



# IBEROAMERICAN OBSERVATORY OF PUBLIC POLICIES IN ORAL HEALTH

## Country Profile: COSTA RICA

### GENERAL DATA (SOURCE: WORLD BANK - [HTTPS://DATA.WORLDBANK.ORG/](https://data.worldbank.org/))

WORLD BANK GROUP: UPPER MIDDLE INCOME

POPULATION: 4.999.441 (2018)

URBAN POPULATION (%TOTAL): 79,3 (2018)

RURAL POPULATION (% TOTAL): 20,6(2018)

POVERTY HEADACOUNT RATIO AT NATIONAL POVERTY LINE (%): 20 (2017)

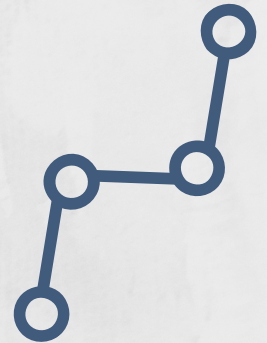
LIFE EXPECTANCY (YEARS): 79,9 (2017)

LIFE EXPECTANCY, FEMALE (YEARS): 82,5 (2017)

LIFE EXPECTANCY, MALE (YEARS): 77,3 (2017)

GNI PER CAPITA, PPP (CURRENT INTERNATIONAL \$): 16.670 (2018)

DOMESTIC GENERAL GOVERNMENT HEALTH EXPENDITURE (%OF CURRENT HEALTH): 74,7 (2016)



### WORKFORCE (SOURCE: UNITED NATIONS DATABASE - [HTTP://DATA.UN.ORG/](http://data.un.org/))



PHYSICIANS (PER 1000 POPULATION): 1,1 (2013)

NURSES AND MIDWIVES PERSONNEL (PER 1000 POPULATION): 0,8 (2013)

DENTISTS (PER 1000 POPULATION): 0,1 (2013)

PHARMACEUTICAL (PER 1000 POPULATION): 0,2 (2013)

### ORAL HEALTH (SOURCE:

[HTTPS://REVISTAODONTOLOGICA.COLEGIODENTISTAS.ORG/INDEX.PHP/REVISTA/ARTICLE/VIEW/437/645](https://revistaodontologica.colegiodontistas.org/index.php/revista/article/view/437/645))

DMFT 5 YEARS: NOT AVAILABLE

DMFT 12 YEARS: 2,57 (2006)

DMFT 18 YEARS: NOT AVAILABLE

DMFT 35-39 YEARS: NOT AVAILABLE

DMFT 70-74 YEARS: NOT AVAILABLE

PERIODONTAL DISEASE: NOT AVAILABLE

\*LAST NATIONAL ORAL HEALTH SURVEY (1999)



LIP AND ORAL CANCER (ALL AGES, BOTH SEXES, 2018) PER 100.000 (SOURCE: CANCER TODAY

[HTTPS://GCO.IARC.FR/TODAY/HOME](https://gco.iarc.fr/today/home))

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PREVALENT CASES: 3,7

ESTIMATED AGE STANDARIZED MORTALITY RATES: 0,61

ESTIMATED AGE STANDARIZED INCIDENCE RATES: 1,3