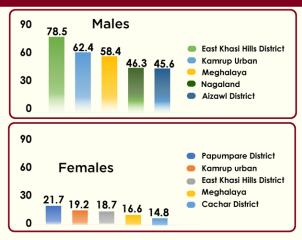


### **Head and Neck Cancer Awareness Month - April 2021**

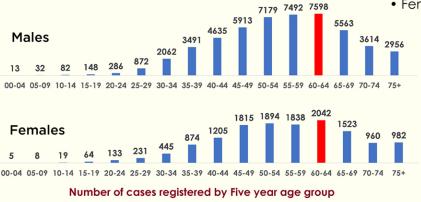


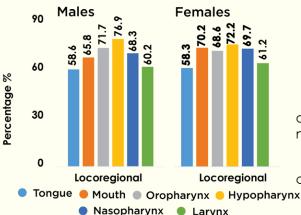




#### The age-adjusted incidence rates for Head and Neck Cancers

- In India, the North East Region reports a higher incidence of Head & Neck Cancers
- In males, the highest incidence rate is reported in East Khasi Hills district (78.5 cases per 100,000 males)
- In Females, Papumpare district (21.7 cases per 100, 000 females) had the highest incidence rate





## of Disease

Relative Proportion (%) of Clinical Extent

"Locoregional" was the commonest presentation of clinical extent of disease for all the head and neck cancer sites.

The highest proportion was for Hypopharynx cancer (males 76.9% and females 72.2%).

#### Annual Percent Change (APC) in Age Adjusted Incidence Rates (AAR) - Head & Neck Cancers

Significant increase -

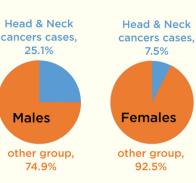
- Males Aurangabad, Delhi, Chennai and Bhopal PBCRs
- Females Nagpur PBCR

Significant decrease -

- Males Barshi rural and Mumbai
- Females Bangalore, Mumbai and Kollam district PBCRs

#### Projected Number of Head and Neck cancers cases

Anatomical Site	2020		2025	
	Males	Females	Males	Females
Tongue	39902	13870	44861	15747
Mouth	57380	22483	64519	25541
Hypopharynx	15765	4649	17840	5284
Larynx	27146	3316	30725	3781



Head & Neck cancers cases Other group

**Head and Neck cancers** contributed 1/4th of the total cancer cases in Males

# A PROFILE OF **HEAD AND NECK**

#### What are head and neck cancers?

Cancers of the oral, head and neck include cancers that start in several places in the head and throat, not including brain cancers or eye cancers.



#### For correspondence:

The Director ICMR - National Centre for Disease Informatics and Research, II Floor of Nirmal Bhawan, ICMR Complex, Poojanhalli Road, Off NH-7, Adjacent to Trumpet Flyover of BIAL, Kannamangala Post Bengaluru - 562 110. India.

Phone: 080-22176400 Email: ncdir@ncdirindia.org

Reference: Report of National Cancer Registry Programme - 2020



https://ncdirindia.org/All\_Reports/Report\_2020/default.aspx

