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

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➢ How Well Do Canada's Alcohol Policies Support Public Health? (Medscape, May 2024)
➢ 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)

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➢ 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)
➢ Report Shows Alcohol More Damaging than Tobacco Use (AM 800 Windsor, Mar 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)
➢ 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)
➢ 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)
➢ Yellowknife councillors reject looking into restricting liquor sales, changing store hours (CBC News, Jun 2019)
➢ Toronto’s top doctor sounds alarm on Ontario’s loosened alcohol regulations (Global News, Jul 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)
➢ Recovering alcoholic urges rethink on beer in grocery stores (CBC News, Dec 2019)
➢ Are Canada’s alcohol regulations enough? (DATAC, Dec 2019)
➢ Hawking heavy drinking (Inside the Jar, Jan 2020)
➢ N.W.T. alcohol strategy won’t work without community support, says MLA (CBC News, Mar 2020)
➢ Limit alcohol supply during pandemic to reduce burden on front-line workers: Opinion (CBC News, Apr 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)
➢ Alcohol-related hospitalizations stubbornly high in Saskatchewan (Saskatoon StarPhoenix, Jun 2020)
➢ Bylaw to limit number of retail cannabis stores passes first reading (Prince Albert Daily Herald, Jul 2020)

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➢ Politiques sur l’alcool: la C.-B. et le Yukon sont derniers de classe (Radio-Canada, April 2019)

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➢ 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)