ALCOHOL AND COLORECTAL CANCER

- **Strong correlation between more than 1 drink per day and CRC**
- **Strong association between alcoholic consumption of more than 1 drink per day and colorectal cancer**
- **Up to 50 percent increase with heavy consumption**
- **Risk increases by 21% with moderate consumption (1-4 DPD) and 50% with heavy consumption (>4 drinks)**
- **Consumption of 50 grams of alcohol increases risk by 10-20 percent**
- **The regular consumption of approximately 50g of pure alcohol increases risk by 10-20%**
- **Highest consumption located in Romania and Czech Republic**
- **Highest rates of alcohol abuse recorded in Eastern Europe**
- **Europe drinks 1.5 times more than the rest of the world**
- **Europe drinks, on average, 50% more than the rest of the world**
- **One in ten cases of CRC is linked with alcohol consumption**
- **155 billion euros spent annually in Europe as a result of alcohol abuse**
- **EU healthcare under strain caused by alcohol**
- **Lowest consumption located in Turkey and Malta**
- **Statistically the lowest consumption of alcohol in Europe in Turkey and Malta**
