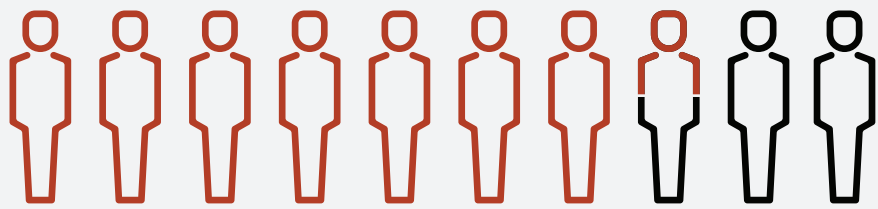




## The Burden of Chronic Diseases in Ontario

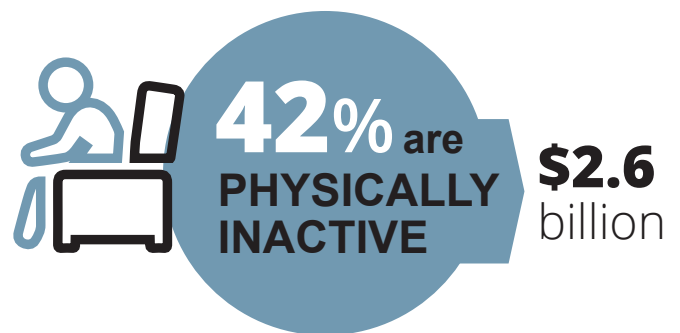
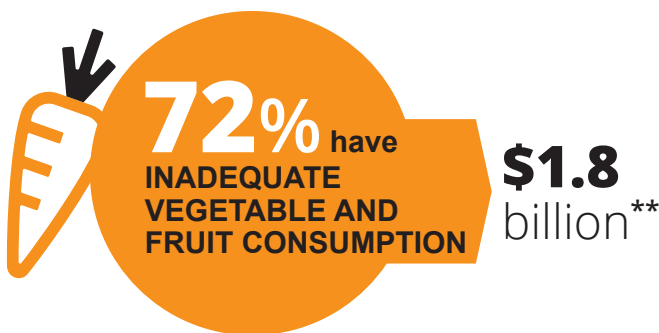
Over **7 in 10** deaths in 2015 were due to a chronic disease



**242,054** hospitalizations

in 2016 were due to cardiovascular diseases, diabetes, chronic lower respiratory diseases or cancer

### Adults in Ontario with chronic disease risk factors and related costs\*



\*Risk factor estimates are for 2015/16. Costs include direct healthcare and indirect costs.  
 \*\* The total cost of unhealthy eating is \$5.6 billion, which includes \$1.8 billion for inadequate vegetable and fruit consumption.

#### Living with disease

In 2015, a large number of people in Ontario were living with chronic diseases.

#### Health inequities

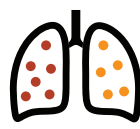
In 2015, compared to the richest 20%, the poorest 20% were more likely to die from chronic diseases.

**1.3 million** diabetes



**2.3x** more deaths from diabetes

**900,000** chronic obstructive pulmonary disease



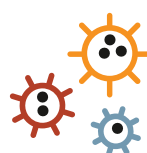
**2.1x** more deaths from chronic lower respiratory diseases

**1.0 million** ischemic heart disease



**1.6x** more deaths from cardiovascular diseases

**600,000** a cancer diagnosed in the past 30 years



**1.5x** more deaths from cancer