

Cancer Surgery

Resection of Bladder (Removal of part of bladder)

Actual Patient Waits for Procedures Performed (01JUL2023 to 31DEC2023)

Area of Service	Patients completed	Within 3 weeks	4-6 weeks	7 weeks-3 months	4 - 6 months	Longer than 6 months	Patients Waiting on 31DEC2023
03 Saskatoon	129	30%	60%	9%	0%	0%	16
04 South West	40	35%	58%	8%	0%	0%	5
06 Regina	106	68%	32%	0%	0%	0%	20
Other smaller areas	< 5	Data suppressed	because < 20	procedures	performed.		< 5
99 All SK hospitals	277	45%	49%	5%	0%	0%	42

* Fewer than five cases performed in the following area(s): North East

† 90% of cases were performed within 37 days (5.3 weeks).

Notes:

- ◆ This procedure is performed by urologists.
- ◆ Cancer surgery data is based on procedures performed in hospital operating rooms. 79% 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.
- ◆ 84% 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 Jan 21, 2024 refresh of the Saskatchewan Surgical Patient Registry data mart and are subject to minor changes as data is added or corrected.