

**Table 2.48. Cohort studies of consumption of alcoholic beverages and cancer of the uterine cervix in special populations**

Reference, location, name of study	Cohort description	Exposure assessment	Organ site (ICD code)	Exposure categories	No. of cases/deaths	Relative risk (95% CI)*	Adjustment factors	Comments
Thygesen et al. (2009), Denmark, Copenhagen Outpatient Clinic for Alcoholics	3552 women free of cancer, attending Outpatient Clinic for Alcoholics in 1954-1992. Follow-up: linkage to Danish Cancer Registry until 31. December 1999.	Registry/ Records from Outpatient Clinic for Alcoholics	Cervix uteri	Alcohol abusers; expected number cases: 16.3	29	<b>SIR</b> 1.80 (1.2-2.6)	Stratified by age and calendar period	$P < 0.05$

CI, confidence interval; HPV, human papillomavirus; HSIL, high-grade squamous intraepithelial lesion; Obs/Exp, observed/expected; SIR, standardized incidence ratio; SMR, standardized mortality ratio