

What is the Link Between Alcohol and Cancer?









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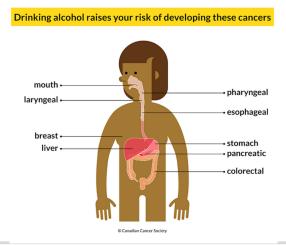
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How does alcohol use affect my cancer risk?



Drinking alcohol raises your risk of developing head and neck, breast, stomach, pancreatic, liver and colorectal cancers.



Drinking about 3.5 drinks per day increases your risk of developing cancer of different types:





3.5 X MORE LIKELY TO DEVELOP MOUTH, PHARYNGEAL, LARYNGEAL, AND ESOPHAGEAL CANCER



1.5 X MORE LIKELY TO DEVELOP COLORECTAL CANCER





Does smoking and alcohol affect my cancer risk?

Yes! Smoking and drinking together increases your risk of developing cancer.

Tobacco and alcohol together are worse for you than either one on its own.