

CANCER IN IRELAND

CANCER INCIDENCE



40,000 new cancer diagnoses each year



150 people diagnosed every day in Ireland with cancer



Every 3 minutes someone is told they have cancer

DID YOU KNOW?



4 out of 10 cancer cases are preventable



Watching what we eat CAN PREVENT CANCER



Not smoking CAN PREVENT CANCER



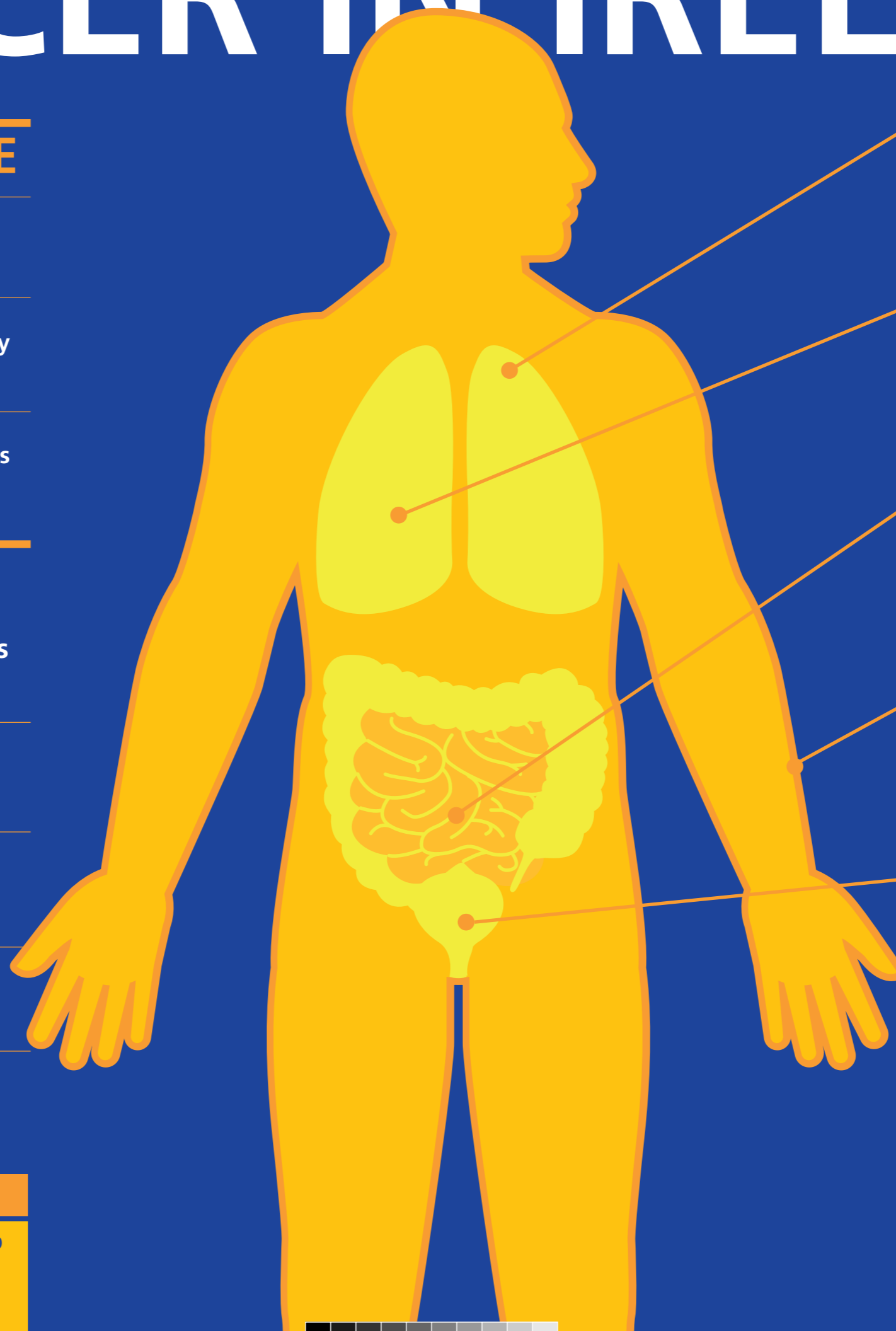
Sensible alcohol intake CAN PREVENT CANCER



Regular exercise CAN PREVENT CANCER

Cancer Nurseline

Contact our Cancer Nurseline on Freephone 1800 200 700 cancernurseline@irishcancer.ie www.cancer.ie



Lung Cancer

2,500 new cases each year | 18% survival rate

WHO GETS IT

PREVENT IT Don't smoke. Avoid asbestos and radon. If concerned about symptoms, consult your GP.

Breast Cancer

3,100 new cases each year | 83% survival rate

WHO GETS IT

PREVENT IT Eat well. Exercise. Breastfeed. Cut down on alcohol. Go for screening when called.

Bowel Cancer

2,800 new cases each year | 62% survival rate

WHO GETS IT

PREVENT IT Eat well. Exercise. Cut down on alcohol. Go for screening when called. If concerned about changes in your bowel habits, consult your GP.

Skin Cancer (Melanoma & Non-Melanoma)

12,000 new cases each year | 98% survival rate

WHO GETS IT

PREVENT IT Be smart in the sun. Get noticeable changes in moles checked by your GP.

Prostate Cancer

3,500 new cases each year | 92% survival rate

WHO GETS IT

PREVENT IT Eat well. Exercise. If concerned about symptoms, consult your GP.



WHAT WE'RE DOING

€25 million

INVESTED IN LIFE-SAVING CANCER RESEARCH SINCE 2010



FUNDS SPENT EACH YEAR ON LIFE-SAVING CANCER RESEARCH & PATIENT CARE & SUPPORT

€14,600,000*

*Figure based on annual average of funds spent in 2014, 2015 and 2016.

Progress in the fight against cancer, (people surviving diagnosis)

1998 → 2018 → Our Future
 4 out of 10 6 out of 10 10 out of 10

IN 2017...



Over 1,500 people received free counselling to help cope with a cancer diagnosis in their lives



924,000 people concerned about cancer accessed free information on www.cancer.ie



1,800 cancer patients received over 7,300 nights of end of life care from our Night Nurses



Over 44,000 people received free information, advice & support from Cancer Nurses on our Freephone Cancer Nurseline 1800 200 700 & 13 Daffodil Centres across Ireland.



Over 320,000 free cancer information booklets provided across Ireland



Over 1,300 cancer patients driven to over 12,000 chemotherapy treatments by our Volunteer Drivers



Irish Cancer Society