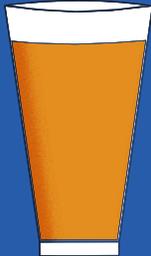


Alcohol Taxes in Michigan

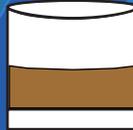
Background: Excessive alcohol use is responsible for approximately **88,000** deaths and **2.5 million** years of potential life lost each year in the United States. Increasing alcohol taxes is included in the Community Guide review based on its effectiveness for reducing excessive alcohol use and related harms.

Alcohol Taxes in MI: By The Numbers



Excise tax per 12 ounce beer:

\$0.02



Excise tax per gallon of spirits:

Undetermined



Excise tax per 5 ounce glass:

\$0.02

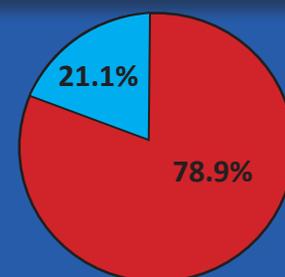
The Community Preventive Services Task Force findings:

- **Higher** alcohol prices or taxes were consistently related to:
 - o **FEWER** motor vehicle crashes and fatalities
 - o **LESS** alcohol-impaired driving
 - o **LESS** mortality from liver cirrhosis
 - o **LESS** all-cause mortality
 - o **LESS** youth drinking
- The expected percentage change in alcohol consumption for every **10% increase** in price
 - o **5% REDUCTION** in beer consumption
 - o **6.4% REDUCTION** in wine consumption
 - o **7.9% REDUCTION** in spirits consumption
 - o **7.7% REDUCTION** in total alcohol consumption

John's Hopkins Research Collaborative findings:

Average additional cost for alcohol per adult (18+) per year as a result of a 5% increase in alcohol taxes in Michigan.

Among adult (18+) drinkers, who pays for the 5% increase in Michigan?



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