

# KEY DATA FROM SPAIN'S NATIONAL HEALTH SYSTEM

## Population



### Inhabitants

**47 million** .....  
 19% of them older than 65  
 83 years is the life expectancy of someone born now  
 72 of those years will be lived in good health

### Births

**360,617**.....

### Deaths

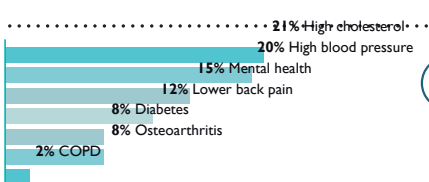
**418,703**.....

Causes  
 Cerebrovascular disease  
 Breast or colon cancer  
 Coronary heart disease  
 Lung or colon cancer

### Health status

**Nearly 8 out of 10** .....  
 people believe they are in good health

### Principal chronic health problems



### Public system coverage

Full Portfolio of Services for all people who ...  
 reside in Spain

## Lifestyles



### Obesity

**16% in adults** ... 16% ... 17% .....  
**10% in children and infants** 10% 10%

### Nutrition

**68% eat fruit** ... 71% ... 64% .....  
**47% eat vegetables** every day 52% 41%

### Physical activity

**36% do not do any physical activity** 40% ... 32%

### Tobacco

**20% smoke tobacco daily** ... 16% ... 23% ...

### Alcohol

**35% drink weekly** ... 25% ... 46% .....

### Other drugs

**11% of adults have consumed cannabis** ... 6% ... 15% .....  
 and **3% cocaine** 1% 4%  
 in the past 12 months

## National Health System professionals



### Medicine

**158,000**  
**43,000** professionals in primary healthcare  
**85,000** professionals in hospital healthcare  
**3,000** professionals in accident and emergency services (phone nos.112/061)  
**27,000** professionals training to be specialists

### Nursing

**198,000** .....  
**39,000** professionals in primary healthcare  
**154,000** professionals in hospital healthcare  
**3,000** professionals in accident and emergency services (phone nos.112/061)  
**2,000** professionals training to be specialists

### Other professionals

**330,000** .....  
**35,000** other professionals in primary healthcare  
**277,000** other professionals in hospital healthcare  
**16,000** other professionals in accident and emergency services (phone nos.112/061)  
**2,000** other professionals training to be specialists

## Healthcare



### Primary healthcare centres

**3,000** healthcare centres  
**10,000** doctor's offices  
**2,000** outpatient accident and emergency services  
**243 million** medical consultations  
**136 million** nursing consultations  
**127 million** teleconsultations  
**13 million** home visits  
**25 million** emergencies

### Accident and emergency (phone nos. 112/061)

**3,000** ambulances .....  
**9 million** healthcare demands  
**500** ambulances mobilized for 1,000 healthcare demands

### Hospitals

**467** .....  
**112,000** beds  
**19,000** outpatient hospital places  
**279** reference centres, services and units  
**45** hospitals with an authorized transplant programme  
**4 million** hospital admissions  
**7.8 days** overall average stay  
**6.5 days** average stay in acute-care hospitals  
**€ 4,746** average cost of each hospital stay  
**84 million** consultations  
**115 days** average waiting time for first consultation  
**3,7 million** surgical interventions (with or without hospitalization)  
**170 days** average waiting time for non-urgent surgical interventions  
**4,425** transplants  
**24 million** emergencies

## Research and innovation



Most renowned institutions in Spain's research structure  
**Instituto de Salud Carlos III (Carlos III Health Institute)**

Intramural centres .....  
**Centres of excellence in human health**

Foundations and centres .....  
**Research institutes and networks**

**32** accredited research institutes  
**14** thematic networks for cooperative research in health  
**12** public research consortiums  
**5** research support platforms

### Initiatives to promote innovation

Fundación para la Innovación y la Prospectiva en Salud en España -  
 FIPSE (Foundation for Health Research and Forecasting in Spain)

## Health expenditure



### Public

**€ 81,6 billion/year** .....  
**6.6 %** GDP  
**€ 1,732** per inhabitant  
**7 out of 10 euros** dedicated to curative care, rehabilitation, and long-term care in prescriptions for medication  
**€ 12,5 billion**

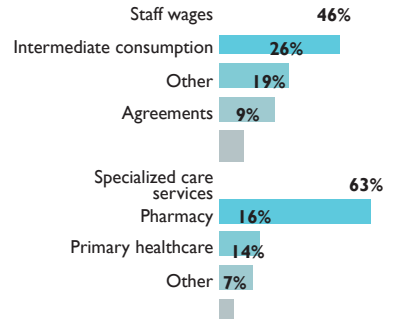
### Private

**€ 33,8 billion/year** .....  
**2.7 %** GDP  
**€ 719** per inhabitant  
**9 out of 10 euros** are direct payments by households, mainly for curative care and rehabilitation (including dental care), medication (including co-payment), lenses and hearing aids

### Total

**€ 115,4 billion/year** .....  
**9.3 %** GDP  
**€ 2,451** per inhabitant

### Distribution of public health expenditure managed by the Autonomous Communities



## Citizens' opinion



### Health system

**7 out of 10 people** .....  
 consider that the health system works well

**More than 2 out of 10** believe that it needs changes

**Fewer than 1 out of 10** believe that it should be rebuilt

### Assessment by the users of the National Health System

Primary healthcare consultations	7,3
Hospital care and stay	7,1
Specialized care consultations	6,8
Accident and emergency care	6,1

