



# Antigua and Barbuda



## Country report card - adults

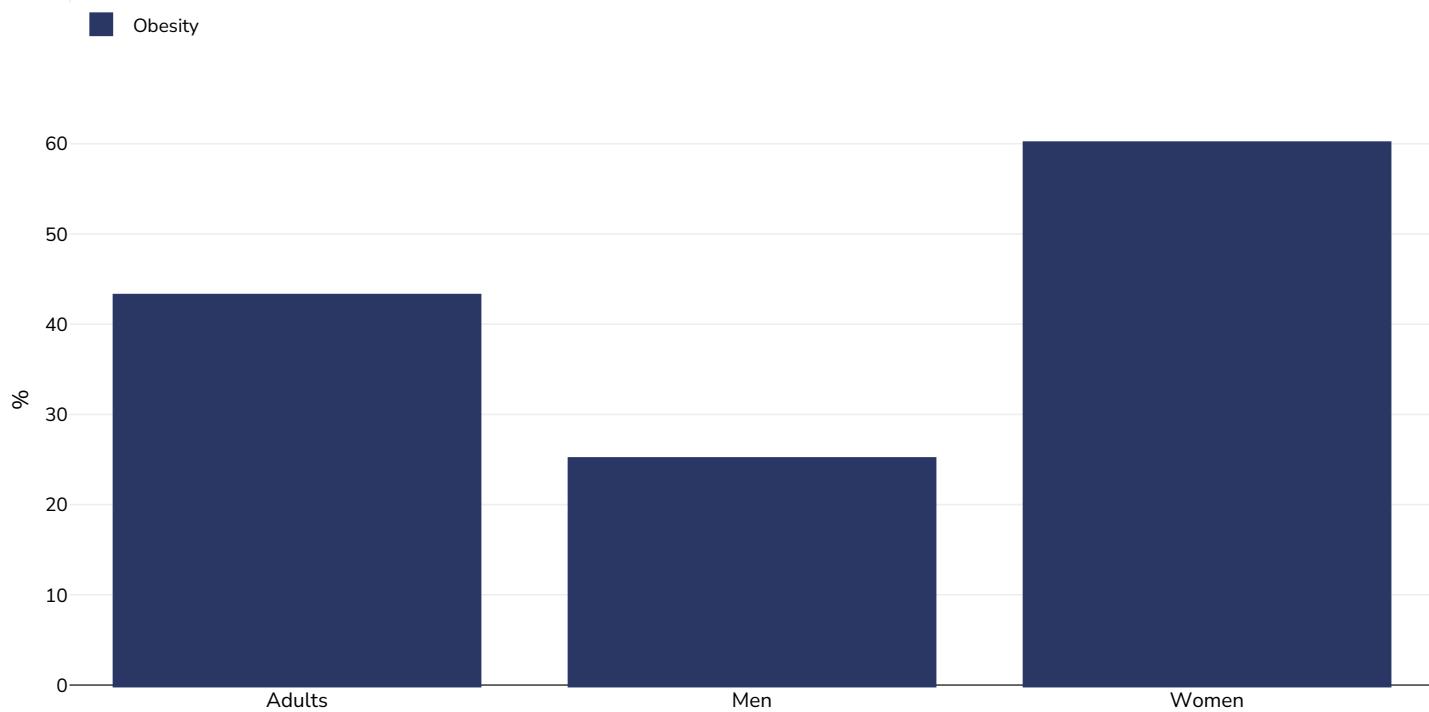
*This report card contains the latest data available on the Global Obesity Observatory on overweight and obesity for adults. Where available, data on common and relevant obesity drivers and comorbidities are also presented.*

*View the latest version of this report on the Global Obesity Observatory at <https://data.worldobesity.org/country/antigua-and-barbuda-6/>.*

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## Obesity prevalence

Adults, 1993



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

40+

References:

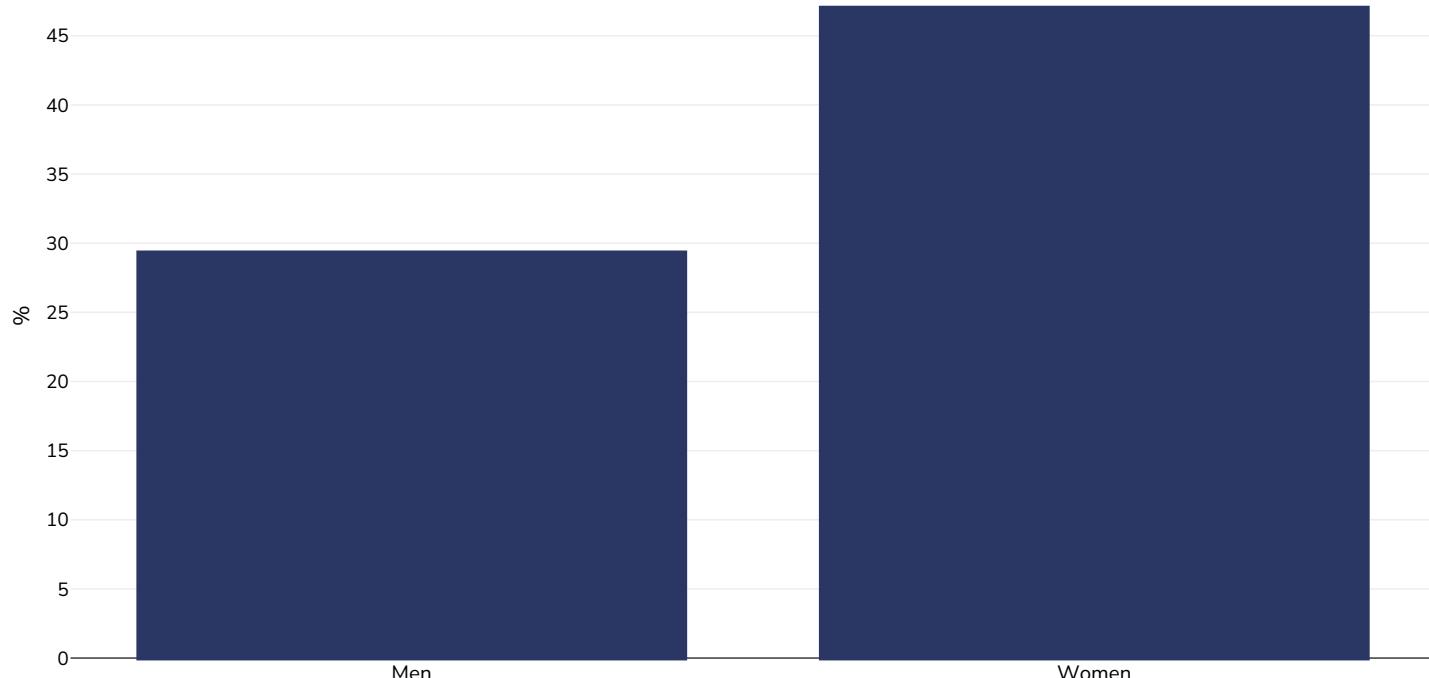
Ministry of Health Data 1993, from Antigua & Barbuda, FAO Nutrition Country Profile

Notes: Sample size not specified NB. Combined adult data estimated. These estimates were calculated by weighting male and female survey results. Weighting based on World Bank Population % total female 2019 (<https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/SP.POP.TOTL.FE.ZS> - accessed 30.09.20)

*Unless otherwise noted, overweight refers to a BMI between 25kg and 29.9kg/m<sup>2</sup>, obesity refers to a BMI greater than 30kg/m<sup>2</sup>.*

## Double burden of underweight & overweight

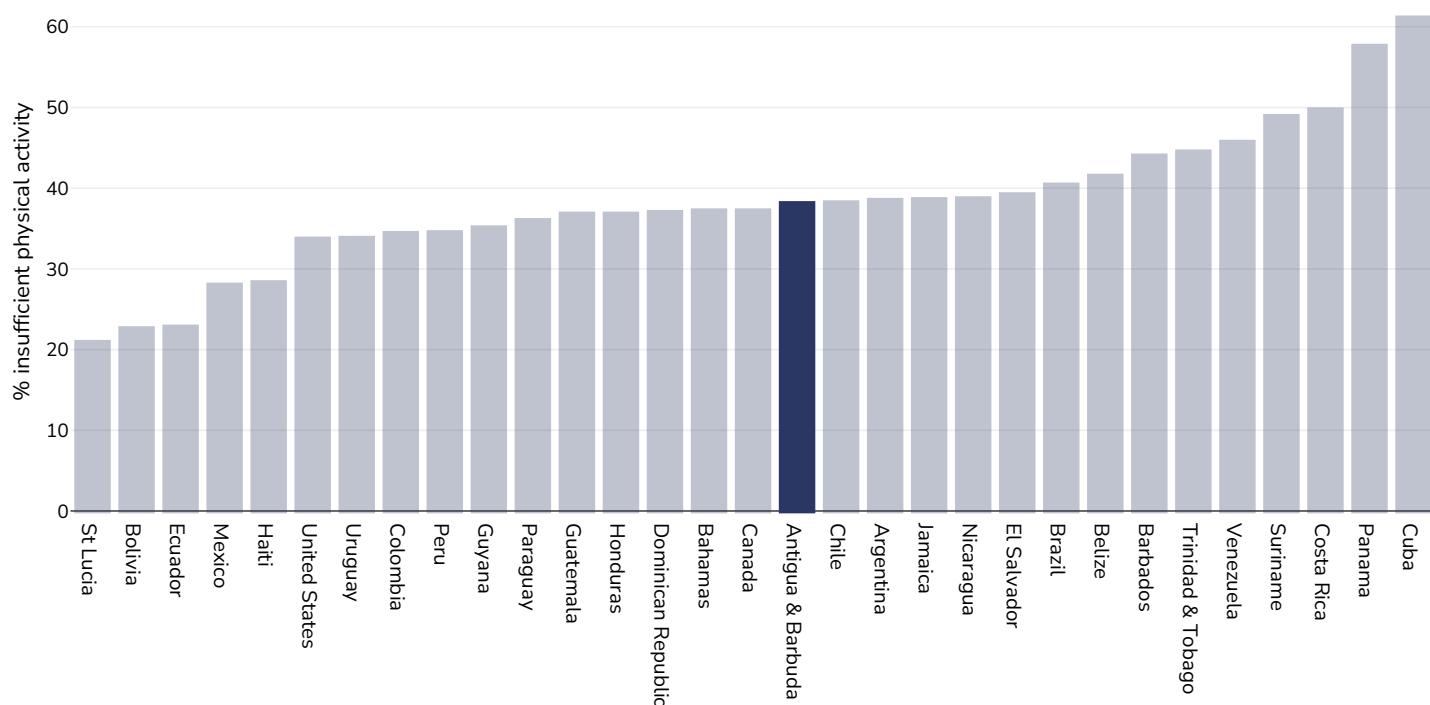
Adults, 2022



Survey type:	Measured
Age:	20+
References:	NCD Risk Factor Collaboration (NCD-RisC). Worldwide trends in underweight and obesity from 1990 to 2022: a pooled analysis of 3663 population representative studies with 222 million children, adolescents, and adults. Lancet 2024; published online Feb 29. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736(23)02750-2">https://doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736(23)02750-2</a> .
Notes:	Age Standardised estimates
Definitions:	Combined prevalence of BMI<18.5 kg/m <sup>2</sup> and BMI>=30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> (double burden of underweight and obesity)

## Insufficient physical activity

**Adults, 2022**



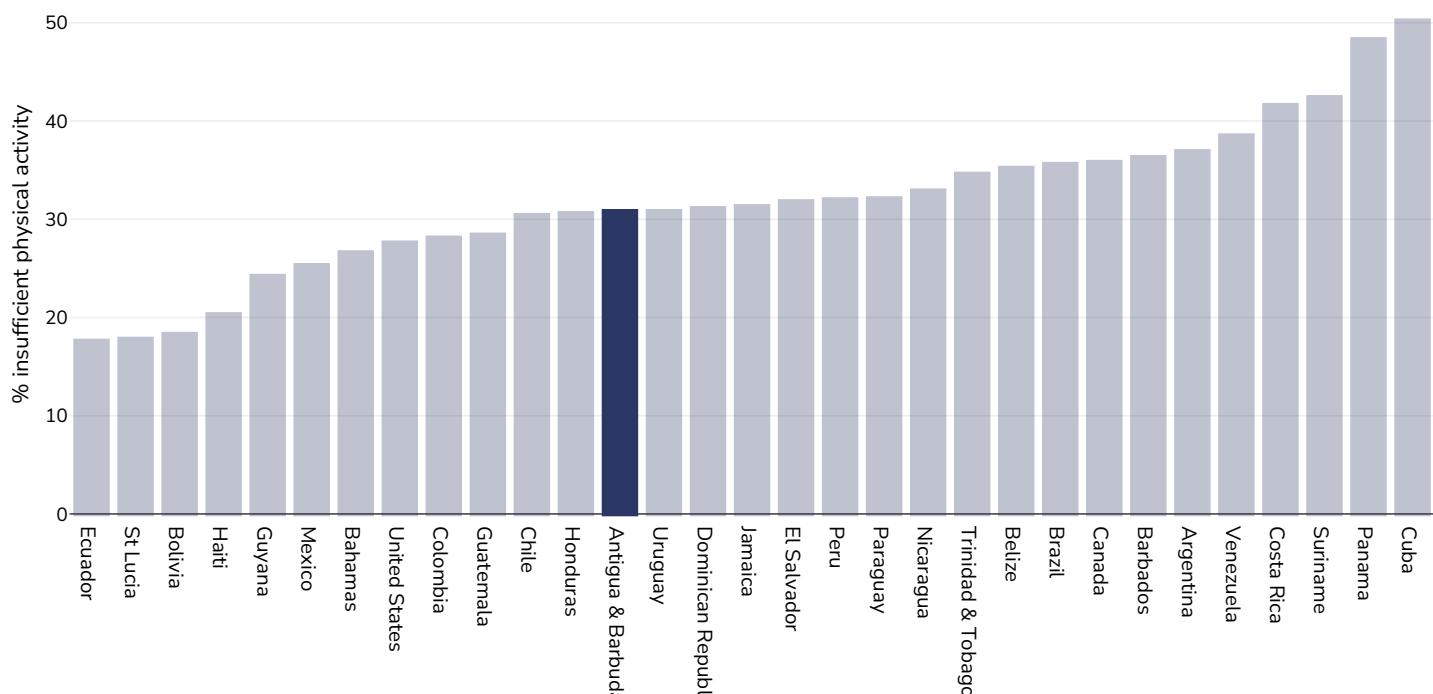
**Survey type:** Self-reported

**Age:** 18+

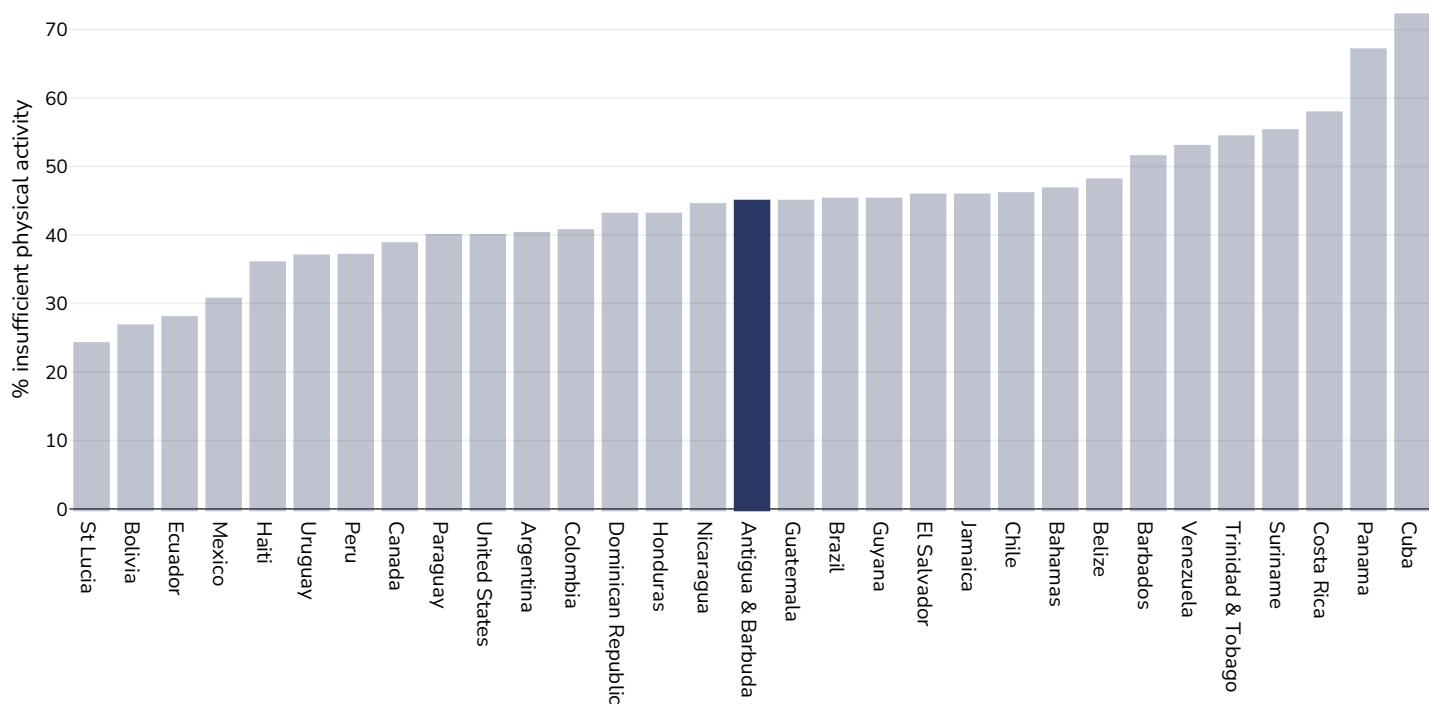
**Area covered:** National

**References:** WHO (2024). Prevalence of insufficient physical activity among adults aged 18-years age-standardized estimate in 2022. Available at [https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-\(age-standardized-estimate\)-\(--\)](https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(--))

**Definitions:** Percent of population attaining less than 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity per week, or less than 75 minutes of vigorous-intensity physical activity per week, or equivalent.

**Men, 2022**


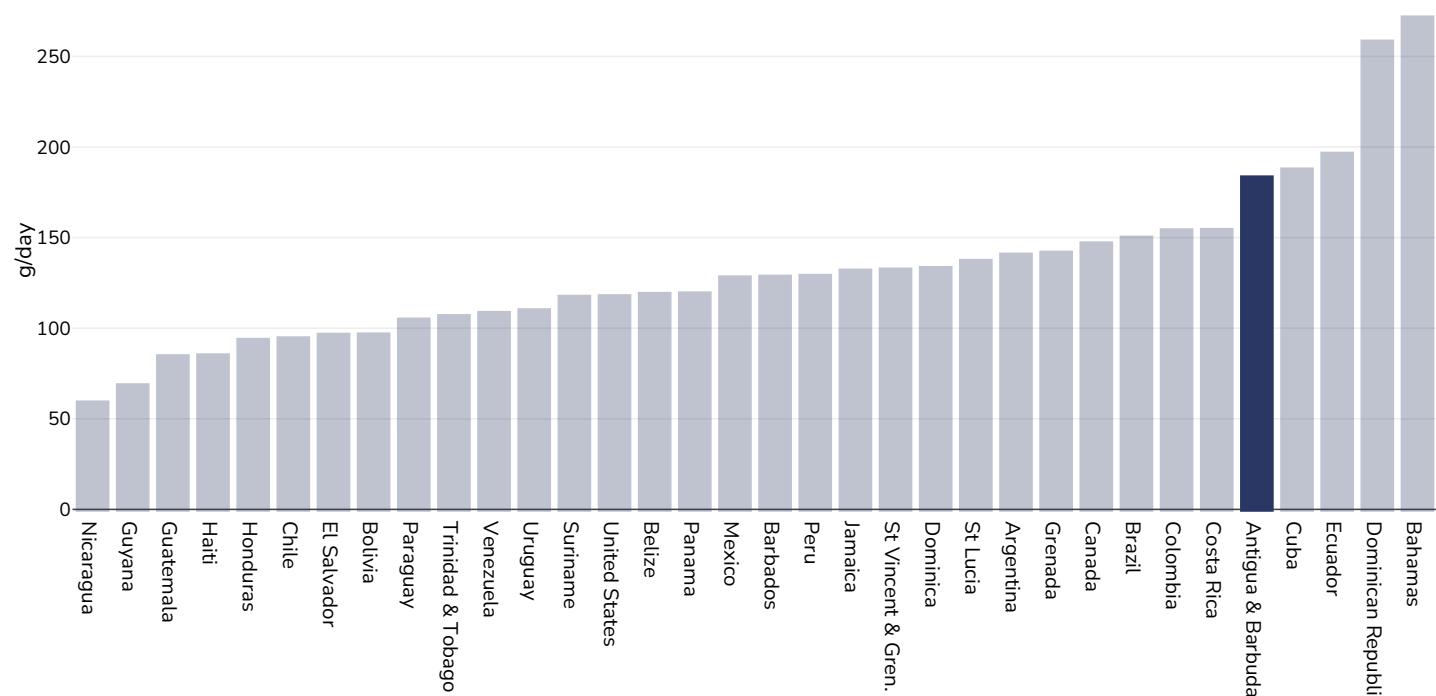
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Area covered:	National
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Definitions:	Percent of population attaining less than 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity per week, or less than 75 minutes of vigorous-intensity physical activity per week, or equivalent.

**Women, 2022**


Survey type:	Self-reported
Age:	18+
Area covered:	National
References:	WHO (2024). Prevalence of insufficient physical activity among adults aged 18-years age-standardized estimate in 2022. Available at <a href="https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(-)">https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(-)</a>
Definitions:	Percent of population attaining less than 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity per week, or less than 75 minutes of vigorous-intensity physical activity per week, or equivalent.

## Estimated per capita fruit intake

Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

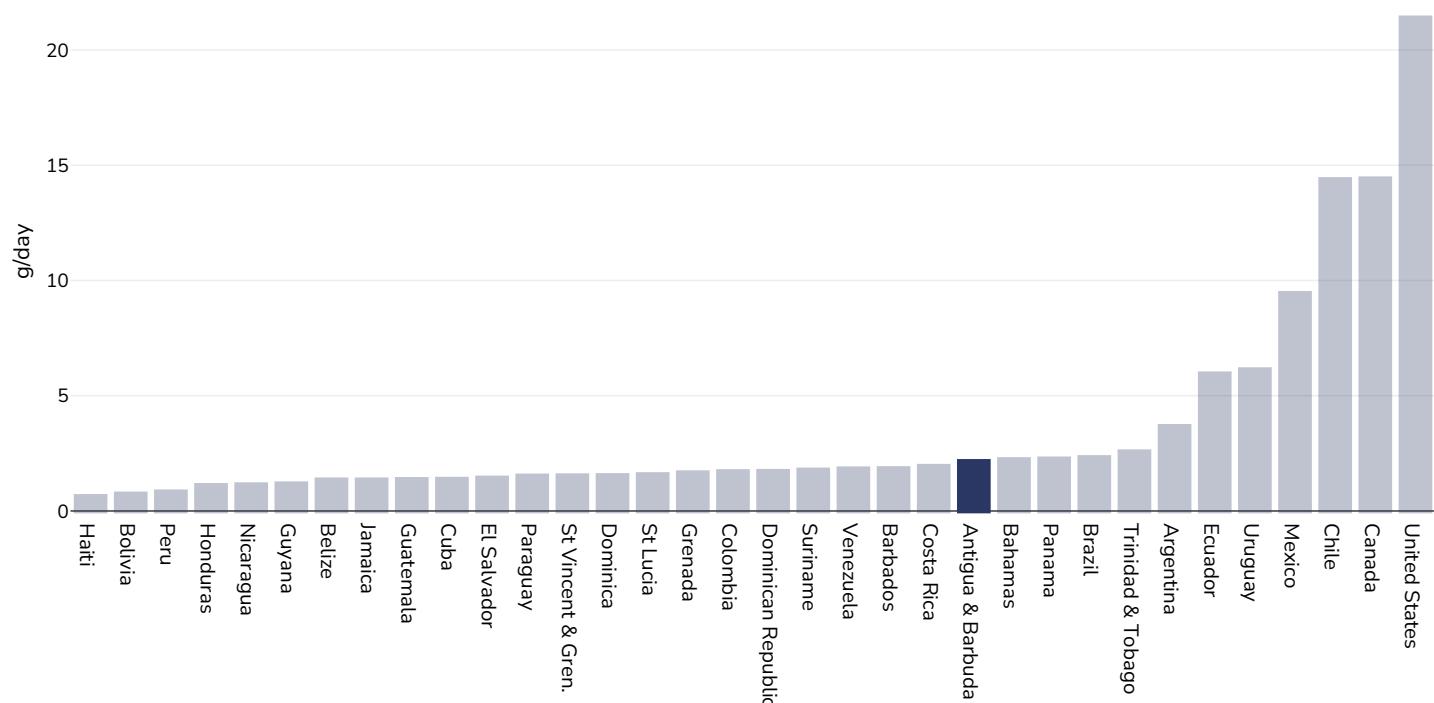
Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

Definitions:

Estimated per-capita fruit intake (g/day)

## Estimated per-capita processed meat intake

Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

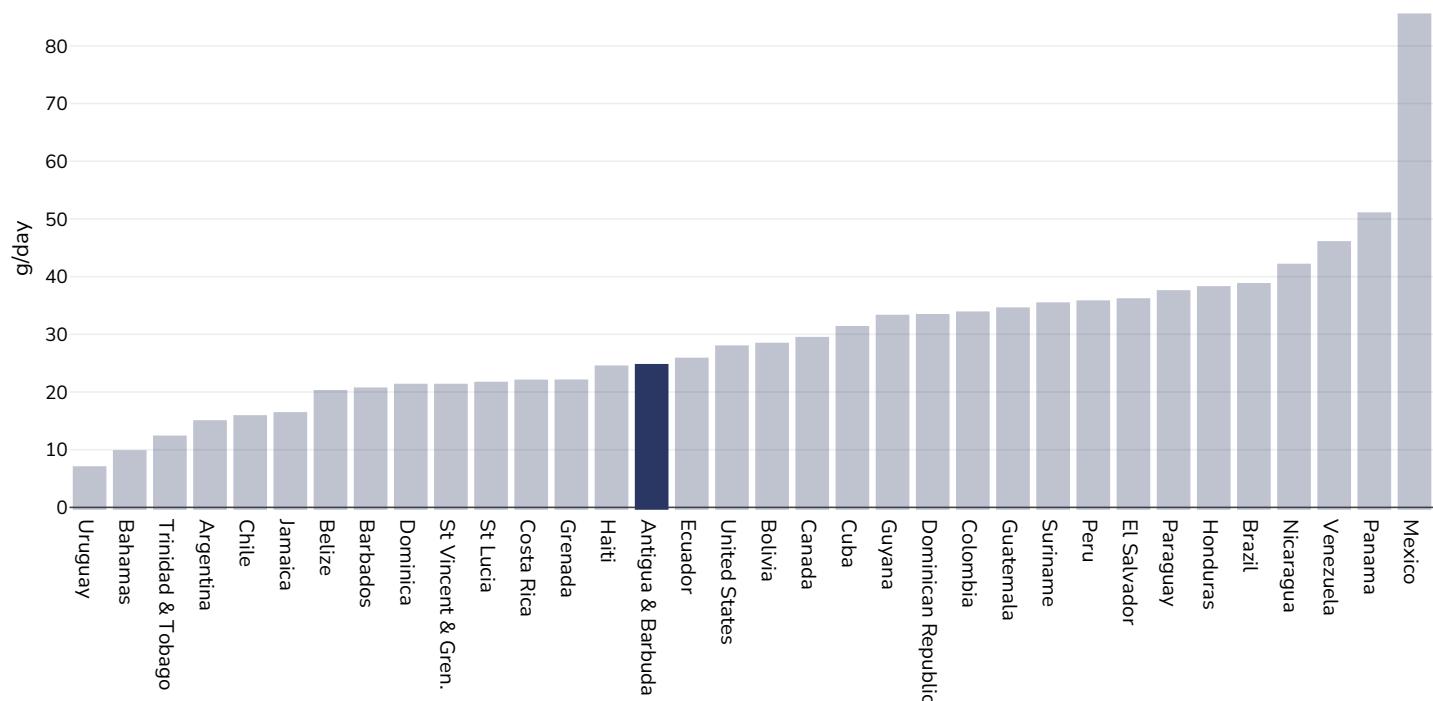
Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

Definitions:

Estimated per-capita processed meat intake (g per day)

## Estimated per capita whole grains intake

Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

Definitions:

Estimated per-capita whole grains intake (g/day)

## Mental health - depression disorders

**Adults, 2021**



**Age:**

20+

**Area covered:**

National

**References:**

Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME). GBD Compare Data Visualization. Global Burden of Disease (GBD) Study 2021. Seattle, WA: IHME, University of Washington, 2023. Available from <http://vizhub.healthdata.org/gbd-compare>. (Last accessed 23.04.25)

**Definitions:**

Number living with depression per 100,000 population (adults 20+ years)

## Men, 2021



<b>Age:</b>	20+
<b>Area covered:</b>	National
<b>References:</b>	Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME). GBD Compare Data Visualization. Global Burden of Disease (GBD) Study 2021. Seattle, WA: IHME, University of Washington, 2023. Available from <a href="http://vizhub.healthdata.org/gbd-compare">http://vizhub.healthdata.org/gbd-compare</a> . (Last accessed 23.04.25)
<b>Definitions:</b>	Number living with depression per 100,000 population (adults 20+ years)

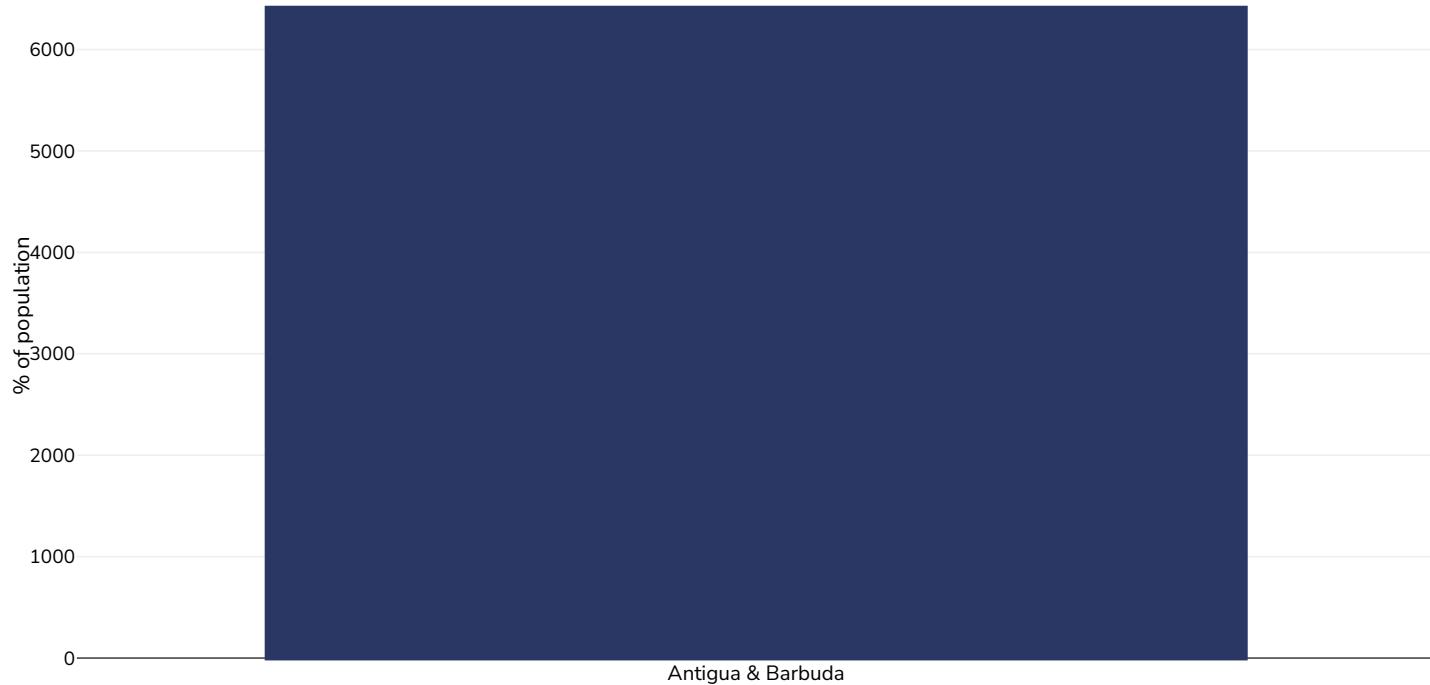
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<b>Definitions:</b>	Number living with depression per 100,000 population (adults 20+ years)

## Mental health - anxiety disorders

Adults, 2021



Age:

20+

References:

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Definitions:

Number living with anxiety per 100,000 population

**Men, 2021**

**Age:**

20+

**References:**

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**Definitions:**

Number living with anxiety per 100,000 population

## Women, 2021


**Age:**

20+

**References:**

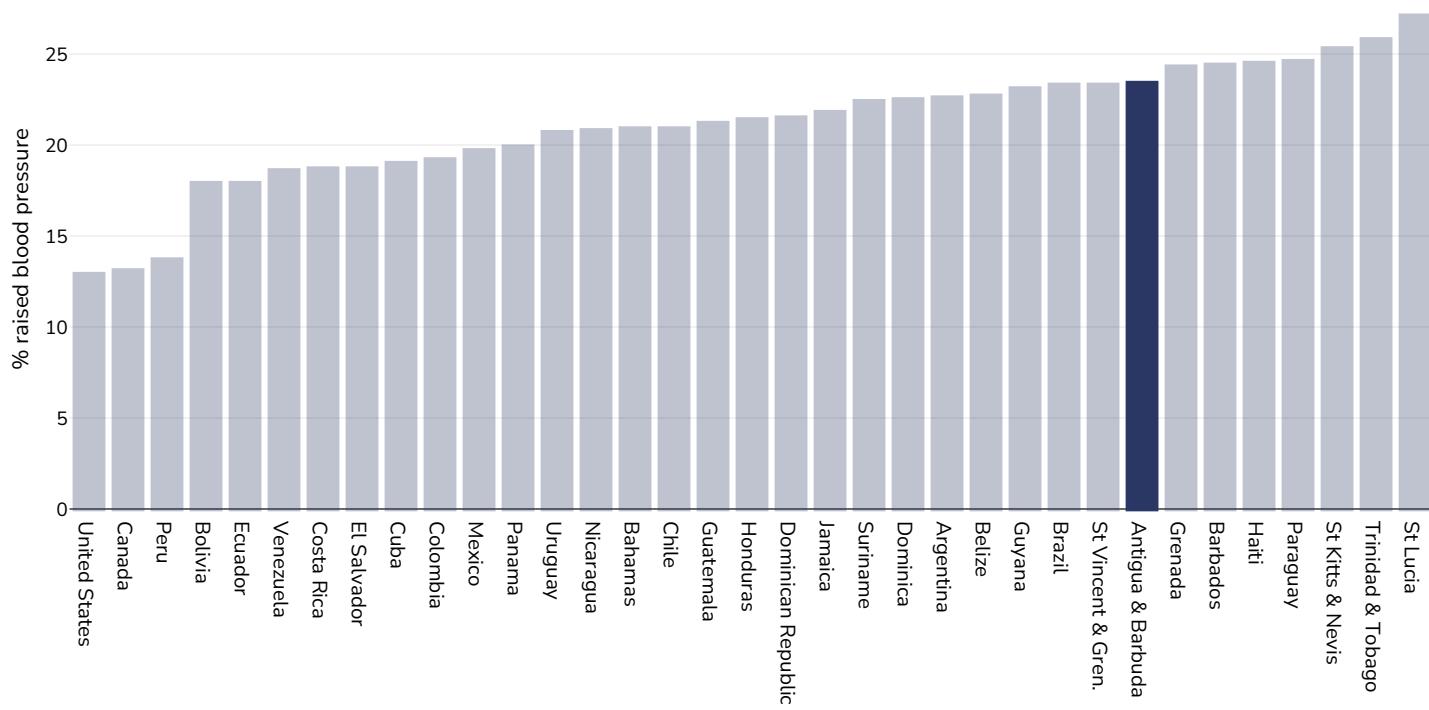
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**Definitions:**

Number living with anxiety per 100,000 population

## Raised blood pressure

Adults, 2015



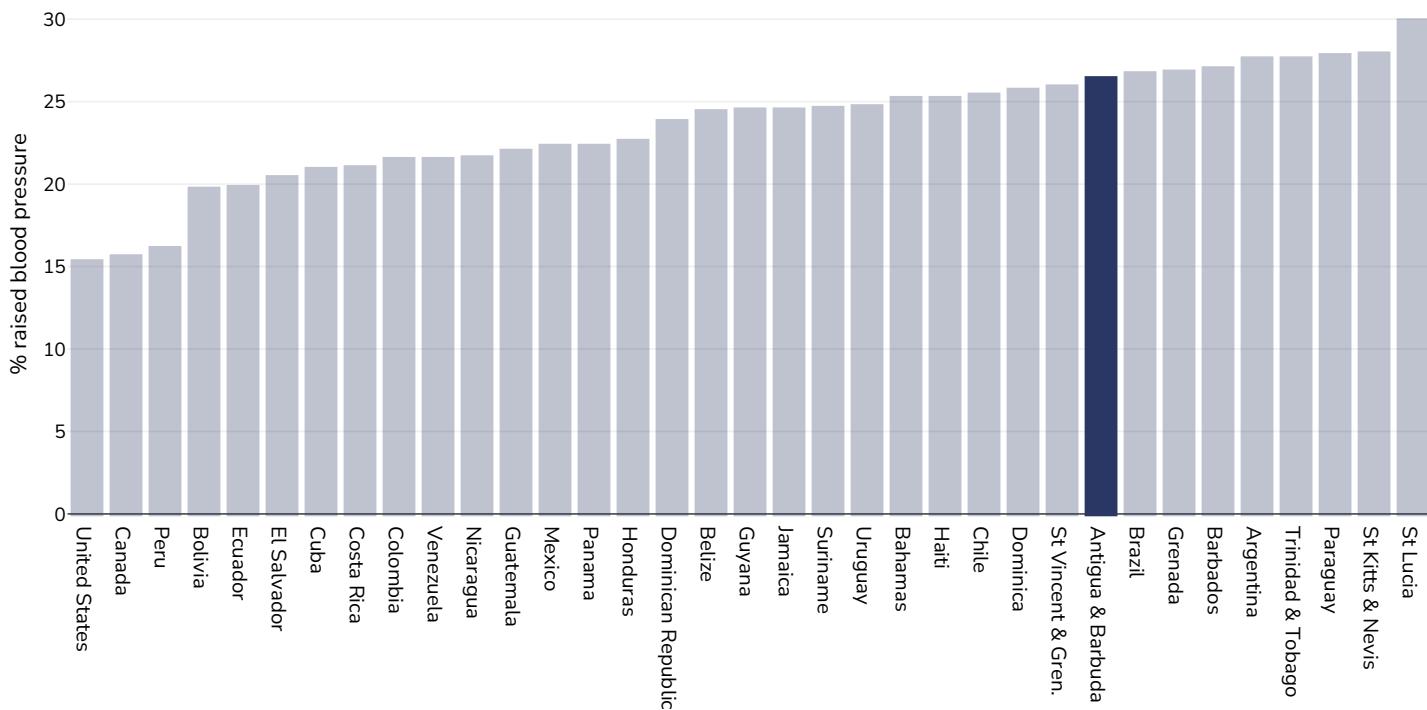
References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A875?lang=en>

Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP>=140 OR DBP>=90).

## Men, 2015



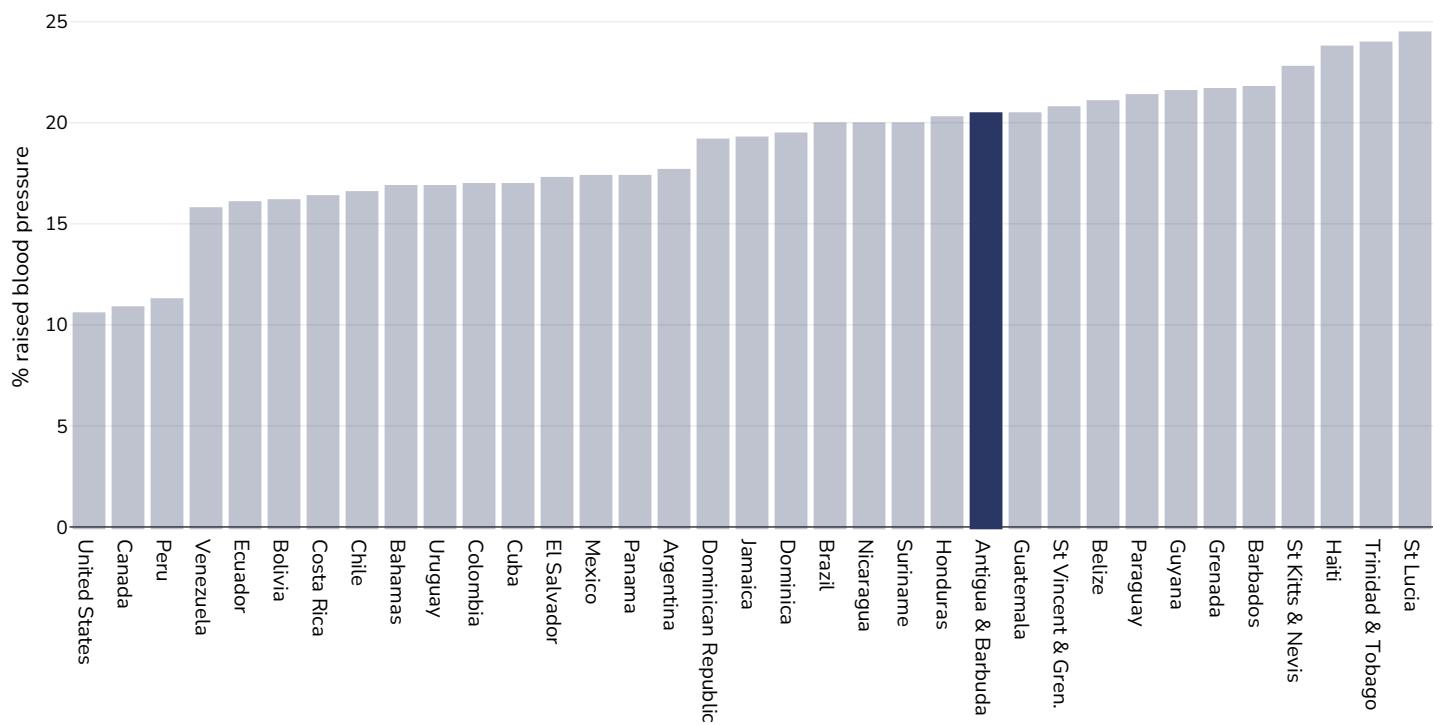
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## Women, 2015



References:

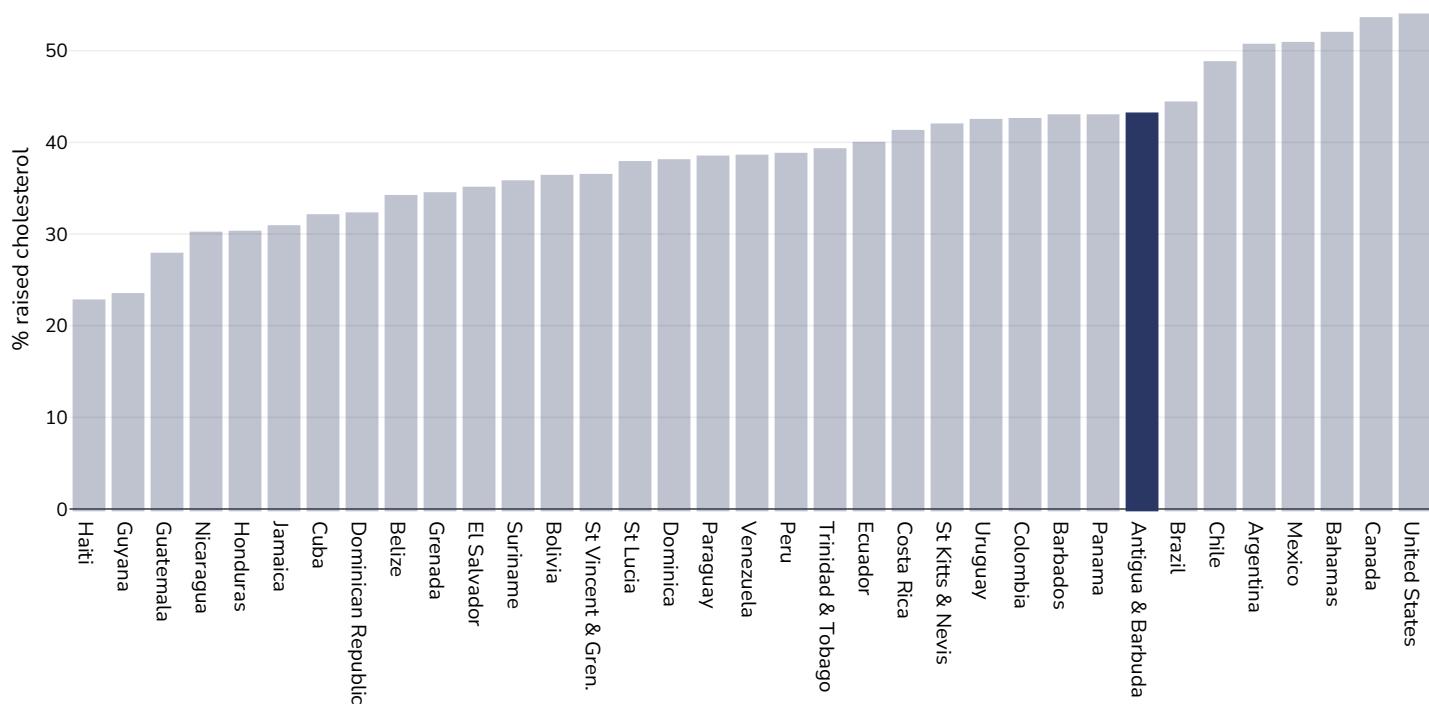
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP>=140 OR DBP>=90).

## Raised cholesterol

Adults, 2008



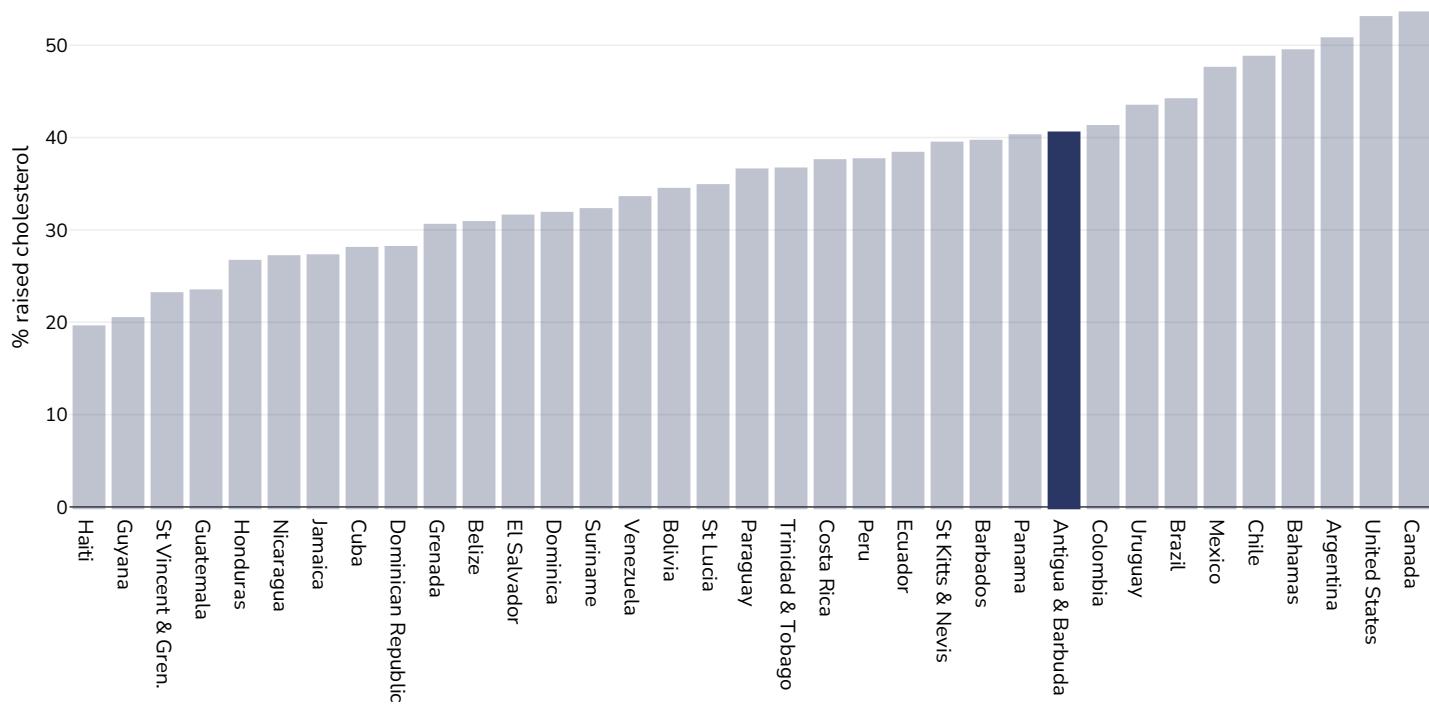
References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A885>

Definitions:

% Raised total cholesterol (>= 5.0 mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

**Men, 2008**



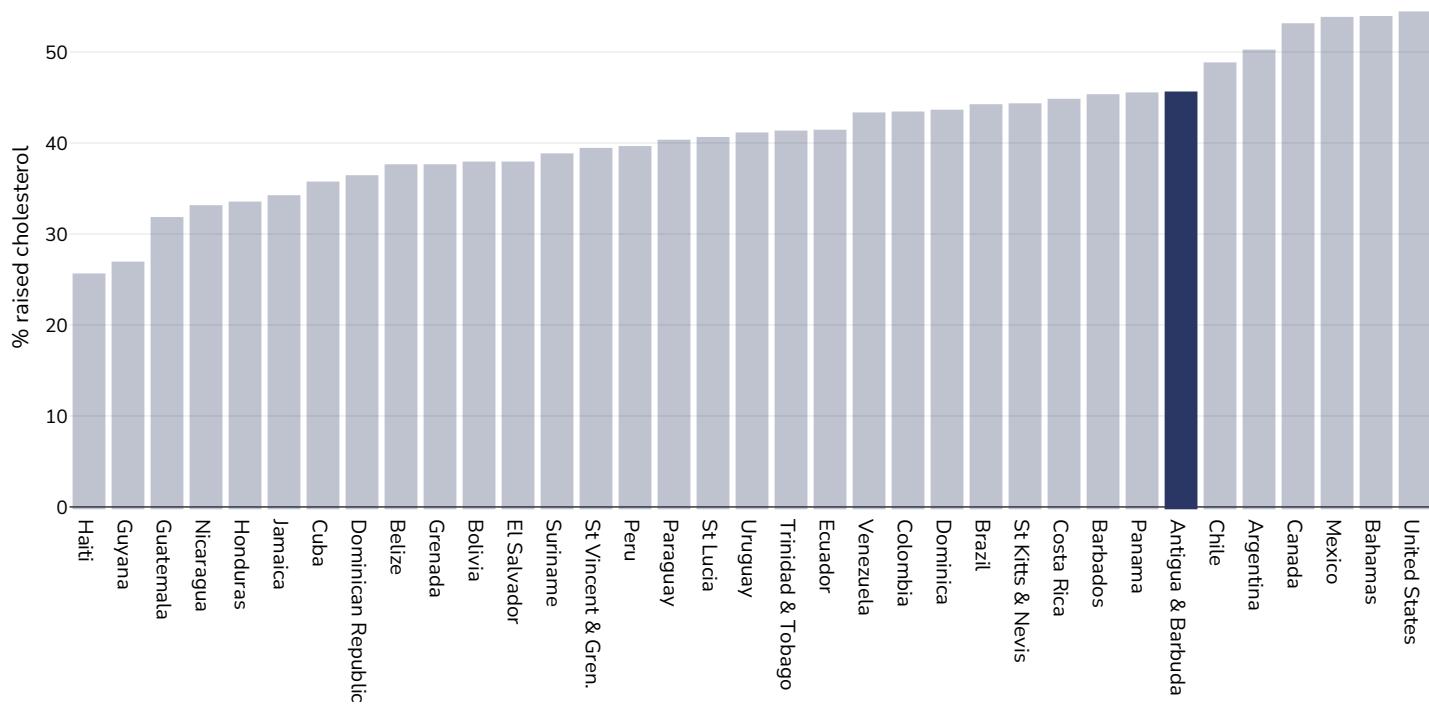
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## Women, 2008



References:

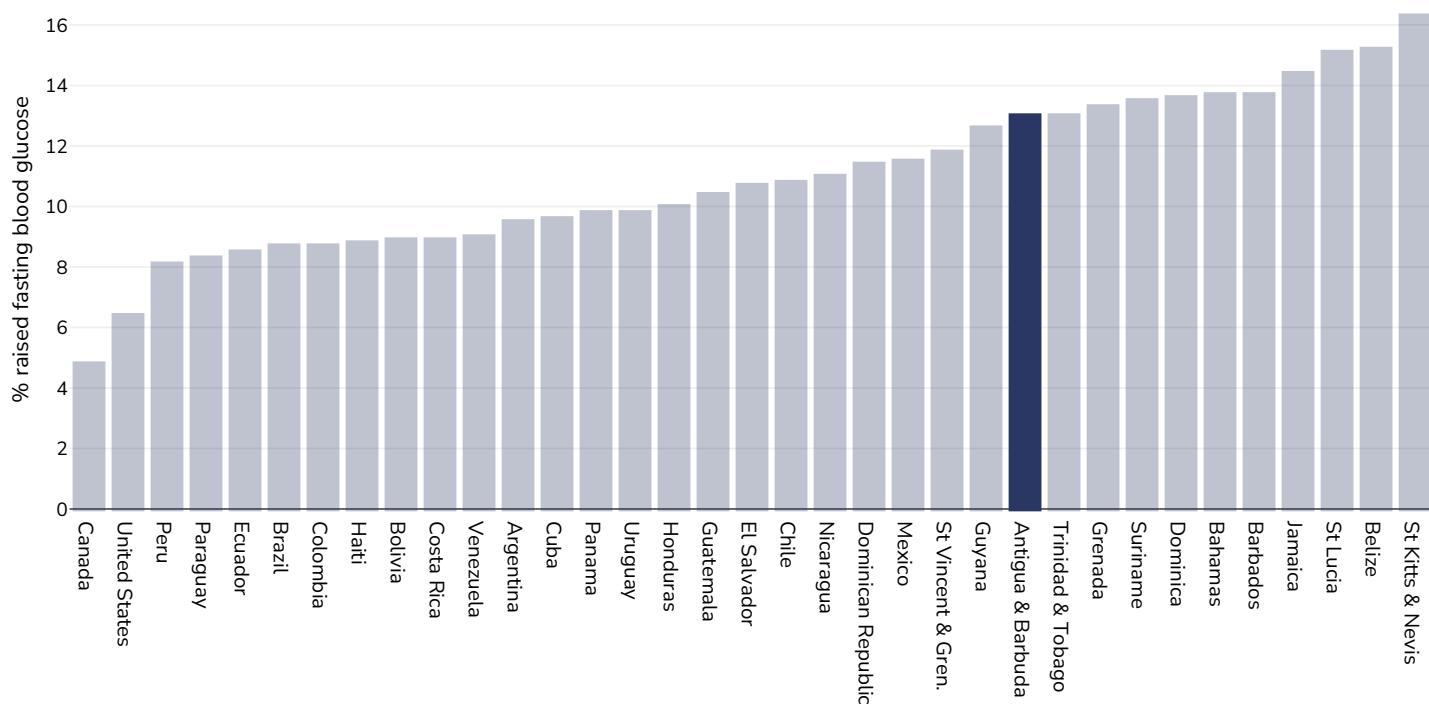
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Definitions:

% Raised total cholesterol (>= 5.0 mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

## Raised fasting blood glucose

Men, 2014



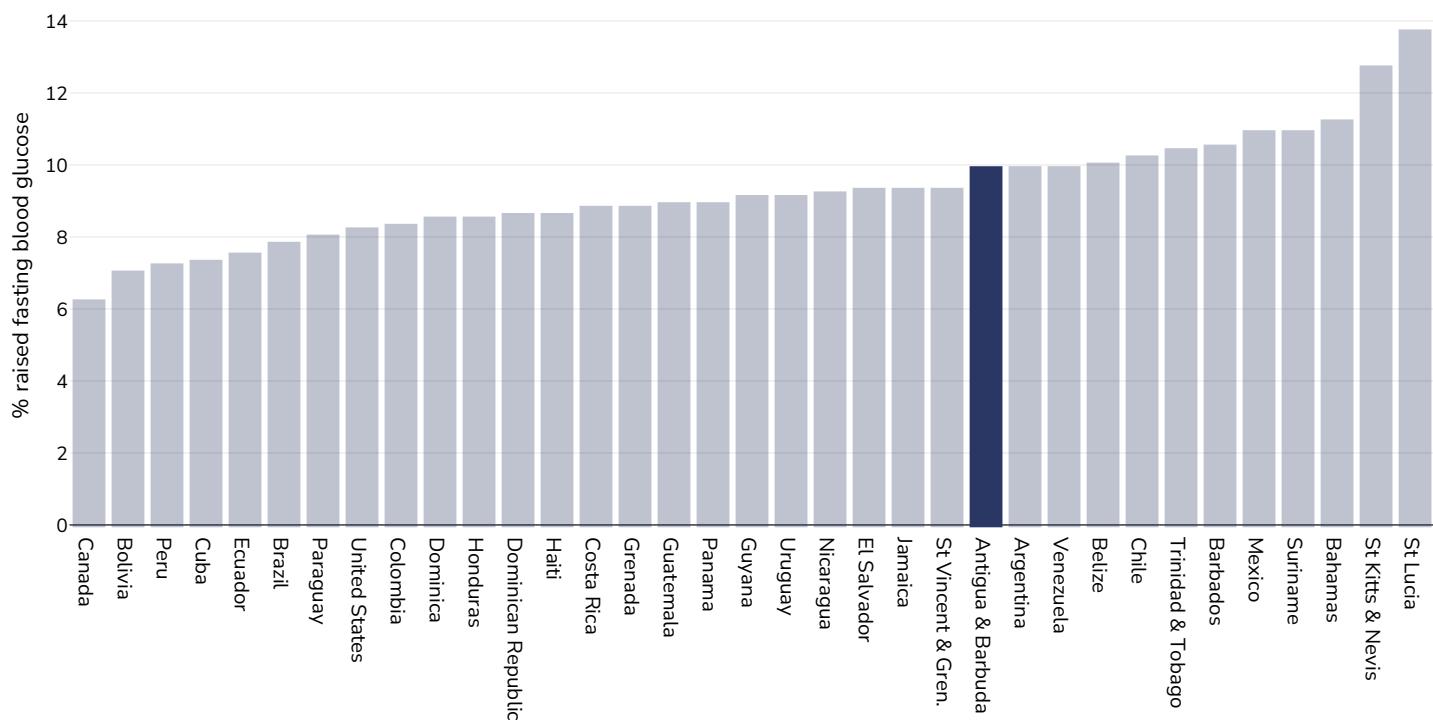
References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A869?lang=en>

Definitions:

Age Standardised % raised fasting blood glucose ( $\geq 7.0$  mmol/L or on medication).

## Women, 2014



References:

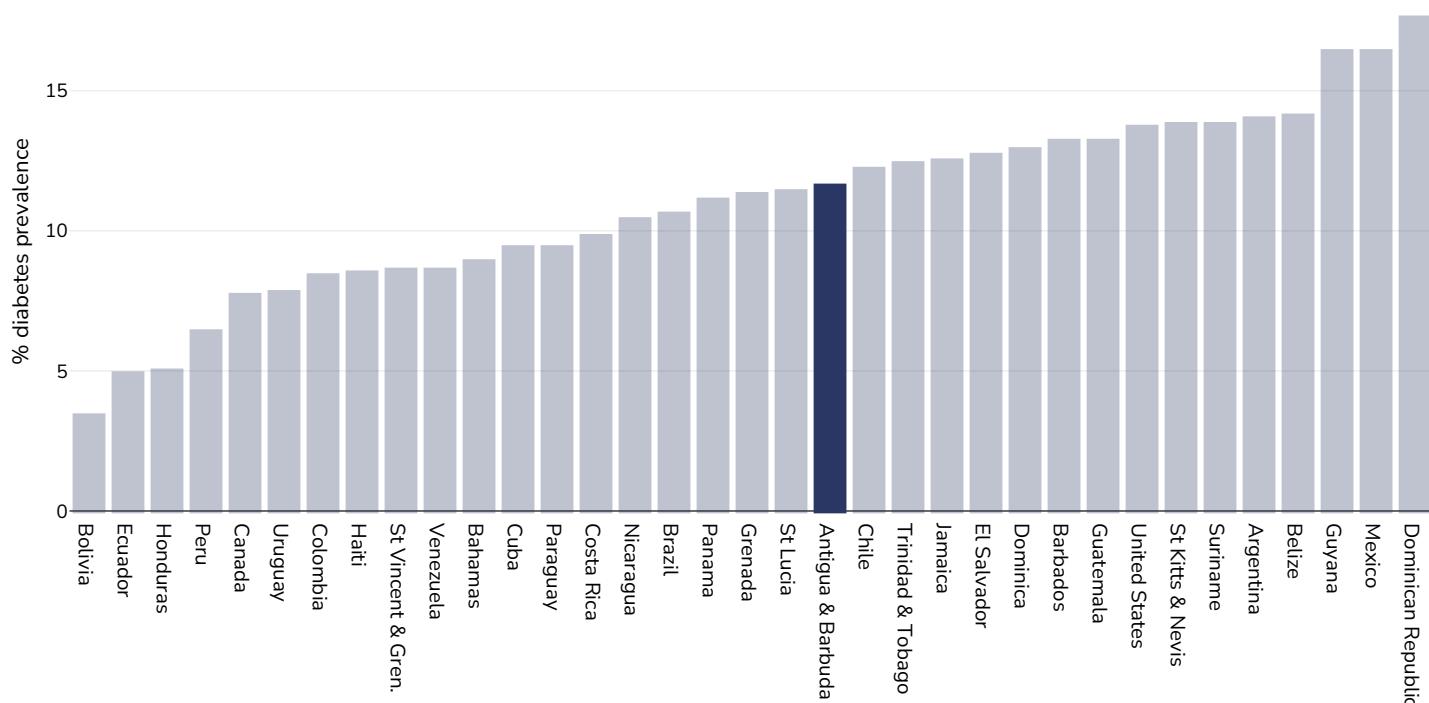
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Definitions:

Age Standardised % raised fasting blood glucose (>= 7.0 mmol/L or on medication).

## Diabetes prevalence

Adults, 2024



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