

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

Unit : Days

	Quarter Jul-Sep 2025	Quarter Apr-Jun 2025	Quarter Jan-Mar 2025	Quarter Oct-Dec 2024
<b>Province</b>				
New Brunswick	26	25	25	24
<b>Health zones</b>				
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	23	25	23	23
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area - Horizon	20	22	21	21
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area - Vitalité	32	31	30	27
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	25	26	24	23
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	29	23	27	28
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	27	27	22	18
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	23	22	26	19
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	24	30	29	29
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	23	16	22	21
<b>Regional Health Authorities</b>				
Horizon Health Network	23	22	23	22
Vitalité Health Network	29	29	28	25

## 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.

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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