

**Cancer Surgery
Resection of Bladder (Removal of part of bladder)**

**Actual Patient Waits for Procedures Performed
(01APR2022 to 30SEP2022)**

Area of Service	Patients completed	Within		7 weeks-		Longer than 6 months	Patients Waiting on 30SEP2022
		3 weeks	4-6 weeks	3 months	4 - 6 months		
03 Saskatoon	157	80%	18%	3%	0%	0%	11
04 South West	32	47%	47%	6%	0%	0%	< 5
06 Regina	135	74%	20%	4%	1%	1%	18
99 All SK hospitals	324	74%	22%	4%	0%	0%	33

† 90% of cases were performed within 35 days (5.0 weeks).

Notes:

- ◆ This procedure is performed by urologists.
- ◆ Cancer surgery data is based on procedures performed in hospital operating rooms. 83% of all bladder resections performed in operating rooms over this time period were categorized as cancer surgeries. Only cancer surgeries are included in this table.
- ◆ 85% of bladder resections reported here were categorized with a surgeon priority of three weeks. The remainder have a surgeon priority of six weeks or three months. Emergency procedures are excluded. Some further work has to be done to ensure that the cancer categories are being consistently interpreted.
- ◆ Time periods where patients specify that they are unavailable for surgery are subtracted from the wait time.
- ◆ Postponed cases are included, regardless of whether the reason for postponement is patient or system related.
- ◆ The results are based on the Oct 23, 2022 refresh of the Saskatchewan Surgical Patient Registry data mart and are subject to minor changes as data is added or corrected.