

PROVINCIAL HEALTH PLAN REPORTING

# Access to Surgery



## All surgical procedures

Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>995</b>	<b>11,978</b>
Percentage completed within assigned target timeframe %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>75</b>	<b>67</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>1,198</b>	<b>19,149</b>
Long waiting surgeries (surgeries waiting more than 1 year) Number   December 31, 2025	<b>43</b>	<b>1,923</b>

## Hip replacement

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>127</b>	<b>204</b>
Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>29</b>	<b>406</b>

	Zone 6 Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	Province New Brunswick
Percentage completed within benchmark of 182 days %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>86</b>	<b>48</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>38</b>	<b>906</b>
Long waiting surgeries (surgeries waiting more than 1 year) Number   September 30, 2025	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>

## Knee replacement

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>66</b>	<b>187</b>
Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>78</b>	<b>684</b>
Percentage completed within benchmark of 182 days %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>94</b>	<b>52</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>105</b>	<b>1,743</b>
Long waiting surgeries (surgeries waiting more than 1 year) Number   September 30, 2025	<b>0</b>	<b>132</b>

## Cataract surgery

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>56</b>	<b>72</b>
Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>91</b>	<b>2,270</b>
Percentage completed within benchmark of 112 days %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>74</b>	<b>61</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>66</b>	<b>3,788</b>

<b>Zone 6</b>	<b>Province</b>
Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	New Brunswick

Long waiting surgeries (surgeries waiting more than 1 year) Number   December 31, 2025	<b>0</b>	<b>473</b>
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## Coronary Artery Bypass Graft

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	n/a	<b>10</b>
Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	n/a	<b>95</b>
Percentage completed within benchmark of 42 days %   Oct-Dec 2025	n/a	<b>69</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	n/a	<b>74</b>

## Cancer related surgeries (within 6 weeks)

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>
Surgeries completed Number   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>79</b>	<b>1,008</b>
Percentage completed within target of 6 weeks %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>81</b>	<b>85</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>22</b>	<b>320</b>

## Cancer related surgeries (within 3 months)

Median wait time Days   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>44</b>	<b>60</b>
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	<b>Zone 6</b> Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	<b>Province</b> New Brunswick
Surgeries completed Number   Apr-Jun 2024	<b>32</b>	<b>312</b>
Percentage completed within target of 3 months %   Oct-Dec 2025	<b>77</b>	<b>74</b>
Surgeries waiting Number   December 31, 2025	<b>17</b>	<b>205</b>

## About this Table

Administrative data from the Provincial Surgical Access Registry regarding surgical wait times in New Brunswick. Surgical procedures included are: hip replacement, knee replacement, cataract surgery, coronary artery bypass graft as well as cancer related surgeries.

The table provides information about wait times for surgeries, calculated from the day that a citizen and their surgeon determine that a surgery is needed, and the citizen is ready to receive it, until the day that the surgery is completed.

Data is available on a quarterly basis. Data regarding median wait times, percentage of surgeries completed within benchmark and the number of surgeries completed is based on a 3-month reporting period. Data about the number of surgeries waiting, including those waiting longer than 1 year, refer to the last reported day of each quarter.

For more information, visit [Wait Time - Surgical Wait Time in New Brunswick \(gnb.ca\)](https://gnb.ca)

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### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

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

 Above-average performance

 Below-average performance