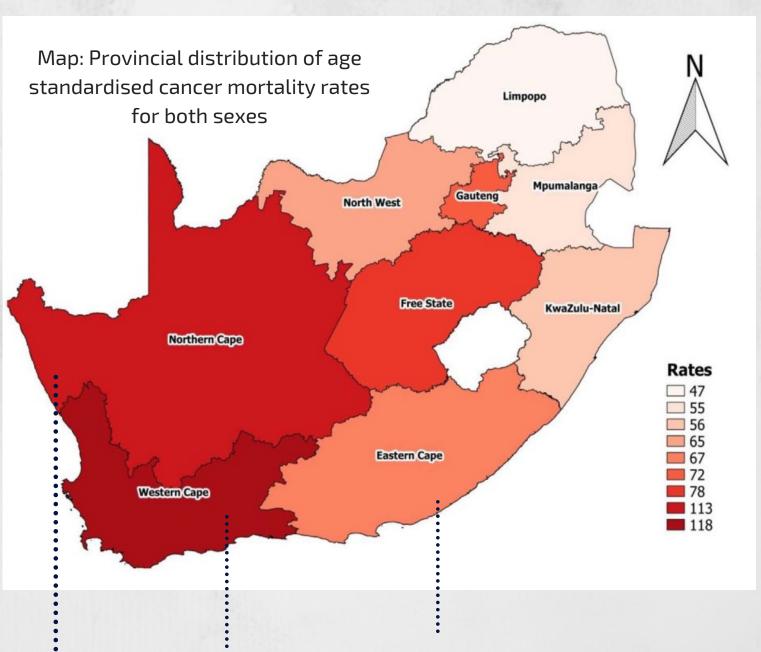
## South Africa

Cancer mortality rates are expected to increase in developing countries. Cancer mortality rates by province remain largely unreported in South Africa. This study described the 2014 age standardised cancer mortality rates by province in South Africa, to provide insight for strategic interventions and advocacy.



Age adjusted cancer death rates for women and men are similar in South Africa in 2014





Western & Northern
Cape Provinces have
the highest cancer
death rates in SA



**Oesophageal cancer** rates in the Easter Cape Province are much higher than in any other province

Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer death in men & in the country



Cervical cancer is the leading cause of cancer death in women

