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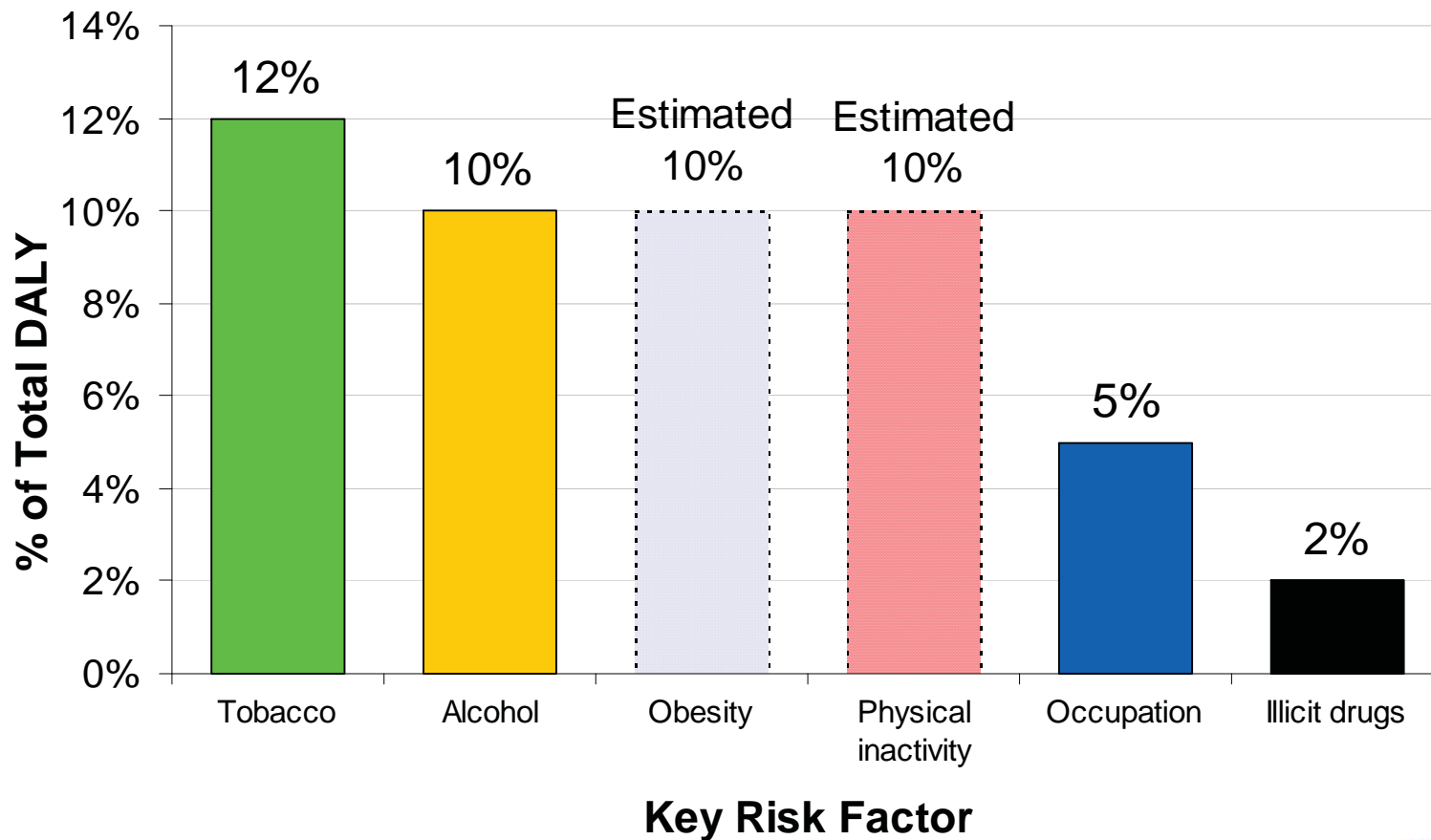
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The Burden of Chronic Disease

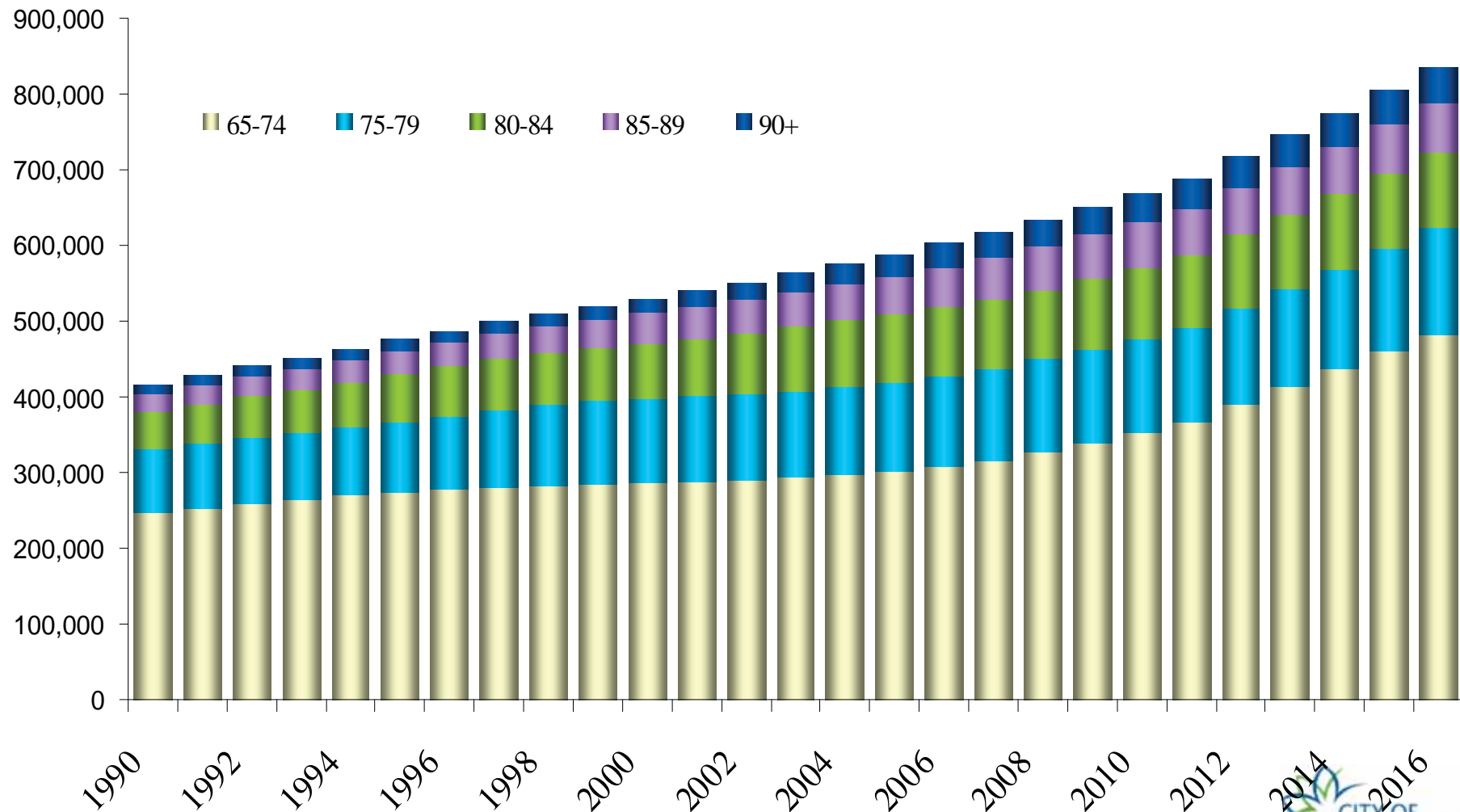
Key Risk Factors Contributing to the Burden of Illness



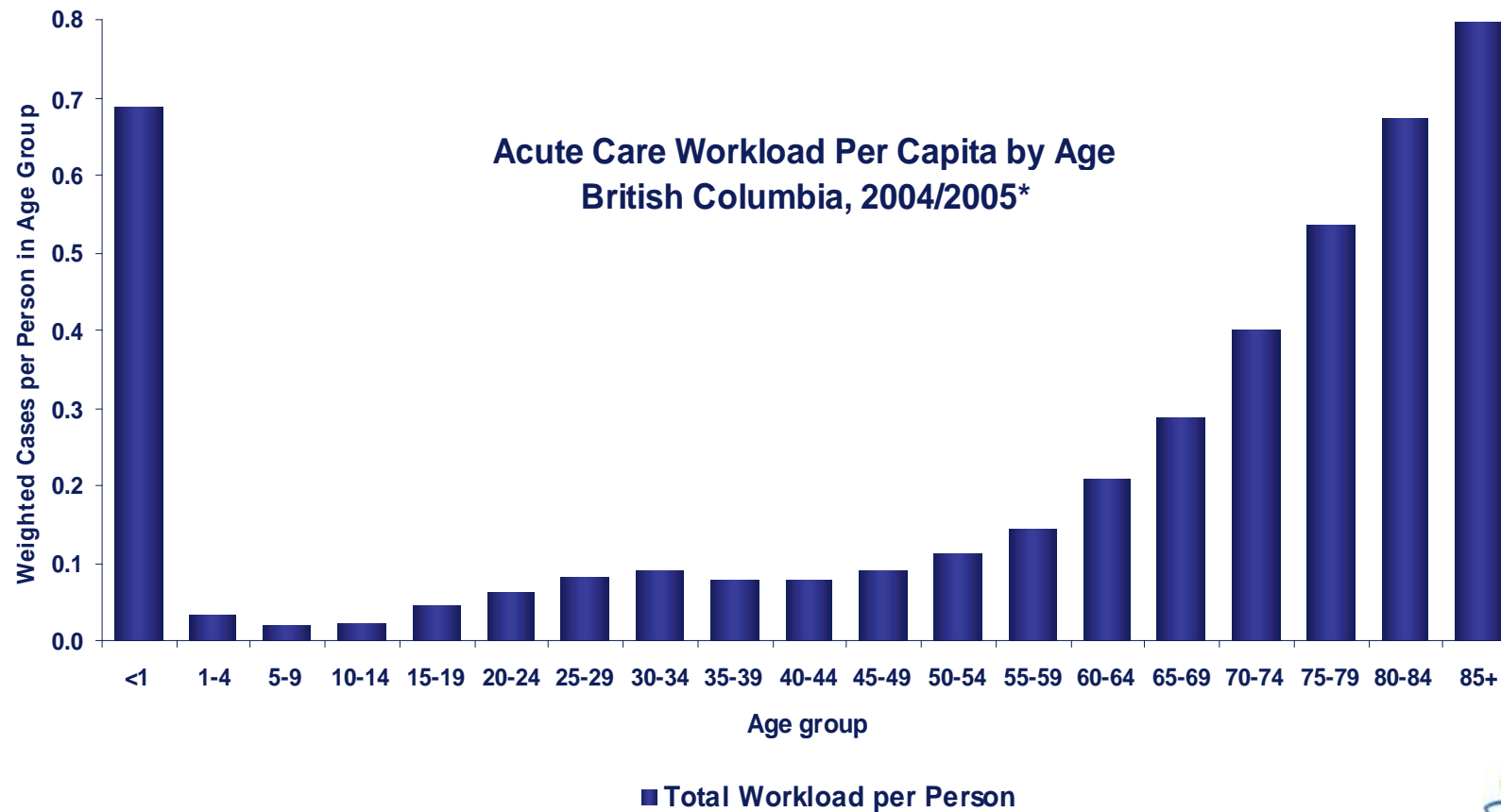
Key Facts in British Columbia (2005)

- Physical inactivity: \$570 million+ /year
- Overweight and obesity: \$730 - \$830 million /year
- Tobacco use: \$1.2 billion /year

B.C. Seniors: Fastest Growing Segment Of The Population



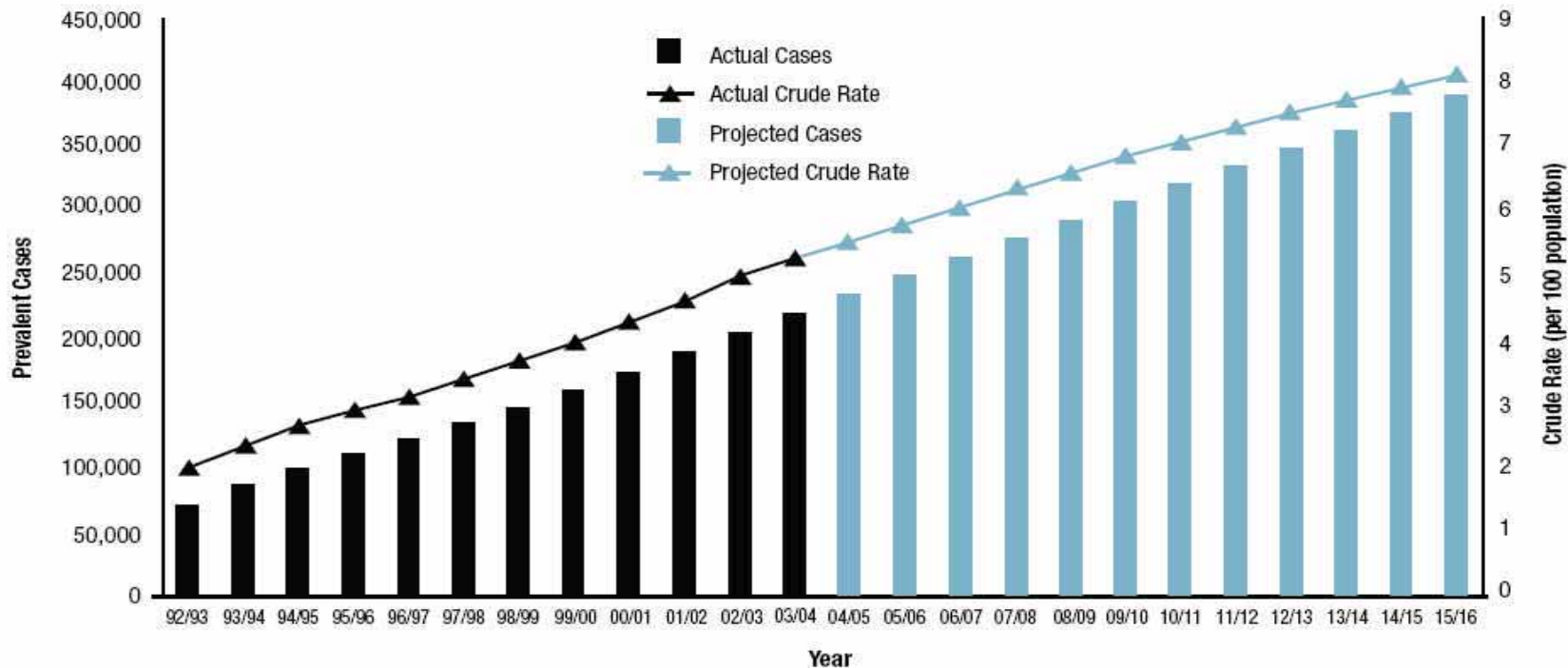
Use of BC Hospitals by Age



Looking Ahead: Diabetes in BC

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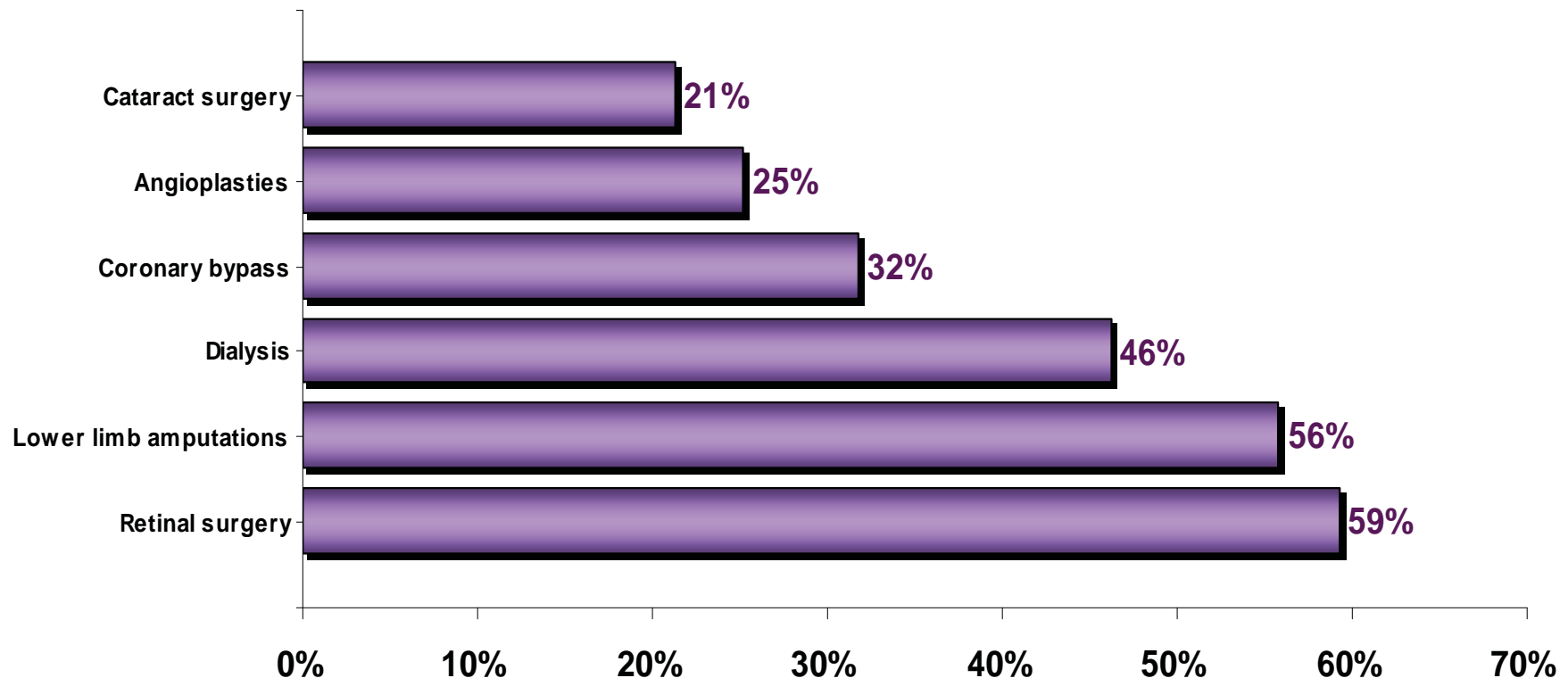
Diabetes Prevalence Projections, BC, Cases and Crude Rates, 1992/1993 to 2015/2016



Source: Population Health Surveillance and Epidemiology, Ministry of Health, 2005.

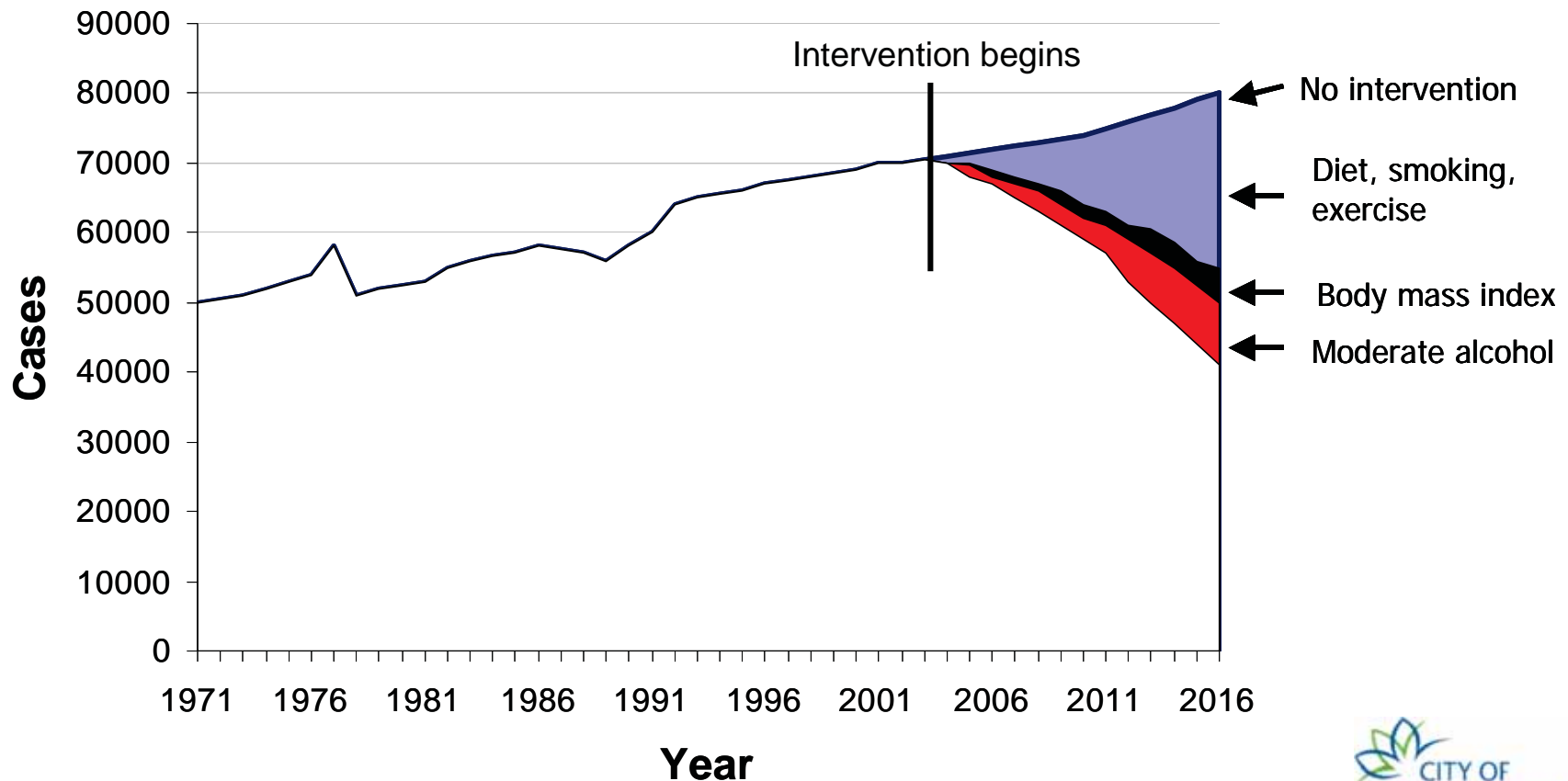
Diabetes Complications

Diabetes Patients as a Percentage of Selected Procedures/Surgeries
British Columbia 2002/03



Making the Case for “Walkability”

Estimated number of coronary events, females, Canada



SLIDE 8

Chart is for illustrative purposes only. Intended to show that various interventions can have a positive effect on health.

The "Clanger" Slide

