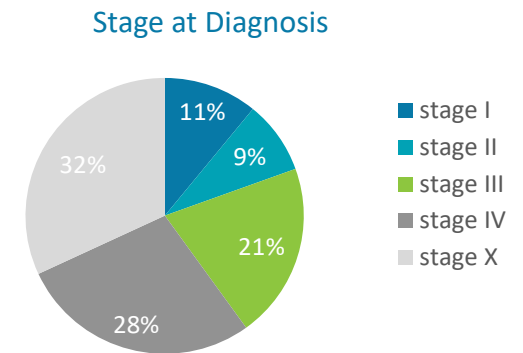
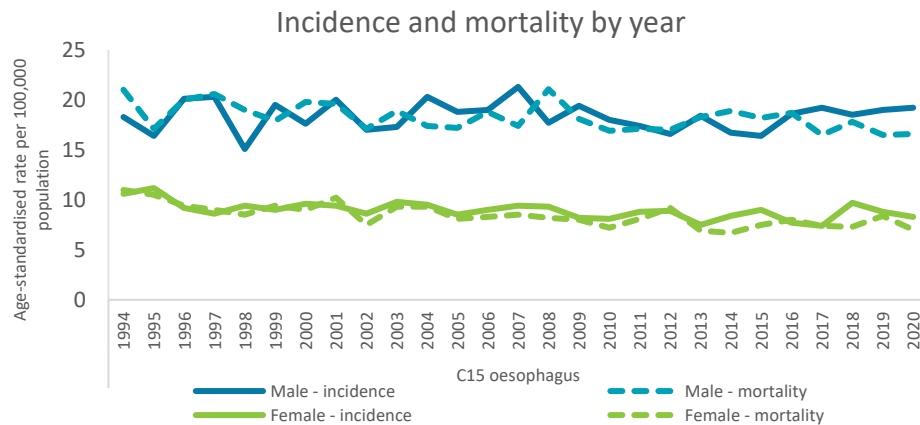
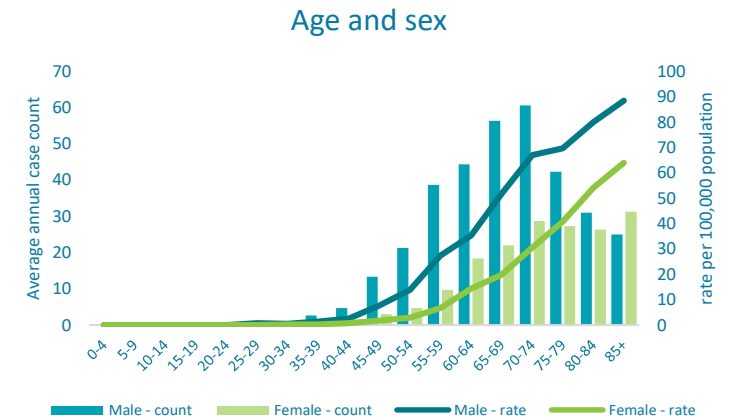


# Cancer Factsheet

## Oesophagus (ICD-10 C15)



New cases 2018-2020			
	Female	Male	Total
Number of new cases per year C15 oesophagus	173	342	515
Incidence rate (cases per 100,000 per year)	9	18.9	13.8
Cumulative lifetime risk of diagnosis	1 in 106	1 in 63	1 in 79
Percentage of all invasive cancers (excl NMSC)	1.5%	2.6%	2.1%
Ranking among most common invasive cancers (excl NMSC)	16	11	14
Median age at diagnosis (years)	75	69	71
Deaths 2018-2020			
Number of deaths per year C15 oesophagus	148	291	438
Mortality rate (deaths per 100,000 per year)	7.6	17	12
Cumulative risk of death to age 75 years	1 in 386	1 in 129	1 in 195
Percentage of all invasive cancer deaths (excl NMSC)	3.4%	5.8%	4.7%
Ranking among most common invasive cancer deaths (excl NMSC)	7	5	6
Median age at death (years)	78	71	73



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Incidence rates age standardised using 2013 European population. Data presented refer to cases diagnosed 2018-2020 unless otherwise specified. Data on stage relates to cases diagnosed 2014-2018.