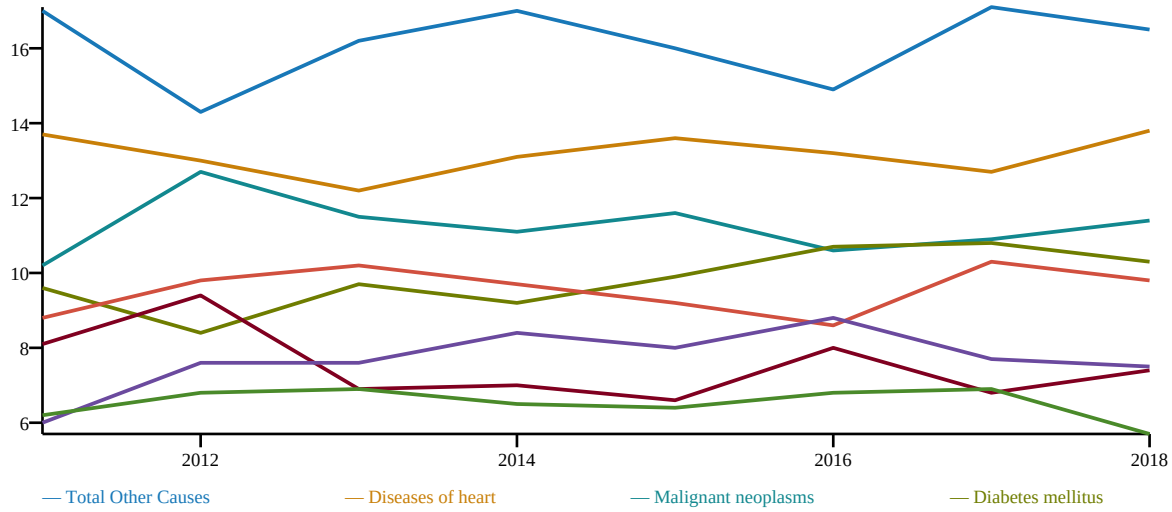
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## Data

| Series | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total Other Causes | 17.0 | 14.3 | 16.2 | 17.0 | 16.0 | 14.9 | 17.1 | 16.5 |
| Diseases of heart | 13.7 | 13.0 | 12.2 | 13.1 | 13.6 | 13.2 | 12.7 | 13.8 |
| Malignant neoplasms | 10.2 | 12.7 | 11.5 | 11.1 | 11.6 | 10.6 | 10.9 | 11.4 |
| Diabetes mellitus | 9.6 | 8.4 | 9.7 | 9.2 | 9.9 | 10.7 | 10.8 | 10.3 |
| All other diseases (residual) | 8.8 | 9.8 | 10.2 | 9.7 | 9.2 | 8.6 | 10.3 | 9.8 |
| Assault (homicide) | 8.1 | 9.4 | 6.9 | 7.0 | 6.6 | 8.0 | 6.8 | 7.4 |
| Unintentional injuries | 6.0 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 8.4 | 8.0 | 8.8 | 7.7 | 7.5 |
| Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) | 6.2 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 5.7 |
| Cerebrovascular diseases | 5.9 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 6.6 | 5.2 | 5.7 |
| Influenza and pneumonia | 5.0 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 3.4 | 4.2 | 5.6 |
| Certain conditions originating in | 5.2 | 4.2 | 4.1 | — | 4.0 | 3.5 | — | — |
| Chronic liver disease and cirrhosi | 3.1 | — | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 2.8 | 3.0 |

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