

# Media coverage of the Canadian Alcohol Policy Evaluation (CAPE) project

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## CAPE 3.0

- [Landmark Study Gives Canadian Government Failing Grades In Alcohol Policies](#) (Alcohol Issues Podcast, April 2025)
- [An alcohol policy community of practice: A model for knowledge-sharing and collaboration](#) (Institute of Alcohol Studies, March 2025)
- [Want to live longer and save money? Online app can help calculate your benefits from cutting back on alcohol](#) (The Conversation, January 2025)
- [‘Drink less and live more’: Island Health encourages men to drink less alcohol for Movember](#) (Chek News, November 2024)
- [In 1993, Alberta said a private liquor model would bring more choice and stable prices. Did it?](#) (CBC Calgary, July 2024)
- [Ontario's 'alcohol deficit' to grow with expanded sales: expert](#) (CBC Ottawa, July 2024)
- [COLUMN: Mantha on buying alcohol](#) (Elliot Lake Today, July 2024)
- [Canada’s alcohol deficit: The public cost of alcohol outweighs government revenue](#) (The Conversation, July 2024)
- [Evaluating Ottawa’s rules around alcohol](#) (Vancouver Island Mental Health Society, June 2024)
- [How Scotland started to kick its alcohol problem — and what Ontario could learn from it](#) (Toronto Star, June 2024)
- [Guelph's top doc flags concerns with corner store booze sales](#) (Guelph Today, June 2024)
- [How Well Do Canada's Alcohol Policies Support Public Health?](#) (Medscape, May 2024)
- [Ontario will not raise drinking age or stop alcohol sale in corner stores despite concerns by chief medical officer](#) (CTV News Toronto, April 2024)
- [Mental health advocates wary of Ontario’s booze expansion](#) (CBC Ottawa, December 2023)
- [Venugopal: Premier Ford’s alcohol-sales expansion is reckless](#) (Ottawa Citizen, December 2023)
- [Atlantic Canadian universities alcohol policies below par, new study finds](#) (Country94, October 2023)
- [Booze prices need to rise, accessibility needs to drop to reduce harm, study says](#) (CBC News New Brunswick, June 2023)
- [Alcohol policies in every province, territory receive failing grade in meeting public health standards: report](#) (CTV News, June 2023)
- [It causes seven types of cancer and birth defects. Should alcohol have a warning label?](#) (Healthing, June 2023)
- [B.C. gets failing grade on alcohol policies from UVic-led national project](#) (Black Press, May 2023)

## CAPE 2.0

- [Bylaw to limit number of retail cannabis stores passes first reading](#) (Prince Albert Daily Herald, Jul 2020)
- [Alcohol-related hospitalizations stubbornly high in Saskatchewan](#) (Saskatoon StarPhoenix, Jun 2020)

- [Cheers! Raising the price of alcohol could help pay for our COVID debt hangover, and keep us healthier: Daphne Bramham, Opinion](#) (Vancouver Sun, May 2020)
- [Limit alcohol supply during pandemic to reduce burden on front-line workers: Opinion](#) (CBC News, Apr 2020)
- [N.W.T. alcohol strategy won't work without community support, says MLA](#) (CBC News, Mar 2020)
- [Hawking heavy drinking](#) (Inside the Jar, Jan 2020)
- [Recovering alcoholic urges rethink on beer in grocery stores](#) (CBC News, Dec 2019)
- [Are Canada's alcohol regulations enough?](#) (DATAC, Dec 2019)
- [Canada needs an Alcohol Act to address the damage caused by this deadly carcinogen](#) (The Conversation, Oct 2019)
- [P.E.I. Liquor Control Commission raises minimum sale price of alcohol: 1st time minimum price has changed in 15 years](#) (CBC News, Oct 2019)
- [Toronto's top doctor sounds alarm on Ontario's loosened alcohol regulations](#) (Global News, Jul 2019)
- [Yellowknife councillors reject looking into restricting liquor sales, changing store hours](#) (CBC News, Jun 2019)
- [More Canadians hospitalized per day for health conditions and injuries caused by alcohol or drugs than for heart attacks and strokes combined: report](#) (The Globe and Mail, May 2019)
- [Alcohol, not opioids, is Canada's biggest drug problem: Daphne Bramham, Opinion](#) (Vancouver Sun/PostMedia, Apr 2019)
- [Study finds B.C.'s regulation of alcohol is second-best in the country but still far from great](#) (Black Press, Apr 2019)
- [B.C. gets near failing grade on implementing policies to reduce impacts of alcohol use, study says](#) (CHEK News, Apr 2019)
- [B.C. is second-best – though still bad – at regulating alcohol: study](#) (CTV News, Apr 2019)
- [B.C. alcohol policy report card: Tim Stockwell](#) (CBC Vancouver's Early Edition; segment starts at 2:41:45)
- [Politiques sur l'alcool: la C.-B. et le Yukon sont derniers de classe](#) (Radio-Canada, April 2019)
- [Atlantic provinces failing to address alcohol problems: national study](#) (Truro News, Apr 2019)
- [Ontario's proposed alcohol policies will increase harms, researchers say](#) (CBC News/Canadian Press, Apr 2019)
- [The best low-percentage booze: NSLC price increases below national average](#) (Halifax Chronicle-Herald, Apr 2019)
- [Report Shows Alcohol More Damaging than Tobacco Use](#) (AM 800 Windsor, Mar 2019)
- [Canadian governments must step up efforts to reduce alcohol-related harms, health studies find](#) (Globe and Mail, Feb 2019)
- [Alcohol policies fizzle for Canadian governments as harms overflow: reports](#) (National Post, Feb 2019)
- [Canadian alcohol policy gets failing grade from UVic researchers](#) (Vic News, Feb 2019)
- [Do more to combat alcohol's harm: reports](#) (Times Colonist, Feb 2019)

- [Abundance of booze costing B.C. money and lives, researcher says](#) (Vancouver Star, Feb 2019)
- [Mixed results for Saskatchewan in Canadian Alcohol Policy Evaluation Reports](#) (Prince Albert Daily Herald, Feb 2019)
- [Territories get failing grades on curbing alcohol harms: study](#) (CBC North, Feb 2019)
- [Change is coming, but not to privatization or liquor hours says SLGA](#) (Prince Albert Daily Herald, Feb 2019)

#### **CAPE 1.0**

- [Hamilton addictions expert concerned about fallout from expanded beer and wine sales](#) (HamiltonNews.com, Jul 2018)
- [Costs of liquor outweigh its revenues in B.C., study says](#) (Times Colonist, Aug 2013)
- [Alcohol one of Canada's top health threats: Study](#) (Toronto Star, Mar 2013)