National Cancer Patient Experience Survey

2024 Results

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Executive summary

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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. Please note: a minority of patients for this trust were impacted by a mailing issue on the 2023 survey, resulting in a shorter fieldwork period. We do not consider there to have been any impact on the data, and the results remain comparable.

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. 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 or via the OSR website.

The 2024 questionnaire and survey guidance can be found on the website at 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. For all other outputs at trust level, please see the Excel tables and dashboards at www.ncpes.co.uk.

Response rate

Overall response rate

405 patients responded out of a total of 662 patients, resulting in a response rate of 61%.

	Sample size	Adjusted sample	Completed	Response rate
Overall response rate	717	662	405	61%
National	135,429	127,021	64,055	50%

Respondents by survey type

	Number of respondents
Paper	311
Online	94
Phone	0
Translation service	0
Total	**405**

Respondents by tumour group

	Number of respondents
Brain / CNS	0
Breast	137
Colorectal / LGT	66
Gynaecological	15
Haematological	71
Head and neck	12
Lung	18
Prostate	18
Sarcoma	*
Skin	*
Upper gastro	21
Urological	25
Other	13
Total	**405**

* indicates the count is not shown due to suppression

Respondents by ethnicity

	Number of respondents
White	
English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish / British	372
Irish	*
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	*
Roma	*
Any other White background	8
Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups	
White and Black Caribbean	*
White and Black African	*
White and Asian	*
Any other Mixed / multiple ethnic background	*
Asian or Asian British	
Indian	*
Pakistani	*
Bangladeshi	*
Chinese	*
Any other Asian background	*
Black / African / Caribbean / Black British	
African	*
Caribbean	*
Any other Black / African / Caribbean background	*
Other Ethnic Group	
Arab	*
Any other ethnic group	*
Not given	
Not given	20
Total	**405**

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Expected range charts

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

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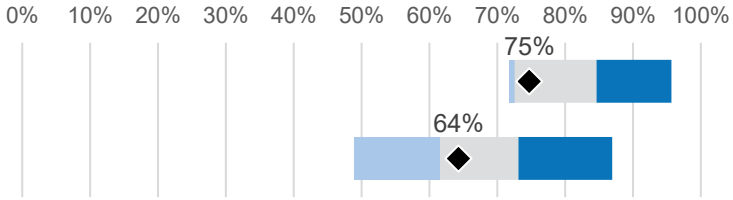
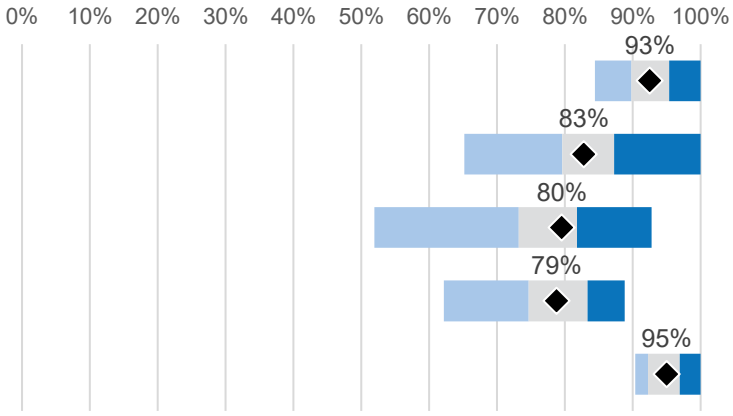


Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis

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

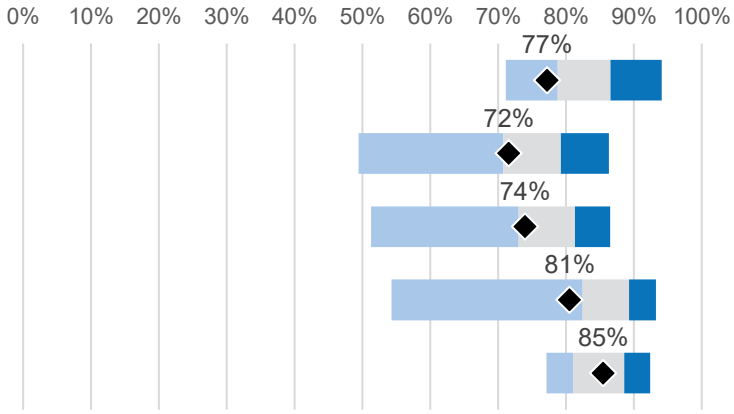
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient

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

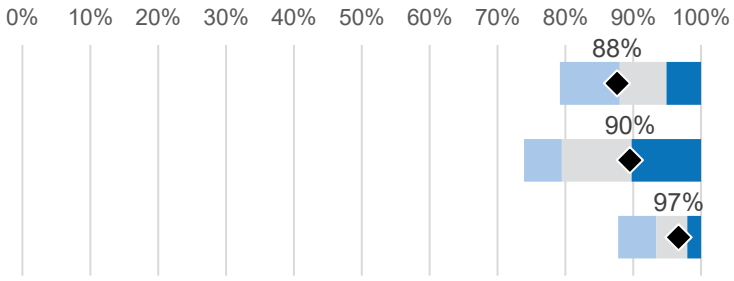
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer

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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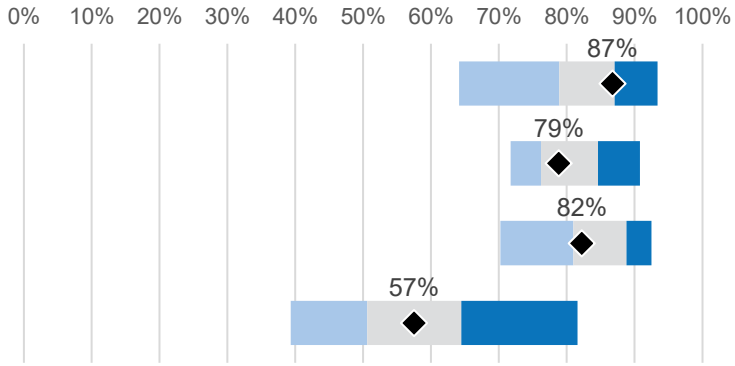


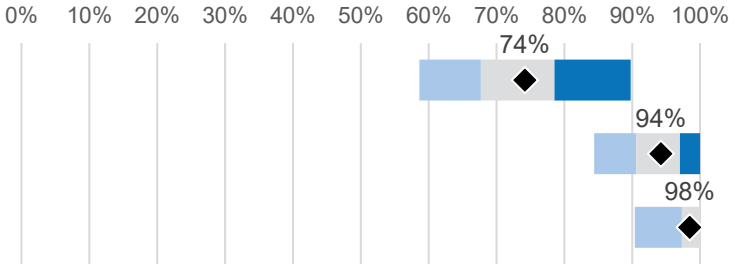
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

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

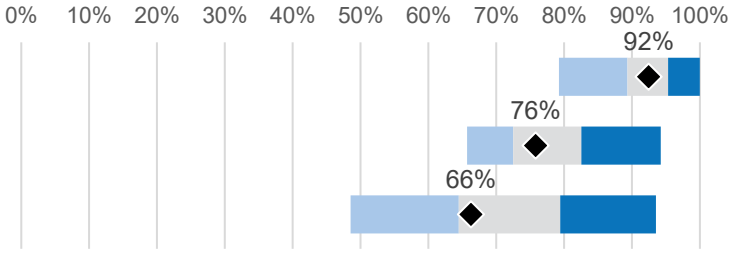


Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment

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

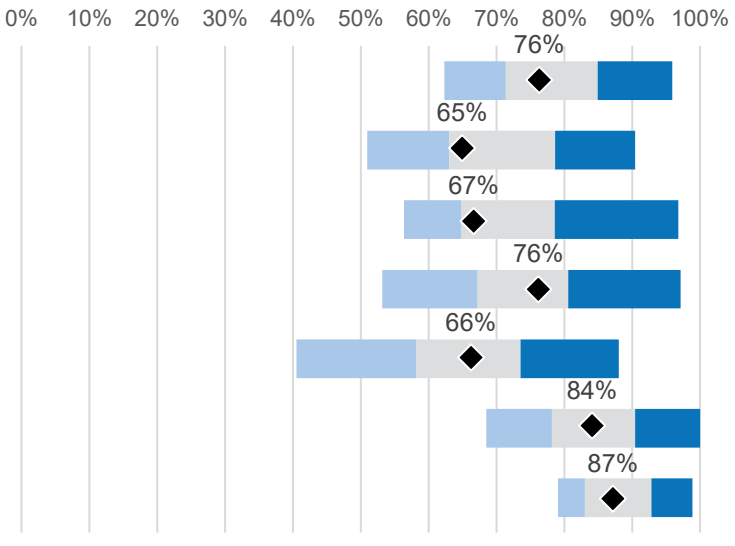


Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support

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

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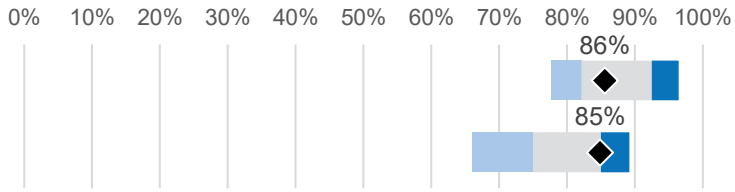
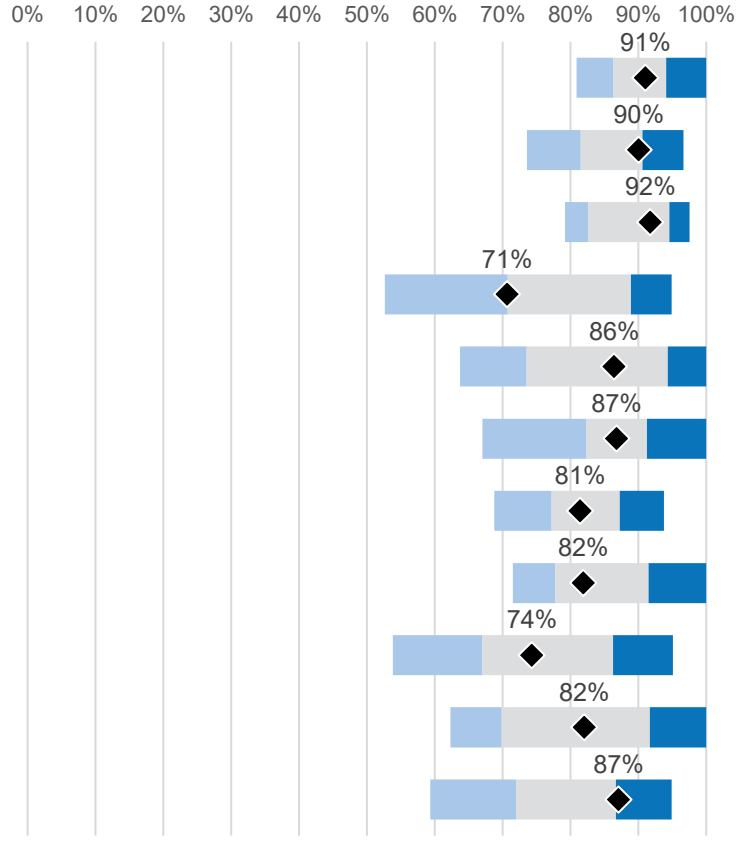


Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital

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

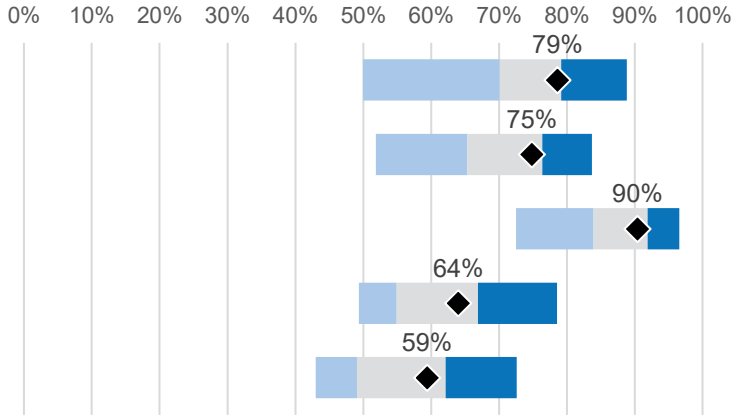
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy

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

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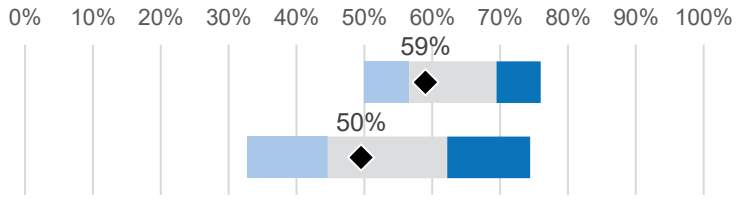
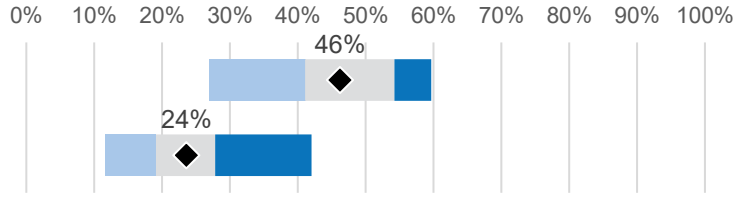
SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME



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

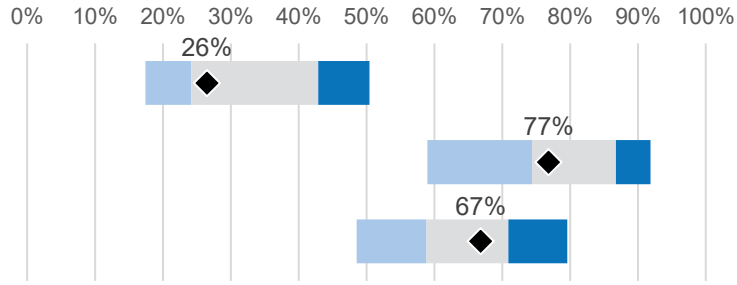
CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE



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

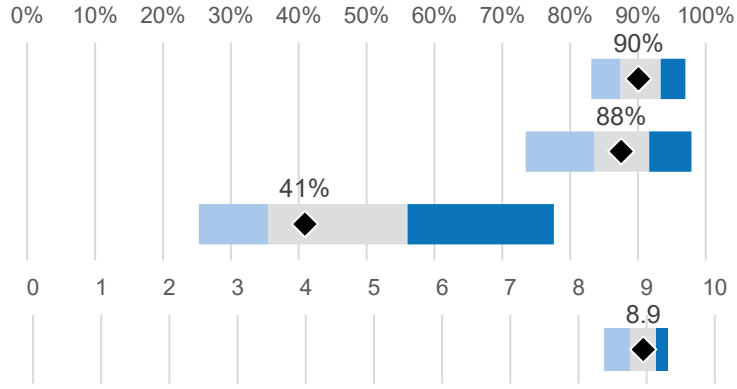


Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services

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

* Indicates where a score is not available due to suppression or a low base size.

\- No score available.

▲ or ▼ Change 2023-2024: Indicates where 2024 score is significantly higher or lower than 2023 score.

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	219	**77%**	177	**77%**			**75%**	73%	85%	**79%**
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	288	**68%**	254	**66%**			**64%**	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	348	**95%**	339	**93%**			**93%**	90%	95%	**93%**
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	368	**85%**	363	**83%**			**83%**	80%	87%	**83%**
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	370	**80%**	363	**80%**			**80%**	73%	82%	**77%**
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	371	**80%**	364	**80%**			**79%**	75%	83%	**79%**
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	375	**92%**	365	**95%**			**95%**	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	412	**78%**	386	**79%**		▲	**77%**	79%	87%	**83%**
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	442	**72%**	399	**73%**			**72%**	71%	79%	**75%**
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	441	**73%**	402	**75%**			**74%**	73%	81%	**77%**
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	439	**79%**	399	**82%**			**81%**	82%	89%	**86%**
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	371	**85%**	350	**86%**			**85%**	81%	89%	**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	424	**88%**	377	**88%**			**88%**	88%	95%	**91%**
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	347	**91%**	286	**90%**			**90%**	79%	90%	**85%**
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	351	**97%**	301	**97%**			**97%**	93%	98%	**96%**

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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	422	**84%**	377	**88%**			**87%**	79%	87%	**83%**
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	441	**82%**	397	**80%**			**79%**	76%	85%	**80%**
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	382	**82%**	342	**83%**		▲	**82%**	81%	89%	**85%**
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	243	**56%**	207	**57%**			**57%**	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	395	**75%**	349	**75%**			**74%**	68%	79%	**73%**
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	240	**95%**	215	**94%**			**94%**	91%	97%	**94%**
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	188	**98%**	171	**98%**			**98%**	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	388	**89%**	339	**93%**			**92%**	89%	95%	**92%**
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	438	**81%**	396	**76%**			**76%**	72%	83%	**78%**
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	250	**74%**	192	**67%**			**66%**	64%	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	159	**79%**	170	**76%**			**76%**	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	126	**74%**	140	**64%**			**65%**	63%	79%	**71%**
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	157	**75%**	168	**67%**			**67%**	65%	79%	**72%**
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	152	**78%**	166	**75%**			**76%**	67%	81%	**74%**
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	155	**68%**	156	**66%**			**66%**	58%	74%	**66%**
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	139	**84%**	136	**85%**			**84%**	78%	90%	**84%**
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	157	**89%**	170	**87%**			**87%**	83%	93%	**88%**
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	156	**92%**	158	**85%**			**86%**	82%	92%	**87%**
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	404	**85%**	349	**85%**			**85%**	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	185	**91%**	223	**91%**			**91%**	86%	94%	**90%**
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	276	**89%**	221	**90%**			**90%**	81%	91%	**86%**
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	97	**86%**	109	**92%**			**92%**	83%	95%	**89%**
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	82	**76%**	75	**71%**			**71%**	71%	89%	**80%**
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	49	**84%**	48	**85%**			**86%**	74%	94%	**84%**
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	186	**88%**	220	**87%**			**87%**	82%	91%	**87%**
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	272	**86%**	222	**82%**			**81%**	77%	87%	**82%**
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	96	**83%**	106	**82%**			**82%**	78%	92%	**85%**
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	79	**73%**	74	**74%**			**74%**	67%	86%	**77%**
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	51	**86%**	50	**80%**			**82%**	70%	92%	**81%**
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	427	**88%**	390	**87%**		▲	**87%**	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	421	**75%**	382	**79%**			**79%**	70%	79%	**75%**
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	403	**75%**	370	**75%**			**75%**	65%	76%	**71%**
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	320	**90%**	275	**91%**			**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	392	**64%**	357	**63%**			**64%**	55%	67%	**61%**
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	339	**59%**	306	**58%**		▲	**59%**	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	272	**66%**	269	**60%**			**59%**	57%	69%	**63%**
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	179	**65%**	137	**50%**			**50%**	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	268	**44%**	229	**46%**			**46%**	41%	54%	**48%**
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	422	**20%**	374	**23%**			**24%**	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	87	**37%**	98	**28%**			**26%**	24%	43%	**34%**
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	164	**82%**	176	**77%**			**77%**	74%	87%	**81%**
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	349	**64%**	302	**67%**			**67%**	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	415	**91%**	383	**90%**			**90%**	87%	93%	**90%**
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	436	**88%**	397	**88%**			**88%**	84%	92%	**88%**
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	267	**42%**	206	**39%**			**41%**	36%	56%	**46%**
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	420	**8.9**	387	**9.0**			**8.9**	8.8	9.1	**8.9**

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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	*	91%	78%	70%	66%	*	*	*	*	*	*	36%	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	80%	61%	87%	56%	40%	73%	38%	*	*	62%	64%	*	66%

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	*	91%	95%	93%	93%	100%	100%	94%	*	*	94%	84%	91%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	87%	84%	93%	82%	92%	56%	94%	*	*	79%	75%	75%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	79%	84%	80%	86%	73%	69%	76%	*	*	63%	83%	100%	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	89%	81%	87%	74%	73%	69%	65%	*	*	84%	63%	75%	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	97%	94%	93%	97%	100%	100%	94%	*	*	84%	92%	91%	95%

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	*	83%	74%	67%	83%	82%	53%	72%	*	*	90%	75%	73%	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	78%	67%	53%	81%	83%	50%	56%	*	*	81%	68%	77%	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	78%	74%	67%	74%	75%	56%	61%	*	*	81%	79%	85%	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	84%	80%	67%	87%	92%	69%	83%	*	*	80%	80%	85%	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	90%	87%	91%	84%	92%	71%	87%	*	*	74%	78%	*	86%

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SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	*	86%	84%	100%	85%	100%	87%	94%	*	*	84%	87%	100%	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	89%	88%	93%	92%	*	83%	93%	*	*	88%	88%	100%	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	96%	95%	100%	94%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	100%	94%	100%	97%

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	93%	89%	87%	85%	100%	67%	72%	*	*	85%	79%	83%	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	85%	85%	87%	75%	64%	71%	83%	*	*	71%	67%	75%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	89%	81%	67%	83%	*	76%	94%	*	*	84%	63%	82%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	67%	55%	*	52%	*	*	69%	*	*	57%	31%	*	57%

CARE PLANNING	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	*	79%	73%	73%	70%	*	65%	88%	*	*	78%	68%	64%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	95%	97%	*	97%	*	*	91%	*	*	92%	*	*	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	99%	100%	*	100%	*	*	100%	*	*	100%	*	*	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	*	97%	91%	92%	87%	91%	92%	94%	*	*	90%	94%	*	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	75%	73%	60%	85%	82%	67%	83%	*	*	67%	75%	92%	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	70%	50%	*	63%	*	93%	80%	*	*	67%	*	*	67%

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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	*	74%	78%	*	81%	90%	*	*	*	*	*	63%	*	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	69%	61%	*	82%	*	*	*	*	*	*	54%	*	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	77%	63%	*	62%	90%	*	*	*	*	*	60%	*	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	80%	72%	*	78%	*	*	*	*	*	*	80%	*	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	69%	69%	*	68%	*	*	*	*	*	*	71%	*	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	89%	82%	*	85%	*	*	*	*	*	*	67%	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	83%	87%	*	85%	100%	*	*	*	*	*	88%	*	87%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	88%	88%	*	83%	*	*	*	*	*	*	75%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	87%	80%	75%	92%	*	75%	89%	*	*	74%	84%	73%	85%

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	*	91%	96%	92%	*	91%	*	*	*	*	*	86%	*	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	94%	90%	*	90%	*	100%	*	*	*	84%	*	100%	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	94%	91%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	67%	*	*	*	*	*	82%	*	*	*	*	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	87%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	88%	84%	83%	*	91%	*	*	*	*	*	81%	*	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	96%	73%	*	82%	*	67%	*	*	*	68%	*	100%	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	86%	82%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	71%	*	*	*	*	*	88%	*	*	*	*	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	80%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	81%	89%	73%	96%	75%	88%	100%	*	*	100%	86%	92%	87%

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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%	73%	93%	78%	75%	59%	72%	*	*	71%	80%	83%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	75%	76%	79%	77%	*	63%	65%	*	*	70%	63%	91%	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	91%	91%	100%	95%	*	82%	86%	*	*	86%	73%	*	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	66%	65%	42%	66%	67%	53%	72%	*	*	56%	47%	55%	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	60%	55%	40%	57%	*	57%	71%	*	*	71%	53%	60%	58%

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	*	60%	63%	*	63%	*	50%	54%	*	*	50%	65%	*	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	41%	50%	*	67%	*	*	*	*	*	55%	*	*	50%

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	*	42%	49%	*	42%	*	82%	29%	*	*	69%	17%	*	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	*	17%	27%	31%	14%	42%	31%	35%	*	*	20%	19%	50%	23%

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	*	38%	11%	*	39%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	76%	76%	*	93%	*	*	*	*	*	*	70%	82%	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	64%	70%	64%	79%	50%	69%	42%	*	*	62%	57%	50%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	**All**
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	*	88%	89%	100%	94%	100%	88%	89%	*	*	85%	84%	92%	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	86%	78%	100%	100%	82%	83%	83%	*	*	85%	84%	92%	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	34%	44%	*	51%	*	*	33%	*	*	45%	20%	*	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	9.1	9.0	8.8	9.2	9.0	9.0	8.8	*	*	8.7	8.4	8.9	9.0

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	*	*	*	84%	81%	70%	82%	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	76%	84%	56%	62%	65%	66%

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	*	*	*	90%	95%	95%	89%	89%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	*	*	88%	91%	81%	81%	76%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	*	*	76%	90%	77%	78%	90%	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	64%	86%	80%	81%	86%	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	*	*	94%	90%	98%	96%	100%	95%

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	*	*	*	74%	74%	83%	79%	87%	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	*	*	76%	66%	73%	74%	88%	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	67%	71%	79%	75%	92%	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	*	*	79%	79%	83%	81%	96%	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	*	*	92%	92%	88%	82%	71%	86%

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	*	*	*	84%	87%	92%	86%	83%	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	*	*	86%	97%	93%	82%	100%	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	*	*	97%	98%	97%	95%	100%	97%

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	*	*	*	90%	91%	87%	87%	86%	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	*	*	76%	83%	82%	77%	79%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	*	*	78%	86%	83%	83%	94%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	*	*	60%	70%	59%	45%	*	57%

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	*	*	*	81%	76%	76%	69%	74%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	*	*	100%	92%	96%	89%	100%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	*	*	96%	98%	98%	100%	*	98%

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%	96%	95%	88%	88%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	*	*	72%	76%	80%	74%	67%	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	*	*	75%	60%	77%	60%	*	67%

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	*	*	*	72%	69%	76%	81%	100%	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	*	*	50%	60%	68%	67%	*	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	*	*	78%	77%	52%	66%	90%	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	*	*	61%	74%	74%	79%	90%	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	*	*	59%	69%	61%	67%	80%	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	*	*	76%	88%	78%	89%	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	*	*	89%	86%	84%	91%	90%	87%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	*	*	100%	82%	84%	80%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	*	*	78%	87%	89%	81%	93%	85%

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	*	*	*	90%	90%	93%	91%	93%	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	*	*	89%	93%	85%	92%	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	*	*	94%	92%	88%	93%	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	*	*	*	67%	69%	74%	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	88%	80%	83%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	*	*	79%	80%	90%	91%	100%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	*	*	95%	89%	77%	76%	*	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	*	*	81%	92%	77%	75%	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	*	*	*	75%	73%	68%	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	83%	87%	62%	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	*	*	90%	91%	85%	88%	83%	87%

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	*	*	*	78%	88%	80%	70%	78%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	*	70%	77%	80%	69%	82%	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	*	90%	95%	89%	90%	*	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	*	*	50%	75%	64%	56%	67%	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	*	*	53%	65%	61%	54%	50%	58%

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	*	*	*	50%	67%	62%	53%	80%	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	*	*	38%	60%	59%	42%	*	50%

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	*	*	*	52%	47%	38%	51%	58%	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	*	*	*	21%	25%	23%	21%	30%	23%

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	*	*	*	25%	35%	26%	26%	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	*	*	67%	88%	71%	83%	72%	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	*	*	59%	74%	69%	60%	70%	67%

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	*	*	*	84%	95%	88%	90%	96%	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	*	*	87%	90%	90%	85%	88%	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	*	*	34%	52%	35%	40%	*	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	*	*	8.8	9.2	9.1	8.8	8.7	9.0

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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	82%	71%	*	*	*	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	69%	62%	*	*	*	67%	66%

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	92%	95%	*	*	*	77%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	83%	85%	*	*	*	77%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	78%	83%	*	*	*	85%	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	81%	79%	*	*	*	77%	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	96%	94%	*	*	*	92%	95%

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	78%	77%	*	*	*	100%	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	74%	70%	*	*	*	88%	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	74%	76%	*	*	*	88%	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	80%	84%	*	*	*	82%	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	87%	84%	*	*	*	93%	86%

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	87%	88%	*	*	*	100%	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	90%	90%	*	*	*	81%	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	97%	97%	*	*	*	88%	97%

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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	88%	86%	*	*	*	94%	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	82%	78%	*	*	*	65%	80%
Q22. Family and/or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	84%	82%	*	*	*	81%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	58%	53%	*	*	*	*	57%

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	73%	76%	*	*	*	80%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	95%	95%	*	*	*	83%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	97%	100%	*	*	*	*	98%

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	92%	94%	*	*	*	93%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	75%	79%	*	*	*	69%	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	68%	66%	*	*	*	70%	67%

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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	75%	79%	*	*	*	*	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	66%	63%	*	*	*	*	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	67%	64%	*	*	*	*	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	74%	76%	*	*	*	*	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	62%	70%	*	*	*	*	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	81%	90%	*	*	*	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	84%	90%	*	*	*	*	87%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	86%	83%	*	*	*	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	85%	85%	*	*	*	92%	85%

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	91%	91%	*	*	*	100%	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	91%	89%	*	*	*	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	94%	84%	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	67%	76%	*	*	*	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	87%	81%	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	86%	88%	*	*	*	100%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	84%	78%	*	*	*	*	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	84%	76%	*	*	*	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	71%	81%	*	*	*	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	84%	71%	*	*	*	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	85%	94%	*	*	*	63%	87%

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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	79%	78%	*	*	*	80%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	76%	74%	*	*	*	67%	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	95%	86%	*	*	*	82%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	62%	65%	*	*	*	60%	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	55%	63%	*	*	*	67%	58%

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	58%	61%	*	*	*	64%	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	45%	54%	*	*	*	*	50%

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	46%	45%	*	*	*	*	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	20%	27%	*	*	*	20%	23%

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	26%	29%	*	*	*	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	73%	83%	*	*	*	*	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	63%	72%	*	*	*	62%	67%

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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	89%	91%	*	*	*	93%	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	88%	87%	*	*	*	87%	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	35%	47%	*	*	*	*	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.0	9.0	*	*	*	8.9	9.0

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	78%	*	*	*	*	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	66%	*	*	*	*	67%	66%

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%	*	*	*	*	81%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	83%	*	*	*	*	81%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	80%	*	*	*	*	88%	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	80%	*	*	*	*	75%	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	95%	*	*	*	*	94%	95%

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	78%	*	*	*	*	100%	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	72%	*	*	*	*	90%	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	74%	*	*	*	*	90%	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	82%	*	*	*	*	85%	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	85%	*	*	*	*	95%	86%

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	87%	*	*	*	*	100%	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	91%	*	*	*	*	79%	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	97%	*	*	*	*	89%	97%

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	87%	*	*	*	*	95%	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	80%	*	*	*	*	70%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	83%	*	*	*	*	83%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	55%	*	*	*	*	90%	57%

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CARE PLANNING	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	74%	*	*	*	*	82%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	94%	*	*	*	*	87%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	98%	*	*	*	*	100%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	92%	*	*	*	*	94%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	76%	*	*	*	*	68%	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	67%	*	*	*	*	*	67%

HOSPITAL CARE	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	76%	*	*	*	*	*	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	64%	*	*	*	*	*	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	65%	*	*	*	*	*	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	75%	*	*	*	*	*	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	66%	*	*	*	*	*	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	85%	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	86%	*	*	*	*	*	87%
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%	*	*	*	*	93%	85%

Ethnicity tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	91%	*	*	*	*	100%	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	90%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	91%	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	69%	*	*	*	*	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	85%	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	86%	*	*	*	*	100%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	81%	*	*	*	*	*	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	82%	*	*	*	*	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	73%	*	*	*	*	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	79%	*	*	*	*	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	88%	*	*	*	*	63%	87%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	78%	*	*	*	*	83%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	75%	*	*	*	*	65%	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	91%	*	*	*	*	83%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	63%	*	*	*	*	65%	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	58%	*	*	*	*	71%	58%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	59%	*	*	*	*	75%	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	50%	*	*	*	*	*	50%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	45%	*	*	*	*	64%	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	23%	*	*	*	*	24%	23%

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%	*	*	*	*	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	77%	*	*	*	*	*	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	67%	*	*	*	*	67%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	**All**
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	90%	*	*	*	*	94%	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	88%	*	*	*	*	88%	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	40%	*	*	*	*	*	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.0	*	*	*	*	8.9	9.0

IMD quintile tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	73%	62%	88%	78%	75%	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	39%	61%	69%	68%	69%	*	66%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	85%	94%	91%	95%	93%	*	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	68%	82%	84%	89%	83%	*	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	76%	82%	77%	83%	80%	*	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	65%	79%	85%	86%	76%	*	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	95%	85%	99%	94%	97%	*	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	88%	76%	85%	74%	77%	*	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	77%	65%	78%	73%	72%	*	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	77%	69%	76%	82%	72%	*	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	88%	83%	83%	84%	79%	*	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	82%	93%	84%	89%	85%	*	86%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	91%	88%	87%	85%	89%	*	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	100%	93%	93%	95%	83%	*	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	100%	96%	100%	96%	95%	*	97%

IMD quintile tables

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	87%	85%	89%	90%	86%	*	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	67%	86%	85%	84%	75%	*	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	71%	91%	85%	88%	79%	*	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	30%	75%	59%	67%	50%	*	57%

CARE PLANNING	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	78%	81%	75%	73%	74%	*	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	100%	85%	94%	97%	94%	*	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	100%	97%	98%	100%	*	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	86%	91%	93%	94%	93%	*	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	79%	76%	70%	81%	76%	*	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	59%	58%	71%	76%	64%	*	67%

HOSPITAL CARE	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	73%	67%	73%	79%	80%	*	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	80%	67%	68%	59%	62%	*	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	64%	67%	64%	68%	68%	*	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	60%	47%	81%	84%	78%	*	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	71%	54%	57%	66%	72%	*	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	82%	73%	89%	85%	86%	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	93%	73%	91%	87%	87%	*	87%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	67%	93%	82%	81%	92%	*	85%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	83%	94%	85%	86%	83%	*	85%

IMD quintile tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	80%	90%	91%	93%	93%	*	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	100%	87%	89%	98%	85%	*	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	85%	92%	96%	89%	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	*	75%	73%	70%	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	69%	92%	89%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	64%	86%	86%	89%	91%	*	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	88%	83%	83%	88%	75%	*	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	75%	85%	93%	74%	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	*	75%	75%	75%	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	79%	75%	79%	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	96%	94%	84%	85%	88%	*	87%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	87%	80%	79%	81%	75%	*	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	65%	79%	76%	75%	75%	*	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	79%	87%	88%	93%	94%	*	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	62%	74%	62%	73%	56%	*	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	40%	57%	57%	66%	58%	*	58%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	47%	75%	58%	62%	57%	*	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	71%	41%	58%	50%	*	50%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q51. Patient definitely received the right amount of support from their GP practice during treatment	13%	55%	62%	51%	38%	*	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	25%	28%	25%	20%	22%	*	23%

IMD quintile tables

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	*	29%	30%	36%	24%	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	71%	75%	82%	81%	*	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	56%	74%	62%	79%	62%	*	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	IMD quintile						
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	Non-England	**All**
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	79%	91%	94%	92%	88%	*	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	88%	89%	88%	89%	86%	*	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	36%	39%	37%	47%	37%	*	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.6	9.0	9.0	9.3	8.8	*	9.0

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	76%	80%	*	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	66%	66%	72%	66%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	**All**
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	93%	94%	80%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	79%	90%	86%	83%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	80%	79%	90%	80%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	76%	85%	86%	80%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	96%	95%	90%	95%

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%	81%	79%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	71%	76%	78%	73%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	73%	75%	89%	75%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	82%	82%	78%	82%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	84%	89%	88%	86%

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	86%	90%	92%	88%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	89%	91%	86%	90%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	97%	98%	91%	97%

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	85%	90%	96%	88%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	79%	82%	70%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	82%	85%	83%	83%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	53%	57%	93%	57%

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	68%	86%	79%	75%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	93%	97%	90%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	98%	98%	100%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	**All**
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	92%	95%	88%	93%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	72%	84%	65%	76%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	63%	74%	69%	67%

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	72%	81%	83%	76%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	56%	76%	73%	64%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	62%	71%	75%	67%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	71%	79%	92%	75%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	63%	68%	75%	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	85%	83%	*	85%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	83%	91%	100%	87%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	81%	89%	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%	90%	91%	85%

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	91%	90%	100%	91%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	88%	93%	100%	90%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	92%	91%	90%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	65%	76%	*	71%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	89%	78%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	85%	89%	95%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	77%	88%	100%	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	78%	87%	*	82%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	74%	76%	*	74%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	78%	84%	*	80%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	89%	85%	81%	87%

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	75%	83%	88%	79%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	72%	82%	67%	75%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	88%	96%	89%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	59%	68%	72%	63%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	54%	62%	74%	58%

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	58%	62%	65%	60%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	47%	61%	45%	50%

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	49%	44%	33%	46%
Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice	24%	21%	21%	23%

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	23%	37%	*	28%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	70%	89%	*	77%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	61%	75%	64%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	**All**
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	88%	94%	92%	90%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	87%	89%	88%	88%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	42%	37%	27%	39%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.8	9.2	9.0	9.0

Year on year charts

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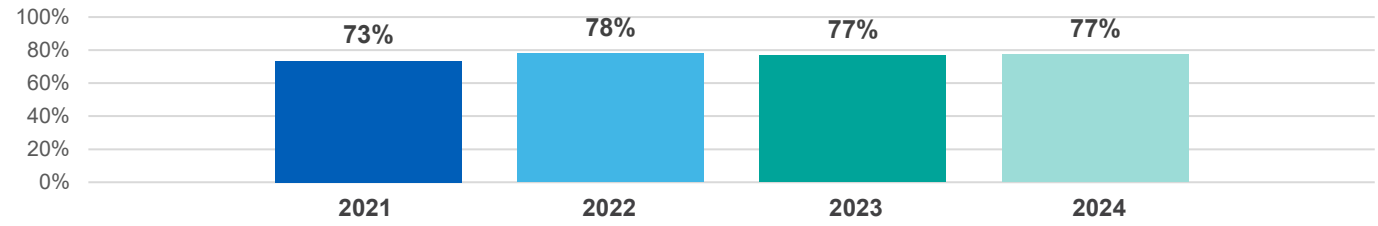
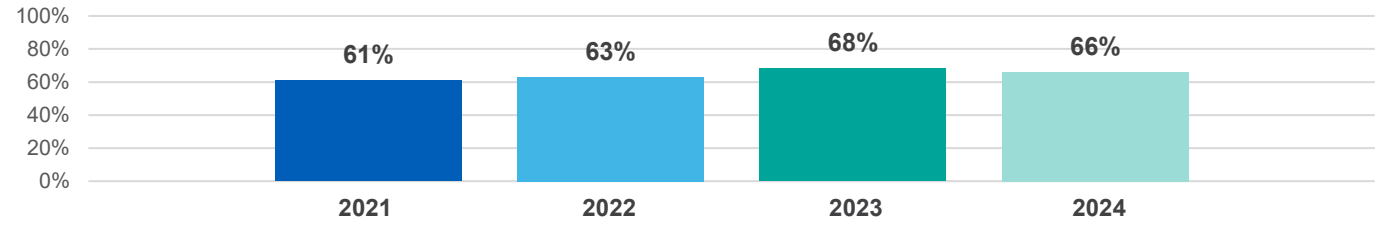
SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

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

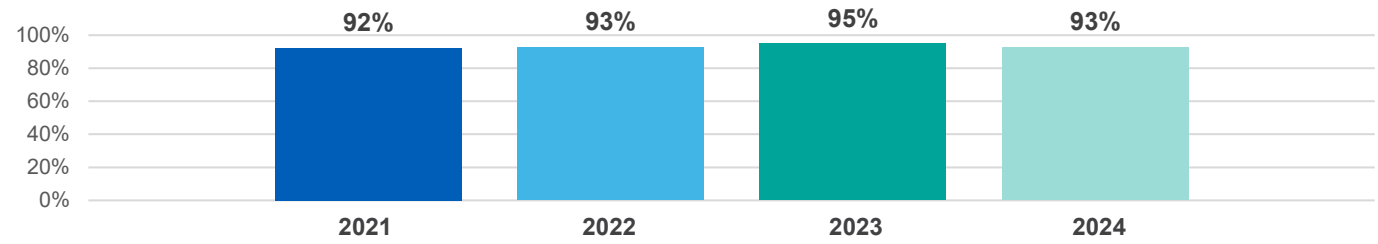


Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand

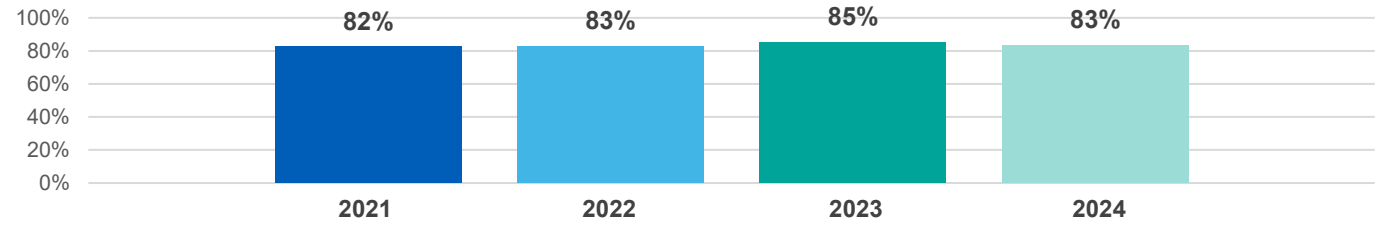


DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

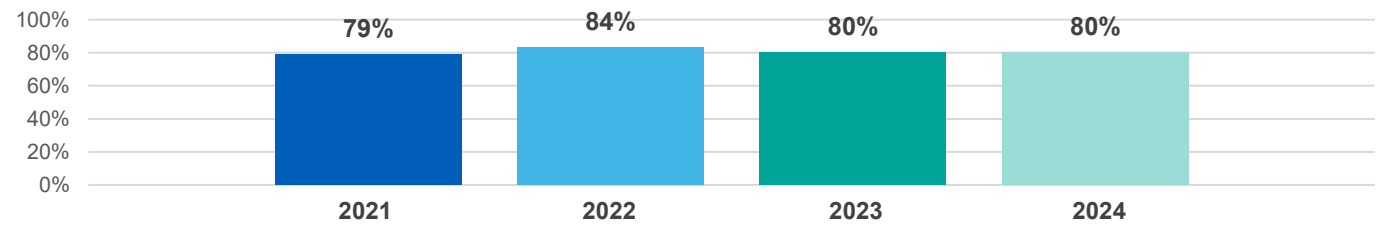
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance



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



Year on year charts

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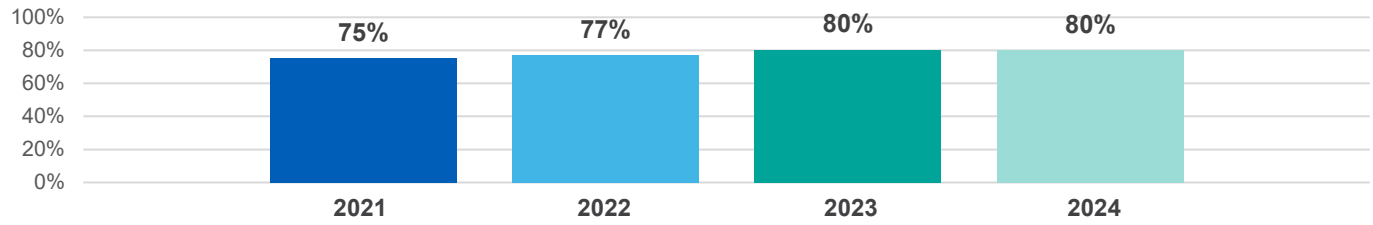
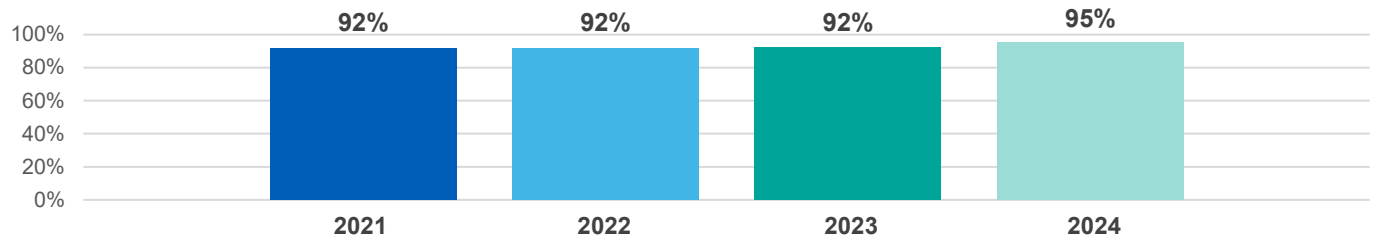
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

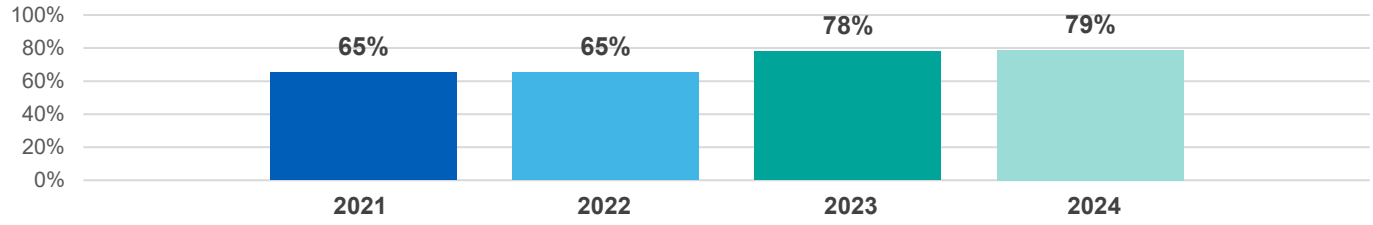


Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results

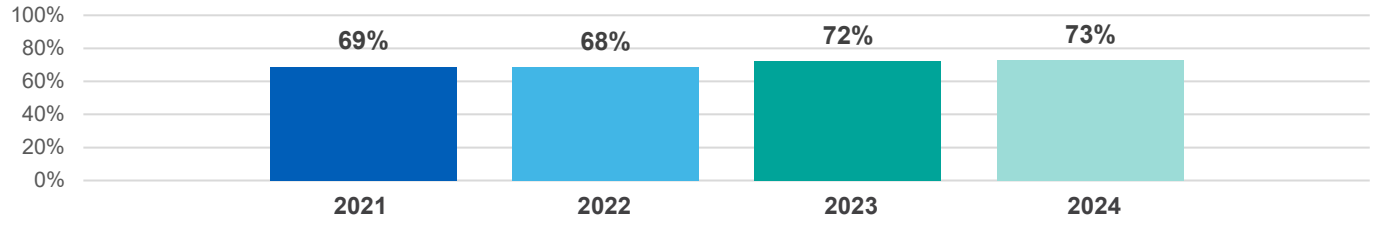


FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

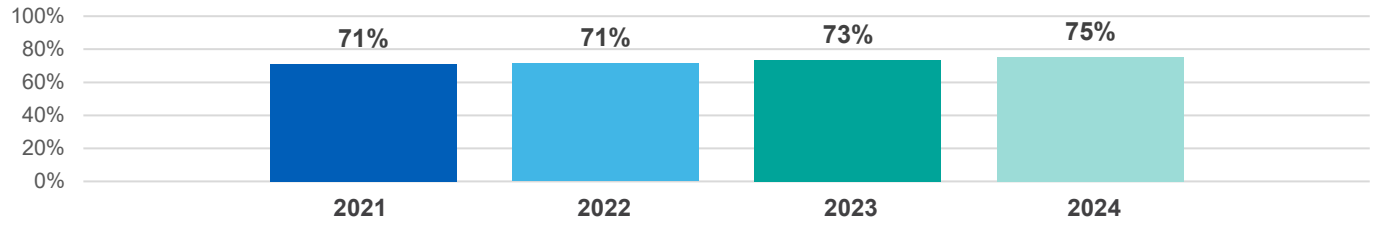
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis



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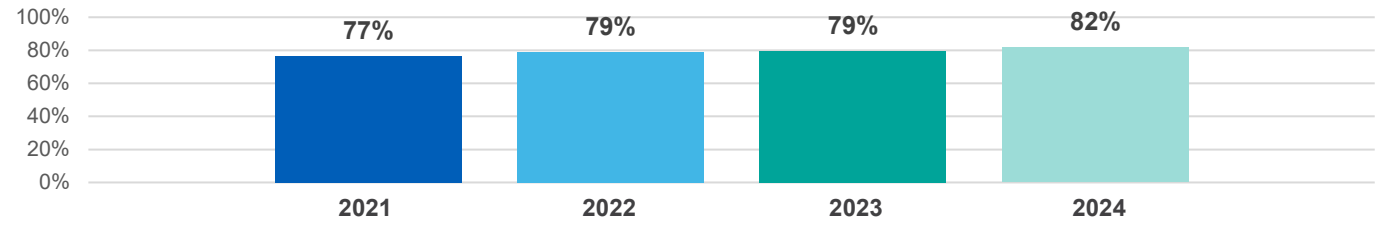
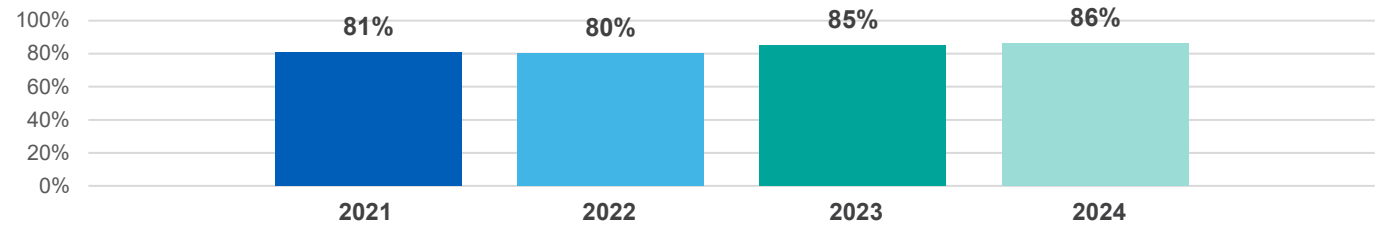
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place

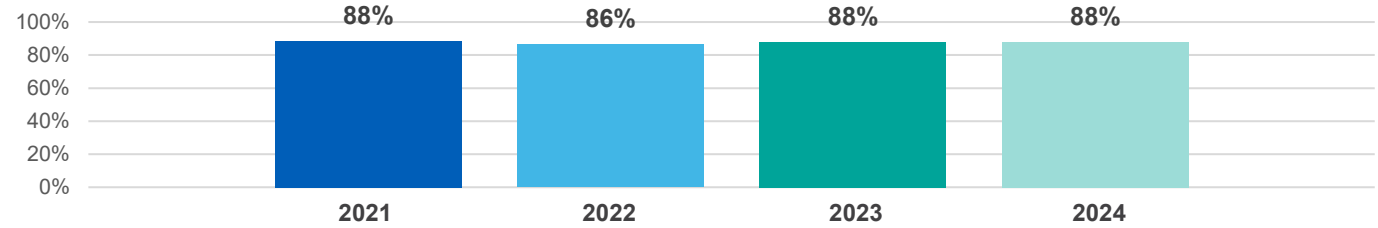


Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis

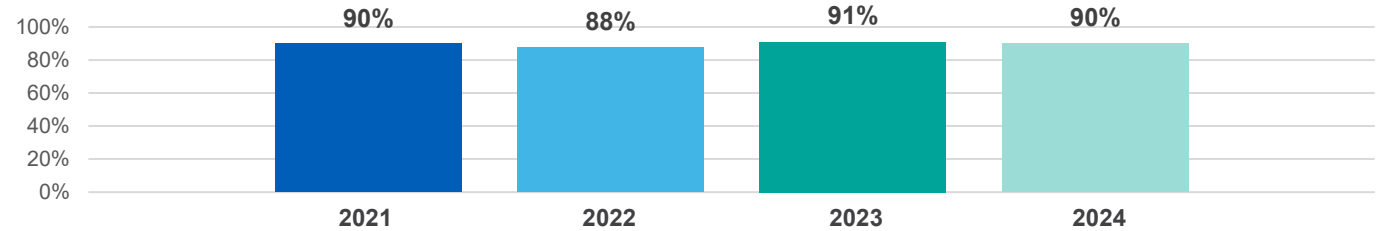


SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON

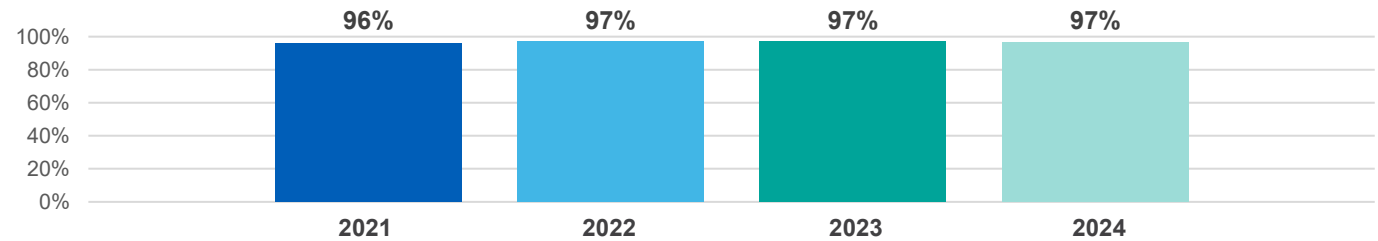
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team



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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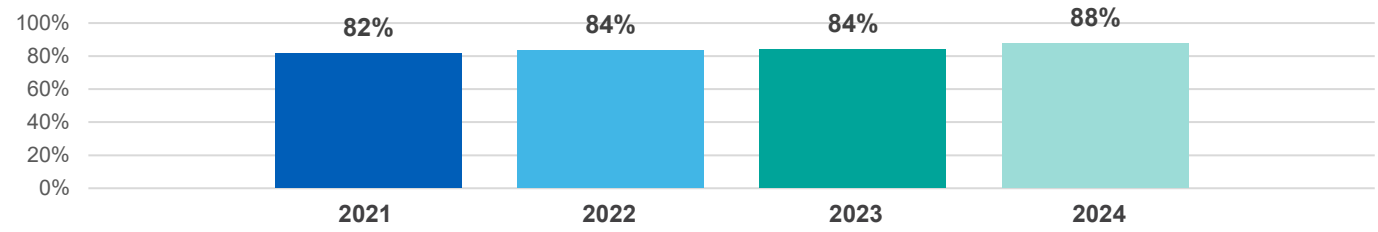
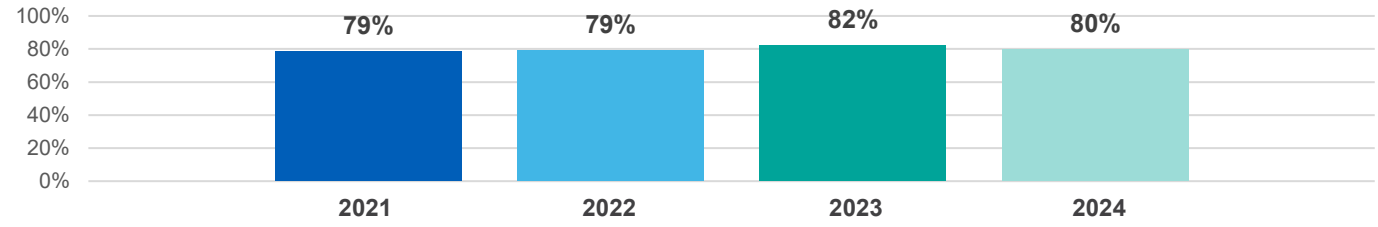
DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT

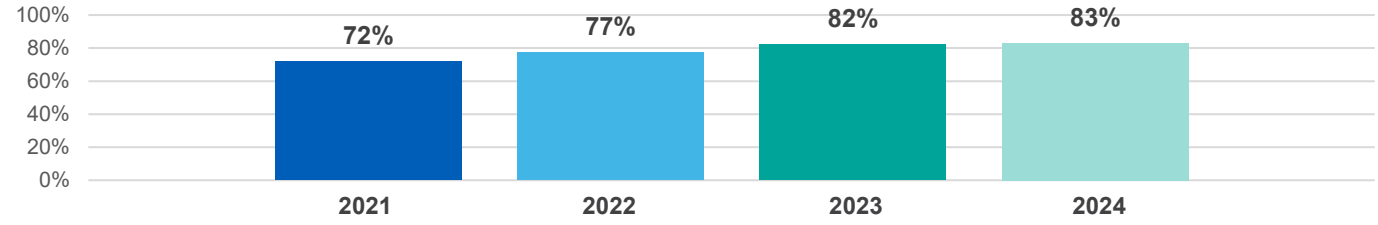
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand



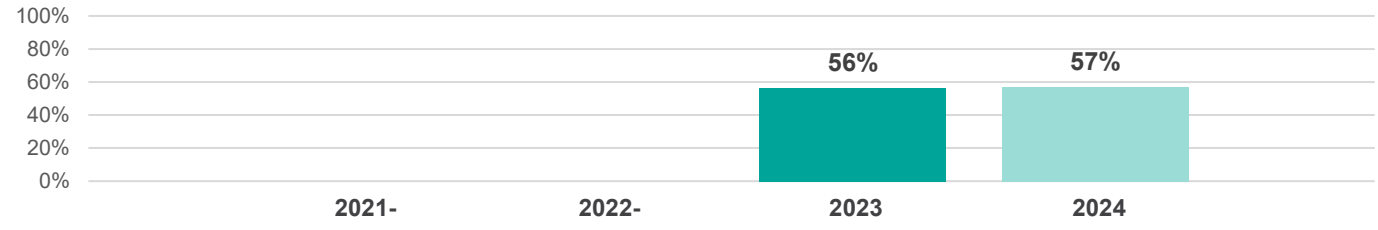
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment



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

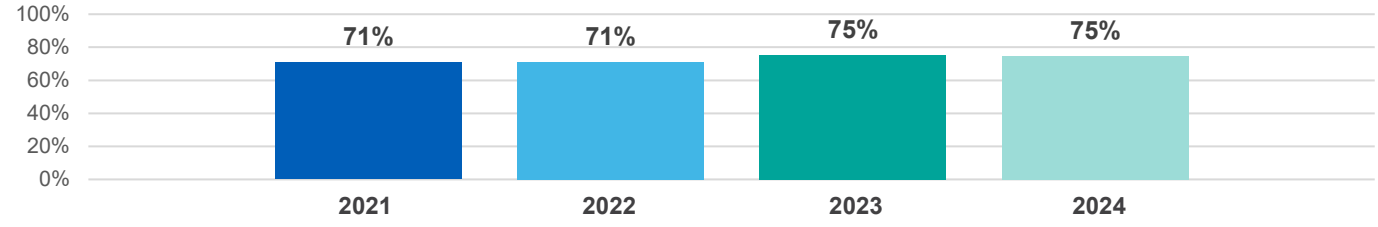


Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options



CARE PLANNING

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



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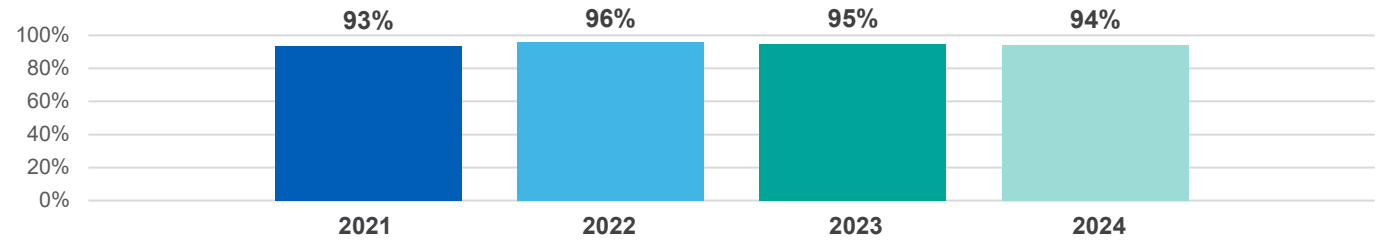
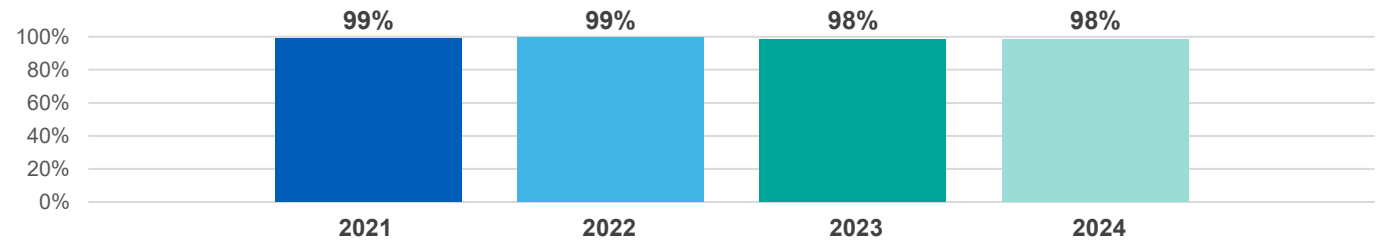
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns

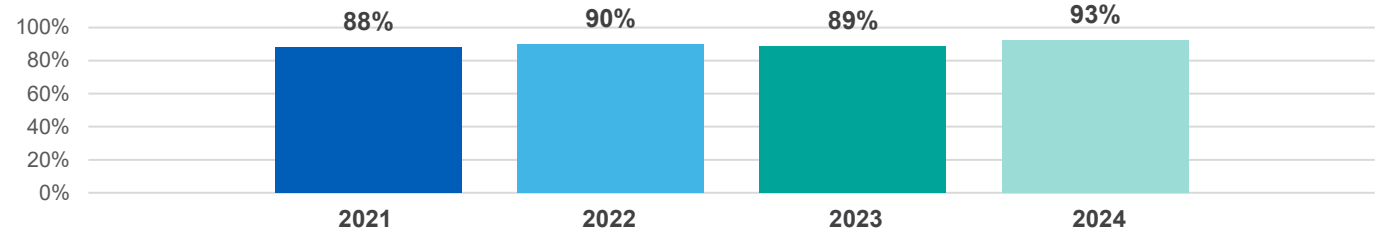


Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date

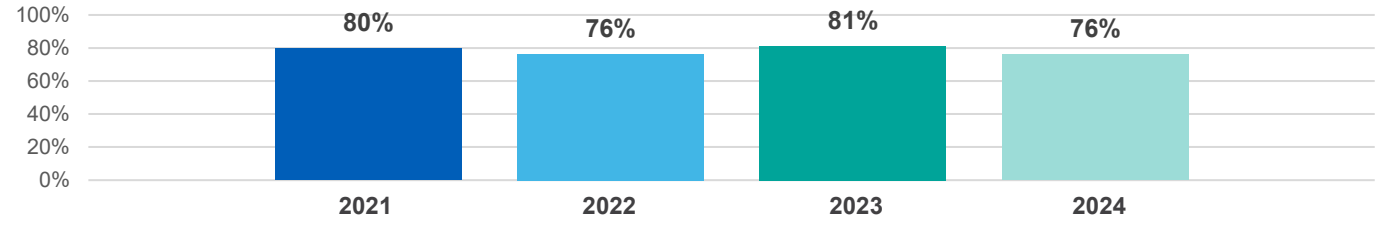


SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF

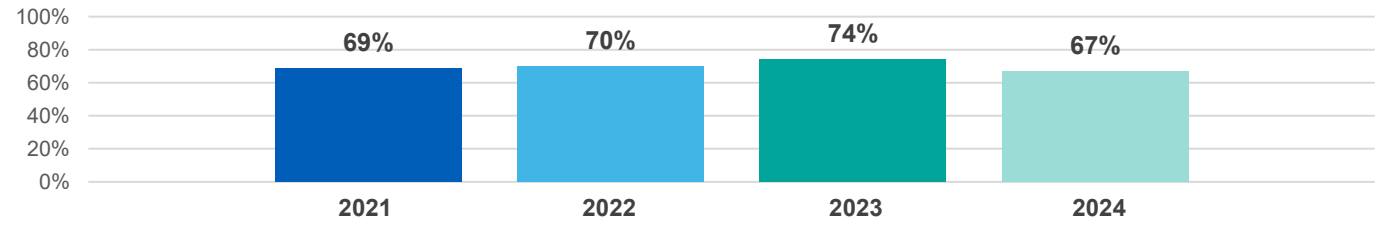
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support



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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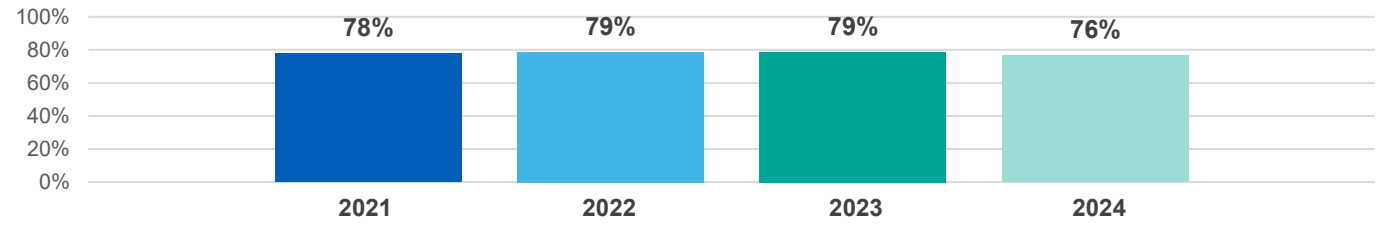
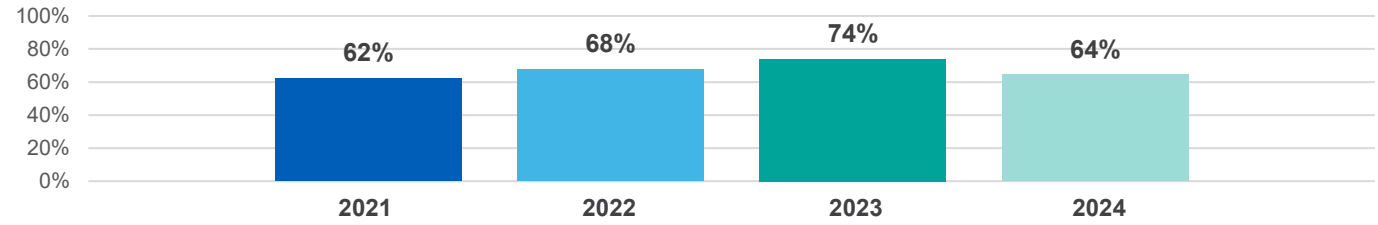
HOSPITAL CARE

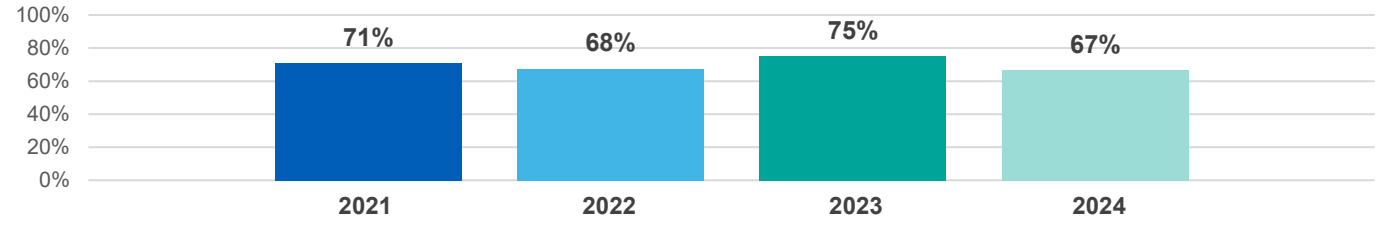
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital



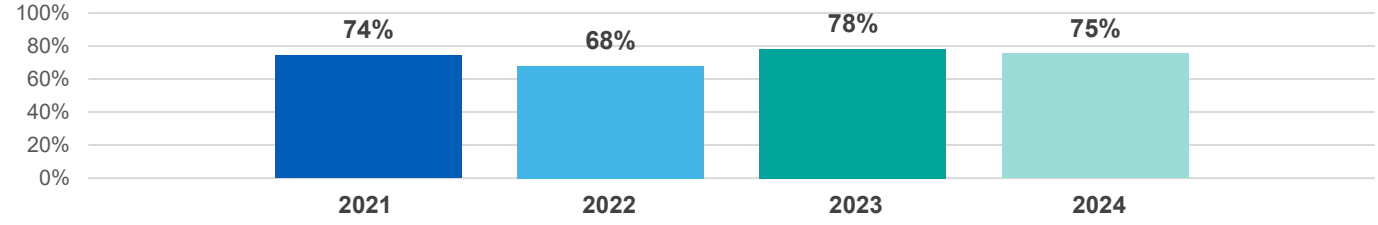
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital



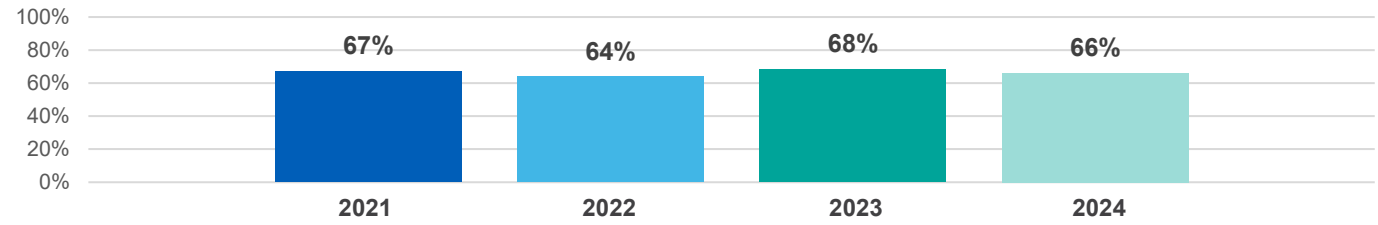
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital



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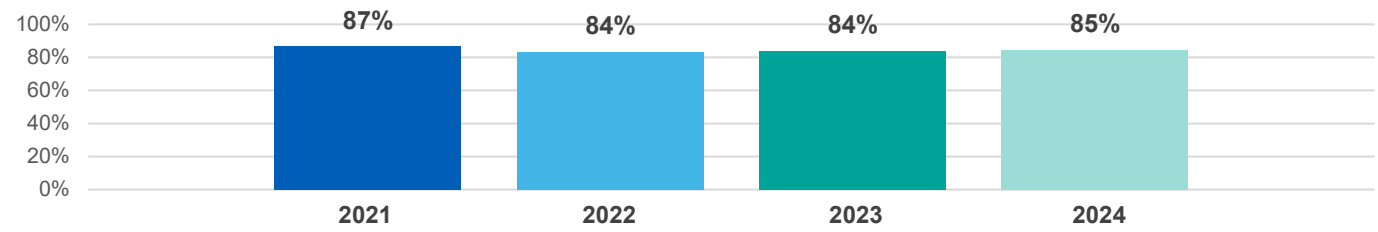
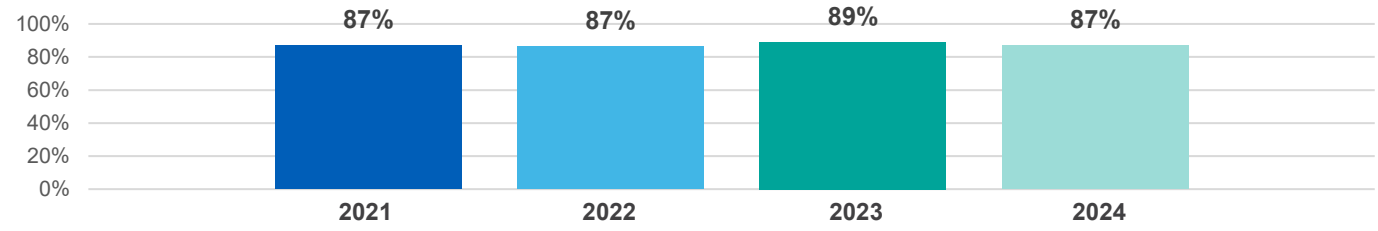
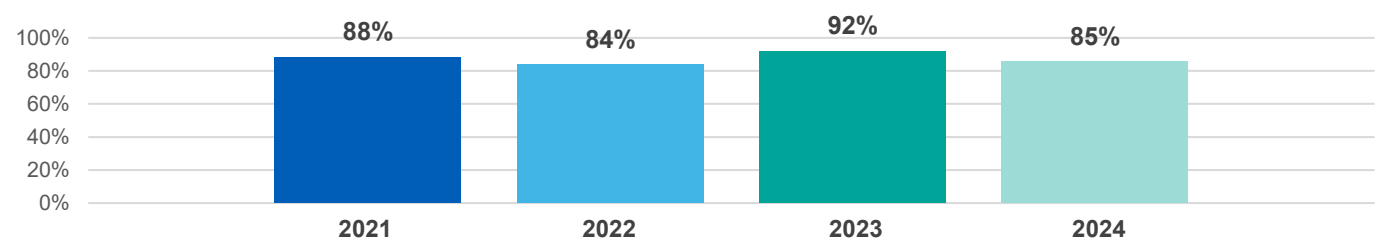
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain



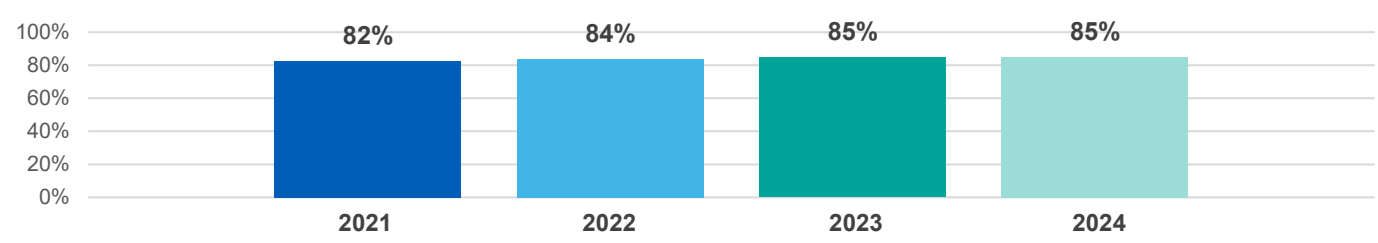
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital



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

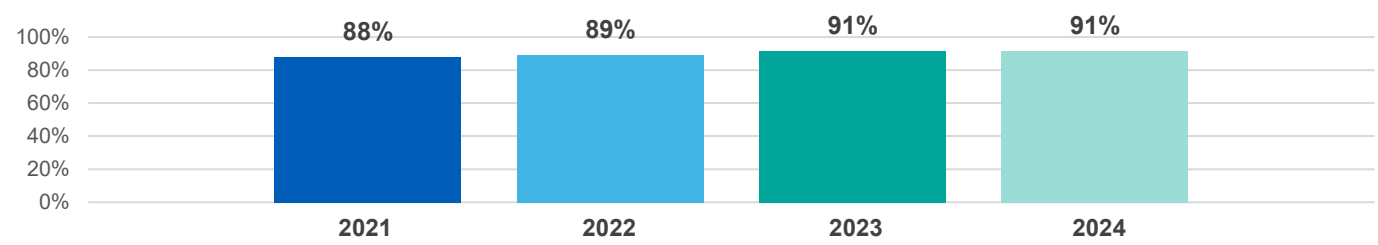


Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case



YOUR TREATMENT

Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery



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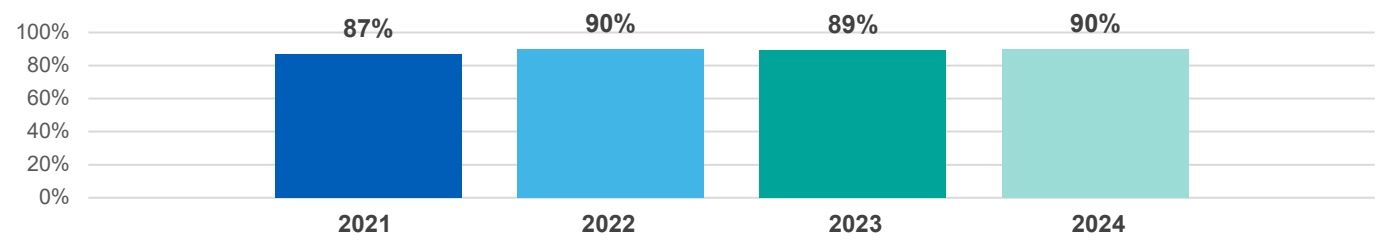

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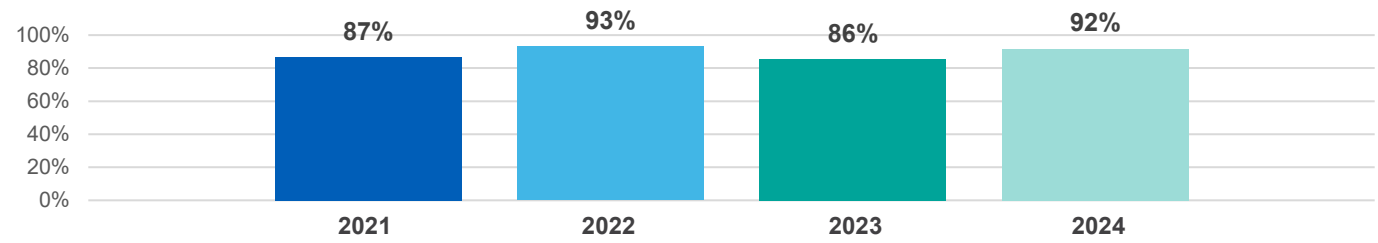
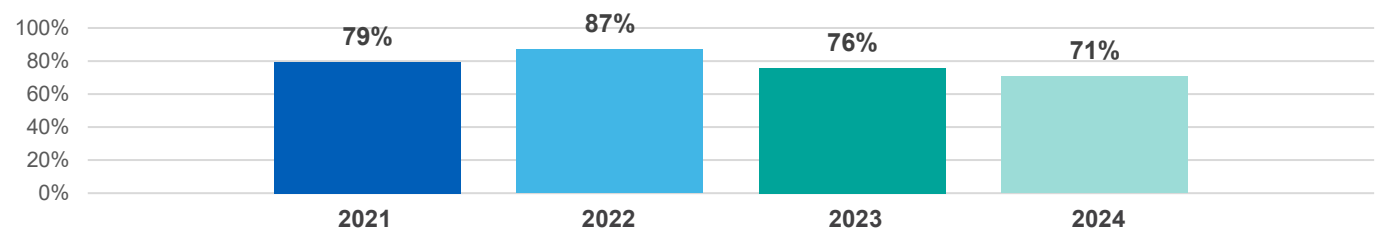


Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy



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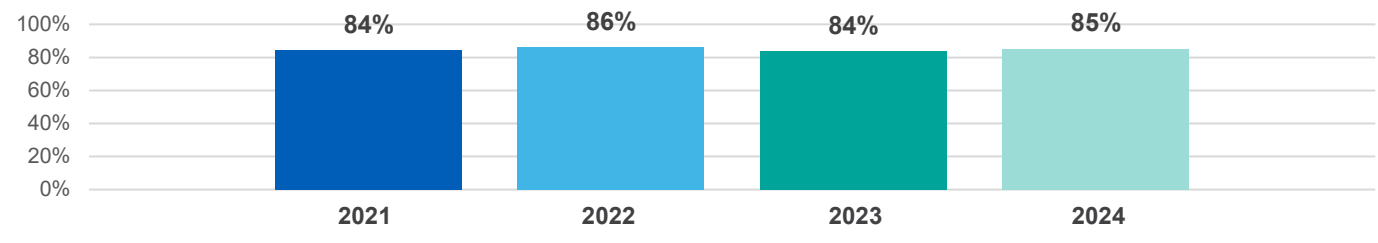
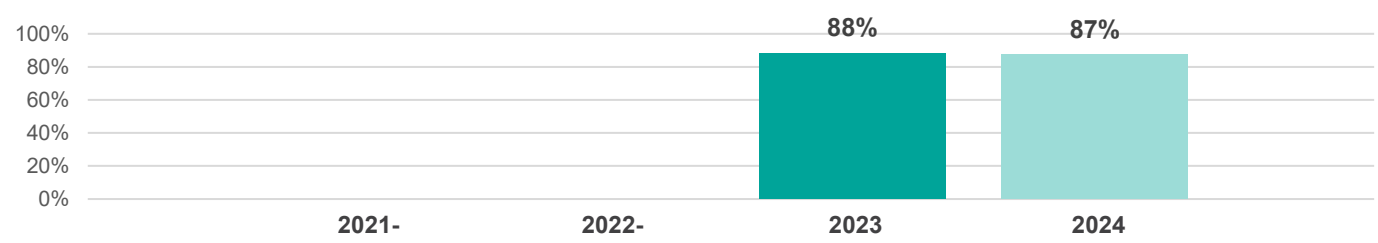


Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery



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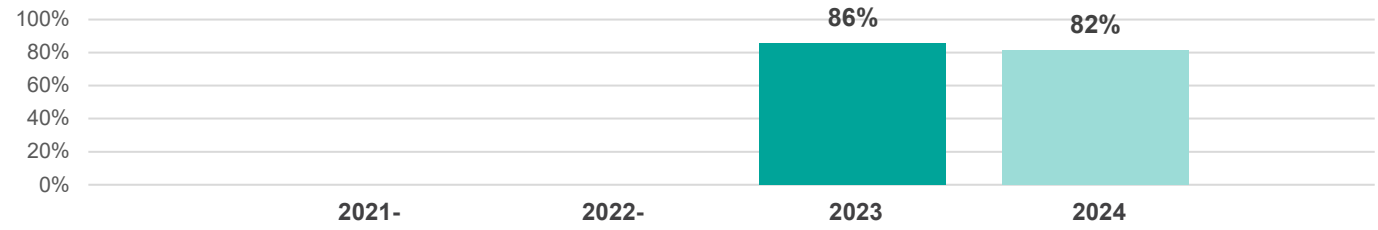

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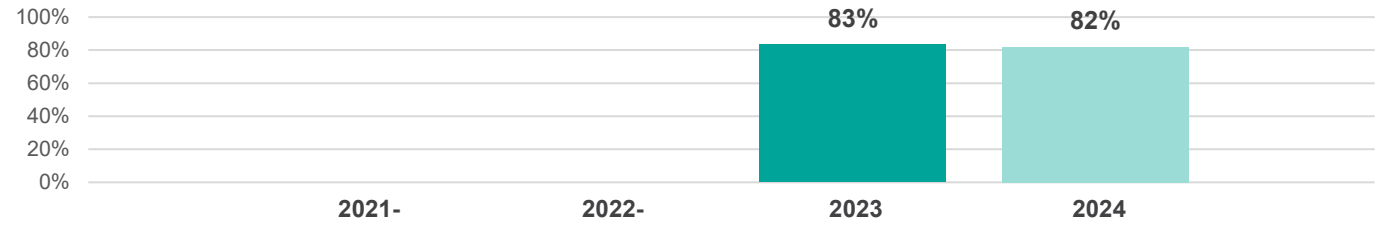

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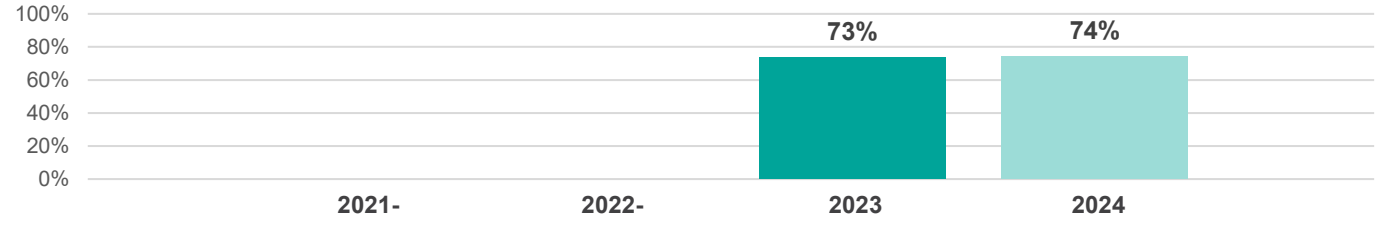

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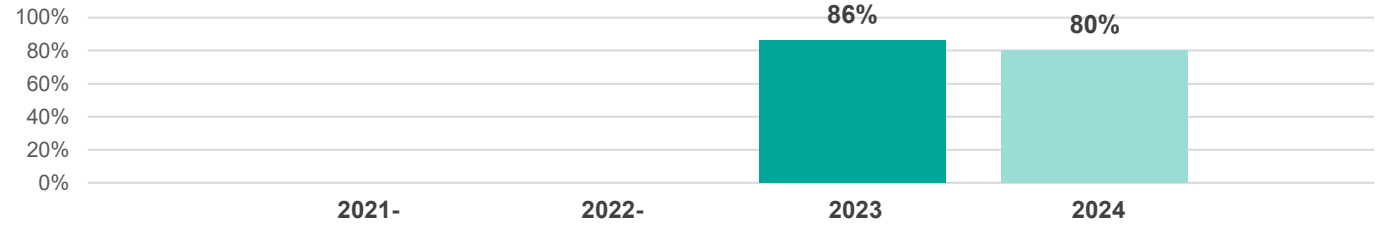
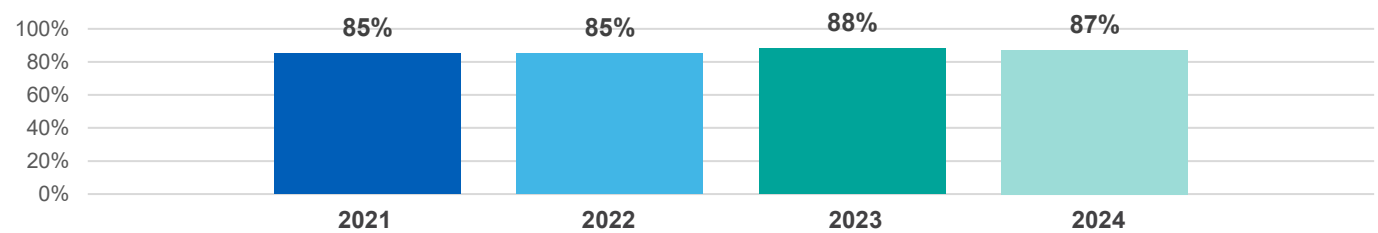


Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right



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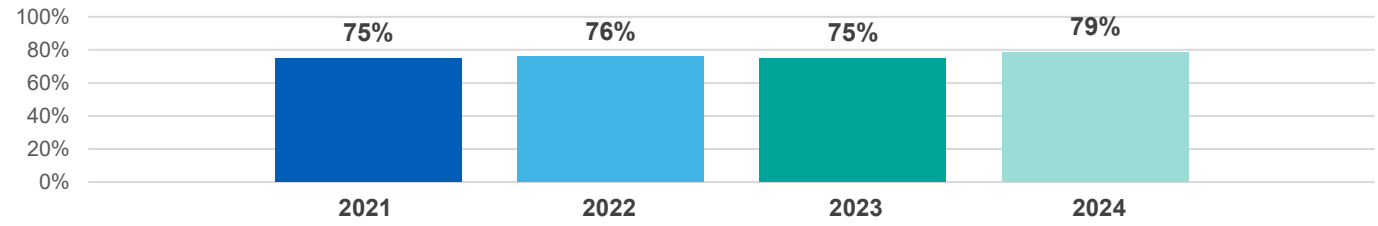
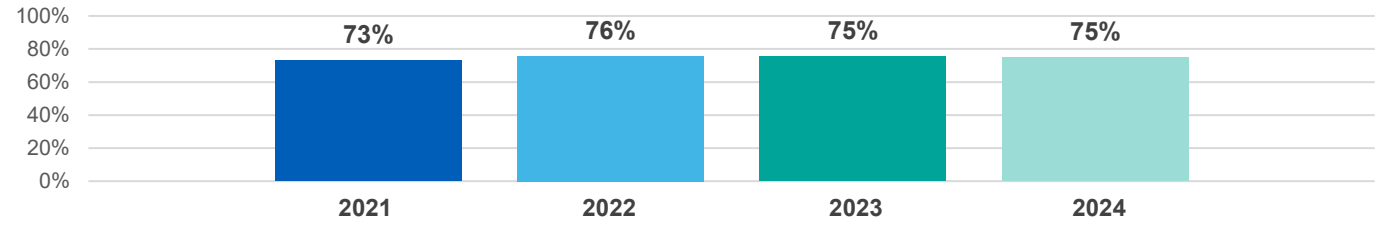
IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS

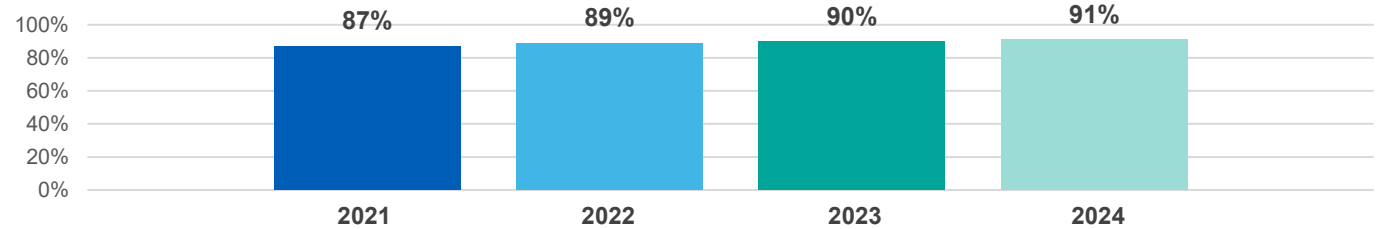
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand



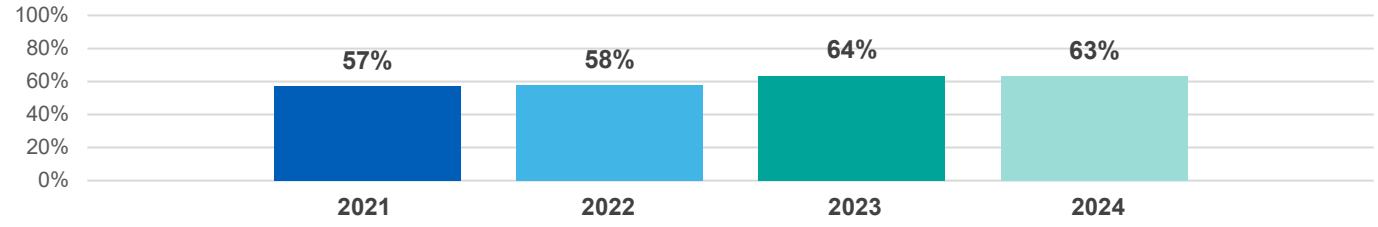
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment



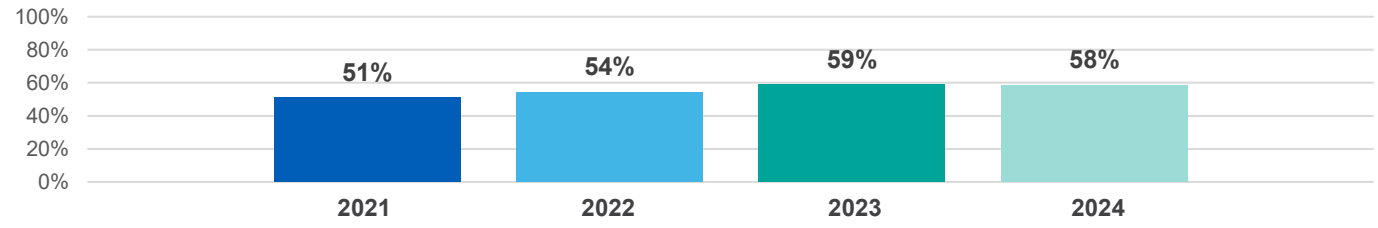
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment



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



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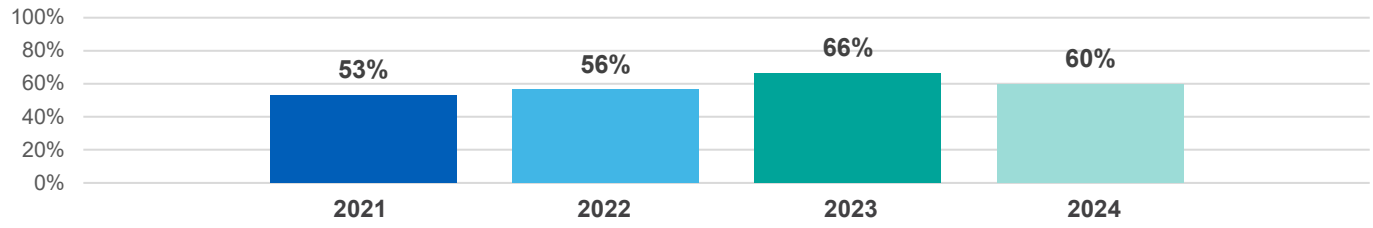
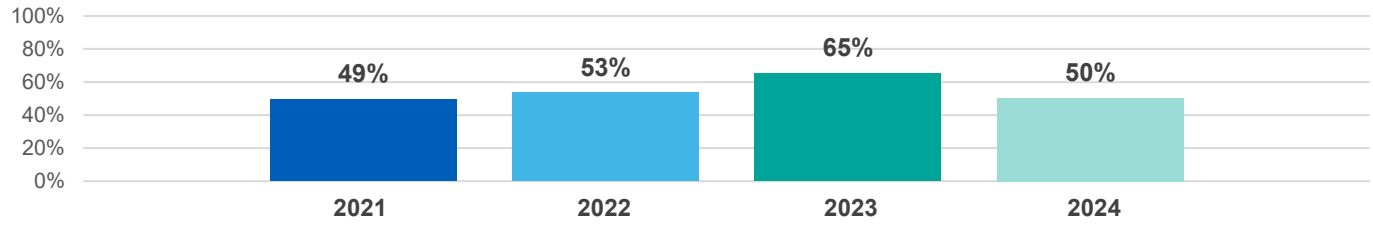
SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME

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

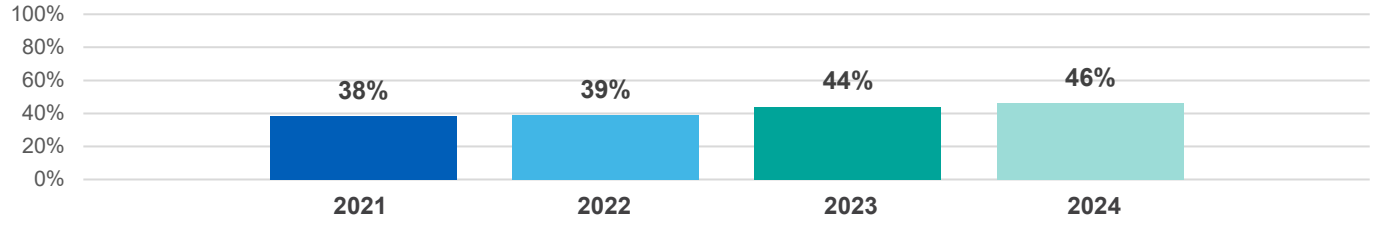


Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services

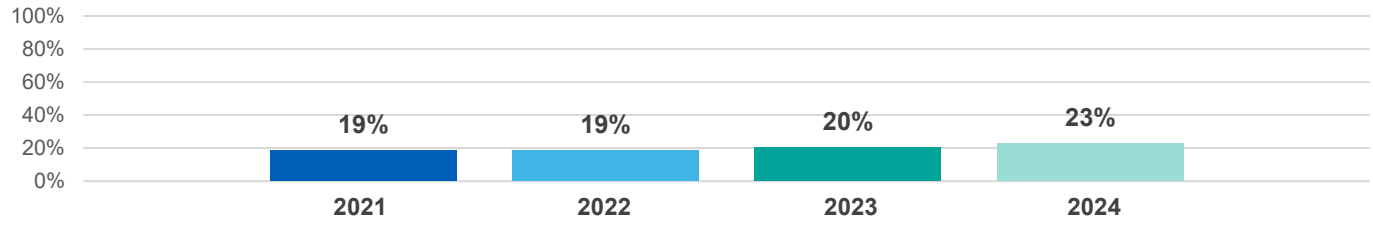


CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

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

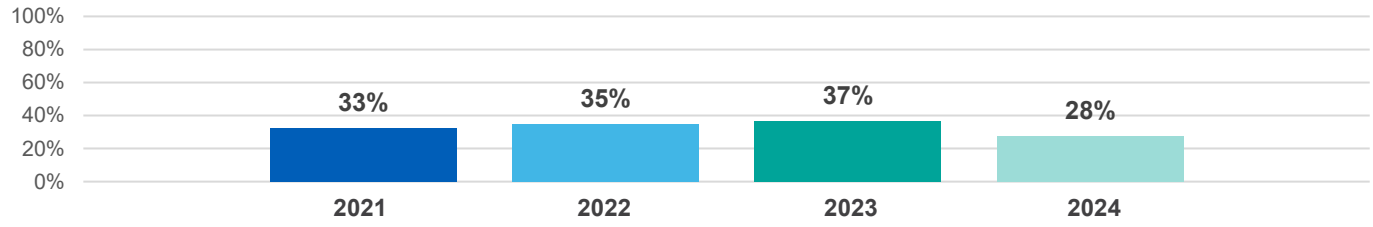


Q52. Patient has had a review of cancer care by GP practice



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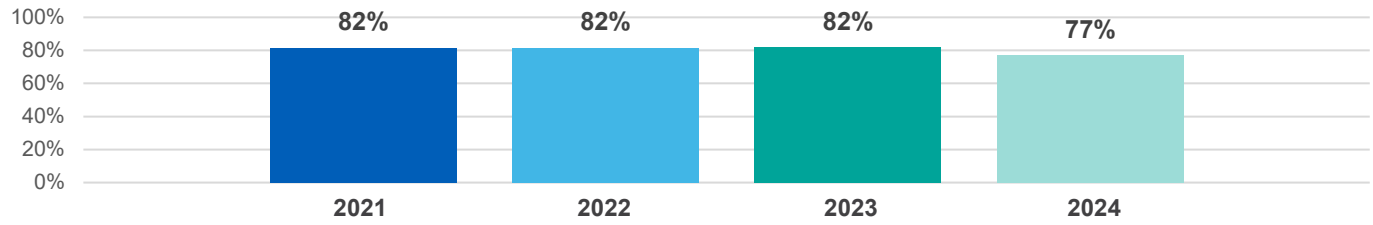
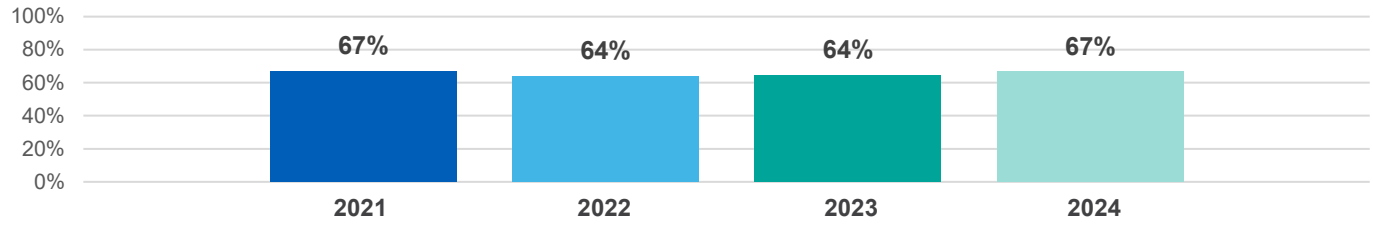
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment

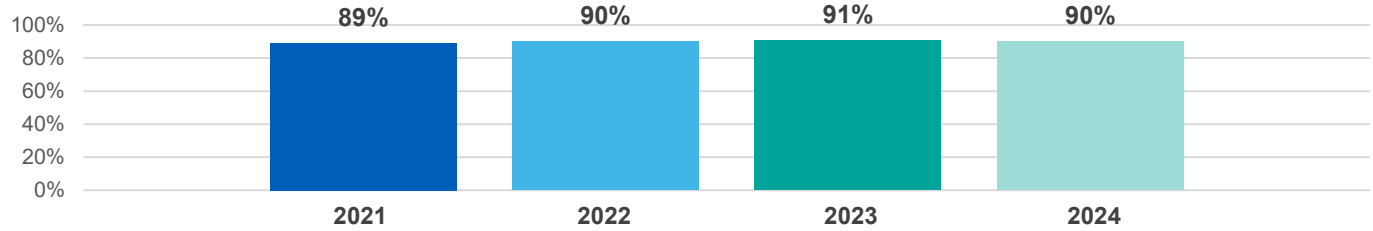


Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading

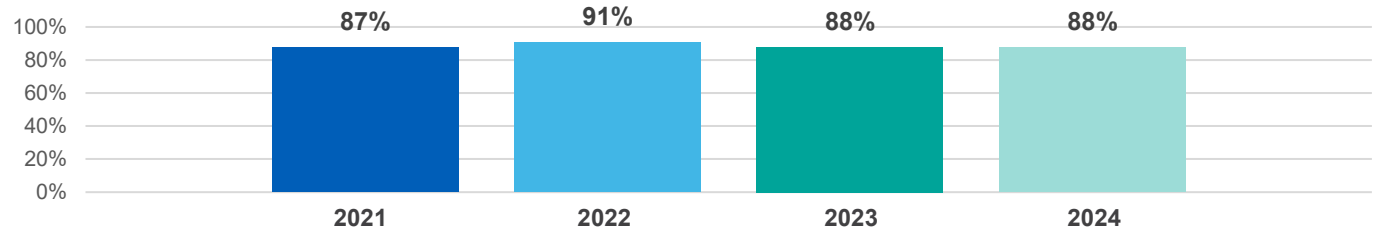


YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE

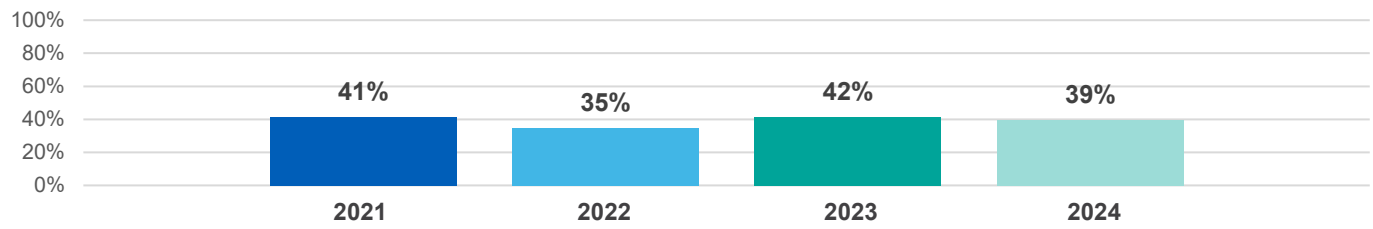
Q56. The whole care team worked well together



Q57. Administration of care was very good or good



Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient



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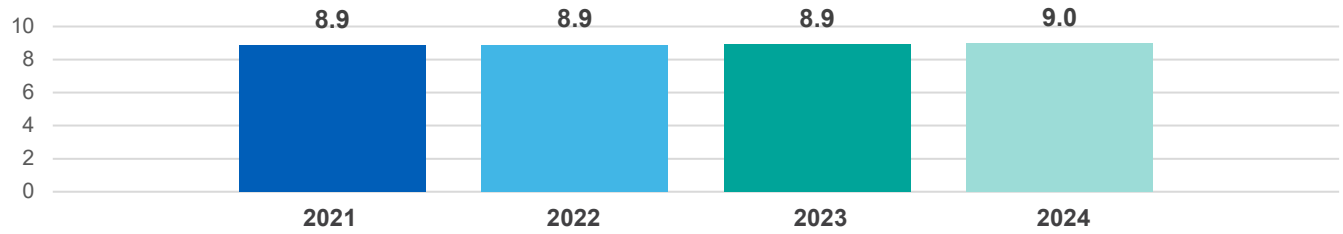
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good