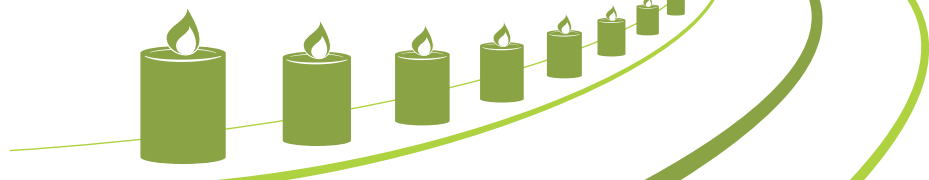


Road traffic injuries

Facts from the Eastern Mediterranean Region

Almost **9%** of global road traffic deaths in 2016 occurred in the Region

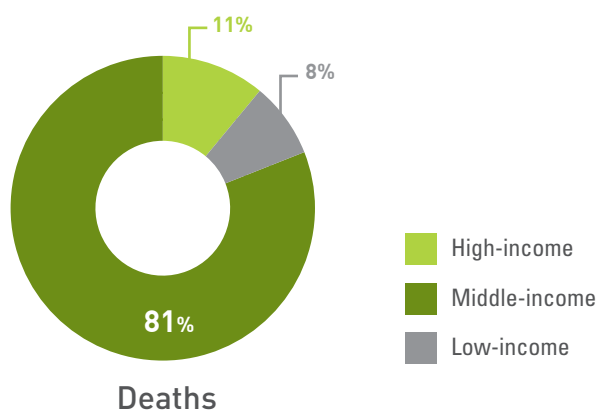


4 out of 5 road deaths are among men



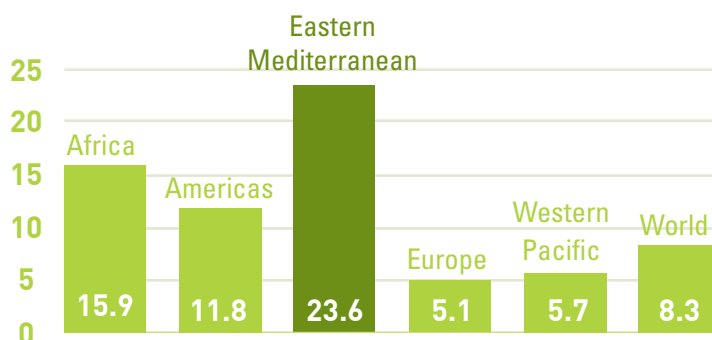
They are a leading cause of death among those aged **15-29 years**

81% of the Region's road traffic deaths occur in middle-income countries



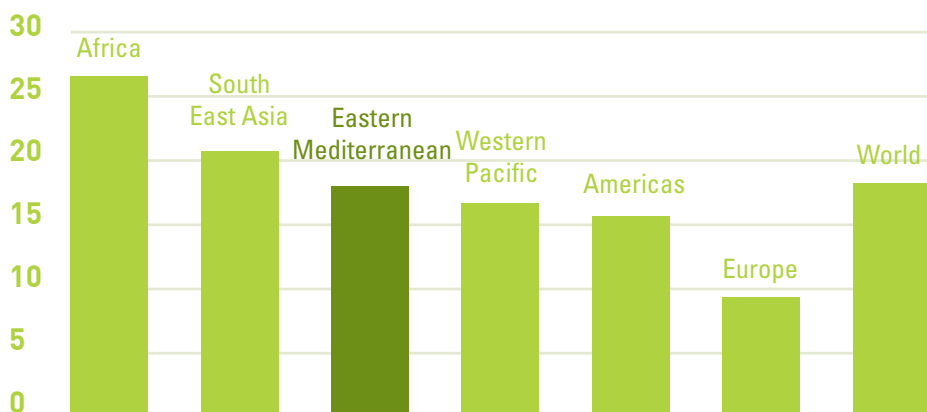
Road traffic deaths by country income status

High-income countries in the Region have a road traffic fatality rate that is three times the average rate of high-income countries globally

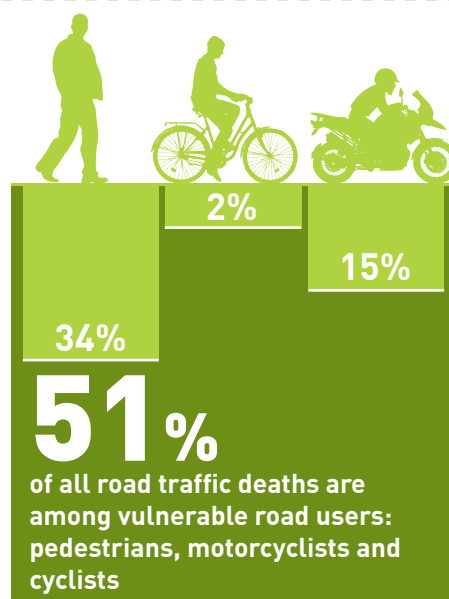


Road traffic fatality rates per 100 000 population in high-income countries

The Region has the third highest road traffic fatality rate in the world, after the WHO Africa and South-East Asia Regions



Road traffic fatality per 100 000 population, by WHO region



Source: Global status report on road safety 2018

www.who.int/violence_injury_prevention/road_safety_status/2018/en/



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