

Median wait time for cancer surgery recommended to be completed within 6 weeks (quarterly data)

Unit: Days

	Quarter Apr-Jun 2024	Quarter Jan-Mar 2024	Quarter Oct-Dec 2023	Quarter Jul-Sep 2023
Province	,			
New Brunswick	26	27	25	26
Health zones				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	26	25	25	23
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area - Horizon	22	24	22	21
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area - Vitalité	29	27	32	36
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	29	32	28	30
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	25	26	18	20
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	20	15	19	19
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	19	20	27	28
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	30	30	28	28
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	27	35	33	26
Regional Health Authorities				
Horizon Health Network	26	27	23	23
Vitalité Health Network	25	26	28	31



About

This indicator measures the median wait time in days, where half of the cases waited less than the median and half of the cases waited longer than the median before the cancer surgery was completed. The recommended 6 weeks for completion is based on the New Brunswick Clinical Acuity Model and is classified by the surgeon according to their priority level. Data is based on a 3-month reporting period and refers to the place of service (where the surgery is performed). Data is reported quarterly.

Source

Surgical Access Registry

Notes

Wait times are calculated from the date that the patient and physician agree to the surgery and the patient is ready to receive it to the date of the completion of surgery and are collected through the Provincial Surgical Access Registry. This indicator does not include emergency surgeries. Timeframes during which the patient was not available to have surgery are excluded from the wait time calculations.

 Unit
 NBHC code

 Days
 GNB_CRUMN_Q

Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

S = Data suppressed due to confidentiality requirements and/or small sample size