

The Burden of Fungal Diseases

In the United States, fungal diseases in people are associated with around 13 million outpatient visits, 130,000 hospitalizations, and 7,300 deaths, costing \$19 billion yearly. These numbers are estimates. The true burden is likely even higher.

7,288
deaths



About the same as the number of traffic-related pedestrian deaths



13 million
outpatient visits



That's nearly 5 visits per minute



130,000
hospitalizations



Around the number of hospitalizations for norovirus, a common foodborne illness



\$19 Billion
total cost



Close to the entire GDP of Jamaica*



*The total market value of all the goods and services produced in Jamaica