

# **National Cancer Patient Experience Survey**

2024 Results

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## Executive summary

### Questions above expected range

	Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	<b>92%</b>	78%	91%	<b>85%</b>
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	<b>89%</b>	72%	87%	<b>79%</b>
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	<b>80%</b>	70%	79%	<b>75%</b>

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### Questions below expected range

	Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q03. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	<b>56%</b>	62%	73%	<b>67%</b>
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	<b>78%</b>	79%	86%	<b>83%</b>
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	<b>73%</b>	73%	81%	<b>77%</b>
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	<b>64%</b>	64%	79%	<b>72%</b>
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	<b>36%</b>	41%	54%	<b>48%</b>
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	<b>18%</b>	19%	28%	<b>23%</b>

## Introduction

The National Cancer Patient Experience Survey 2024 is the fourteenth iteration of the survey first undertaken in 2010. It has been designed to monitor progress on cancer care; to provide information to drive local quality improvements; to assist commissioners and providers of cancer care; and to inform the work of the various charities and stakeholder groups supporting cancer patients.

The survey was undertaken by Picker on behalf of NHS England and it was overseen by a National Cancer Patient Experience Advisory Group. This Advisory Group set the principles and objectives of the survey programme and guided questionnaire development. The survey was commissioned and managed by NHS England. The survey provider, Picker, is responsible for designing, running and analysing the survey.

The 2024 survey involved 131 NHS trusts. Out of 127,021 people, 64,055 people responded to the survey, yielding a response rate of 50%.

## Methodology

### Eligibility, fieldwork and survey methods

The sample for the survey included all adult (aged 16 and over) NHS patients, with a confirmed primary diagnosis of cancer, discharged from an NHS trust after an inpatient episode or day case attendance for cancer related treatment in the months of April, May and June 2024. The fieldwork for the survey was undertaken between November 2024 and February 2025.

As in the previous nine years, the survey used a mixed mode methodology. Questionnaires were sent by post, with two reminders where necessary, but also included an option to complete the questionnaire online. A Freephone helpline and email was available for respondents to opt out, ask questions about the survey, enable them to complete their questionnaire over the phone and provide access to a translation and interpreting facility for those whose first language was not English.

### Note on question comparability

The questionnaire was redeveloped for the 2021 National Cancer Patient Experience Survey. Year on year comparisons between 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024 are included in this report for most questions. There were three changes to the questionnaire over the last two years:

- In 2023 the question text for Q23 and Q42 were amended. These questions are no longer deemed comparable to 2021 and 2022. Data is only comparable for 2023 and 2024.
- In 2023 the long-term condition question (Q67) was amended to include “Autism or autism spectrum condition” as a response option. And the “Neurological condition” answer option was updated to include an example condition changing it to “Neurological condition, such as epilepsy”. These changes see the answer option “Neurological condition, such as epilepsy” as no longer being deemed comparable to 2021 and 2022. Data is only comparable for 2023 and 2024.
- In 2023 the ethnic group question (Q71) was amended to include “Roma” as an answer option. The ethnic group question is still deemed comparable to 2021 and 2022. Data for the answer option is only available for 2023 and 2024.

### Case mix adjustment

Both unadjusted and adjusted scores are presented in this report. Case mix adjusted scores allow us to account for the impact that differing patient populations might have on results. By using the case mix adjusted estimates we can obtain a greater understanding of how a trust is performing given their patient population. The factors taken into account in this case mix adjustment are ‘Which of the following best describes you?’, age, ethnicity, deprivation, and cancer type.

Unadjusted data should be used to see the actual responses from patients relating to the trust. Case mix adjusted data, together with expected ranges, should be used to understand whether the results are significantly higher or lower than national results taking account of the patient mix.

### How trust results are derived

Trust results are derived using the NHS trust where each patient received cancer related treatment. Trust results are presented at the 'National' level, meaning results include patients with addresses in England and elsewhere in the UK. Some patients may receive care at a trust which is not near to where they live.

### Scoring methodology

Sixty-one questions from the questionnaire are scored as these questions relate directly to patient experience. For all but one question (Q59), the score shows the percentage of respondents who gave the most favourable response to a question. For Q59, respondents rate their overall care on a scale of 0 to 10, of which the average was calculated for this question's score. The percentages in this report have been rounded to the nearest percentage point. Therefore, in some cases the figures do not appear to add up to 100%.

In 2022, following a review of the scoring methodology, a change was made to the scoring of Q12 such that the response option "No, I was told by letter or email" is no longer considered neutral and is now scored as negative.

The full scoring for all questions at a trust level is available in the trust Excel tables available at [www.ncpes.co.uk](http://www.ncpes.co.uk). Excel tables are also available at a national, ICB and Cancer Alliance level.

### Statistical significance

In the reporting of 2024 results, appropriate statistical tests have been undertaken to identify unadjusted scores for which the change over time is 'statistically significant'. A statistically significant difference means that the change in the result is very unlikely to have occurred by chance.

### Suppression

Data is suppressed for two reasons: to ensure unreliable results based on very small numbers of respondents are not released, and to prevent individuals being identifiable in the data.

In cases where a result is based on fewer than 10 responses, the result has been suppressed. For example, where fewer than 10 people answered a question from a particular trust, the results are not shown for that question for that trust.

For trusts with an eligible population of 1,000 or fewer, data relating to the respondent and their condition has been suppressed where 5 people or fewer were in a particular category. In instances where only one has been suppressed, the next lowest category has been suppressed to prevent back calculation from the total number of responses.

### Additional suppression

Additional suppression happens if only **one** trust has a score suppressed. If this happens, we will suppress another trust's results (both the trust level and subgroup results for the question) based on the next lowest number of respondents for the score. We do this so that the national score cannot be used to work out the score for the individual trust.

The same rule applies to groups in each subgroup breakdown. For example, if only one trust has the 85+ age group suppressed for Q25 we will need to suppress another trust's results for the 85+ age group on Q25. This suppression is based on the 85+ age group with the next lowest number of respondents for Q25.

## Understanding the results

This report shows how this trust scored for each question in the survey compared with national results. It is aimed at helping individual trusts to understand their performance and identify areas for local improvement. Below is a description of the type of results presented within this report and how to understand them.

### Expected range charts

The expected range charts in this report show a bar with the lowest and highest score received for each question nationally. Within this bar, an expected range is given (within the grey bar) and a black diamond represents the actual score for this trust.

Trusts whose score is above the upper limit of the expected range (in the dark blue) are positive outliers, with a score statistically significantly higher than the national mean. This indicates that the trust performs better than what trusts of the same size and demographics are expected to perform. The opposite is true if the score is below the lower limit of the expected range (in the light blue); these are negative outliers. For scores within the expected range (in the grey), the score is what we would expect given the trust's size and demographics.

### Comparability tables

The comparability tables show the 2023 and 2024 unadjusted scores for this trust for each scored question. The Change 2023-2024 and Change overall columns show whether the scores show a statistically significant variation between years. This is shown between 2023-2024 and as an overall between 2021-2024. An upwards arrow indicates a statistically significant increase, a downwards arrow indicates a statistically significant decrease, and no arrow indicates no statistically significant change.

The adjusted 2024 score will also be presented for each scored question along with the lower and upper expected range and national score. Scores above the upper limit of the expected range will be highlighted dark blue, scores below the lower limit of the expected range will be highlighted light blue, and scores within the lower and upper limit of the expected ranges will be highlighted grey.

### Subgroup breakdowns

Unadjusted scores are shown for tumour group, 'Which of the following best describes you?', age, IMD quintile, long-term condition status and ethnicity breakdowns. Unadjusted scores for the same subgroup across different trusts may not be comparable, as they do not account for the impact that differing patient populations might have on results.

### Tumour group tables

The tumour group tables show the unadjusted scores for each scored question for each of the 13 tumour groups. Central nervous system is abbreviated as 'CNS' and lower gastrointestinal tract is abbreviated as 'LGT' throughout this report.

### Age group tables

The age group tables show the unadjusted scores for each scored question for each of the eight age groups.

### 'Which of the following best describes you?'

These tables show the unadjusted scores for the following groups male; female; non-binary; prefer to self-describe; and prefer not to say.

## Ethnicity tables

The ethnicity tables show the unadjusted scores for six ethnicity groups.

## Long-term condition status tables

The long-term condition status tables show the unadjusted scores for two groups: those who indicate they have one or more long-term conditions and those who indicate that they have no long-term conditions.

## IMD quintile tables

The IMD quintile tables show the unadjusted scores for five quintiles based on relative disadvantage, with quintile 1 being the most deprived and quintile 5 being the least deprived.

## Year on year charts

The year on year charts show four columns representing the unadjusted scores of the last four years (2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024) for each scored question.

# National level and England level data

In some cases (389 respondents in 2024), patients from outside England (from Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man) are referred to English NHS trusts for treatment. These patients are described as 'Non-England' in the data.

## National level data (England and Non-England) is used for:

- Response rate section
- National column in comparability tables section
- Subgroup tables section (Tumour group tables, Age group tables, 'Which of the following best describes you?', Ethnicity tables, IMD quintile tables and Long-term condition status tables).

## England only level data is used for:

- Expected range charts section (as case mix adjustment includes IMD data specific to England)
- Comparability tables section
- Year on year charts section.

# Further information

This research was carried out in accordance with the international standard for organisations conducting market and social research (accreditation to ISO20252:2019; certificate number GB08/74322). Our statistical practice is regulated by the Office for Statistics Regulation (OSR). OSR sets the standards of trustworthiness, quality, and value in the Code of Practice for Statistics that all producers of official statistics should adhere to. You are welcome to contact us directly with any comments about how we meet these standards. Alternatively, you can contact OSR by emailing [regulation@statistics.gov.uk](mailto:regulation@statistics.gov.uk) or via the OSR website.

The 2024 questionnaire and survey guidance can be found on the website at [www.ncpes.co.uk](http://www.ncpes.co.uk), and more information on the methodology in the Technical Document can be viewed on the website at [www.ncpes.co.uk](http://www.ncpes.co.uk). For all other outputs at trust level, please see the Excel tables and dashboards at [www.ncpes.co.uk](http://www.ncpes.co.uk).



## Response rate

### Overall response rate

467 patients responded out of a total of 1,011 patients, resulting in a response rate of 46%.

	Sample size	Adjusted sample	Completed	Response rate
Overall response rate	1,076	1,011	467	46%
National	135,429	127,021	64,055	50%

### Respondents by survey type

	Number of respondents
Paper	365
Online	102
Phone	0
Translation service	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>467</b>

### Respondents by tumour group

	Number of respondents
Brain / CNS	0
Breast	105
Colorectal / LGT	49
Gynaecological	11
Haematological	91
Head and neck	0
Lung	32
Prostate	89
Sarcoma	1
Skin	0
Upper gastro	14
Urological	42
Other	33
<b>Total</b>	<b>467</b>

## Respondents by ethnicity

	Number of respondents
<b>White</b>	
English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish / British	405
Irish	8
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	*
Roma	*
Any other White background	8
<b>Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups</b>	
White and Black Caribbean	*
White and Black African	*
White and Asian	*
Any other Mixed / multiple ethnic background	*
<b>Asian or Asian British</b>	
Indian	5
Pakistani	*
Bangladeshi	*
Chinese	*
Any other Asian background	*
<b>Black / African / Caribbean / Black British</b>	
African	5
Caribbean	*
Any other Black / African / Caribbean background	*
<b>Other Ethnic Group</b>	
Arab	*
Any other ethnic group	*
<b>Not given</b>	
Not given	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>467</b>

## Expected range charts

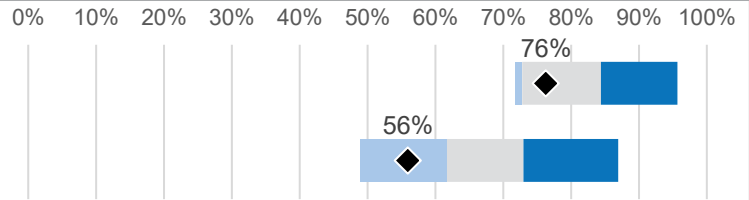
Lower expected range Within expected range Upper expected range Case mix adjusted score

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### SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis

Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand



### DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

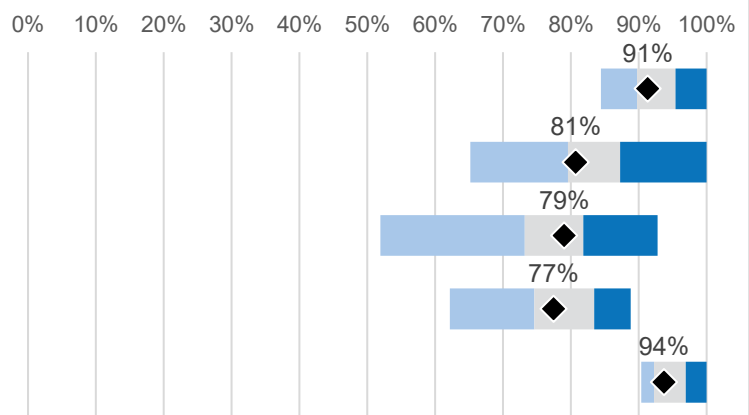
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance

Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient

Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right

Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results



### FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

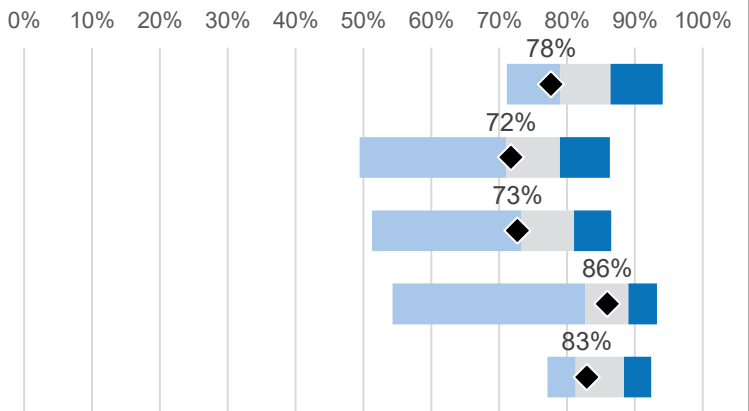
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis

Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer

Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand

Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place

Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis

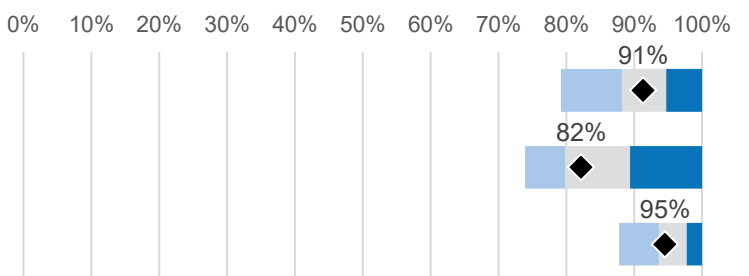


### SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON

Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team

Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person

Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful



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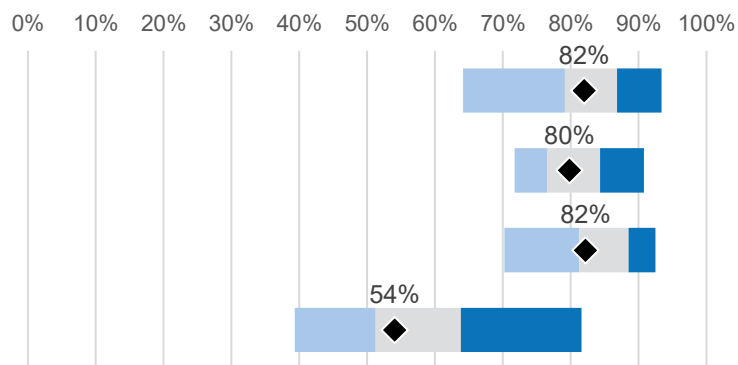
### DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT

Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment

Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options

Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options

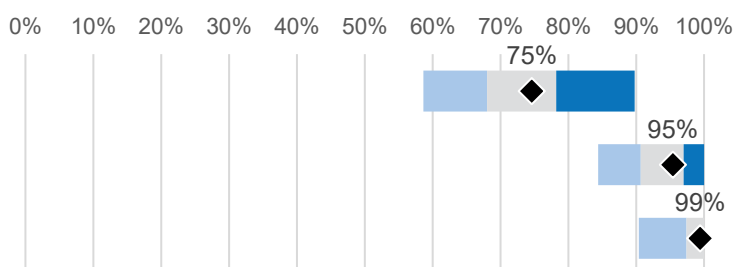


### CARE PLANNING

Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment

Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns

Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date

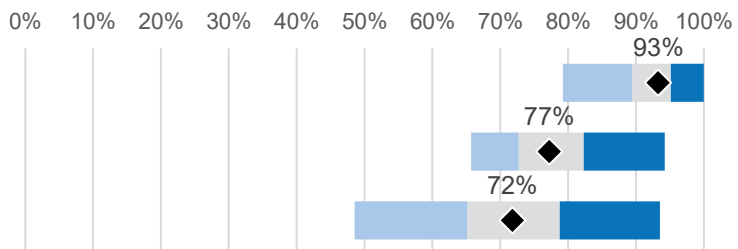


### SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF

Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support

Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff

Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits



### HOSPITAL CARE

Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital

Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital

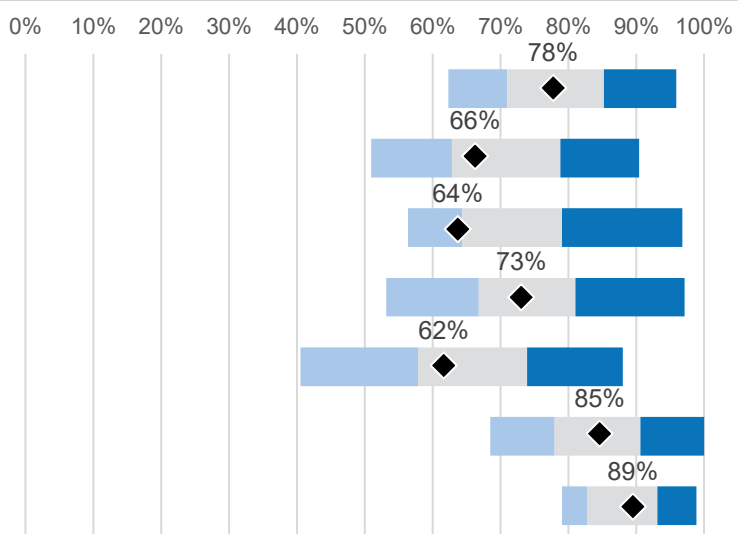
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital

Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed

Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff

Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain

Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital



## Expected range charts

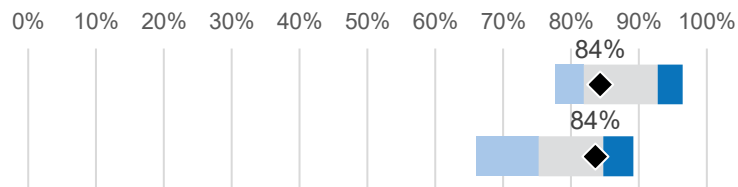
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### HOSPITAL CARE CONTINUED

Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital

Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case



### YOUR TREATMENT

Q41\_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery

Q41\_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy

Q41\_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy

Q41\_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy

Q41\_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy

Q42\_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery

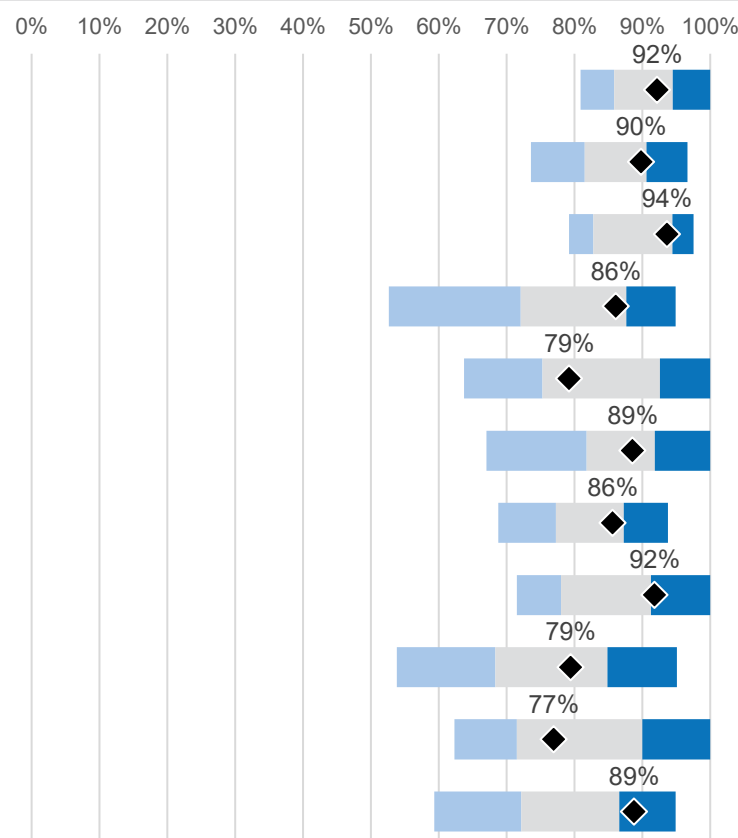
Q42\_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy

Q42\_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy

Q42\_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy

Q42\_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy

Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right



### IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS

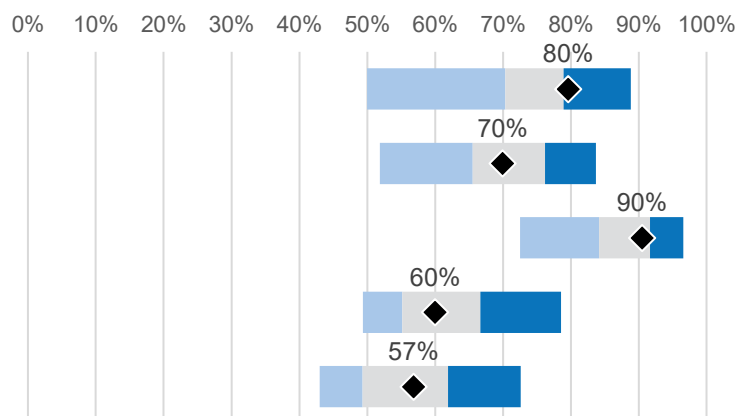
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand

Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment

Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment

Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment

Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects



## Expected range charts

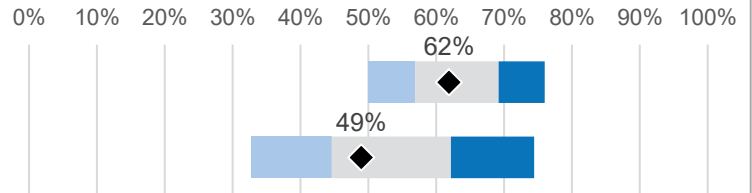
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### SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME

Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home

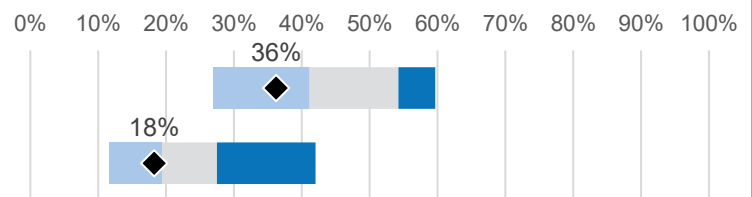
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services



### CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment

Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice

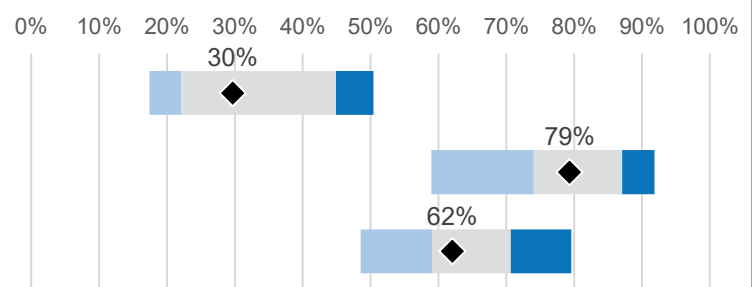


### LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER

Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services

Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment

Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading



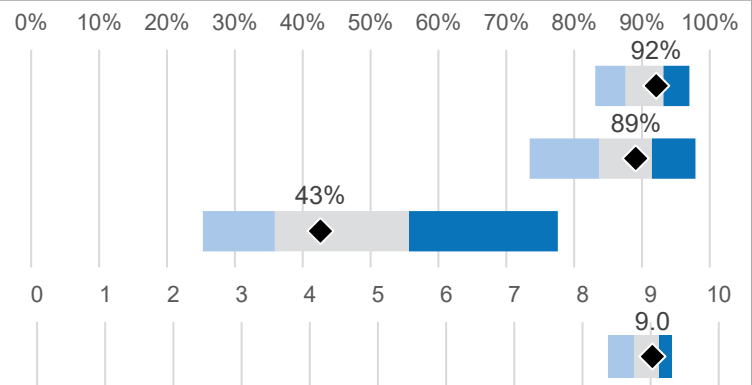
### YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE

Q56. The whole care team worked well together

Q57. Administration of care was very good or good

Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient

Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good



## Comparability tables

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- No score available.

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Change overall: Indicates significant change overall (2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024).

Adjusted score below lower expected range  
Adjusted score between upper and lower expected ranges  
Adjusted score above upper expected range

SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	183	81%	191	77%			76%	73%	84%	79%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	249	55%	267	56%			56%	62%	73%	67%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	333	93%	330	92%		▲	91%	90%	95%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	354	82%	359	81%			81%	80%	87%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	353	76%	359	81%			79%	73%	82%	77%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	354	81%	355	78%			77%	75%	83%	79%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	356	94%	358	94%			94%	92%	97%	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	401	79%	423	78%		▲	78%	79%	86%	83%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	430	71%	458	72%		▲	72%	71%	79%	75%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	429	77%	461	73%			73%	73%	81%	77%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	424	87%	461	87%		▲	86%	83%	89%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	381	83%	391	83%		▲	83%	81%	88%	85%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	416	92%	450	91%			91%	88%	95%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	334	80%	360	82%			82%	80%	89%	85%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	350	94%	385	95%			95%	94%	98%	96%

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Adjusted score above upper expected range

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	407	84%	434	82%		▲	82%	79%	87%	83%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	420	78%	459	80%		▲	80%	76%	84%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	374	81%	403	83%		▲	82%	81%	89%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	212	50%	254	54%			54%	51%	64%	58%

CARE PLANNING	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	398	70%	414	75%		▲	75%	68%	78%	73%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	224	95%	223	96%			95%	91%	97%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	171	99%	186	99%	▲		99%	97%	100%	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	339	88%	390	93%		▲	93%	89%	95%	92%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	430	79%	461	78%		▲	77%	73%	82%	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	246	63%	254	70%			72%	65%	79%	72%



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HOSPITAL CARE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	151	70%	150	79%			78%	71%	85%	78%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	127	66%	133	67%		▲	66%	63%	79%	71%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	148	64%	147	65%			64%	64%	79%	72%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	148	66%	146	74%			73%	67%	81%	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	142	61%	141	62%			62%	58%	74%	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	124	79%	127	86%			85%	78%	91%	84%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	151	76%	151	90%	▲		89%	83%	93%	88%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	144	83%	144	85%			84%	82%	93%	87%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	377	76%	407	84%	▲	▲	84%	75%	85%	80%

YOUR TREATMENT	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	188	92%	182	92%		▲	92%	86%	94%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	230	87%	224	90%		▲	90%	82%	91%	86%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	129	94%	114	94%			94%	83%	94%	89%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	104	86%	102	87%			86%	72%	88%	80%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	63	89%	69	80%			79%	75%	93%	84%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	191	87%	175	89%			89%	82%	92%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	226	83%	225	86%			86%	77%	87%	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	131	87%	114	92%			92%	78%	91%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	104	81%	101	81%			79%	68%	85%	77%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	65	86%	70	77%			77%	72%	90%	81%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	409	85%	440	89%			89%	72%	87%	79%

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	403	77%	429	79%		▲	80%	70%	79%	75%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	378	70%	409	69%			70%	66%	76%	71%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	296	84%	313	90%		▲	90%	84%	92%	88%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	380	61%	403	60%			60%	55%	67%	61%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	333	57%	335	57%			57%	49%	62%	56%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	275	62%	301	62%			62%	57%	69%	63%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	142	51%	138	49%			49%	45%	62%	53%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	238	34%	230	37%			36%	41%	54%	48%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	410	17%	433	18%			18%	19%	28%	23%

LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	76	28%	66	29%		▲	30%	22%	45%	34%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	150	74%	156	79%			79%	74%	87%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	326	64%	332	62%			62%	59%	71%	65%

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YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			National score
	2023 n	2023 score	2024 n	2024 score	Change 2023-2024	Change overall	2024 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	401	<b>91%</b>	435	<b>92%</b>		▲	<b>92%</b>	88%	93%	<b>90%</b>
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	425	<b>87%</b>	451	<b>89%</b>			<b>89%</b>	84%	92%	<b>88%</b>
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	218	<b>35%</b>	248	<b>42%</b>			<b>43%</b>	36%	56%	<b>46%</b>
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	412	<b>8.9</b>	445	<b>9.1</b>			<b>9.0</b>	8.8	9.1	<b>8.9</b>



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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE															Tumour group									
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All										
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	*	89%	68%	*	59%	*	82%	78%	*	*	*	86%	71%	77%										
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	77%	62%	*	44%	*	35%	60%	*	*	*	39%	53%	56%										

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	*	95%	88%	82%	87%	*	91%	91%	*	*	93%	94%	100%	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	86%	74%	91%	77%	*	79%	85%	*	*	86%	81%	80%	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	85%	78%	64%	90%	*	79%	75%	*	*	71%	81%	80%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	90%	71%	73%	74%	*	67%	83%	*	*	71%	70%	75%	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	97%	96%	82%	88%	*	96%	96%	*	*	100%	95%	88%	94%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER															Tumour group									
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All										
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	*	81%	87%	40%	79%	*	72%	77%	*	*	92%	71%	81%	78%										
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	83%	73%	64%	74%	*	61%	70%	*	*	71%	68%	64%	72%										
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	83%	79%	55%	63%	*	72%	76%	*	*	86%	61%	70%	73%										
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	93%	82%	64%	84%	*	81%	89%	*	*	93%	85%	85%	87%										
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	90%	77%	91%	77%	*	75%	87%	*	*	92%	69%	86%	83%										

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	Tumour group												
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	*	92%	77%	100%	94%	*	90%	97%	*	*	100%	83%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	80%	86%	*	76%	*	83%	90%	*	*	86%	75%	89%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	92%	97%	100%	97%	*	89%	97%	*	*	93%	90%	96%

	Tumour group												
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	87%	82%	91%	78%	*	76%	86%	*	*	93%	67%	79%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	83%	73%	91%	80%	*	78%	86%	*	*	100%	71%	70%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	81%	93%	80%	83%	*	79%	86%	*	*	85%	75%	75%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	65%	48%	*	38%	*	47%	58%	*	*	*	53%	50%

	Tumour group												
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	*	81%	72%	*	67%	*	69%	77%	*	*	85%	71%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	93%	96%	*	97%	*	87%	98%	*	*	*	94%	100%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	100%	100%	*	100%	*	100%	100%	*	*	*	93%	100%

	Tumour group												
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	*	94%	95%	*	94%	*	82%	99%	*	*	100%	91%	85%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	78%	73%	73%	81%	*	77%	80%	*	*	93%	71%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	76%	74%	*	67%	*	64%	65%	*	*	*	70%	62%

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HOSPITAL CARE	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	*	84%	69%	*	87%	*	*	80%	*	*	*	81%	*	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	77%	59%	*	65%	*	*	63%	*	*	*	64%	*	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	69%	56%	*	45%	*	*	75%	*	*	*	65%	*	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	69%	74%	*	81%	*	*	79%	*	*	*	71%	*	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	56%	62%	*	68%	*	*	78%	*	*	*	53%	*	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	94%	87%	*	60%	*	*	89%	*	*	*	77%	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	92%	91%	*	87%	*	*	100%	*	*	*	81%	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	92%	79%	*	82%	*	*	85%	*	*	*	81%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	79%	85%	*	91%	*	70%	88%	*	*	77%	82%	90%	84%

YOUR TREATMENT	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	*	99%	86%	*	*	*	*	100%	*	*	*	84%	*	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	98%	89%	*	82%	*	90%	88%	*	*	100%	92%	100%	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	96%	*	*	*	*	*	96%	*	*	*	*	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	84%	*	*	*	*	*	89%	*	*	*	*	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	70%	*	92%	*	*	*	*	71%	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	89%	86%	*	*	*	*	89%	*	*	*	83%	*	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	85%	86%	*	81%	*	81%	88%	*	*	100%	77%	100%	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	95%	*	*	*	*	*	87%	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	72%	*	*	*	*	*	90%	*	*	*	*	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	71%	*	83%	*	*	*	*	63%	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	87%	87%	91%	89%	*	94%	94%	*	*	100%	90%	80%	89%

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS															Tumour group														
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All															
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	*	83%	87%	100%	70%	*	73%	83%	*	*	100%	72%	68%	79%															
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	74%	75%	80%	67%	*	68%	71%	*	*	77%	58%	59%	69%															
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	90%	90%	*	87%	*	83%	95%	*	*	100%	83%	95%	90%															
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	63%	60%	80%	57%	*	58%	67%	*	*	33%	53%	52%	60%															
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	56%	65%	*	55%	*	50%	65%	*	*	50%	54%	46%	57%															

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME														
	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	*	64%	61%	*	64%	*	53%	59%	*	*	90%	59%	52%	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	50%	35%	*	43%	*	64%	57%	*	*	*	58%	38%	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE														
	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	*	43%	35%	*	35%	*	31%	45%	*	*	17%	35%	17%	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	*	17%	13%	27%	19%	*	15%	20%	*	*	43%	15%	6%	18%



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	Tumour group													All
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	*	33%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	80%	88%	*	59%	*	83%	90%	*	*	*	*	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	69%	41%	*	71%	*	62%	60%	*	*	*	50%	65%	62%

	Tumour group													All
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	*	93%	96%	*	87%	*	93%	95%	*	*	100%	87%	97%	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	91%	87%	100%	88%	*	86%	93%	*	*	92%	83%	88%	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	36%	32%	*	46%	*	25%	57%	*	*	*	25%	48%	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	9.2	9.0	8.4	9.1	*	9.0	9.1	*	*	9.0	8.9	9.2	9.1



## Age group tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	*	*	*	*	78%	76%	75%	88%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	67%	65%	51%	59%	42%	56%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	*	*	*	86%	92%	93%	91%	89%	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	*	*	75%	83%	79%	84%	81%	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	*	*	73%	86%	76%	86%	75%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	79%	80%	79%	78%	74%	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	*	*	93%	92%	96%	97%	88%	94%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	*	*	*	88%	67%	79%	83%	86%	78%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	*	*	72%	64%	77%	78%	62%	72%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	67%	70%	73%	77%	67%	73%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	*	*	78%	78%	92%	89%	84%	87%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	*	*	83%	83%	87%	84%	59%	83%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	*	*	*	83%	92%	90%	93%	90%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	*	*	75%	79%	81%	88%	77%	82%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	*	*	79%	97%	92%	98%	97%	95%

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	65%	86%	82%	82%	84%	82%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	*	*	67%	84%	79%	82%	81%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	*	*	69%	82%	82%	85%	87%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	*	*	*	53%	56%	52%	40%	54%

## Age group tables

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CARE PLANNING	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	*	*	*	72%	77%	76%	74%	72%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	*	*	100%	93%	97%	94%	100%	96%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	*	*	100%	100%	98%	100%	100%	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	*	*	*	94%	91%	96%	95%	84%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	*	*	67%	71%	77%	83%	88%	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	*	*	60%	70%	73%	69%	65%	70%

HOSPITAL CARE	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	*	*	*	*	88%	68%	82%	83%	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	*	*	*	68%	63%	72%	50%	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	*	*	*	71%	54%	67%	75%	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	*	*	*	74%	76%	75%	75%	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	*	*	*	66%	55%	66%	64%	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	*	*	*	90%	86%	81%	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	*	*	*	94%	88%	92%	92%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	*	*	*	93%	82%	79%	100%	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	*	*	81%	80%	85%	86%	89%	84%

## Age group tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	*	*	*	100%	90%	90%	93%	91%	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	*	*	92%	90%	85%	95%	85%	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	*	*	*	89%	94%	94%	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	*	*	*	60%	88%	97%	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	83%	77%	73%	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	*	*	83%	88%	86%	93%	82%	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	*	*	75%	90%	80%	89%	88%	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	*	*	*	96%	89%	91%	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	*	*	*	60%	82%	91%	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	73%	80%	80%	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	*	*	89%	92%	89%	89%	87%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	*	*	*	88%	76%	78%	83%	75%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	*	83%	66%	70%	68%	74%	69%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	*	93%	88%	93%	90%	83%	90%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	*	*	50%	63%	60%	58%	69%	60%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	*	*	50%	59%	53%	62%	61%	57%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	*	*	*	56%	55%	59%	63%	88%	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	*	*	*	39%	47%	53%	64%	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	*	*	*	*	40%	35%	36%	45%	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	*	*	*	24%	11%	21%	20%	13%	18%

## Age group tables

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	*	*	*	*	28%	35%	25%	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	*	*	*	78%	78%	83%	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	*	*	59%	63%	63%	63%	57%	62%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE									
	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	*	*	*	100%	95%	87%	96%	90%	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	*	*	94%	93%	86%	92%	85%	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	*	*	27%	38%	40%	44%	47%	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	*	*	8.8	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1

## ‘Which of the following best describes you?’ tables

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### SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Which of the following best describes you?

	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	78%	76%	*	*	*	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	65%	49%	*	*	*	*	56%

### DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

Which of the following best describes you?

	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	91%	92%	*	*	*	90%	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	79%	83%	*	*	*	75%	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	84%	78%	*	*	*	75%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	80%	77%	*	*	*	67%	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	92%	97%	*	*	*	82%	94%

### FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

Which of the following best describes you?

	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	76%	81%	*	*	*	73%	78%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	73%	74%	*	*	*	44%	72%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	75%	73%	*	*	*	53%	73%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	85%	89%	*	*	*	69%	87%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	81%	84%	*	*	*	77%	83%

### SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON

Which of the following best describes you?

	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	91%	91%	*	*	*	87%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	81%	83%	*	*	*	83%	82%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	93%	96%	*	*	*	100%	95%

## ‘Which of the following best describes you?’ tables

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	83%	81%	*	*	*	75%	82%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	79%	82%	*	*	*	67%	80%
Q22. Family and/or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	79%	87%	*	*	*	71%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	57%	53%	*	*	*	30%	54%

CARE PLANNING							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	75%	76%	*	*	*	55%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	94%	97%	*	*	*	*	96%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	100%	99%	*	*	*	*	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	90%	97%	*	*	*	*	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	76%	80%	*	*	*	73%	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	69%	74%	*	*	*	*	70%

## ‘Which of the following best describes you?’ tables

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HOSPITAL CARE							
Which of the following best describes you?							
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	81%	76%	*	*	*	*	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	71%	63%	*	*	*	*	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	65%	65%	*	*	*	*	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	73%	74%	*	*	*	*	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	59%	67%	*	*	*	*	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	89%	83%	*	*	*	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	87%	93%	*	*	*	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	84%	86%	*	*	*	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	80%	88%	*	*	*	75%	84%

YOUR TREATMENT							
Which of the following best describes you?							
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	94%	91%	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	90%	91%	*	*	*	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	96%	91%	*	*	*	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	84%	91%	*	*	*	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	93%	70%	*	*	*	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	88%	91%	*	*	*	*	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	85%	88%	*	*	*	*	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	96%	87%	*	*	*	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	71%	88%	*	*	*	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	83%	74%	*	*	*	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	88%	92%	*	*	*	75%	89%

## ‘Which of the following best describes you?’ tables

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	80%	81%	*	*	*	50%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	70%	70%	*	*	*	50%	69%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	89%	92%	*	*	*	*	90%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	58%	63%	*	*	*	*	60%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	49%	64%	*	*	*	*	57%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	56%	69%	*	*	*	*	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	49%	49%	*	*	*	*	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	36%	38%	*	*	*	*	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	15%	21%	*	*	*	9%	18%

LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	28%	35%	*	*	*	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	75%	90%	*	*	*	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	63%	62%	*	*	*	*	62%



## ‘Which of the following best describes you?’ tables

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YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	91%	94%	*	*	*	92%	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	90%	88%	*	*	*	100%	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	37%	46%	*	*	*	*	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.0	9.1	*	*	*	8.9	9.1

## Ethnicity tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	79%	*	*	*	*	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	57%	*	*	*	*	*	56%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	93%	*	*	*	*	93%	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	82%	*	*	*	*	83%	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	81%	*	*	*	*	83%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	79%	*	*	*	*	72%	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	95%	*	*	*	*	88%	94%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	79%	*	*	*	*	71%	78%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	74%	*	*	*	*	55%	72%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	75%	*	*	*	*	52%	73%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	87%	*	*	*	*	68%	87%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	82%	*	*	*	*	78%	83%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	91%	*	*	*	*	90%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	82%	*	*	*	*	83%	82%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	94%	*	*	*	*	100%	95%

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	82%	*	*	*	*	76%	82%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	81%	*	*	*	*	70%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	84%	*	*	*	*	68%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	55%	*	*	*	*	33%	54%

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CARE PLANNING	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	75%	*	*	*	*	69%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	95%	*	*	*	*	*	96%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	99%	*	*	*	*	*	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	94%	*	*	*	*	80%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	79%	*	*	*	*	76%	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	71%	*	*	*	*	55%	70%

HOSPITAL CARE	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	79%	*	*	*	*	*	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	67%	*	*	*	*	*	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	67%	*	*	*	*	*	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	72%	*	*	*	*	*	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	62%	*	*	*	*	*	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	87%	*	*	*	*	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	90%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	85%	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	85%	*	*	*	*	78%	84%

## Ethnicity tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	93%	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	91%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	93%	*	*	*	*	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	88%	*	*	*	*	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	83%	*	*	*	*	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	89%	*	*	*	*	*	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	87%	*	*	*	*	70%	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	91%	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	81%	*	*	*	*	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	80%	*	*	*	*	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	90%	*	*	*	*	83%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	81%	*	*	*	*	61%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	71%	*	*	*	*	59%	69%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	90%	*	*	*	*	92%	90%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	62%	*	*	*	*	43%	60%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	59%	*	*	*	*	50%	57%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	62%	*	*	*	*	50%	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	49%	*	*	*	*	*	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	37%	*	*	*	*	*	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	18%	*	*	*	*	12%	18%

## Ethnicity tables

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	28%	*	*	*	*	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	79%	*	*	*	*	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	62%	*	*	*	*	46%	62%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	92%	*	*	*	*	94%	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	89%	*	*	*	*	100%	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	41%	*	*	*	*	46%	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.1	*	*	*	*	9.2	9.1

## IMD quintile tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	77%	74%	79%	82%	73%	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	58%	43%	65%	56%	53%	*	56%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	88%	87%	91%	95%	93%	*	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	78%	75%	81%	86%	83%	*	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	74%	84%	78%	80%	82%	*	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	85%	77%	80%	78%	74%	*	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	93%	92%	97%	96%	91%	*	94%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	87%	86%	77%	77%	75%	*	78%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	81%	70%	74%	77%	66%	*	72%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	84%	71%	77%	67%	73%	*	73%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	97%	88%	86%	86%	83%	*	87%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	84%	79%	80%	90%	79%	*	83%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	97%	93%	91%	93%	87%	*	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	96%	75%	85%	77%	83%	*	82%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	100%	89%	96%	97%	93%	*	95%

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	94%	81%	82%	77%	85%	*	82%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	97%	76%	80%	80%	79%	*	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	86%	83%	82%	85%	80%	*	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	83%	56%	54%	54%	48%	*	54%

CARE PLANNING	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	82%	68%	77%	72%	77%	*	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	100%	97%	95%	91%	98%	*	96%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	100%	100%	100%	100%	98%	*	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	93%	94%	96%	90%	94%	*	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	84%	70%	88%	75%	74%	*	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	74%	64%	68%	75%	71%	*	70%

HOSPITAL CARE	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	*	91%	84%	75%	70%	*	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	57%	74%	77%	57%	*	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	62%	70%	66%	55%	*	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	81%	77%	72%	66%	*	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	75%	58%	56%	62%	*	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	90%	91%	86%	78%	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	95%	84%	92%	90%	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	82%	88%	83%	81%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	89%	78%	89%	82%	83%	*	84%

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YOUR TREATMENT	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	*	90%	96%	91%	89%	*	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	93%	84%	92%	89%	91%	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	88%	94%	96%	96%	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	84%	91%	93%	75%	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	94%	74%	79%	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	89%	92%	89%	82%	*	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	100%	77%	86%	91%	84%	*	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	88%	91%	97%	89%	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	79%	91%	83%	67%	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	94%	78%	69%	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	90%	84%	92%	90%	88%	*	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	100%	74%	81%	75%	80%	*	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	85%	70%	73%	65%	66%	*	69%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	90%	91%	89%	91%	92%	*	90%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	68%	53%	63%	66%	54%	*	60%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	70%	57%	56%	58%	54%	*	57%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	79%	59%	68%	55%	57%	*	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	31%	61%	45%	57%	*	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	40%	24%	39%	42%	38%	*	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	21%	20%	17%	21%	14%	*	18%



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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	*	*	25%	32%	28%	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	76%	85%	80%	71%	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	79%	52%	75%	55%	55%	*	62%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	IMD quintile						All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	94%	90%	95%	88%	94%	*	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	94%	87%	89%	90%	89%	*	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	40%	41%	46%	39%	40%	*	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.8	9.0	9.2	9.0	9.0	*	9.1

## Long-term condition status tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	80%	74%	75%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	53%	64%	50%	56%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	91%	93%	89%	92%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	82%	80%	76%	81%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	81%	80%	76%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	79%	76%	71%	78%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	95%	93%	90%	94%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	78%	79%	78%	78%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	76%	69%	52%	72%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	75%	71%	64%	73%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	87%	88%	73%	87%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	83%	82%	77%	83%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	92%	92%	80%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	83%	80%	72%	82%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	95%	93%	100%	95%

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	82%	81%	86%	82%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	81%	81%	72%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	82%	86%	78%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	55%	55%	33%	54%

## Long-term condition status tables

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CARE PLANNING	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	74%	78%	63%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	95%	97%	92%	96%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	99%	100%	100%	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	93%	94%	88%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	78%	79%	75%	78%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	72%	73%	31%	70%

HOSPITAL CARE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	78%	84%	*	79%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	62%	79%	*	67%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	61%	75%	*	65%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	74%	75%	*	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	62%	66%	*	62%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	83%	94%	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	89%	95%	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	87%	78%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	87%	81%	70%	84%

## Long-term condition status tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	92%	94%	*	92%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	92%	86%	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	92%	97%	*	94%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	88%	91%	*	87%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	74%	100%	*	80%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	92%	84%	*	89%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	88%	84%	*	86%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	88%	100%	*	92%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	83%	79%	*	81%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	75%	86%	*	77%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	89%	91%	81%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	79%	83%	55%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	70%	70%	61%	69%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	91%	90%	92%	90%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	58%	66%	44%	60%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	57%	59%	50%	57%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	62%	65%	43%	62%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	45%	56%	64%	49%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	34%	41%	42%	37%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	18%	20%	5%	18%

## Long-term condition status tables

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	25%	43%	*	29%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	78%	84%	*	79%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	64%	59%	46%	62%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	92%	94%	95%	92%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	89%	91%	80%	89%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	43%	42%	23%	42%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.0	9.1	8.8	9.1

## Year on year charts

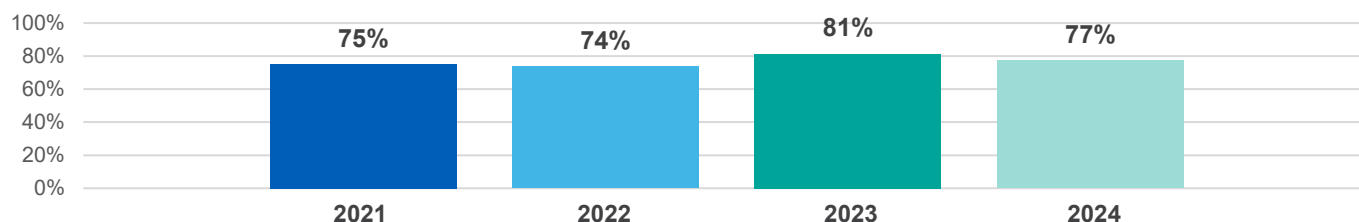
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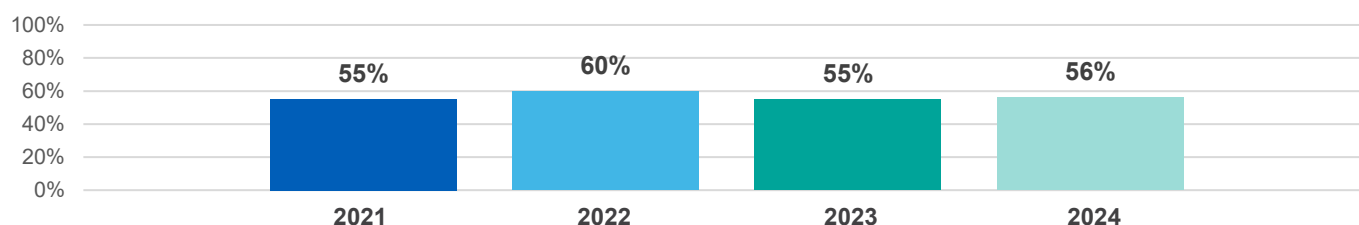
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### SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis

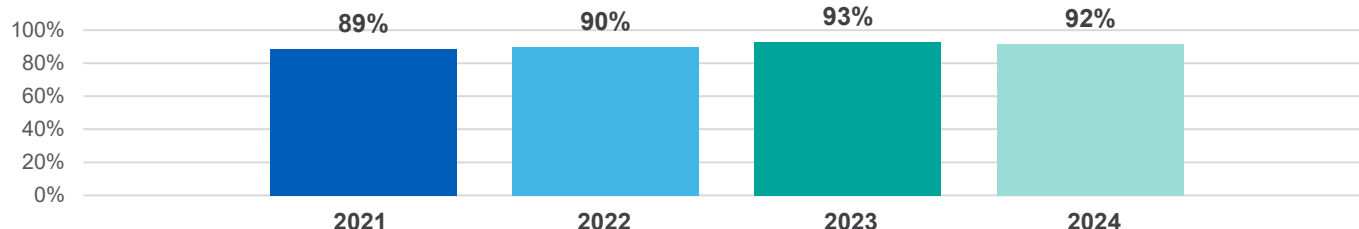


Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand

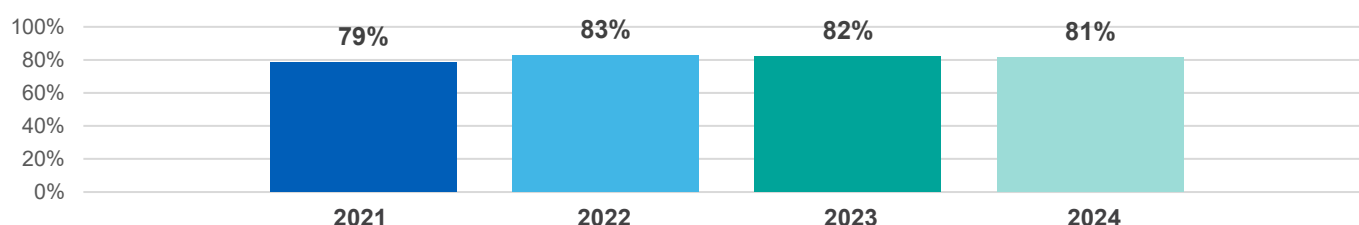


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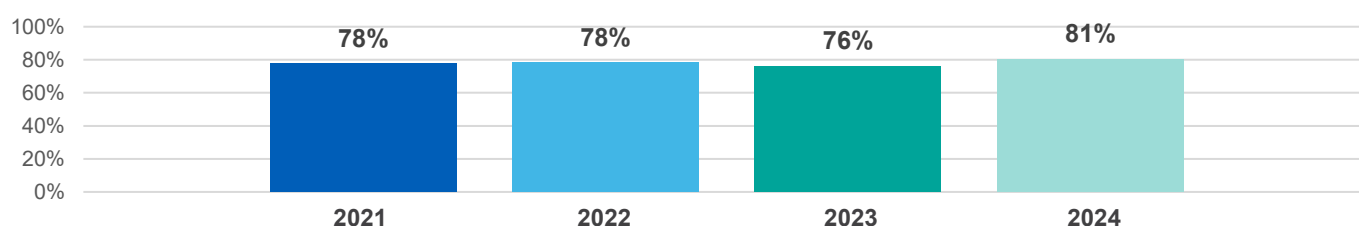
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance



Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient



Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right



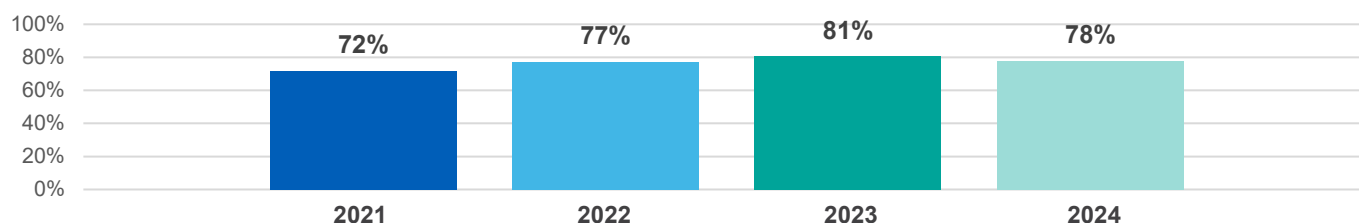
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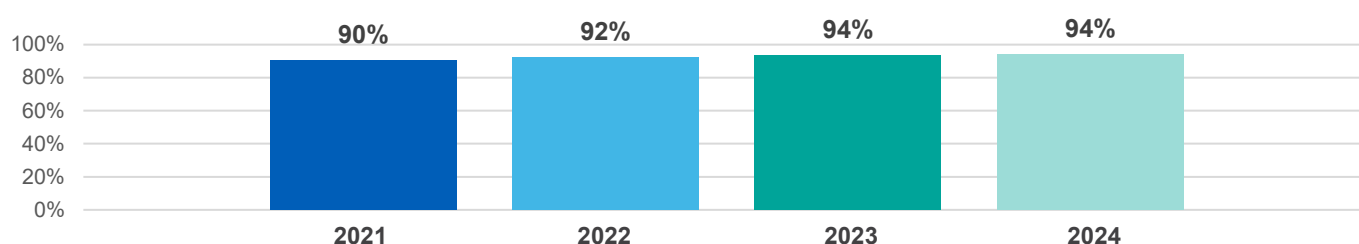
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Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

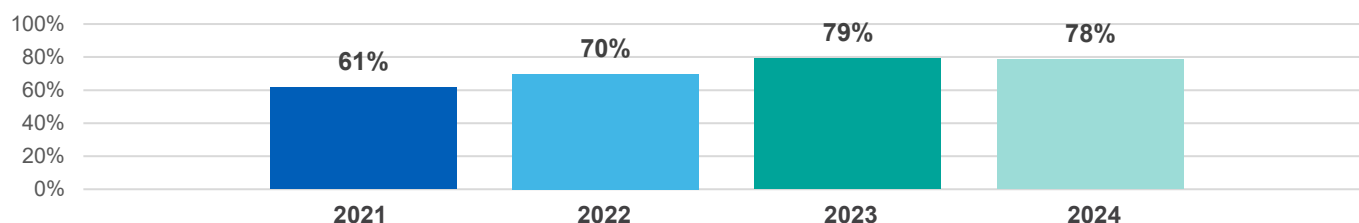


Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results

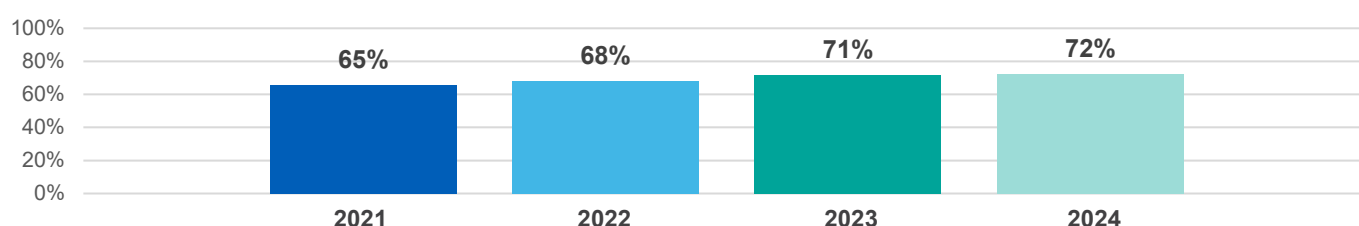


### FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

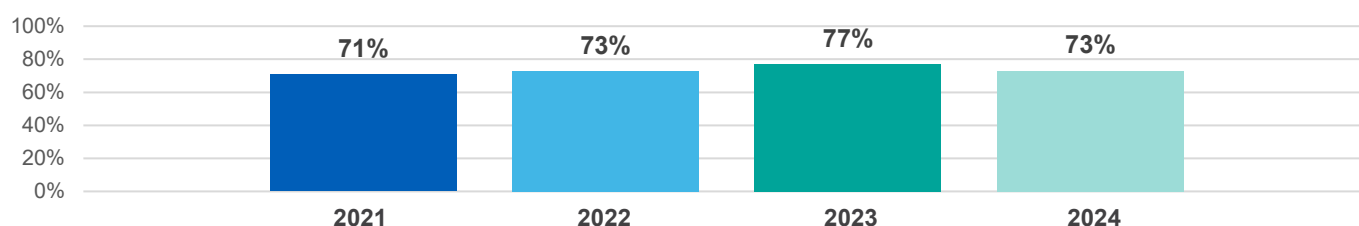
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis



Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer



Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand



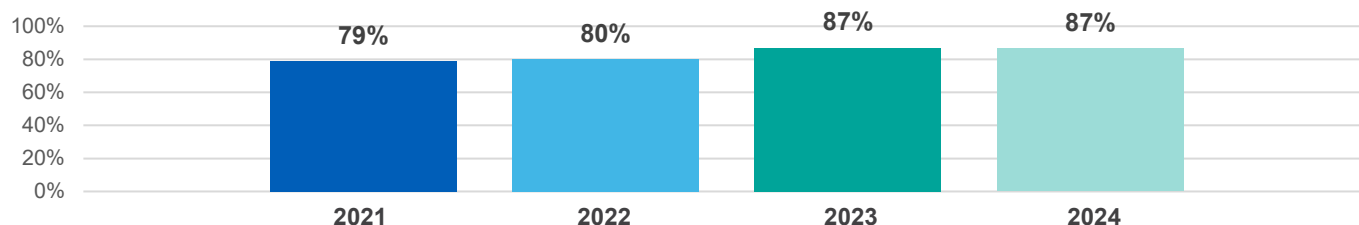
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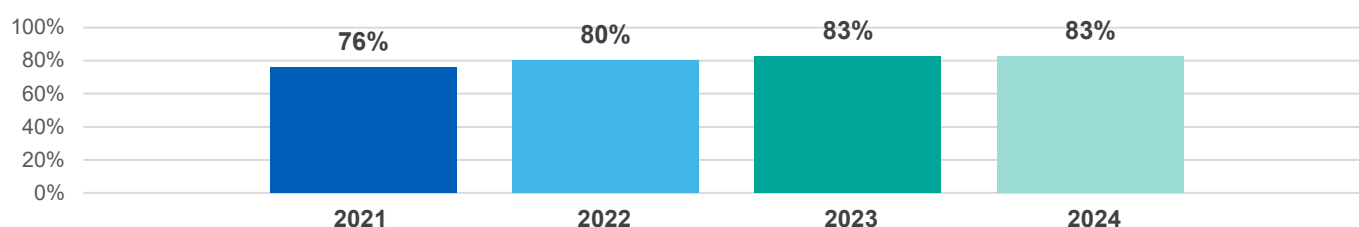
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Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place

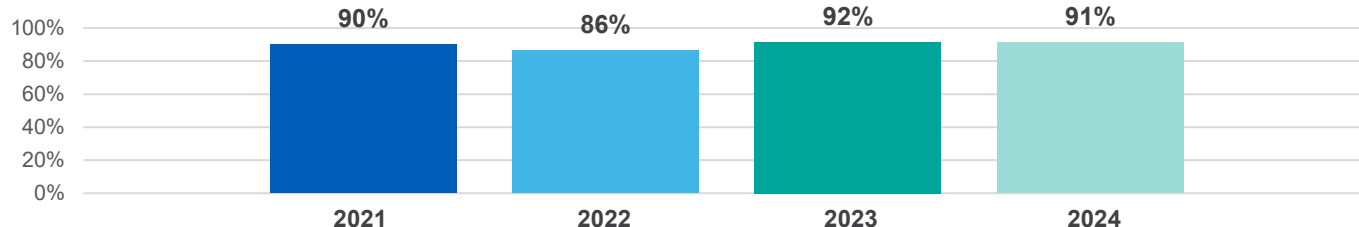


Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis

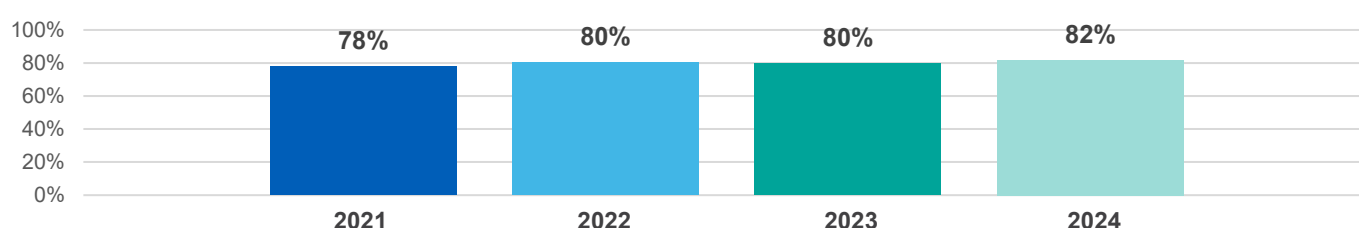


### SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON

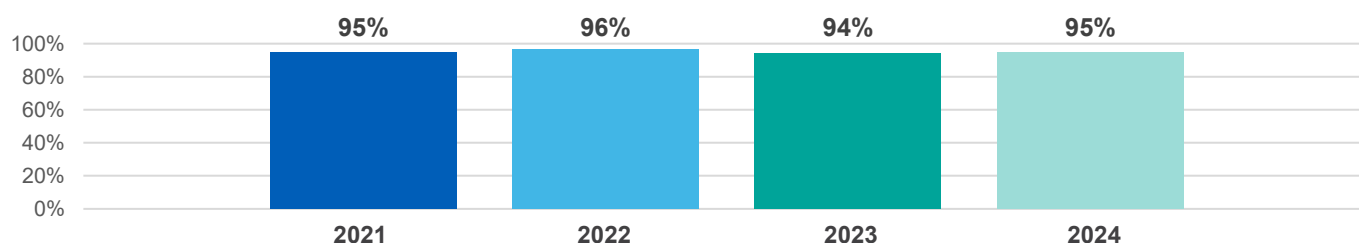
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team



Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person



Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful





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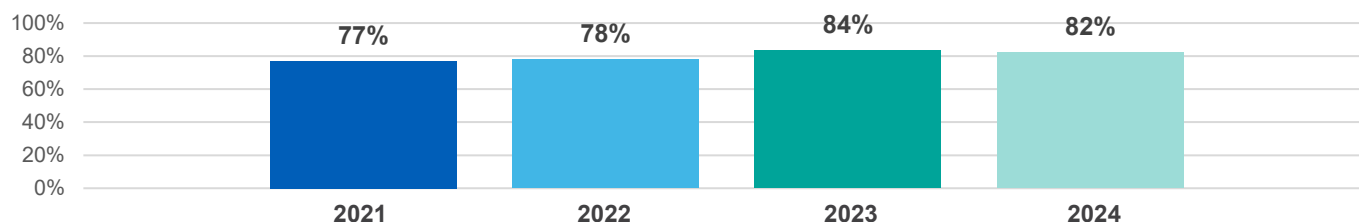
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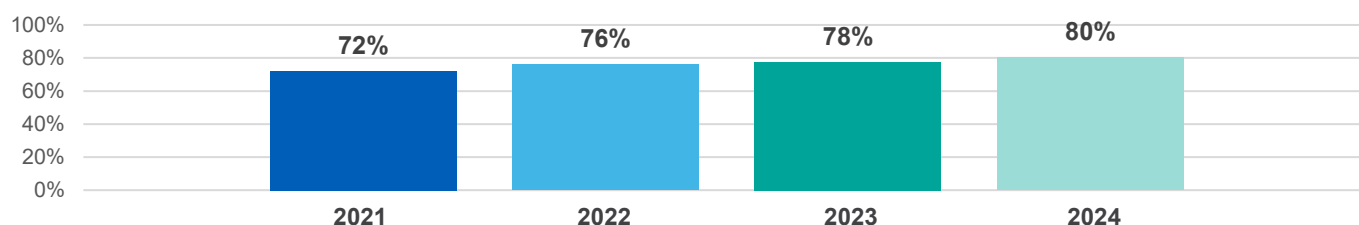
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### DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT

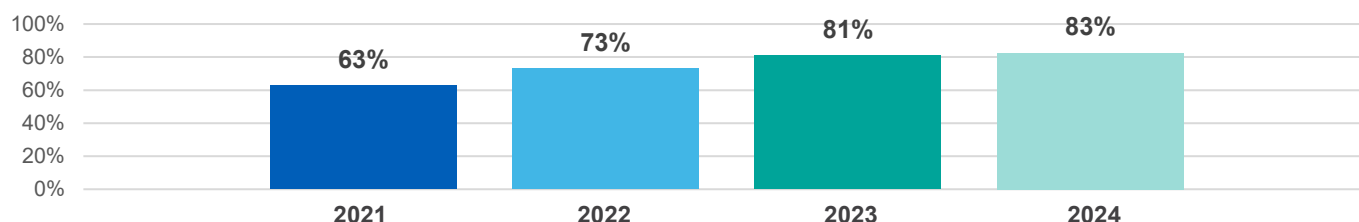
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand



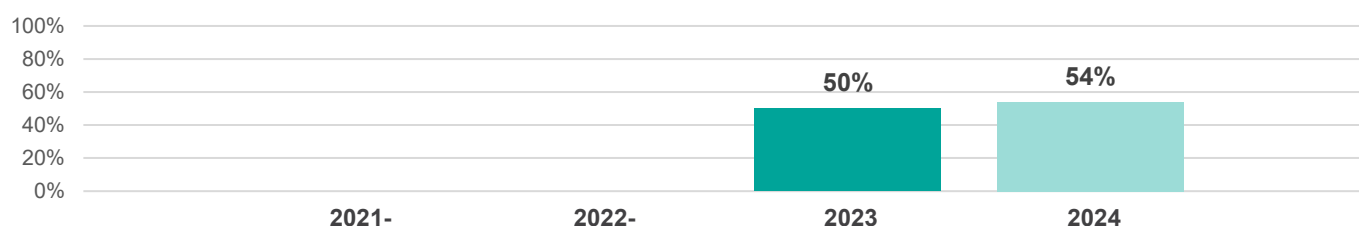
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment



Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options

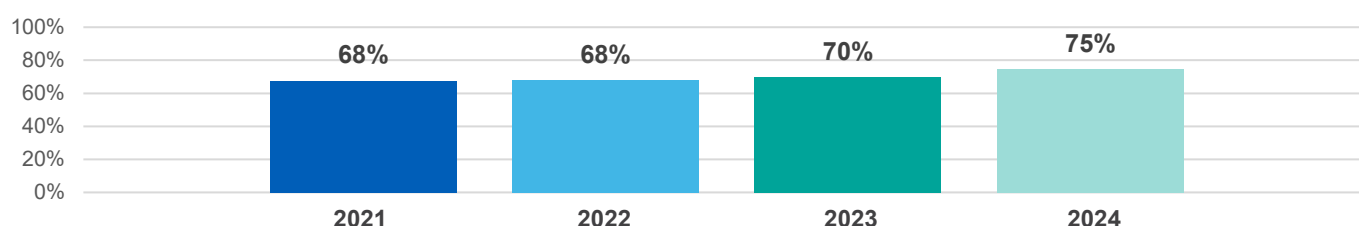


Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options



### CARE PLANNING

Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment



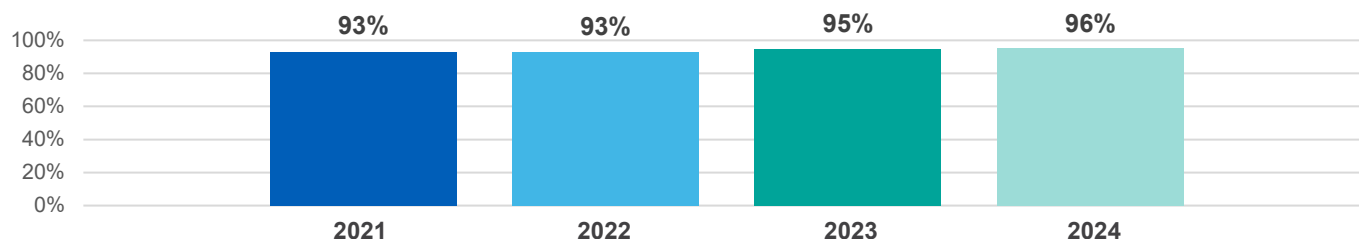
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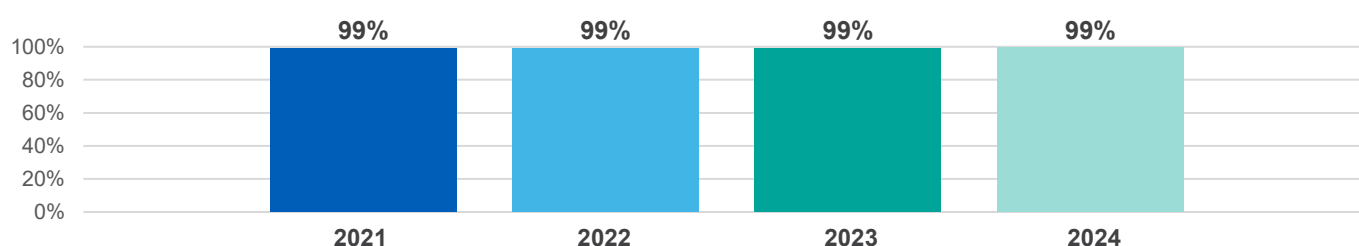
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Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns

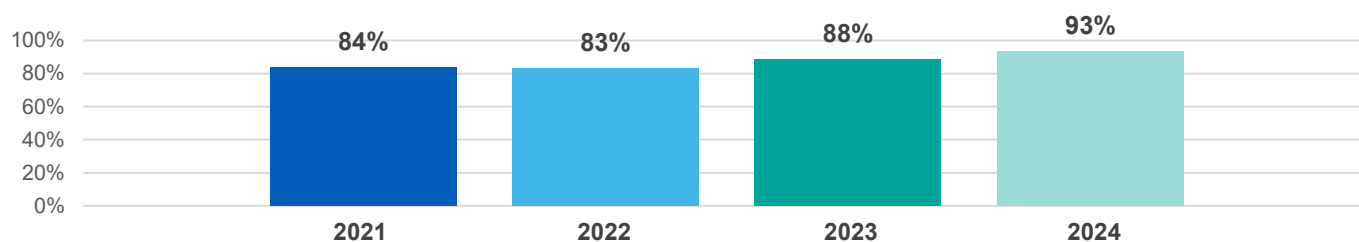


Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date

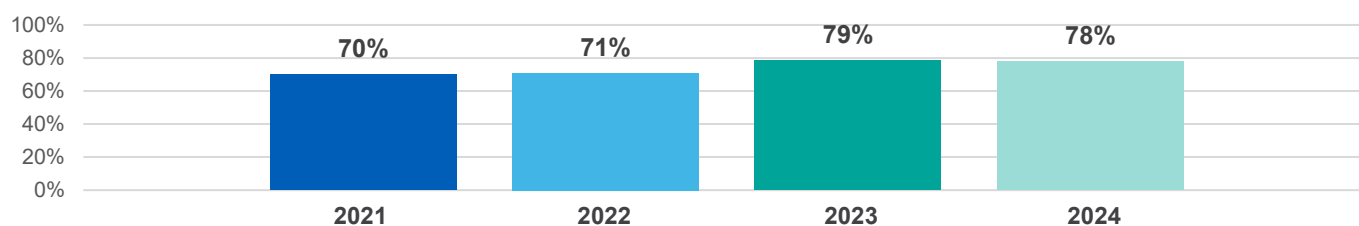


### SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF

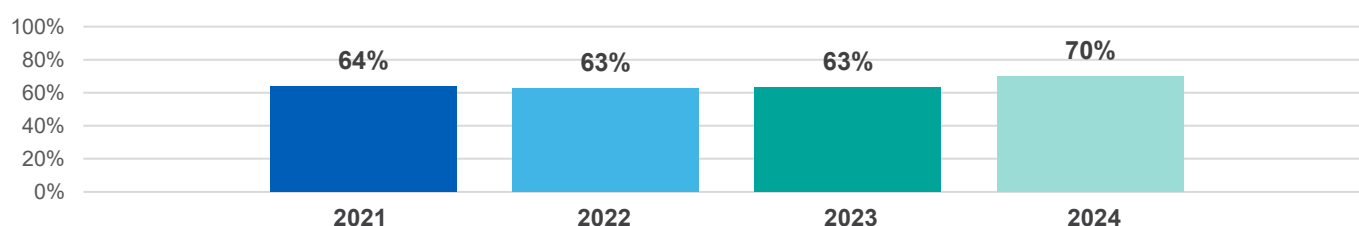
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support



Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff



Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits



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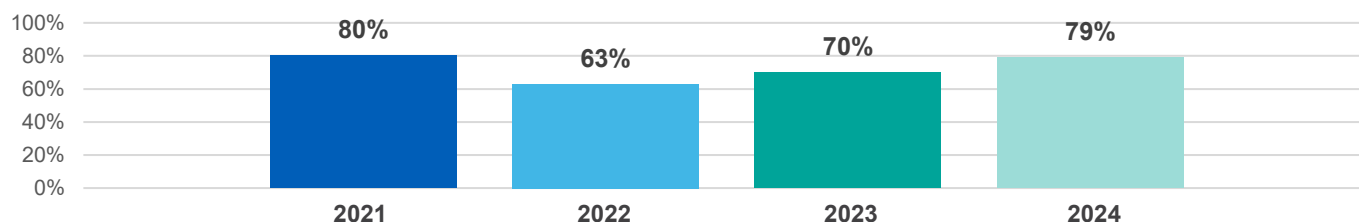
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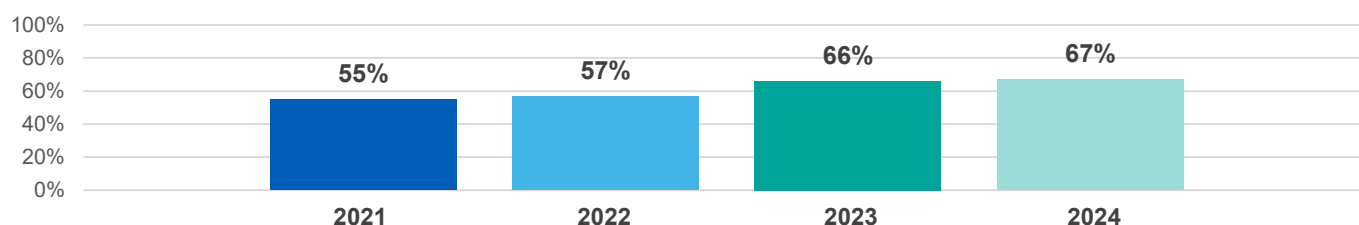
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### HOSPITAL CARE

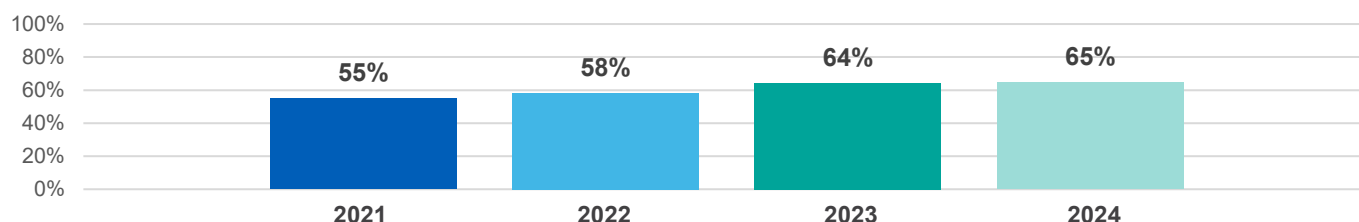
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital



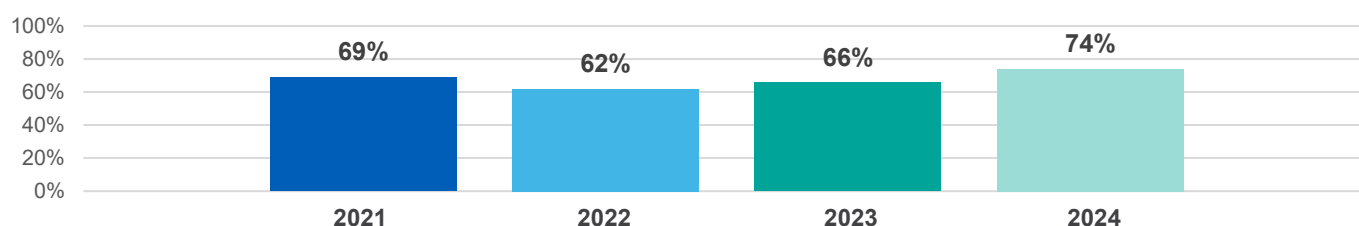
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital



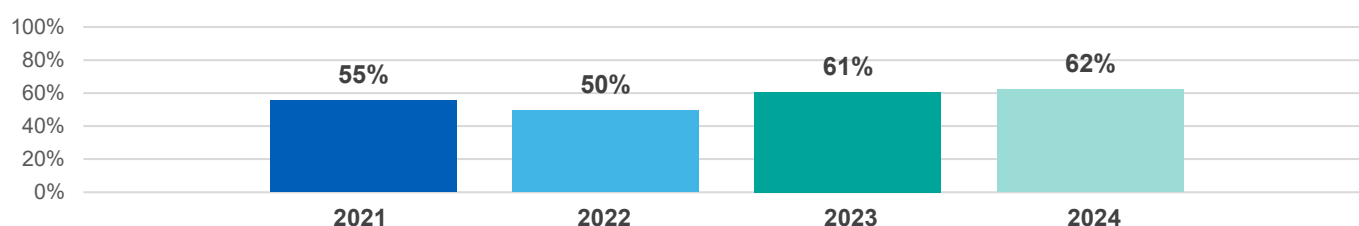
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital



Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed



Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff



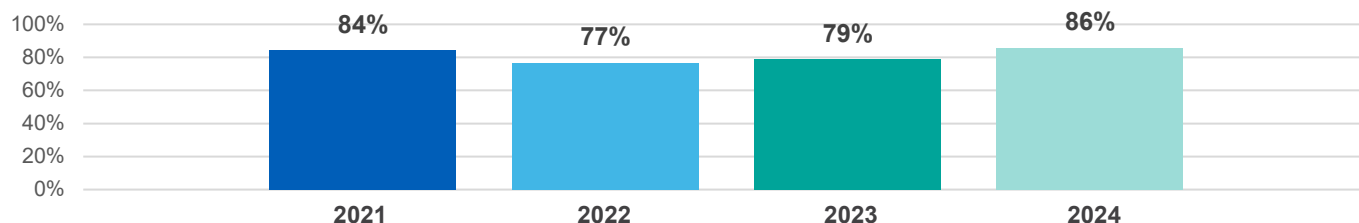
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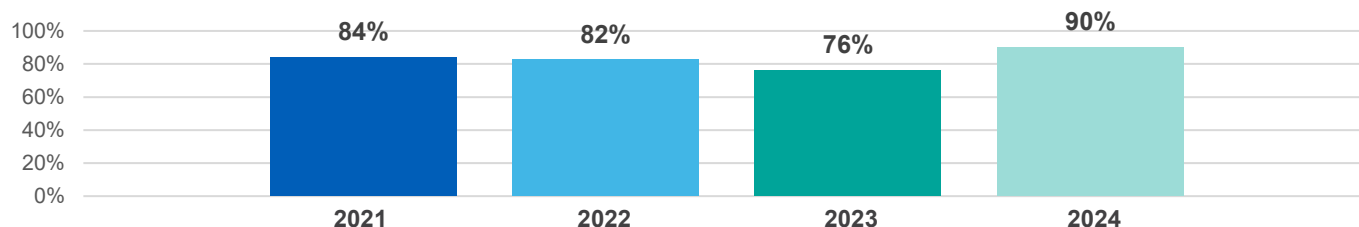
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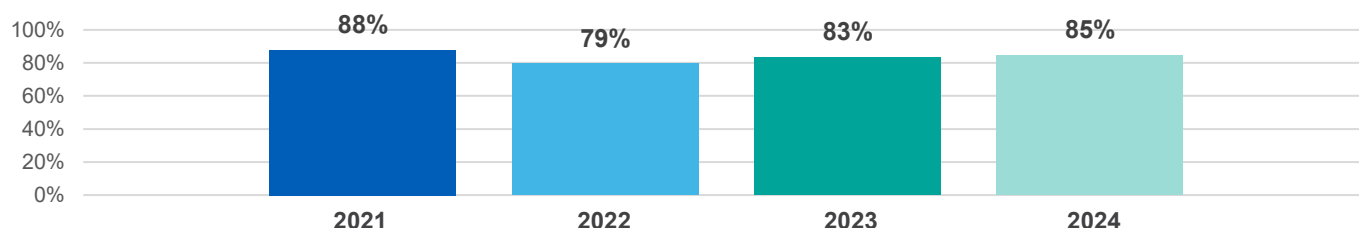
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain



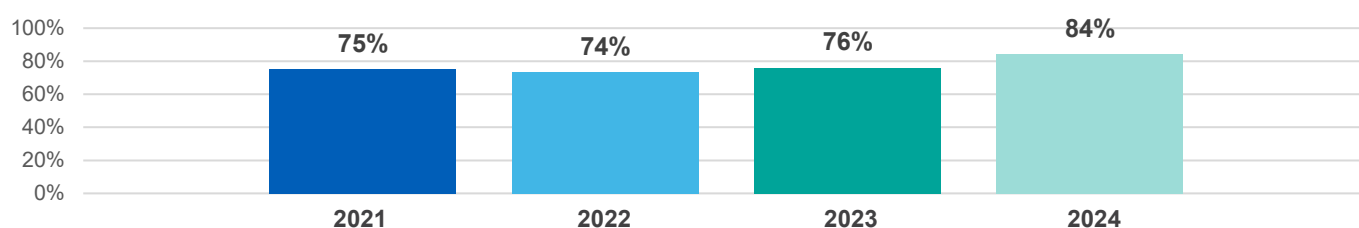
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital



Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital

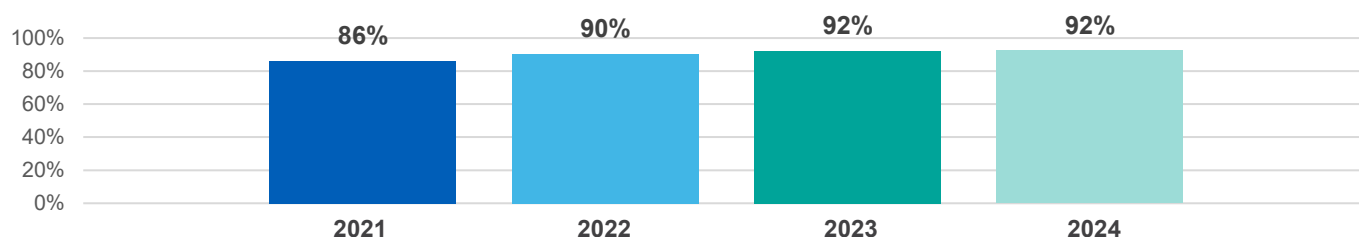


Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case



## YOUR TREATMENT

Q41\_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery



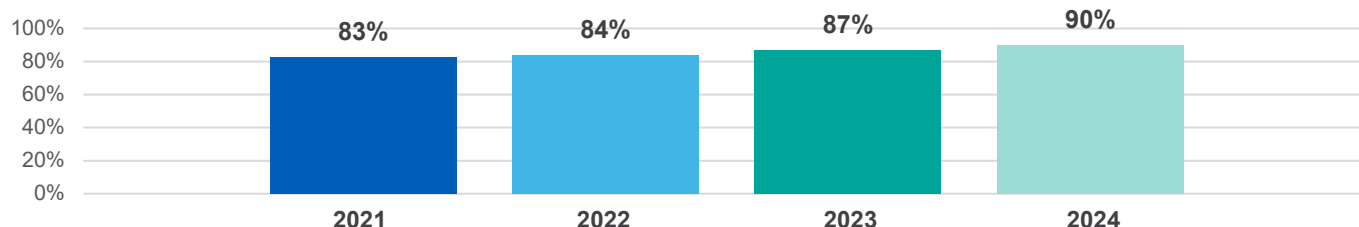
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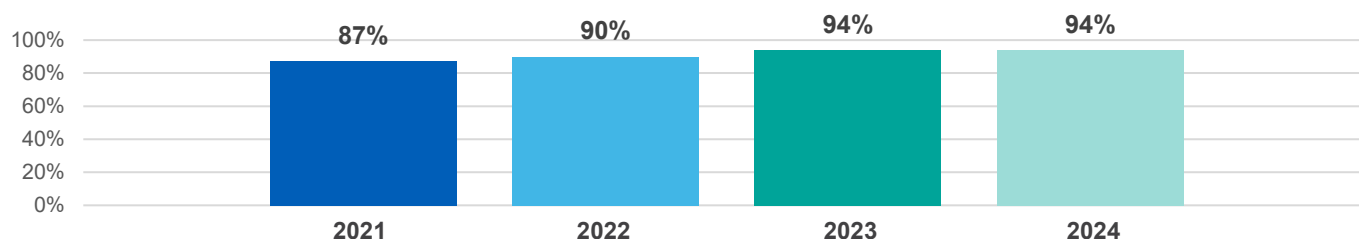
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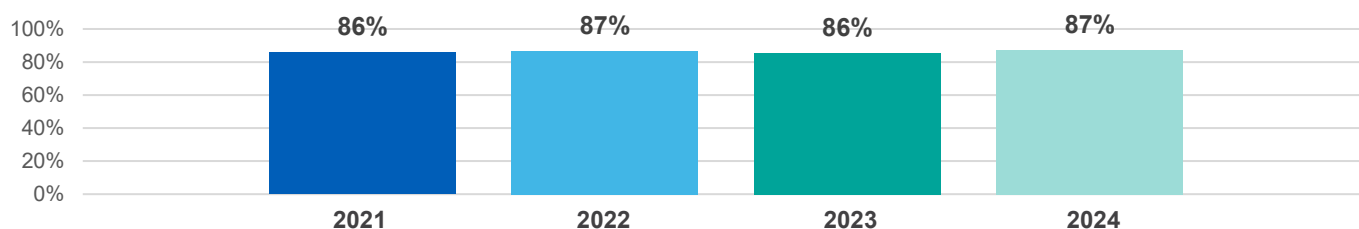
Q41\_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy



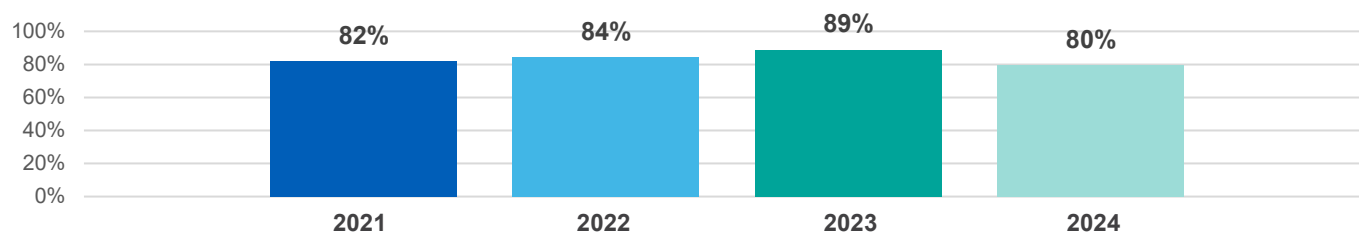
Q41\_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy



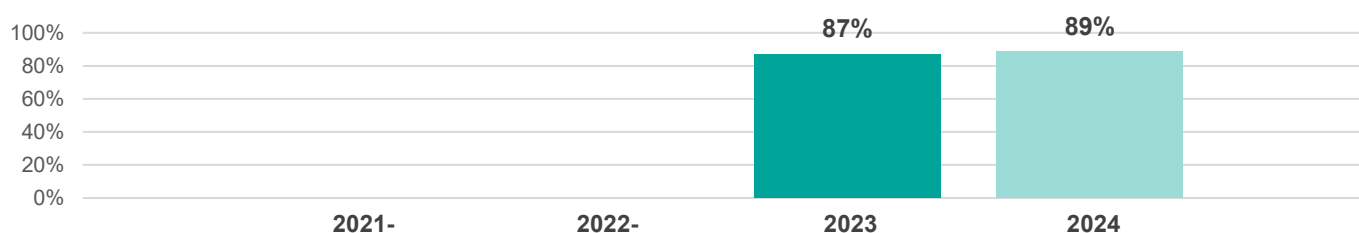
Q41\_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy



Q41\_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy



Q42\_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery



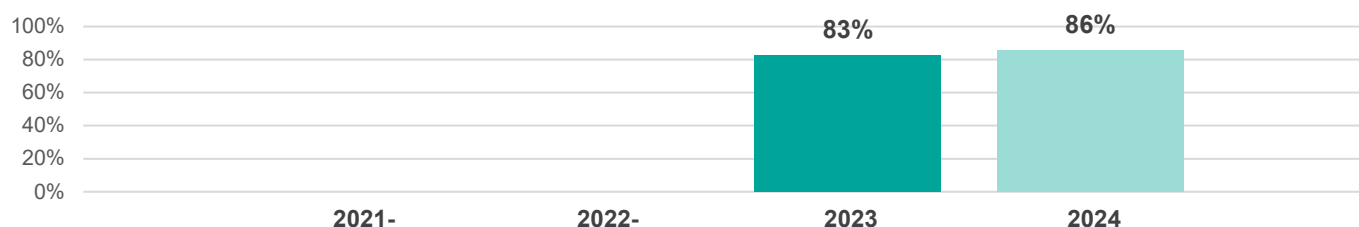
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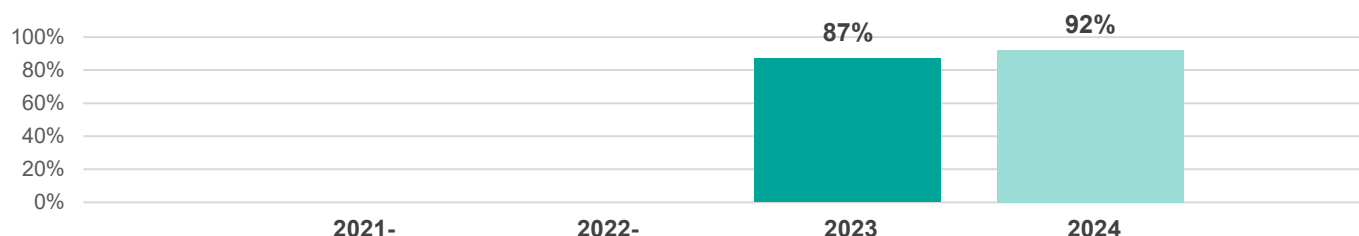
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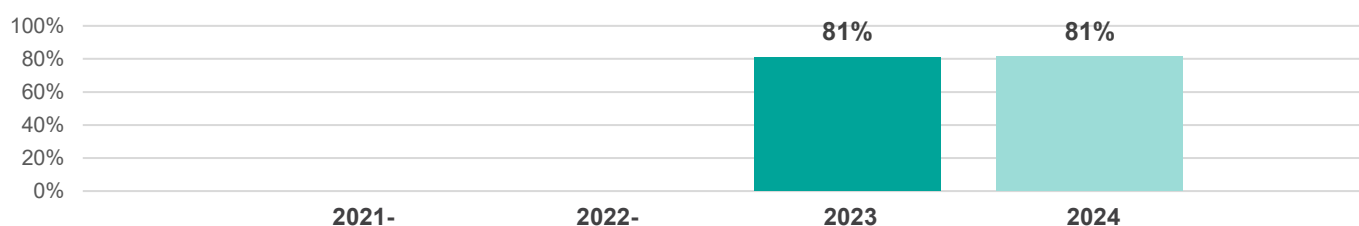
Q42\_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy



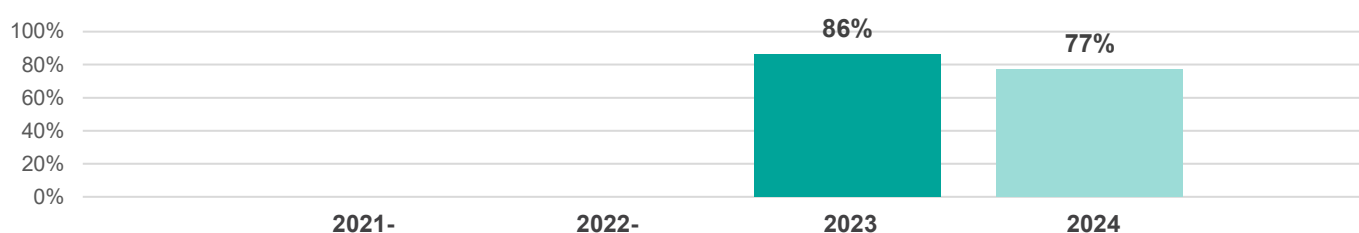
Q42\_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy



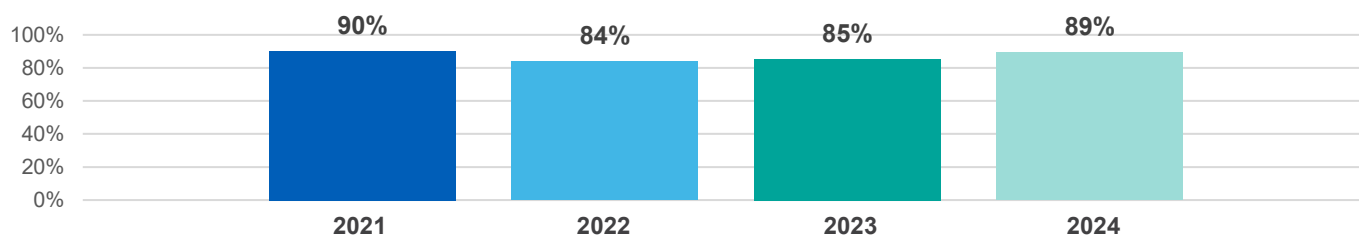
Q42\_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy



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Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right



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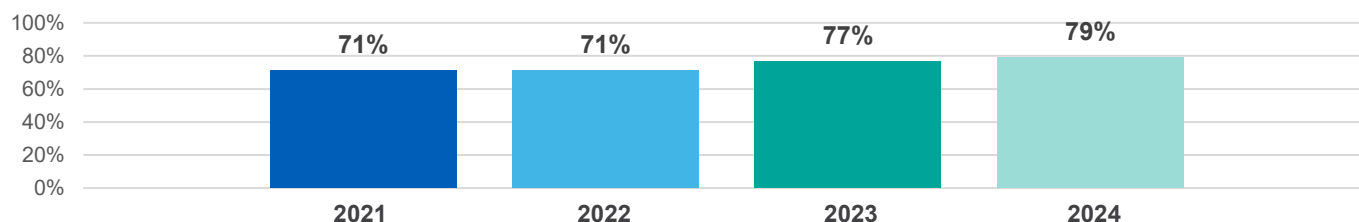
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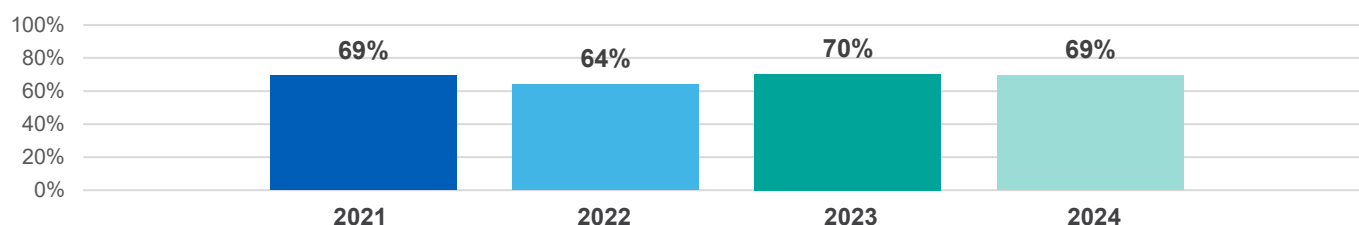
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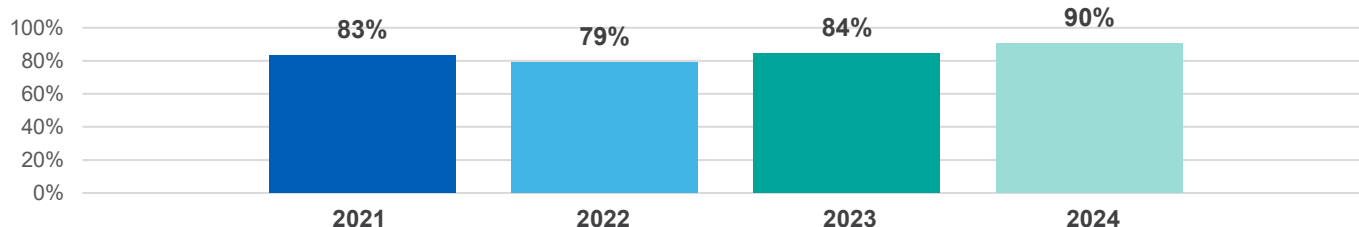
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand



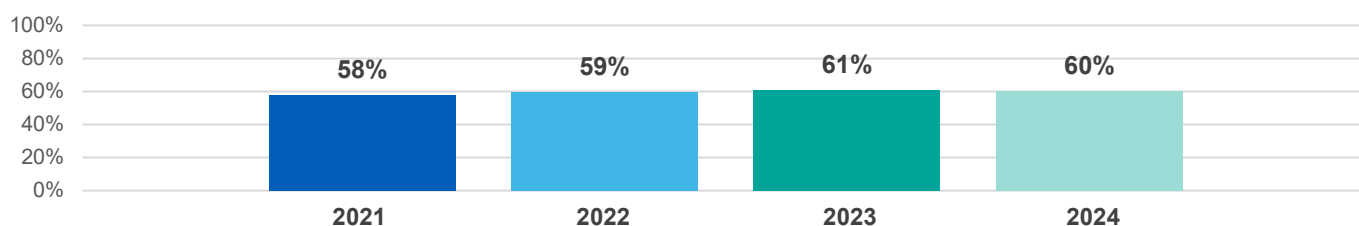
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment



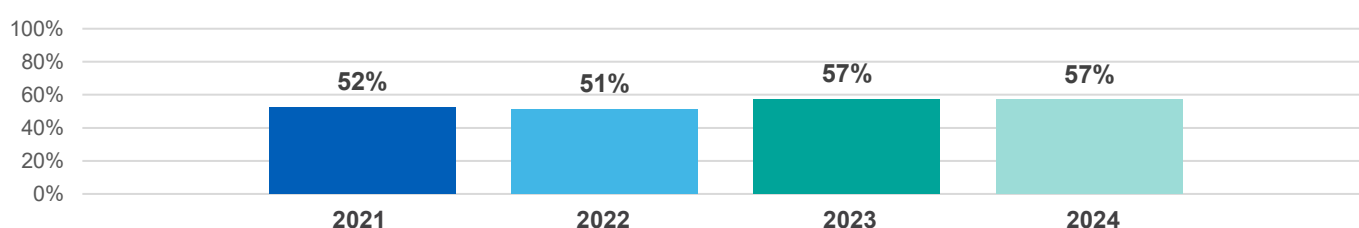
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment



Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment



Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects



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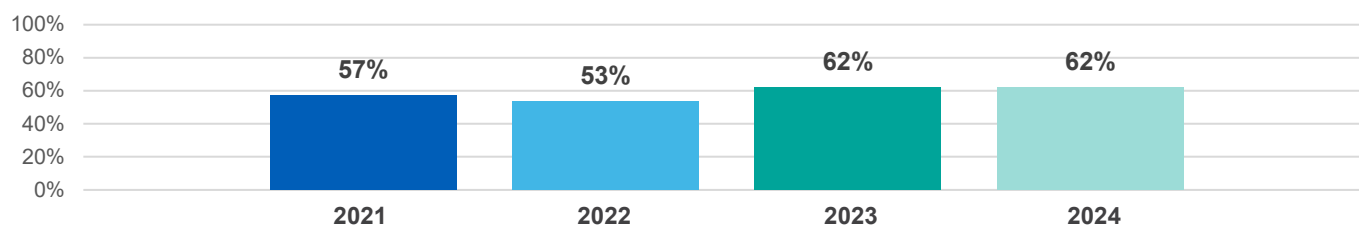
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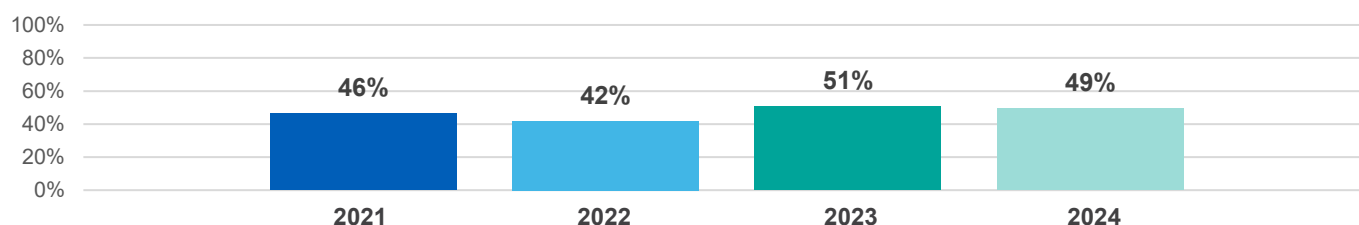
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### SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME

Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home

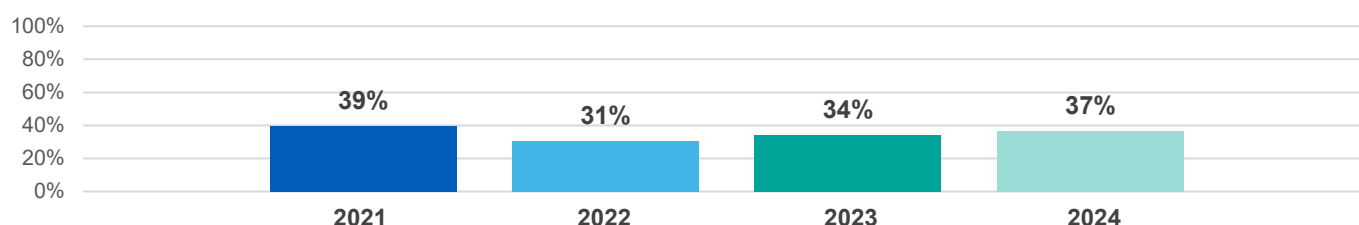


Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services

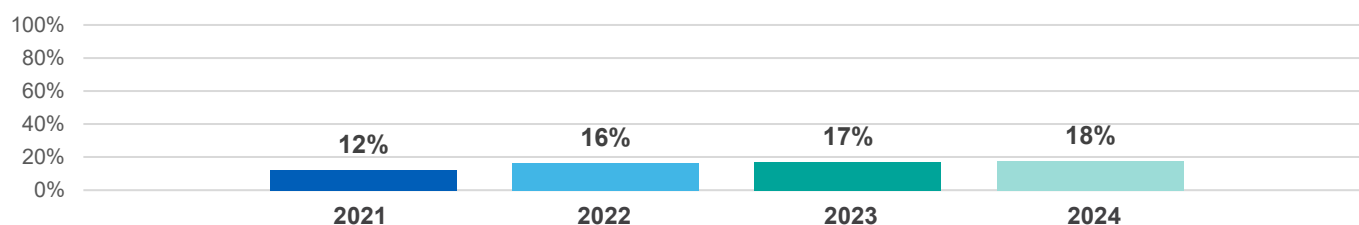


### CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment

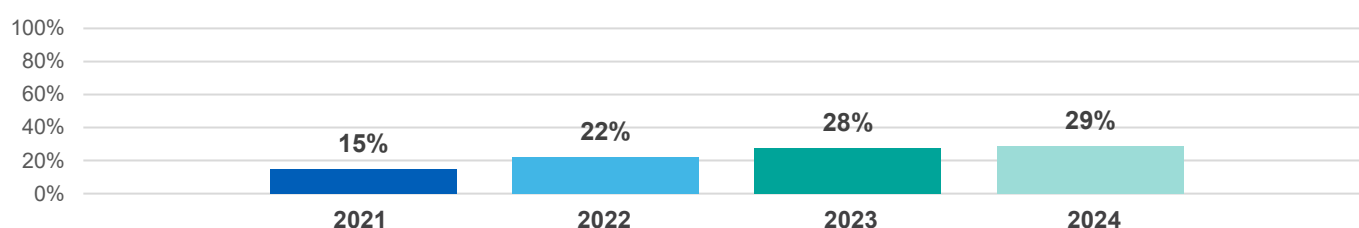


Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice



### LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER

Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services





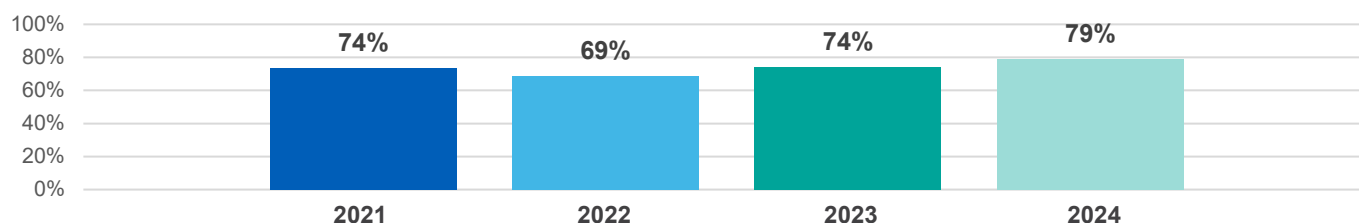
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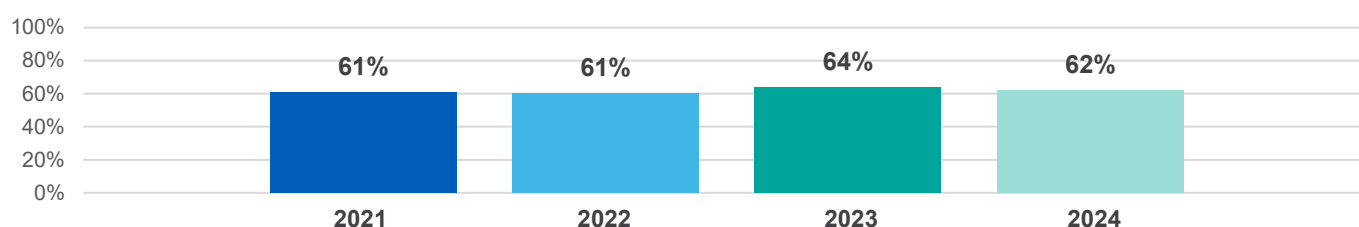
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Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment

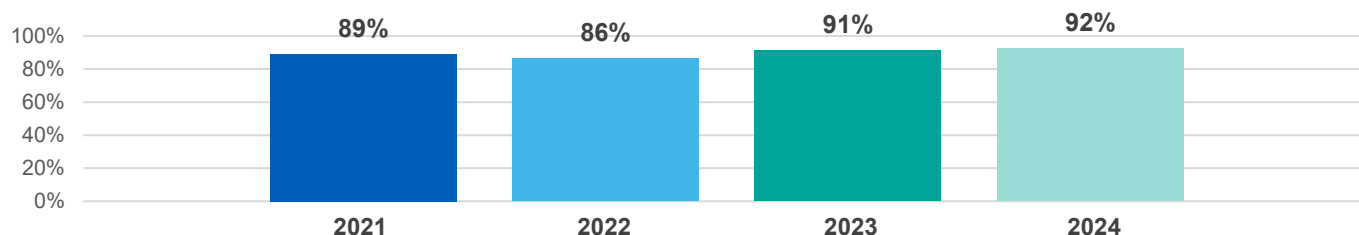


Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading

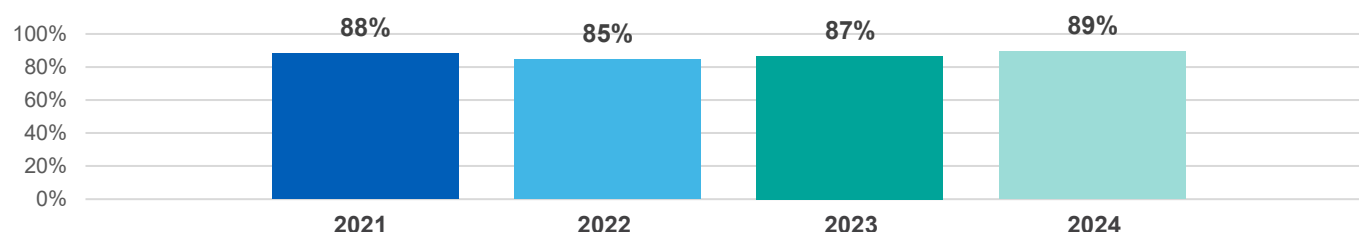


### YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE

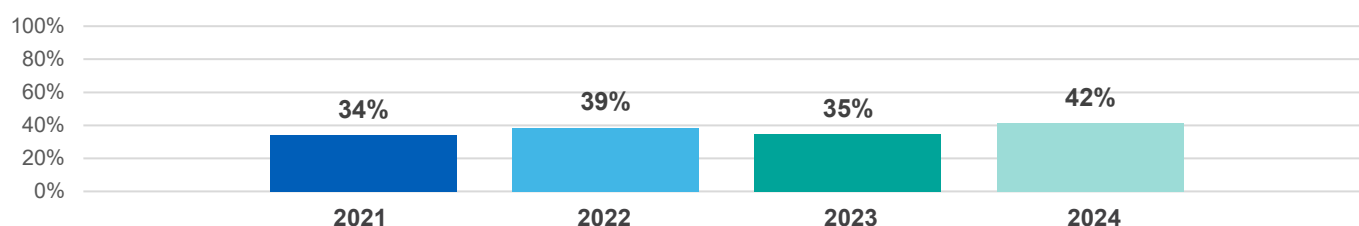
Q56. The whole care team worked well together



Q57. Administration of care was very good or good



Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient



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Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good

