

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

Actual Patient Waits for Procedures Performed
(01JUL2024 to 31DEC2024)

Area of Service	Patients completed	Within					Longer than 26 weeks	Patients Waiting on 31DEC2024
		2 weeks	3 - 4 weeks	5 - 6 weeks	7 - 12 weeks	13 - 26 weeks		
02 North East	22	14%	23%	45%	18%	0%	0%	6
03 Saskatoon	163	49%	36%	12%	1%	1%	1%	26
04 South West	39	38%	46%	15%	0%	0%	0%	< 5
06 Regina	111	20%	41%	19%	21%	0%	0%	12
99 All SK hospitals	335	36%	38%	17%	9%	0%	0%	47

† 90% of cases were performed within 41 days (5.9 weeks).

Notes:

- ◆ This procedure is performed by urologists.
- ◆ Cancer surgery data is based on procedures performed in hospital operating rooms. 90% 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.
- ◆ 96% of bladder resections reported here were categorized with a diagnosis-based priority of two or four weeks. The remainder have a diagnosis-based priority of six, twelve or twenty-six weeks. 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 19, 2025 refresh of the Saskatchewan Surgical Patient Registry data mart and are subject to minor changes as data is added or corrected.