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[Review of] Disease Prevention/Health Promotion: The Facts

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Disease Prevention/Health Promotion: the facts.
This compendium supplies data from studies and statistical sources, most produced by government agencies in the 1980s. Coverage goes beyond prevention and promotion, often revealing specifics on the state of the nation's health. Thirty chapters cover specific health issues (e.g., smok-
ing, toxic agents), prevention, age groups, minorities, diseases, and environments. Most of the text comprises short summaries from studies while providing bibliographic references. Useful as an overview and guide to fuller reports, but libraries may already own this work, published in 1987 by GPO as ODPHP's Prevention Fact Book (HE 20.2: P 92/3) and made available through the federal depository system (but not listed in the Monthly Catalog).—Robert Aken, Coll. of William & Mary Lib., Williamsburg, Va.