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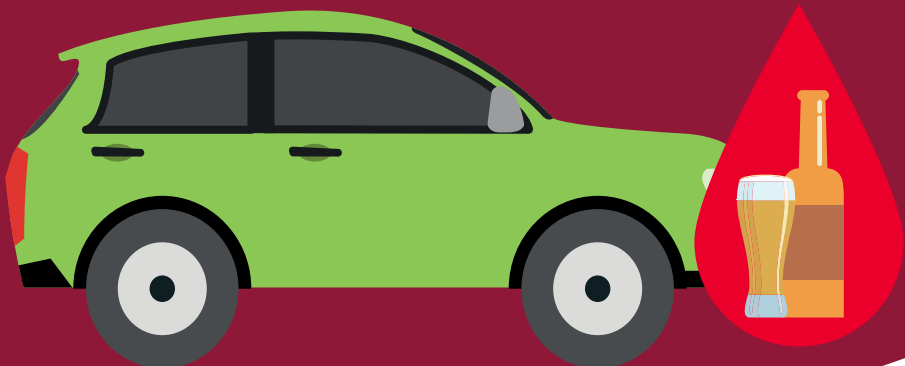
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In support of CARD 2022 and the newly released [Global Alcohol Action Plan 2022-2030](#), HCC consulted with regional stakeholders to gain consensus on priority areas for alcohol policy advocacy within the Caribbean. Over thirty (30+) HCC member CSOs and government representatives responded and agreed on the policy priorities within the WHO SAFER Technical Package.