

National Cancer Patient Experience Survey

2025 Results

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Executive summary

Questions above expected range

	Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	77%	65%	76%	71%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	89%	82%	89%	85%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	88%	72%	87%	80%

Executive summary

Questions below expected range

NHS Somerset Integrated Care Board has no scores below expected range.

Introduction

The National Cancer Patient Experience Survey 2025 is the fifteenth 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 2025 survey involved 130 NHS trusts. Out of 134,285 people, 64,268 people responded to the survey, yielding a response rate of 48%.

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 2025. The fieldwork for the survey was undertaken between November 2025 and February 2026.

As in the previous 10 years, the survey used a mixed mode methodology. Questionnaires were sent by post, with two reminders where necessary, but also included an option to complete the questionnaire online. A Freephone helpline and email was available for respondents to opt out, ask questions about the survey, enable them to complete their questionnaire over the phone and provide access to a translation and interpreting facility for those whose first language was not English.

Note on question comparability

The questionnaire was redeveloped for the 2021 National Cancer Patient Experience Survey. Year on year comparisons between 2021 and 2025 are included in this report for most questions. The below should be noted for comparability of results:

- Q23 and Q42: In 2023 the question text was amended. These questions are not comparable to 2021 or 2022, data is only comparable for 2023, 2024 and 2025.
- Q67: In 2023 the long-term condition question was amended to include “Autism or autism spectrum condition” as a response option, and update the answer option “Neurological condition” to “Neurological condition, such as epilepsy”. These answer options are not comparable to 2021 or 2022, data is only comparable for 2023, 2024 and 2025.
- Q71: In 2023 the ethnic group question was amended to include “Roma” as a response option. The ethnic group question is still deemed comparable to previous years, but data for the “Roma” response option is only available for 2023, 2024 and 2025.
- Q51 and Q52: In 2025 the question text was amended. These questions are not comparable to previous years, data is only available for 2025.

How ICB results are derived

Alliance and ICB results are not derived by mapping trust results. Alliance and ICB results are derived using the postcode of each patient. Alliance and ICB results therefore reflect the experience of people referred from within the geographical footprint. This mapping is achieved using lookup files released by the Office for National Statistics. Alliance and ICB results are therefore presented at the 'England' level and exclude other UK postcodes. From 1 April 2026, changes were made to ICB boundaries, including mergers and boundary realignments across England. Historic data in this report have been recalculated to reflect the current ICB geography and are not directly comparable with previously published ICB reports.

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 an ICB 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 ICB. 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.

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 an ICB level is available in the ICB Excel tables available at www.ncpes.co.uk.

Statistical significance

In the reporting of 2025 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 ICB, the results are not shown for that question for that ICB.

For ICBs 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** ICB has a score suppressed. If this happens, we will suppress another ICB's results (both the ICB 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 ICB.

The same rule applies to groups in each subgroup breakdown. For example, if only one ICB has the 85+ age group suppressed for Q25 we will need to suppress another ICB'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 ICB scored for each question in the survey compared with England results. It is aimed at helping individual ICBs to understand their performance and identify areas for local and regional 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 ICB.

ICBs 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 ICB performs better than how ICBs 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 ICB's size and demographics.

Comparability tables

The comparability tables show the 2024 and 2025 unadjusted scores for this ICB for each scored question. The columns 'Change 2024-2025' and 'Change overall' include arrows to show if there is statistically significant variation between years. 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 2025 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, age, 'Which of the following best describes you?', ethnicity, IMD quintile, long-term condition status, number of long-term conditions and impact of long-term condition(s) on day-to-day activities. Unadjusted scores for the same subgroup across different ICBs 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.

Number of long-term conditions tables

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

Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities tables

The impact of long-term condition(s) tables show unadjusted scores for respondents with an additional long-term condition(s) and whether these affect their day-to-day activities.

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 five columns representing the unadjusted scores of the last five years (2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025) for each scored question. Arrows are included to show if there is statistically significant variation between 2024 and 2025 or overall between 2021 and 2025. An upwards arrow indicates a statistically significant increase, a downwards arrow indicates a statistically significant decrease, and no arrow indicates no statistically significant change.

National level and England level data

In some cases (333 respondents in 2025), 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.

Overall response rate at response rate sections shows national level counts and response rate. For ICBs and its comparison at comparability tables section, all data is presented at the England level.

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.

To view all outputs and supporting materials for 2025 and previous years, please visit the website www.ncpes.co.uk. This includes:

- All Excel data tables, PDF reports and the interactive dashboard available at national, Integrated Care Board, Cancer Alliance and NHS trust level.
- Analysis of free text data available in the national qualitative thematic report. Free text workbooks are also shared directly with the NHS trust and Cancer Alliance leads.
- The Technical Document, providing more information about the methodology including significance testing, suppression and question comparability.
- Additional resources, including reports which explore key driver analysis for a high rating of care, and a video demonstration on using the outputs.
- The questionnaire, survey guidance and survey materials.

These resources will help users to explore trends over time, analyse results by demographic and clinical subgroups, and benchmark organisations against national scores and other providers.

Response rate

Overall response rate

838 patients responded out of a total of 1,544 patients, resulting in a response rate of 54%.

	Sample size	Adjusted sample	Completed	Response rate
Overall response rate	1,658	1,544	838	54%
National	143,951	134,285	64,268	48%

Respondents by survey mode

	Number of respondents
Paper	651
Online	187
Phone	0
Translation service	0
Total	838

Respondents by tumour group

	Number of respondents
Brain / CNS	0
Breast	165
Colorectal / LGT	95
Gynaecological	42
Haematological	125
Head and neck	27
Lung	45
Prostate	159
Sarcoma	2
Skin	34
Upper gastro	41
Urological	56
Other	47
Total	838

Respondents by ethnicity

	Number of respondents
White	
English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish / British	773
Irish	*
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	*
Roma	*
Any other White background	7
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	6
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	36
Total	838

Expected range charts

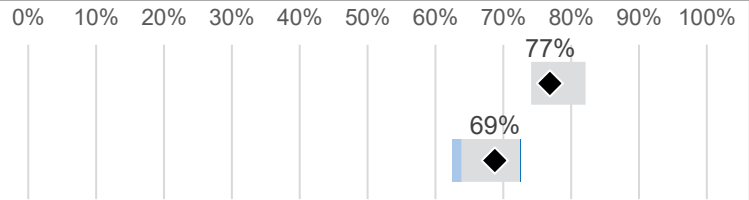
Lower expected range Within expected range Upper expected range Case mix adjusted score

The left outer edge of the bars is the lowest score achieved of all ICBs. The right outer edge of the bars is the highest score achieved of all ICBs.

SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

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

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



DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

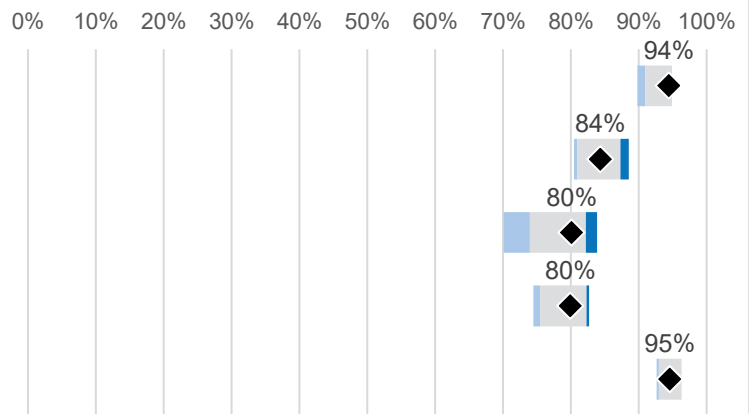
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance

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

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

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

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



FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

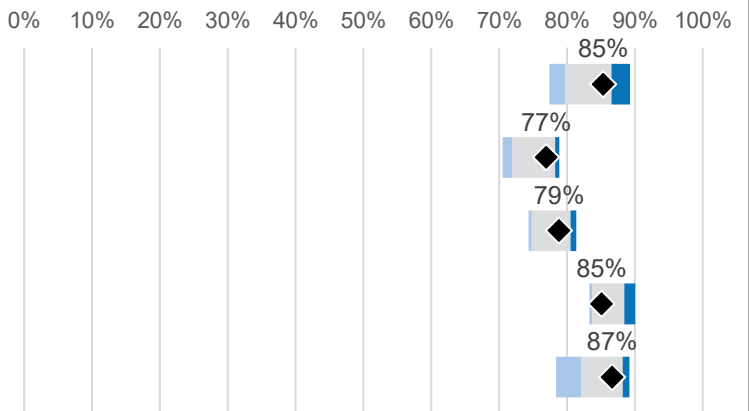
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis

Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer

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

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

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

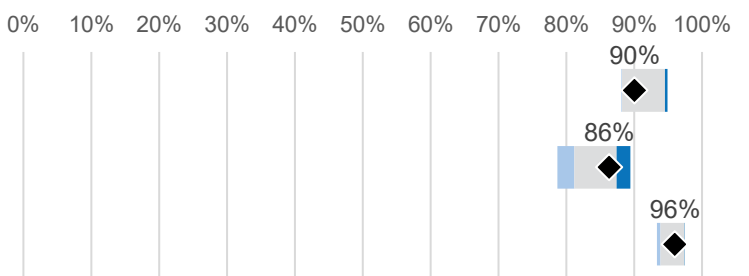


SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON

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

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

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



Expected range charts

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT

0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

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

84%

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

83%

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

85%

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

59%

CARE PLANNING

0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

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

74%

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

95%

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

98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF

0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

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

95%

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

78%

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

77%

HOSPITAL CARE

0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

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

82%

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

75%

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

72%

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

78%

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

69%

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

86%

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

90%

Expected range charts

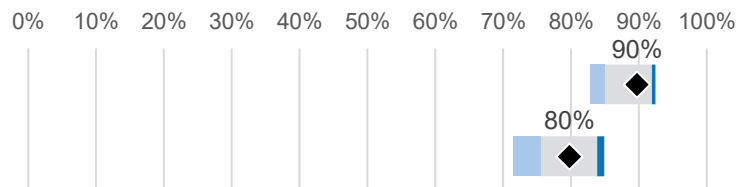
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HOSPITAL CARE CONTINUED

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

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



YOUR TREATMENT

Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery

Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy

Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy

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

Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy

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

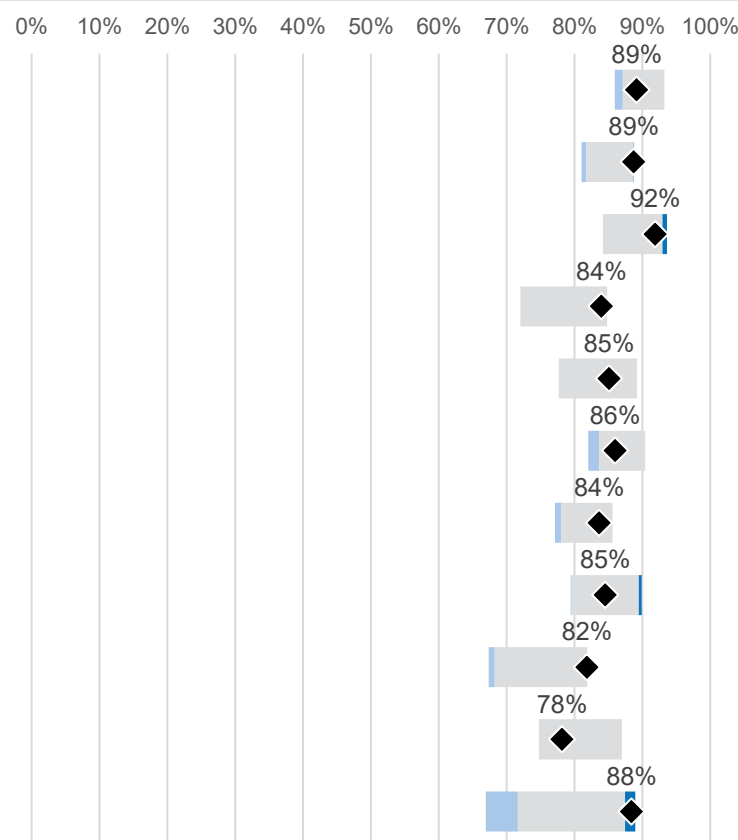
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy

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

Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy

Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy

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



IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS

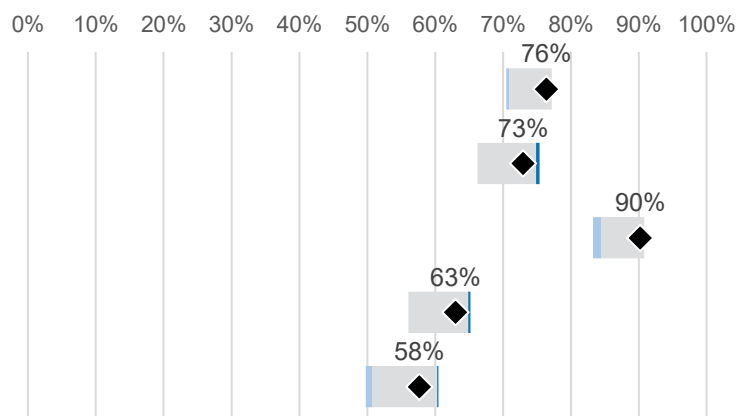
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand

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

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

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

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



Expected range charts

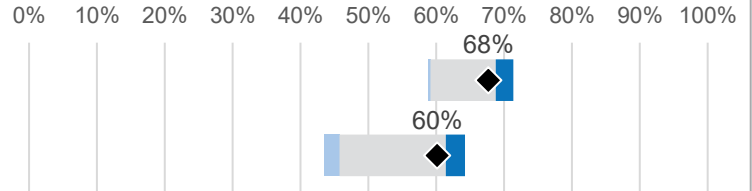
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SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME

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

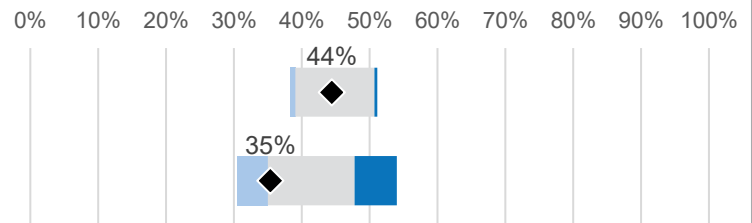
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services



CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis

Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)

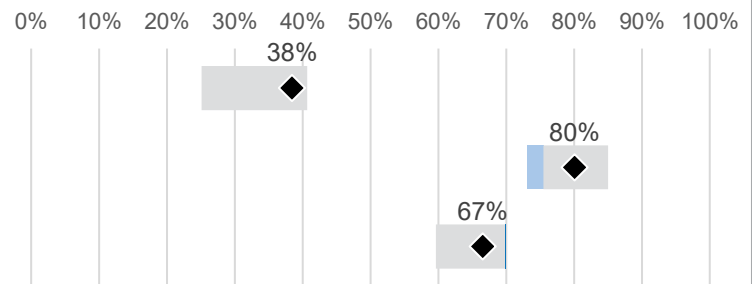


LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER

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



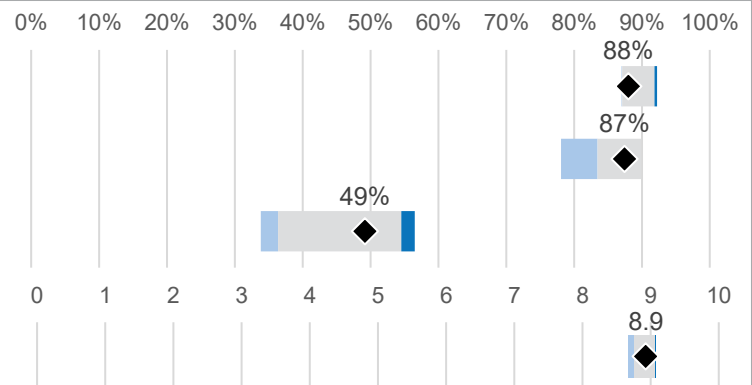
YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE

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 2024-2025: Statistically significant increase or decrease between 2024 and 2025.
△ or ▽ Change overall: Statistically significant increase or decrease from 2021 to 2025.

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			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	517	80%	409	77%			77%	74%	82%	78%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	682	72%	571	70%			69%	64%	72%	68%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	799	94%	650	95%			94%	91%	95%	93%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	835	86%	693	85%			84%	81%	87%	84%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	834	80%	686	81%			80%	74%	82%	78%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	836	82%	693	81%			80%	75%	82%	79%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	835	95%	692	95%		▽	95%	93%	96%	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 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	915	85%	773	86%		△	85%	80%	87%	83%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	989	77%	826	77%			77%	72%	78%	75%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	996	81%	827	79%			79%	75%	81%	78%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	993	87%	831	86%			85%	84%	88%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	862	90%	740	87%			87%	82%	88%	85%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	947	92%	791	90%			90%	88%	95%	91%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	790	88%	644	86%			86%	81%	87%	84%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	826	98%	678	96%			96%	94%	97%	96%

Comparability tables

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

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	926	86%	775	85%			84%	80%	86%	83%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	986	82%	818	83%			83%	77%	83%	80%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	862	85%	716	85%		△	85%	83%	88%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	522	64%	421	59%			59%	53%	63%	58%

CARE PLANNING	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	890	76%	742	74%			74%	69%	77%	73%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	503	93%	407	95%			95%	92%	96%	94%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	400	100%	326	98%			98%	98%	100%	99%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	868	94%	724	95%			95%	90%	95%	92%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	988	77%	824	79%			78%	73%	80%	77%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	528	77%	438	77%			77%	65%	76%	71%

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HOSPITAL CARE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 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	418	76%	337	83%			82%	73%	82%	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	340	69%	285	76%			75%	67%	77%	72%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	412	73%	334	73%			72%	67%	77%	72%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	407	74%	334	79%			78%	68%	79%	74%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	395	64%	324	70%			69%	61%	71%	66%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	353	86%	286	86%			86%	80%	89%	84%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	414	89%	337	90%			90%	84%	91%	88%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	403	89%	330	90%			90%	85%	92%	88%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	844	80%	716	81%			80%	76%	84%	80%

YOUR TREATMENT	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	489	92%	377	90%			89%	87%	93%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	452	86%	399	89%			89%	82%	89%	85%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	272	88%	205	92%			92%	84%	93%	89%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	191	81%	159	86%			84%	72%	85%	78%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	172	84%	161	85%			85%	78%	89%	83%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	482	85%	377	86%			86%	84%	90%	87%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	449	82%	403	84%			84%	78%	86%	82%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	272	84%	206	85%			85%	80%	89%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	189	78%	155	83%			82%	68%	82%	75%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	166	81%	159	78%			78%	75%	87%	81%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	966	88%	812	89%			88%	72%	87%	80%

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	947	76%	796	77%			76%	71%	77%	74%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	895	73%	770	74%			73%	66%	75%	71%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	747	90%	640	91%		△	90%	84%	91%	88%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	898	64%	768	64%			63%	56%	65%	61%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	780	58%	682	59%			58%	51%	60%	56%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 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	651	65%	575	68%			68%	59%	69%	64%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	332	53%	306	61%			60%	46%	61%	54%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	-	-	536	45%			44%	39%	51%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	-	-	455	36%			35%	35%	48%	41%

LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 N	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 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	209	36%	172	40%			38%	25%	41%	33%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	481	81%	349	81%			80%	76%	85%	80%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	783	69%	640	67%			67%	60%	70%	65%

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			Adjusted score above upper expected range

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Unadjusted scores						Case mix adjusted scores			England score
	2024 n	2024 score	2025 n	2025 score	Change 2024-2025	Change overall	2025 score	Lower expected range	Upper expected range	
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	942	90%	795	88%			88%	87%	92%	89%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	980	87%	823	87%			87%	83%	90%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	606	47%	484	49%		△	49%	36%	55%	45%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	951	9	804	9			8.9	8.8	9.1	8.9

Tumour group tables

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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	*	90%	75%	76%	51%	63%	73%	86%	*	90%	81%	85%	70%	77%										
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	75%	78%	65%	56%	68%	48%	79%	*	74%	67%	60%	66%	70%										

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	*	97%	98%	95%	92%	91%	97%	93%	*	96%	94%	90%	97%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	91%	83%	90%	84%	75%	90%	83%	*	85%	86%	70%	91%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	84%	83%	85%	78%	79%	86%	75%	*	81%	81%	73%	86%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	76%	82%	93%	78%	92%	82%	82%	*	85%	83%	72%	77%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	96%	94%	100%	95%	92%	92%	95%	*	96%	94%	91%	94%	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	*	87%	89%	85%	79%	85%	83%	88%	*	83%	85%	88%	83%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	75%	75%	83%	83%	70%	80%	78%	*	76%	75%	71%	80%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	80%	81%	81%	77%	85%	84%	84%	*	76%	68%	76%	70%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	85%	87%	83%	84%	89%	89%	89%	*	82%	80%	84%	87%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	86%	84%	92%	91%	96%	83%	94%	*	87%	71%	79%	78%	87%

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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	*	92%	91%	85%	95%	96%	95%	92%	*	82%	79%	80%	89%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	82%	91%	85%	94%	87%	92%	79%	*	96%	89%	77%	88%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	93%	96%	97%	99%	100%	97%	96%	*	100%	97%	92%	95%	96%

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	*	82%	90%	85%	85%	78%	79%	89%	*	94%	82%	84%	78%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	83%	80%	85%	82%	93%	80%	87%	*	88%	77%	78%	87%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	83%	87%	86%	82%	92%	80%	87%	*	92%	87%	87%	88%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	54%	56%	62%	60%	69%	50%	71%	*	63%	72%	42%	52%	59%

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	*	76%	83%	78%	72%	74%	73%	76%	*	81%	76%	58%	63%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	99%	92%	95%	98%	94%	96%	94%	*	94%	90%	95%	92%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	97%	100%	100%	93%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	93%	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	*	95%	94%	97%	94%	96%	95%	96%	*	93%	97%	92%	95%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	73%	79%	85%	85%	89%	69%	82%	*	88%	85%	63%	73%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	75%	85%	71%	80%	82%	79%	69%	*	79%	86%	62%	77%	77%

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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%	77%	79%	87%	78%	87%	88%	*	100%	79%	92%	81%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	73%	71%	88%	91%	68%	64%	76%	*	*	63%	74%	73%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	65%	71%	61%	83%	78%	74%	76%	*	80%	60%	79%	75%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	64%	79%	78%	85%	83%	78%	80%	*	100%	70%	87%	75%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	61%	76%	67%	84%	59%	74%	69%	*	70%	60%	71%	72%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	82%	83%	94%	95%	90%	90%	81%	*	*	67%	95%	88%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	79%	89%	89%	98%	91%	96%	96%	*	100%	75%	96%	81%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	90%	87%	94%	89%	91%	91%	98%	*	100%	80%	83%	86%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	76%	86%	80%	87%	82%	82%	81%	*	88%	78%	77%	74%	81%

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	*	92%	85%	96%	100%	81%	100%	90%	*	91%	100%	82%	82%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	85%	100%	88%	90%	90%	87%	89%	*	*	81%	87%	87%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	97%	91%	80%	84%	86%	83%	95%	*	*	*	*	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	80%	*	*	*	*	*	92%	*	*	*	*	*	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	81%	*	*	83%	*	91%	*	*	85%	100%	88%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	88%	84%	92%	100%	86%	100%	83%	*	86%	79%	76%	88%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	81%	89%	88%	83%	100%	86%	85%	*	*	79%	75%	80%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	92%	82%	70%	74%	86%	83%	91%	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	77%	*	*	*	*	*	89%	*	*	*	*	*	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	74%	*	*	80%	*	73%	*	*	92%	70%	77%	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	86%	89%	93%	92%	85%	89%	91%	*	88%	88%	89%	89%	89%

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS															Tumour group													
	Brain / CNS	Breast	Colorectal / LGT	Gynaecological	Haematological	Head and neck	Lung	Prostate	Sarcoma	Skin	Upper gastro	Urological	Other	All														
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	*	74%	85%	77%	75%	88%	71%	81%	*	83%	68%	67%	73%	77%														
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	73%	76%	77%	73%	81%	67%	76%	*	82%	70%	61%	71%	74%														
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	90%	92%	86%	93%	100%	87%	94%	*	91%	87%	85%	84%	91%														
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	63%	63%	67%	58%	73%	54%	75%	*	69%	68%	49%	57%	64%														
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	55%	53%	61%	56%	85%	51%	65%	*	72%	56%	53%	61%	59%														

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	*	61%	73%	65%	70%	76%	65%	73%	*	74%	72%	66%	61%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	57%	55%	69%	57%	73%	62%	73%	*	70%	79%	50%	45%	61%

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 help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	*	43%	41%	42%	48%	48%	36%	57%	*	45%	46%	33%	36%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	*	33%	43%	40%	23%	54%	57%	49%	*	33%	32%	31%	21%	36%

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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	*	27%	52%	*	37%	50%	45%	46%	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	81%	82%	84%	90%	84%	81%	78%	*	83%	90%	78%	56%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	63%	62%	68%	78%	64%	55%	75%	*	73%	54%	55%	67%	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	*	84%	96%	88%	89%	92%	90%	88%	*	88%	85%	86%	88%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	90%	93%	80%	90%	78%	89%	87%	*	91%	85%	76%	86%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	52%	71%	48%	54%	50%	50%	38%	*	55%	19%	25%	52%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	8.9	8.9	9.3	9.2	9	9.1	8.9	*	9	9.1	8.7	8.7	9

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	*	*	83%	92%	77%	77%	76%	73%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	*	65%	76%	69%	68%	74%	70%

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	*	*	92%	100%	95%	95%	92%	100%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	*	*	73%	76%	87%	87%	84%	88%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	*	*	53%	76%	76%	84%	82%	87%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	67%	74%	82%	82%	82%	75%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	*	*	93%	95%	95%	97%	93%	97%	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	*	*	89%	85%	82%	87%	86%	89%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	*	*	65%	73%	75%	77%	81%	82%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	*	*	80%	73%	76%	79%	84%	77%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	*	*	80%	80%	83%	85%	90%	85%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	*	*	76%	89%	91%	88%	84%	88%	87%

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	*	*	94%	90%	91%	91%	89%	91%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	*	*	80%	75%	84%	88%	88%	90%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	*	*	100%	97%	93%	98%	96%	97%	96%

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	*	*	74%	86%	83%	83%	91%	74%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	*	*	70%	79%	84%	81%	86%	93%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	*	*	53%	89%	87%	85%	89%	78%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	*	*	*	61%	64%	62%	55%	50%	59%

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	*	*	47%	74%	75%	79%	73%	64%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	*	*	*	94%	93%	96%	95%	100%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	*	*	*	92%	99%	99%	97%	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	*	*	83%	97%	96%	96%	95%	84%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	*	*	60%	72%	78%	81%	78%	80%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	*	*	81%	70%	80%	78%	78%	44%	77%

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	*	*	*	71%	78%	86%	85%	90%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	*	*	*	85%	79%	73%	78%	*	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	*	*	*	65%	75%	77%	71%	*	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	*	*	*	59%	80%	78%	78%	*	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	*	*	*	50%	67%	71%	77%	*	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	*	*	*	88%	90%	86%	83%	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	*	*	*	76%	89%	92%	92%	100%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	*	*	*	76%	93%	94%	84%	90%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	*	*	71%	76%	80%	84%	81%	76%	81%

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	*	*	*	81%	94%	88%	90%	94%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	*	*	86%	85%	91%	90%	90%	80%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	*	*	93%	93%	95%	90%	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	*	*	83%	86%	84%	89%	*	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	87%	84%	93%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	*	*	*	85%	86%	86%	88%	88%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	*	*	71%	89%	84%	85%	86%	67%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	*	*	80%	91%	88%	82%	*	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	*	*	83%	83%	86%	85%	*	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	*	*	*	*	82%	78%	80%	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	*	*	89%	84%	86%	91%	90%	89%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	*	*	74%	82%	87%	72%	76%	77%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	72%	71%	81%	73%	72%	58%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	*	*	87%	97%	96%	89%	88%	95%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	*	*	60%	74%	71%	64%	58%	59%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	*	*	39%	58%	64%	60%	57%	56%	59%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Age								
	16 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - 84	85+	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	*	*	56%	57%	66%	72%	69%	70%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	*	*	*	*	62%	61%	63%	50%	61%

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 help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	*	*	47%	42%	48%	44%	46%	45%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	*	*	50%	45%	51%	35%	27%	33%	36%

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	*	*	*	*	45%	31%	39%	40%	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	*	*	*	88%	85%	81%	79%	84%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	*	*	40%	58%	70%	73%	63%	67%	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%	89%	88%	87%	89%	95%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	*	*	84%	82%	89%	90%	85%	90%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	*	*	64%	47%	57%	46%	44%	56%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	*	*	8.1	8.8	9	9.1	8.9	8.9	9

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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	75%	79%	*	*	*	87%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	68%	70%	*	*	*	83%	70%

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	95%	94%	*	*	*	97%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	88%	83%	*	*	*	80%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	81%	82%	*	*	*	62%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	80%	80%	*	*	*	89%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	94%	96%	*	*	*	90%	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	83%	88%	*	*	*	83%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	76%	79%	*	*	*	68%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	78%	81%	*	*	*	76%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	83%	88%	*	*	*	81%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	85%	89%	*	*	*	75%	87%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	91%	90%	*	*	*	80%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	88%	86%	*	*	*	81%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	95%	97%	*	*	*	100%	96%

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT							
	Which of the following best describes you?						
	Female	Male	Non-binary	Prefer to self-describe	Prefer not to say	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	83%	88%	*	*	*	74%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	82%	85%	*	*	*	78%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	83%	88%	*	*	*	81%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	56%	63%	*	*	*	56%	59%

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	70%	77%	*	*	*	85%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	96%	95%	*	*	*	94%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	99%	99%	*	*	*	88%	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	93%	96%	*	*	*	89%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	74%	83%	*	*	*	73%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	74%	80%	*	*	*	69%	77%

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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	77%	86%	*	*	*	100%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	75%	76%	*	*	*	80%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	67%	77%	*	*	*	90%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	71%	85%	*	*	*	80%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	59%	78%	*	*	*	90%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	84%	88%	*	*	*	80%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	84%	95%	*	*	*	100%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	87%	93%	*	*	*	*	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	77%	85%	*	*	*	71%	81%

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	90%	88%	*	*	*	100%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	88%	92%	*	*	*	77%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	95%	91%	*	*	*	82%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	80%	92%	*	*	*	90%	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	79%	92%	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	87%	85%	*	*	*	100%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	84%	85%	*	*	*	70%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	87%	84%	*	*	*	82%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	79%	89%	*	*	*	80%	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	74%	84%	*	*	*	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	87%	91%	*	*	*	83%	89%

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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	75%	79%	*	*	*	67%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	72%	76%	*	*	*	63%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	89%	93%	*	*	*	78%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	62%	66%	*	*	*	50%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	54%	64%	*	*	*	50%	59%

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	60%	76%	*	*	*	68%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	55%	67%	*	*	*	*	61%

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 help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	41%	49%	*	*	*	43%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	33%	39%	*	*	*	27%	36%

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	35%	45%	*	*	*	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	78%	85%	*	*	*	*	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	64%	70%	*	*	*	67%	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	85%	91%	*	*	*	90%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	87%	89%	*	*	*	76%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	49%	48%	*	*	*	52%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.9	9.1	*	*	*	8.6	9

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	76%	*	*	*	*	88%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	69%	*	*	*	*	82%	70%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	94%	*	100%	*	*	96%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	85%	*	100%	*	*	79%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	82%	*	90%	*	*	59%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	80%	*	90%	*	*	88%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	95%	*	100%	*	*	88%	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	85%	*	90%	*	*	82%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	78%	*	91%	*	*	66%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	79%	*	100%	*	*	74%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	86%	*	100%	*	*	80%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	87%	*	100%	*	*	70%	87%

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	90%	*	100%	*	*	79%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	87%	*	*	*	*	76%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	96%	*	100%	*	*	100%	96%

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	85%	*	90%	*	*	72%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	84%	*	91%	*	*	77%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	86%	*	*	*	*	81%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	59%	*	*	*	*	53%	59%

Ethnicity tables

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CARE PLANNING	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	74%	*	80%	*	*	84%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	95%	*	*	*	*	94%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	99%	*	*	*	*	87%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	95%	*	100%	*	*	89%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	79%	*	91%	*	*	68%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	77%	*	*	*	*	58%	77%

HOSPITAL CARE	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	82%	*	*	*	*	*	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	75%	*	*	*	*	*	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	73%	*	*	*	*	*	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	78%	*	*	*	*	*	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	69%	*	*	*	*	*	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	87%	*	*	*	*	*	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	90%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	91%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	81%	*	80%	*	*	72%	81%

Ethnicity tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	89%	*	*	*	*	*	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	90%	*	*	*	*	77%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	93%	*	*	*	*	80%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	85%	*	*	*	*	*	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	86%	*	*	*	*	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	86%	*	*	*	*	*	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	84%	*	*	*	*	70%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	85%	*	*	*	*	80%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	83%	*	*	*	*	*	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	79%	*	*	*	*	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	89%	*	91%	*	*	82%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	77%	*	*	*	*	63%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	74%	*	*	*	*	58%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	91%	*	90%	*	*	77%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	64%	*	*	*	*	50%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	59%	*	*	*	*	52%	59%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	68%	*	*	*	*	65%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	62%	*	*	*	*	30%	61%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Ethnicity						All
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	45%	*	*	*	*	43%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	36%	*	*	*	*	26%	36%

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	40%	*	*	*	*	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	82%	*	*	*	*	*	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	67%	*	*	*	*	64%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE							
	Ethnicity						
	White	Mixed	Asian	Black	Other	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	88%	*	100%	*	*	89%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	88%	*	100%	*	*	75%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	49%	*	*	*	*	52%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9	*	9.3	*	*	8.5	9

IMD quintile tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE		IMD quintile				
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	86%	76%	80%	74%	74%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	74%	65%	69%	75%	67%	70%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS		IMD quintile				
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	94%	93%	95%	93%	99%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	86%	84%	87%	83%	81%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	79%	77%	82%	83%	77%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	83%	77%	80%	83%	82%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	97%	94%	97%	92%	94%	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER		IMD quintile				
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	86%	84%	85%	87%	87%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	64%	77%	78%	81%	76%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	74%	80%	78%	78%	86%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	83%	84%	86%	86%	89%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	82%	89%	84%	90%	88%	87%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON		IMD quintile				
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	86%	93%	91%	88%	90%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	85%	85%	86%	89%	86%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	88%	96%	96%	97%	99%	96%

IMD quintile tables

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	91%	84%	86%	86%	79%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	83%	83%	83%	86%	80%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	88%	85%	85%	87%	82%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	64%	59%	59%	66%	45%	59%

CARE PLANNING						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	77%	71%	75%	76%	73%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	96%	95%	96%	94%	96%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	100%	97%	98%	99%	98%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	93%	95%	95%	95%	94%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	83%	78%	78%	78%	80%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	79%	75%	74%	75%	88%	77%

HOSPITAL CARE						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	81%	84%	88%	74%	85%	83%
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%	78%	72%	77%	79%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	71%	63%	73%	77%	80%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	75%	72%	81%	82%	79%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	58%	61%	74%	73%	73%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	85%	83%	88%	86%	89%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	86%	87%	89%	92%	96%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	80%	88%	92%	89%	94%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	75%	81%	83%	82%	74%	81%

IMD quintile tables

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YOUR TREATMENT	IMD quintile					All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	91%	91%	87%	92%	90%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	100%	86%	88%	90%	91%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	*	98%	90%	95%	84%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	*	84%	90%	82%	79%	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	100%	78%	84%	88%	83%	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	91%	88%	86%	82%	90%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	94%	78%	84%	84%	88%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	*	93%	80%	91%	77%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	*	84%	87%	77%	80%	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	90%	72%	78%	80%	78%	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	93%	86%	90%	90%	88%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	IMD quintile					All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	76%	72%	78%	78%	80%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	80%	70%	72%	76%	75%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	86%	89%	92%	91%	90%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	63%	57%	68%	64%	61%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	65%	51%	59%	62%	63%	59%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	IMD quintile					All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	69%	71%	67%	70%	65%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	42%	51%	67%	63%	70%	61%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	IMD quintile					All
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	44%	33%	47%	47%	55%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	21%	26%	36%	43%	40%	36%

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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	36%	26%	46%	45%	38%	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	76%	76%	84%	84%	80%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	67%	66%	66%	73%	60%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE						
	IMD quintile					
	1 (most deprived)	2	3	4	5 (least deprived)	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	95%	87%	89%	85%	91%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	89%	89%	86%	90%	85%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	50%	44%	54%	45%	46%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.7	9	9	9	8.9	9

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	75%	80%	81%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	71%	65%	76%	70%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS		Long-term condition status		
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	94%	97%	93%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	83%	89%	80%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	83%	80%	64%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	78%	86%	80%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	94%	97%	89%	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	85%	87%	85%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	77%	79%	73%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	78%	84%	74%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	86%	85%	84%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	86%	91%	76%	87%

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	91%	90%	83%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	87%	86%	83%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	96%	96%	94%	96%

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	86%	85%	76%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	83%	84%	79%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	86%	86%	82%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	59%	60%	52%	59%

Long-term condition status tables

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CARE PLANNING	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	74%	74%	79%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	96%	95%	97%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	98%	100%	93%	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	94%	96%	93%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	78%	80%	78%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	77%	79%	59%	77%

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	82%	86%	78%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	74%	81%	63%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	70%	79%	71%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	77%	83%	72%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	67%	75%	76%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	86%	90%	71%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	89%	93%	89%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	89%	94%	71%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	81%	83%	72%	81%

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	89%	92%	87%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	90%	90%	76%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	93%	92%	88%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	84%	89%	88%	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	87%	82%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	85%	89%	87%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	85%	85%	71%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	86%	84%	81%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	81%	89%	81%	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	78%	82%	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	90%	88%	84%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	76%	80%	71%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	74%	75%	63%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	90%	92%	86%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	63%	67%	56%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	58%	61%	51%	59%

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	68%	69%	71%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	61%	63%	50%	61%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	46%	46%	36%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	34%	42%	26%	36%

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	39%	43%	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	80%	85%	74%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	68%	68%	59%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Long-term condition status			
	Yes	No	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	88%	89%	92%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	88%	88%	82%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	46%	55%	50%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9	9	8.6	9

Number of long-term conditions tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	78%	75%	70%	80%	81%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	74%	68%	66%	65%	76%	70%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	96%	94%	89%	97%	93%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	85%	84%	77%	89%	80%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	83%	84%	80%	80%	64%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	79%	76%	77%	86%	80%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	96%	91%	95%	97%	89%	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	87%	83%	84%	87%	85%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	79%	75%	75%	79%	73%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	77%	77%	78%	84%	74%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	86%	84%	90%	85%	84%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	89%	81%	87%	91%	76%	87%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	91%	92%	90%	90%	83%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	89%	86%	83%	86%	83%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	99%	91%	98%	96%	94%	96%

Number of long-term conditions tables

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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT						
	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	88%	84%	81%	85%	76%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	85%	82%	80%	84%	79%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	85%	86%	86%	86%	82%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	58%	60%	63%	60%	52%	59%

CARE PLANNING						
	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	74%	79%	68%	74%	79%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	94%	97%	98%	95%	97%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	98%	98%	98%	100%	93%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF						
	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	95%	92%	94%	96%	93%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	81%	76%	71%	80%	78%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	81%	74%	74%	79%	59%	77%

Number of long-term conditions tables

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HOSPITAL CARE	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	86%	76%	80%	86%	78%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	81%	65%	74%	81%	63%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	77%	72%	54%	79%	71%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	82%	75%	69%	83%	72%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	71%	64%	64%	75%	76%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	90%	81%	85%	90%	71%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	91%	85%	91%	93%	89%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	92%	86%	89%	94%	71%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	80%	79%	84%	83%	72%	81%

YOUR TREATMENT	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	93%	82%	89%	92%	87%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	91%	89%	90%	90%	76%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	93%	93%	93%	92%	88%	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	84%	80%	88%	89%	88%	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	89%	85%	85%	82%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	88%	82%	82%	89%	87%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	86%	86%	81%	85%	71%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	84%	85%	90%	84%	81%	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	84%	72%	85%	89%	81%	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	83%	74%	69%	82%	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	91%	90%	87%	88%	84%	89%

Number of long-term conditions tables

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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	77%	74%	74%	80%	71%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	75%	77%	67%	75%	63%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	93%	89%	85%	92%	86%	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%	61%	67%	56%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	57%	63%	56%	61%	51%	59%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	67%	69%	68%	69%	71%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	66%	56%	60%	63%	50%	61%

CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	49%	43%	41%	46%	36%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	37%	25%	39%	42%	26%	36%

LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	42%	40%	32%	43%	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	83%	78%	73%	85%	74%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	70%	65%	66%	68%	59%	67%

Number of long-term conditions tables

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YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE	Number of long-term conditions					
	One long-term condition	Two long-term conditions	Three or more long-term conditions	No long-term condition	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	91%	80%	88%	89%	92%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	90%	84%	88%	88%	82%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	46%	44%	48%	55%	50%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	9.1	8.8	8.8	9	8.6	9

Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities tables

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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All †
Q2. Patient only spoke to primary care professional once or twice before cancer diagnosis	73%	71%	83%	61%	77%
Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand	64%	70%	76%	61%	70%

DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance	93%	91%	98%	90%	95%
Q6. Diagnostic test staff appeared to completely have all the information they needed about the patient	76%	83%	87%	78%	85%
Q7. Patient felt the length of time waiting for diagnostic test results was about right	84%	80%	85%	78%	81%
Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	76%	78%	78%	78%	81%
Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results	93%	95%	94%	97%	95%

FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER		Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities			
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis	81%	84%	88%	84%	86%
Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer	72%	74%	81%	84%	77%
Q14. Cancer diagnosis explained in a way the patient could completely understand	68%	78%	80%	84%	79%
Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place	80%	85%	90%	84%	86%
Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis	80%	83%	91%	91%	87%

SUPPORT FROM A MAIN CONTACT PERSON	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team	89%	91%	94%	85%	90%
Q18. Patient found it very or quite easy to contact their main contact person	85%	86%	87%	97%	86%
Q19. Patient found advice from main contact person was very or quite helpful	94%	95%	98%	100%	96%

DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand	81%	85%	87%	94%	85%
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment	86%	80%	85%	86%	83%
Q22. Family and / or carers were definitely involved as much as the patient wanted them to be in decisions about treatment options	85%	86%	88%	74%	85%
Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options	50%	61%	61%	63%	59%

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CARE PLANNING					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All †
Q24. Patient was definitely able to have a discussion about their needs or concerns prior to treatment	61%	73%	80%	78%	74%
Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns	98%	94%	96%	100%	95%
Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date	100%	97%	97%	100%	98%

SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support	92%	93%	95%	100%	95%
Q28. Patient definitely got the right level of support for their overall health and well being from hospital staff	65%	74%	84%	92%	79%
Q29. Patient was offered information about how to get financial help or benefits	63%	74%	86%	88%	77%

HOSPITAL CARE					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital	80%	76%	86%	93%	83%
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital	77%	71%	76%	79%	76%
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital	69%	62%	78%	80%	73%
Q34. Patient was always able to get help from ward staff when needed	66%	72%	85%	86%	79%
Q35. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff	64%	64%	67%	93%	70%
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain	85%	81%	89%	100%	86%
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital	87%	85%	93%	100%	90%
Q38. Patient received easily understandable information about what they should or should not do after leaving hospital	90%	85%	92%	100%	90%
Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case	76%	82%	80%	89%	81%

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YOUR TREATMENT					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All †
Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery	92%	83%	91%	100%	90%
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy	84%	90%	91%	96%	89%
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy	96%	93%	91%	*	92%
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy	94%	82%	82%	*	86%
Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy	80%	87%	88%	*	85%
Q42_1. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to surgery	92%	83%	82%	92%	86%
Q42_2. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to chemotherapy	74%	87%	86%	89%	84%
Q42_3. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to radiotherapy	80%	94%	85%	*	85%
Q42_4. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to hormone therapy	75%	84%	82%	*	83%
Q42_5. Patient completely had enough understandable information about their response to immunotherapy	75%	78%	78%	*	78%
Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right	81%	91%	92%	95%	89%

IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand	68%	78%	77%	74%	77%
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment	61%	77%	75%	77%	74%
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment	85%	88%	94%	96%	91%
Q47. Patient felt possible long-term side effects were definitely explained in a way they could understand in advance of their treatment	56%	66%	62%	68%	64%
Q48. Patient was definitely able to discuss options for managing the impact of any long-term side effects	51%	61%	58%	65%	59%

SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q49. Care team gave family, or someone close, all the information needed to help care for the patient at home	60%	64%	75%	69%	68%
Q50. During treatment, the patient definitely got enough care and support at home from community or voluntary services	42%	58%	73%	81%	61%

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CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All †
Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis	44%	41%	52%	46%	45%
Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)	31%	31%	41%	29%	36%

LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services	23%	30%	59%	*	40%
Q54. The right amount of information and support was offered to the patient between final treatment and the follow up appointment	75%	75%	85%	92%	81%
Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading	68%	67%	69%	65%	67%

YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE					
	Impact of long-term condition(s) (excluding cancer) on day-to-day activities				
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Not given	All
Q56. The whole care team worked well together	83%	86%	91%	92%	88%
Q57. Administration of care was very good or good	86%	83%	94%	85%	87%
Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient	47%	43%	47%	48%	49%
Q59. Patient's average rating of care scored from very poor to very good	8.5	8.9	9.2	9.2	9

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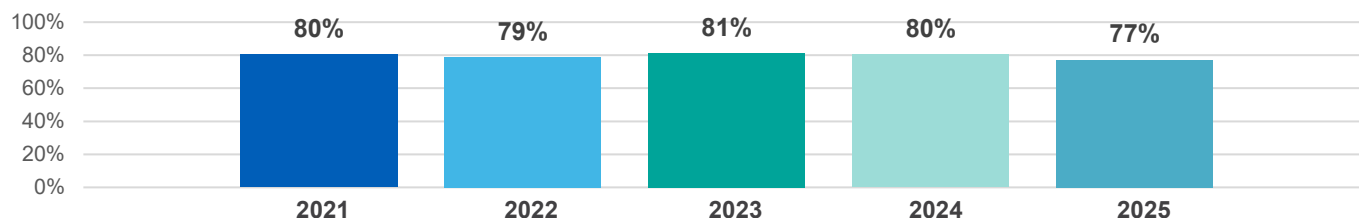
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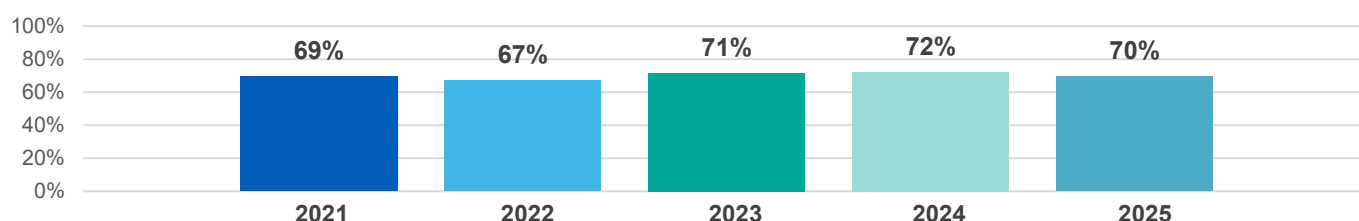
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SUPPORT FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

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

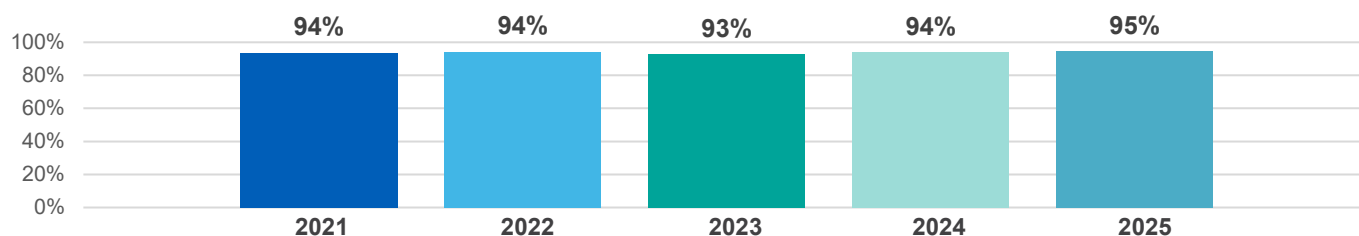


Q3. Referral for diagnosis was explained in a way the patient could completely understand

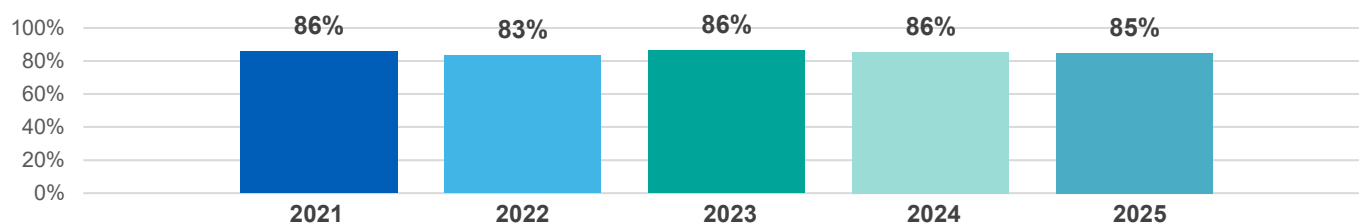


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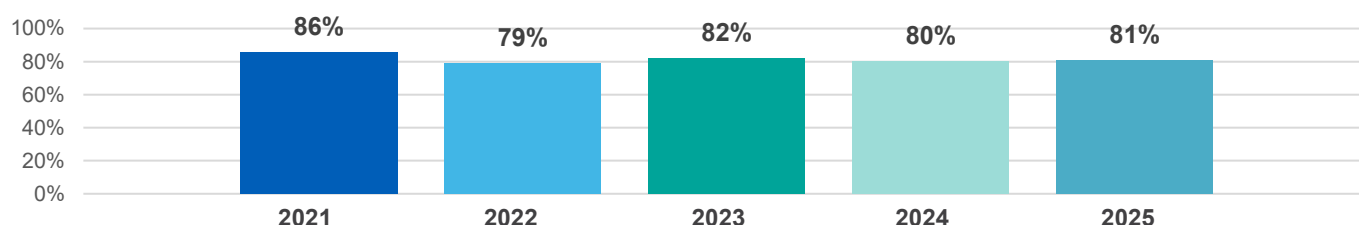
Q5. Patient received all the information needed about the diagnostic test in advance



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



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



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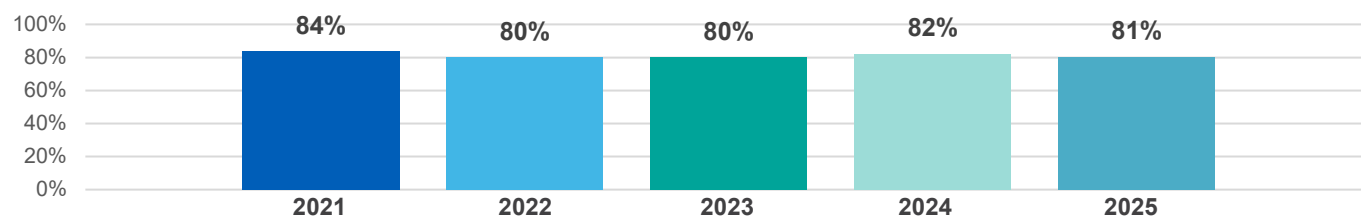
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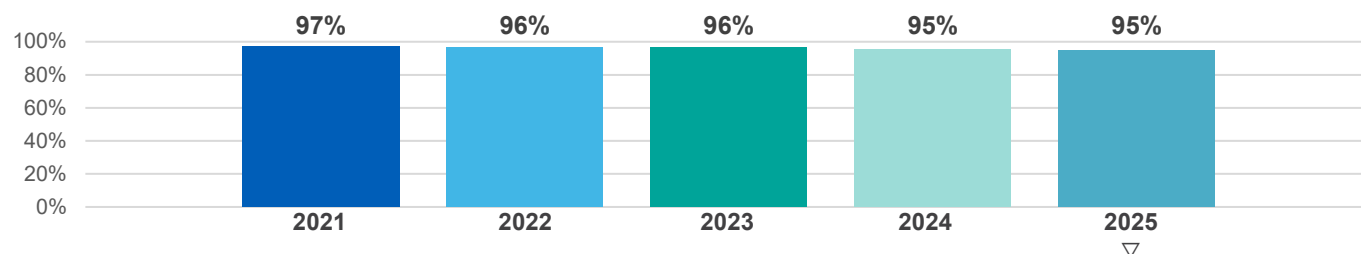
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Q8. Diagnostic test results were explained in a way the patient could completely understand

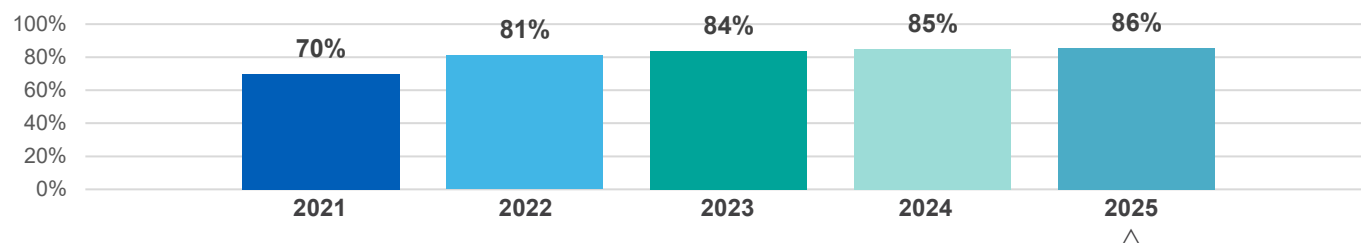


Q9. Enough privacy was always given to the patient when receiving diagnostic test results

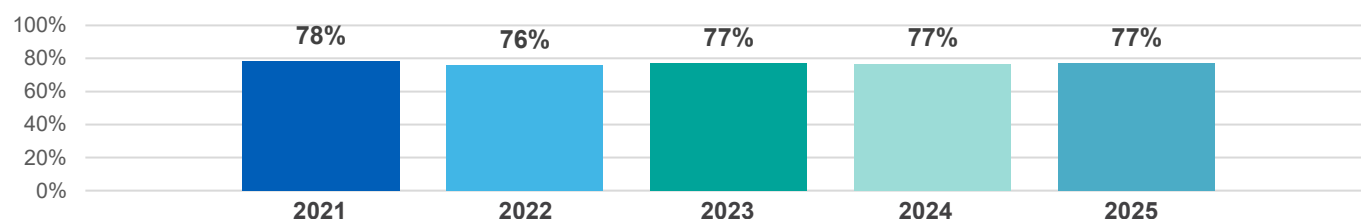


FINDING OUT THAT YOU HAD CANCER

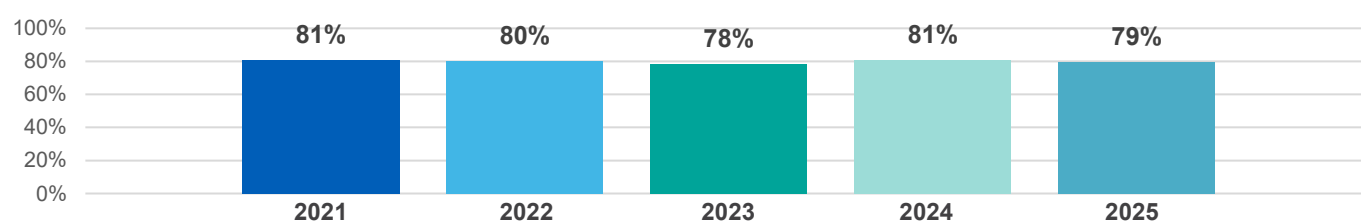
Q12. Patient was told they could have a family member, carer or friend with them when told diagnosis



Q13. Patient was definitely told sensitively that they had cancer



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



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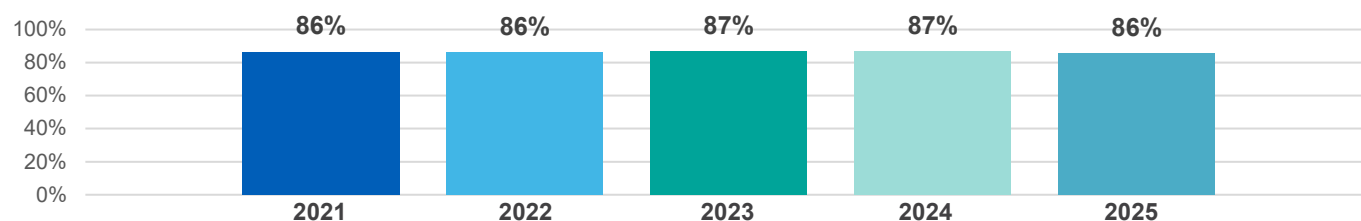
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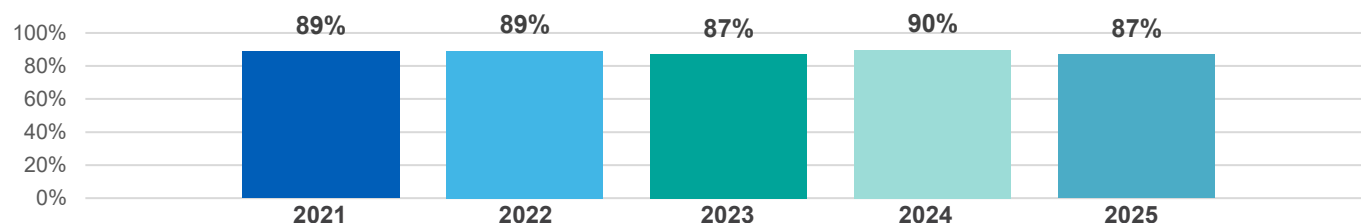
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Q15. Patient was definitely told about their diagnosis in an appropriate place

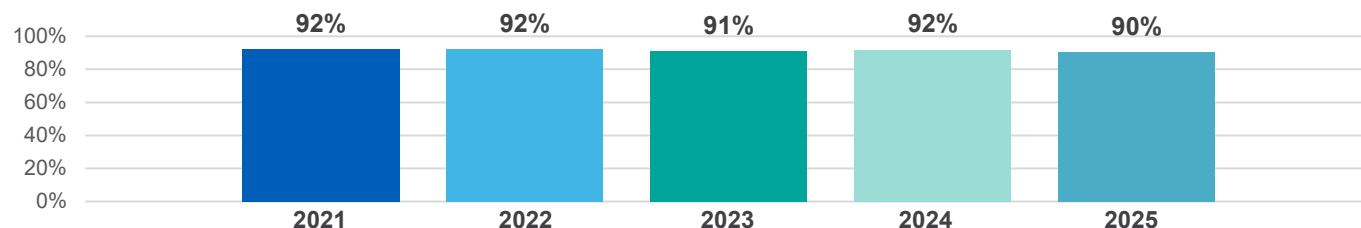


Q16. Patient was told they could go back later for more information about their diagnosis

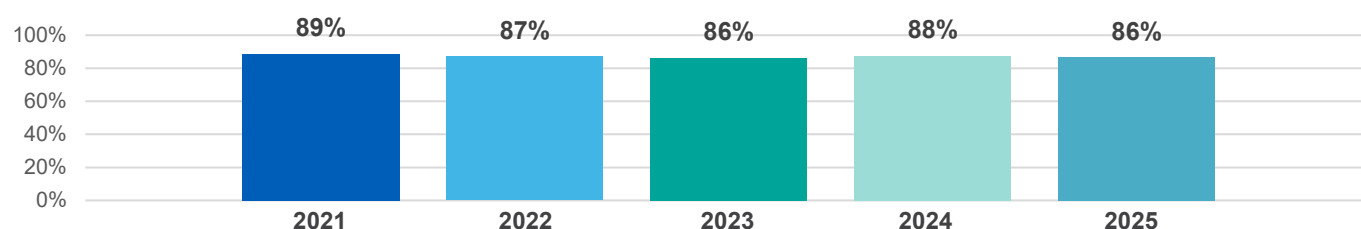


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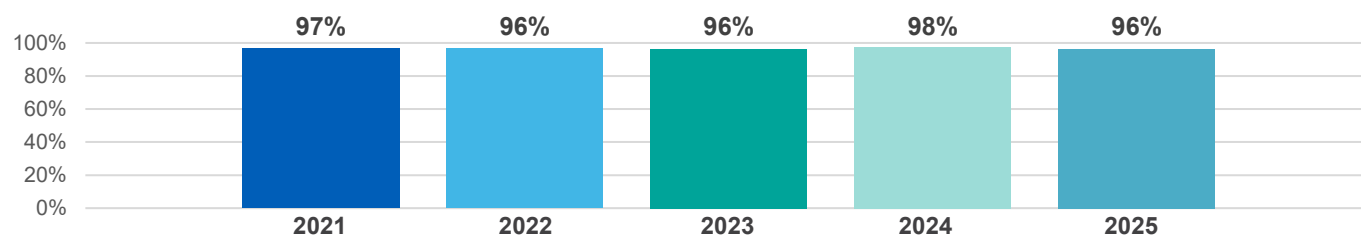
Q17. Patient had a main point of contact within the care team



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



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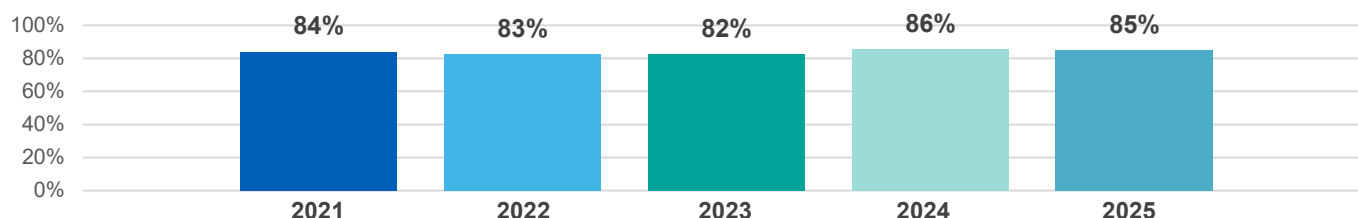
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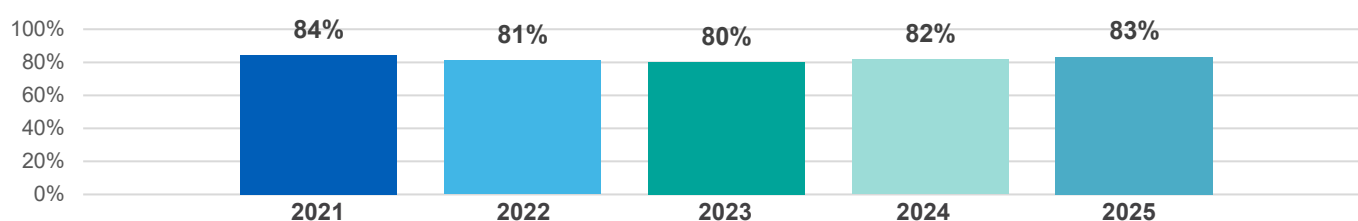
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DECIDING ON THE BEST TREATMENT

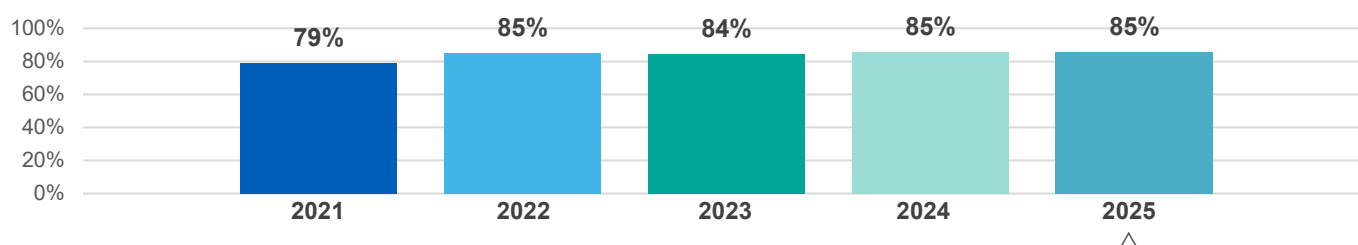
Q20. Treatment options were explained in a way the patient could completely understand



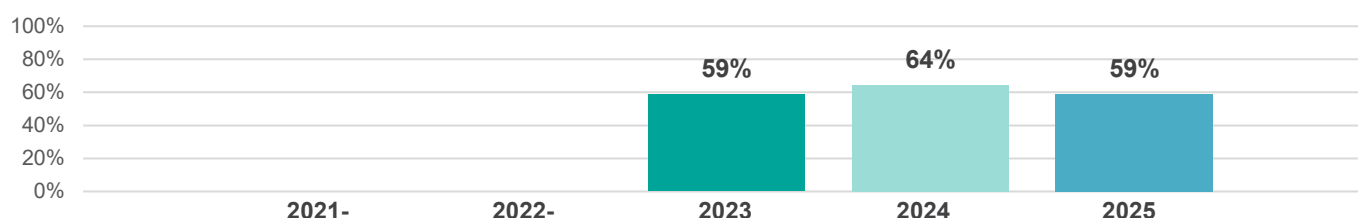
Q21. Patient was definitely involved as much as they wanted to be in decisions about their treatment



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

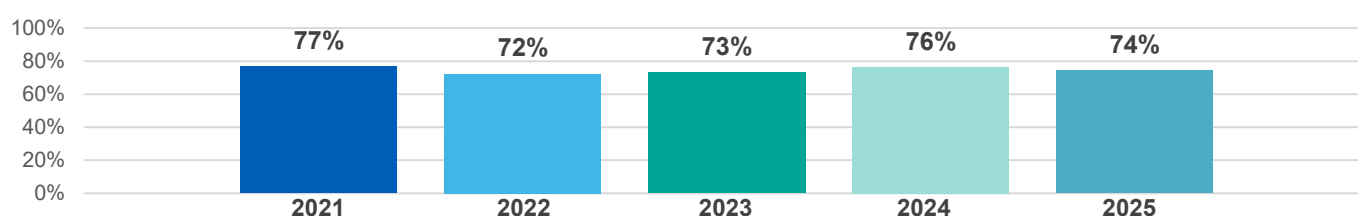


Q23. Patient could get further advice from a different healthcare professional before making decisions about their treatment options



CARE PLANNING

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



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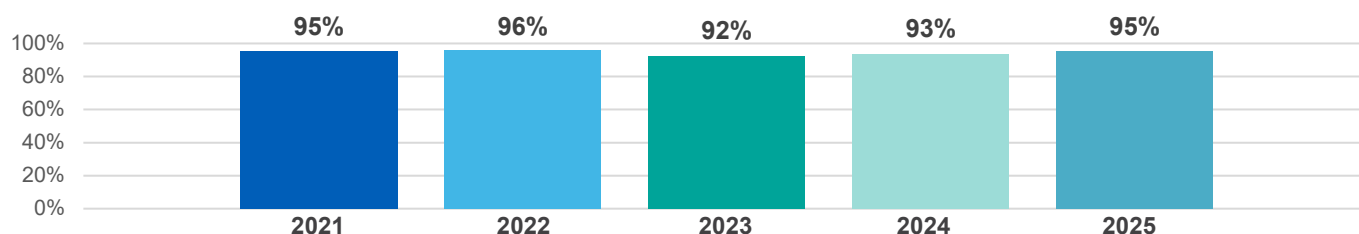
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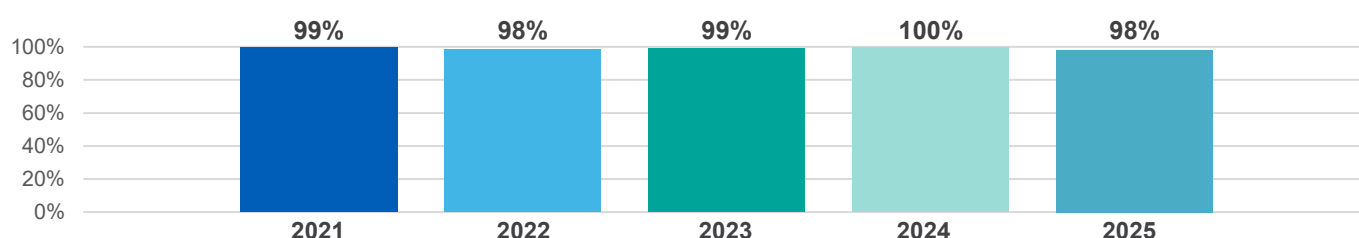
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Q25. A member of their care team helped the patient create a care plan to address any needs or concerns

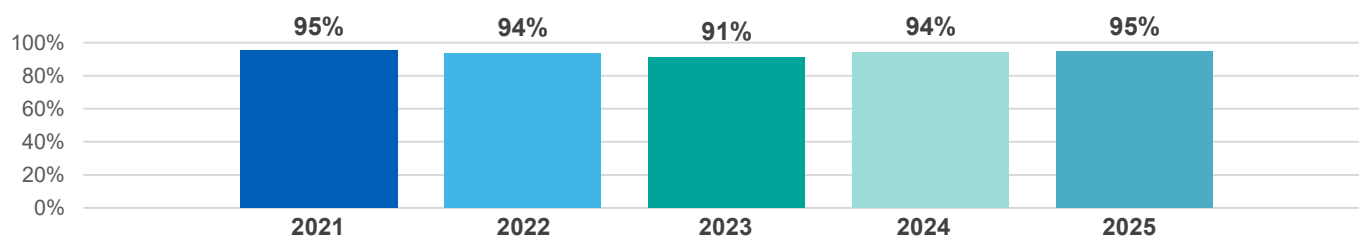


Q26. Care team reviewed the patient's care plan with them to ensure it was up to date

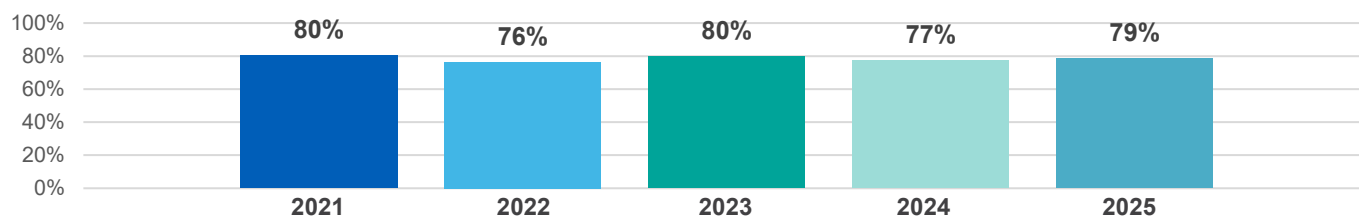


SUPPORT FROM HOSPITAL STAFF

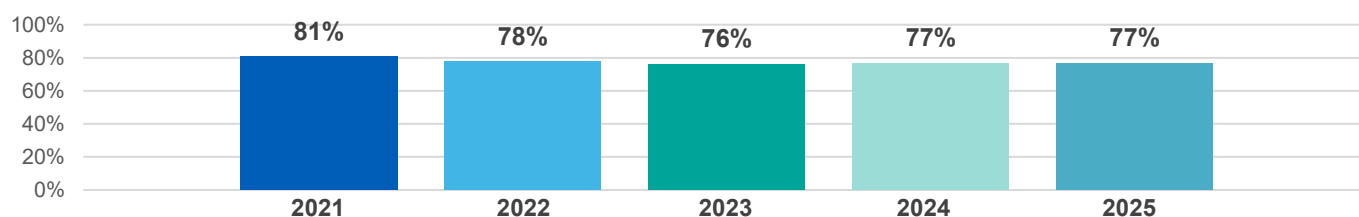
Q27. Staff provided the patient with relevant information on available support



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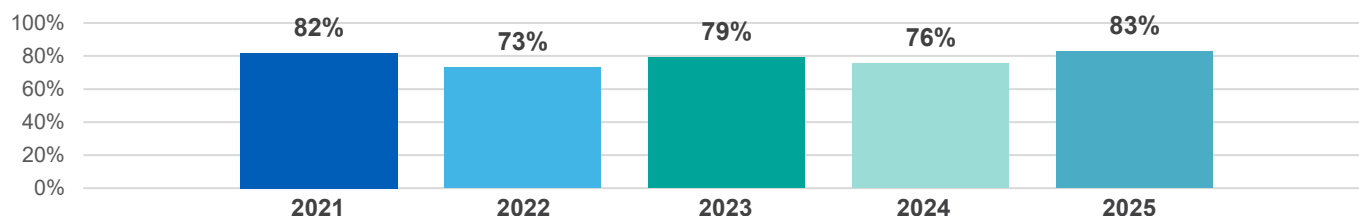
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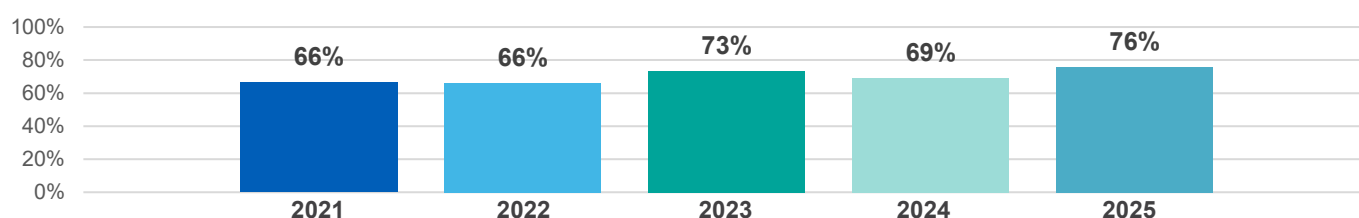
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HOSPITAL CARE

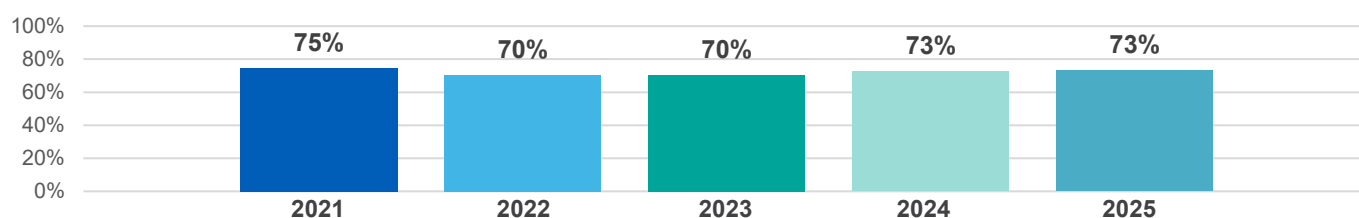
Q31. Patient had confidence and trust in all of the team looking after them during their stay in hospital



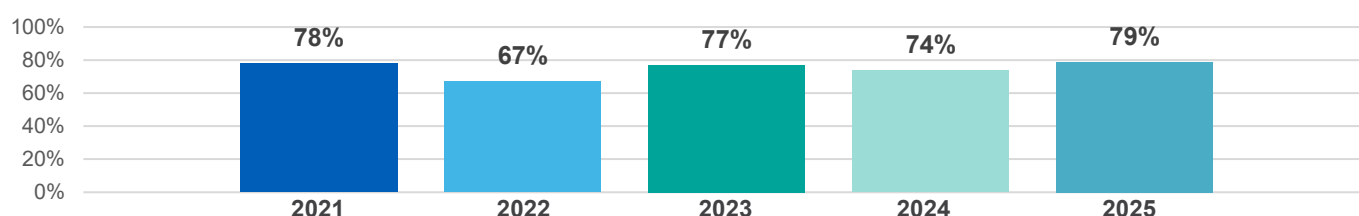
Q32. Patient's family, or someone close, was definitely able to talk to a member of the team looking after the patient in hospital



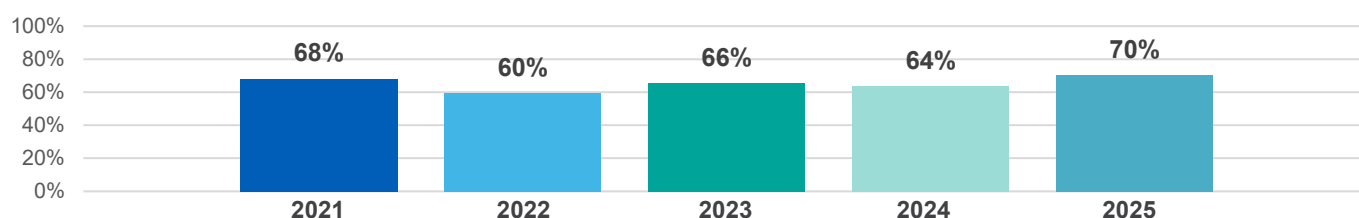
Q33. Patient was always involved in decisions about their care and treatment whilst in hospital



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



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



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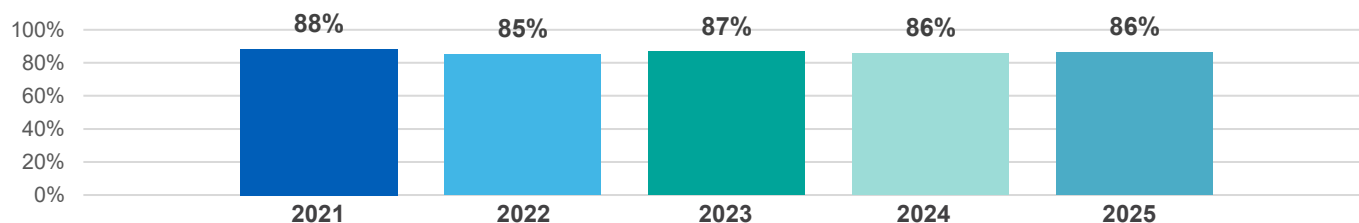
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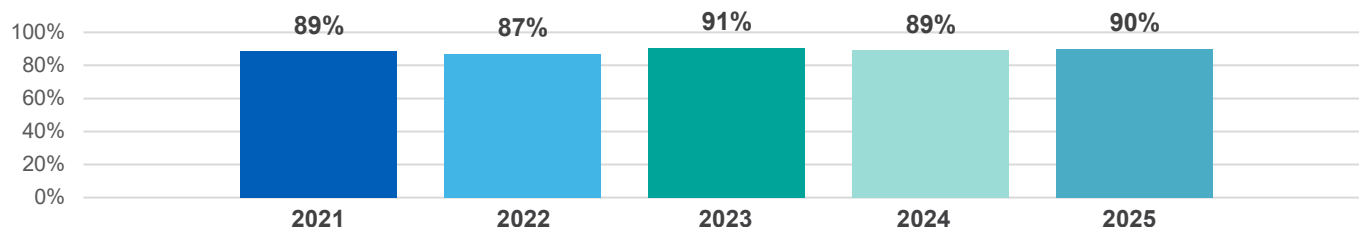
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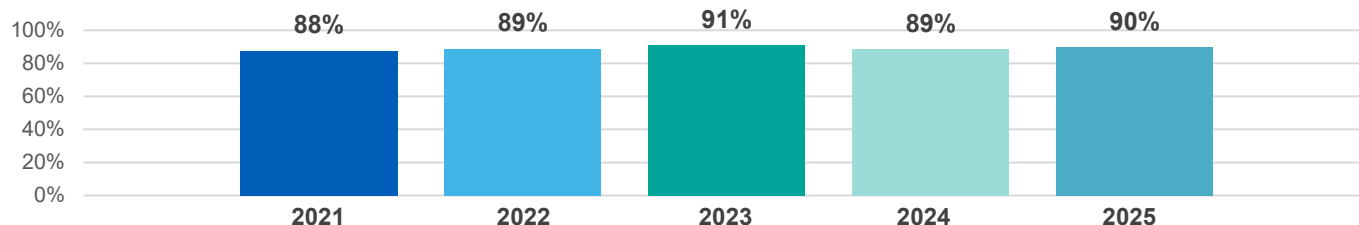
Q36. Hospital staff always did everything they could to help the patient control pain



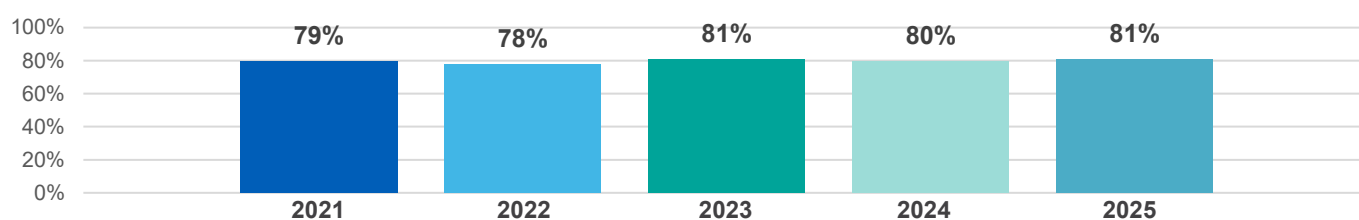
Q37. Patient was always treated with respect and dignity while in hospital



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

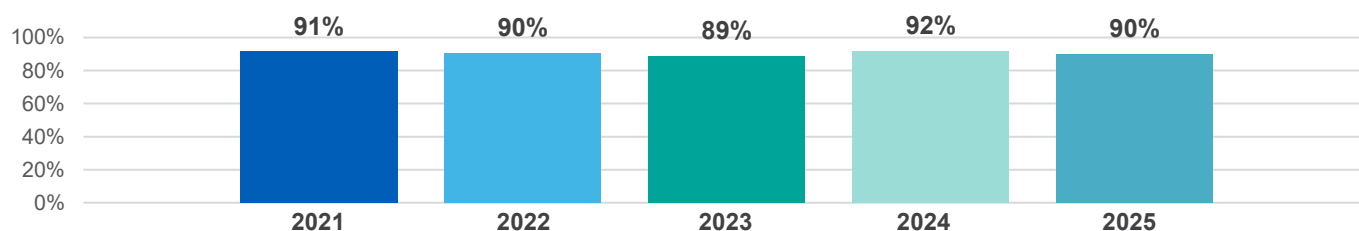


Q39. Patient was always able to discuss worries and fears with hospital staff while being treated as an outpatient or day case



YOUR TREATMENT

Q41_1. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about surgery



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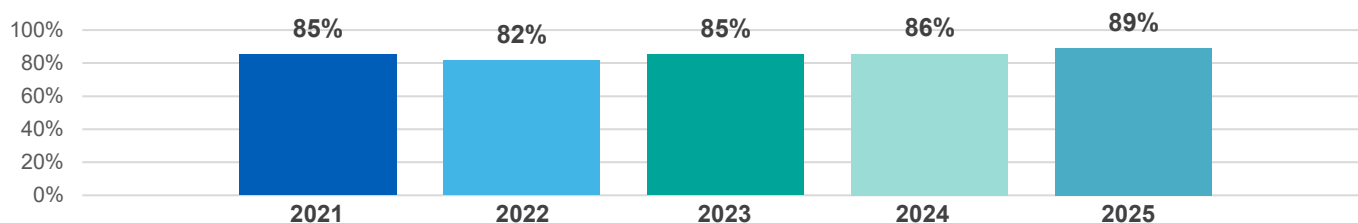
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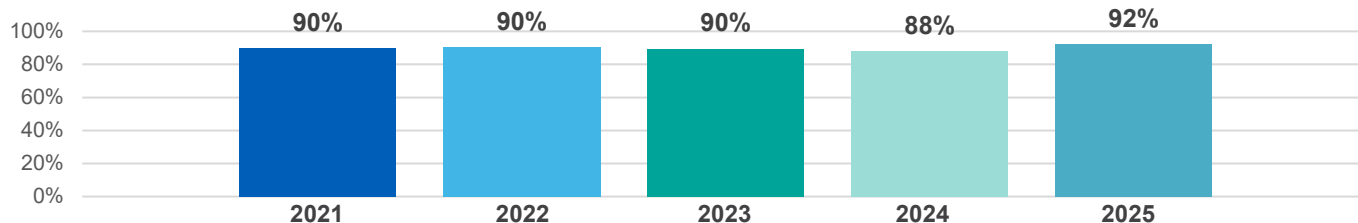
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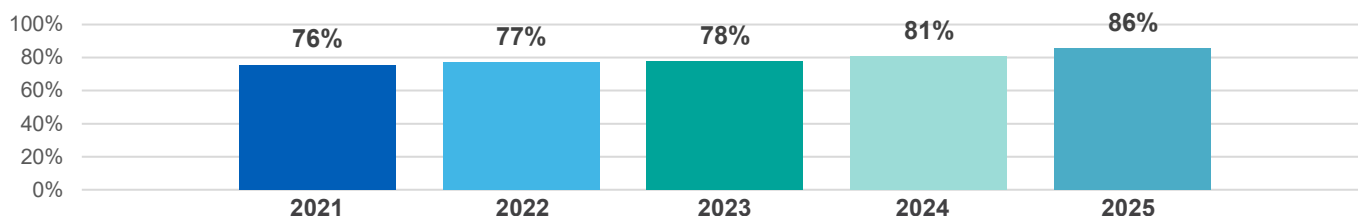
Q41_2. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about chemotherapy



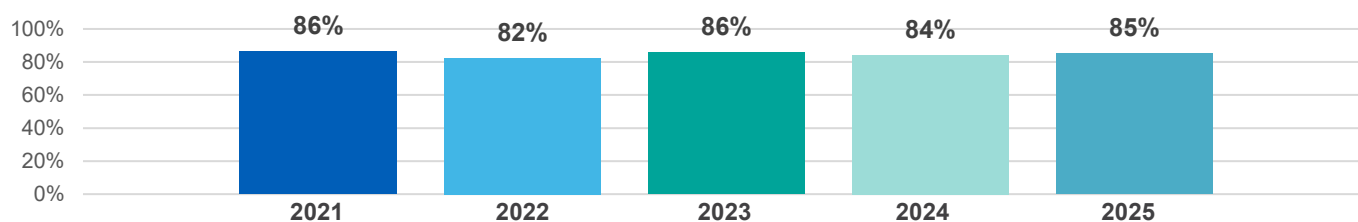
Q41_3. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about radiotherapy



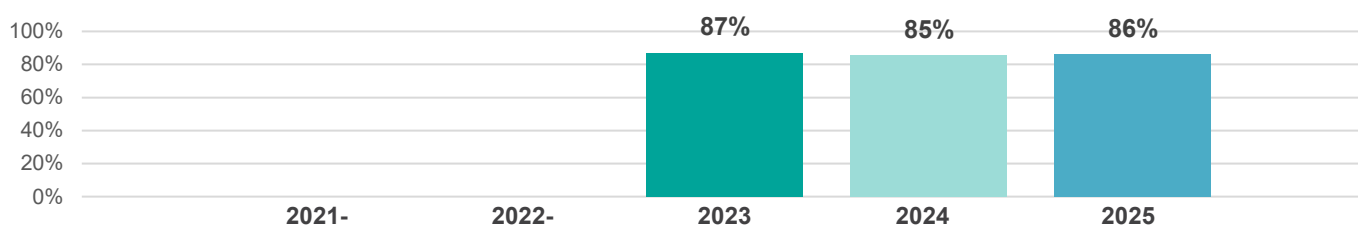
Q41_4. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about hormone therapy



Q41_5. Beforehand patient completely had enough understandable information about immunotherapy



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



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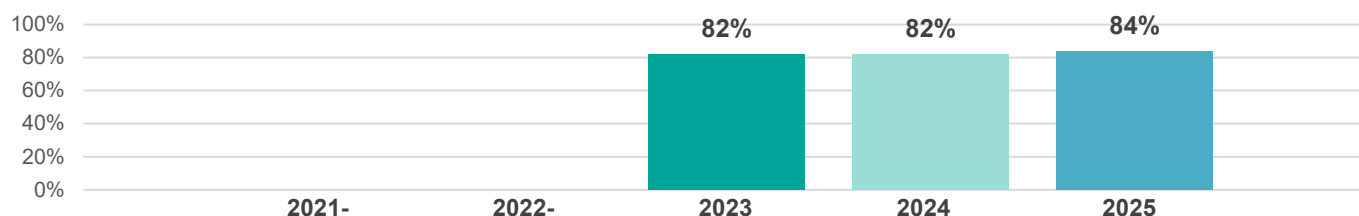
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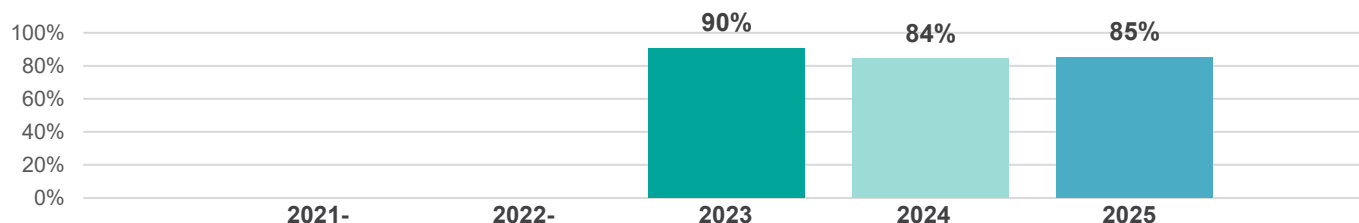
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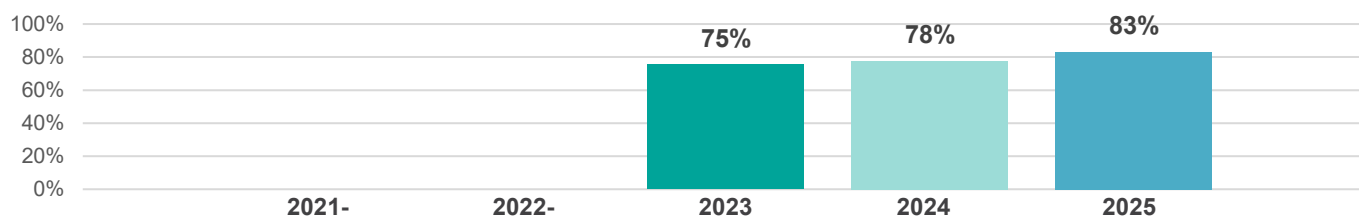
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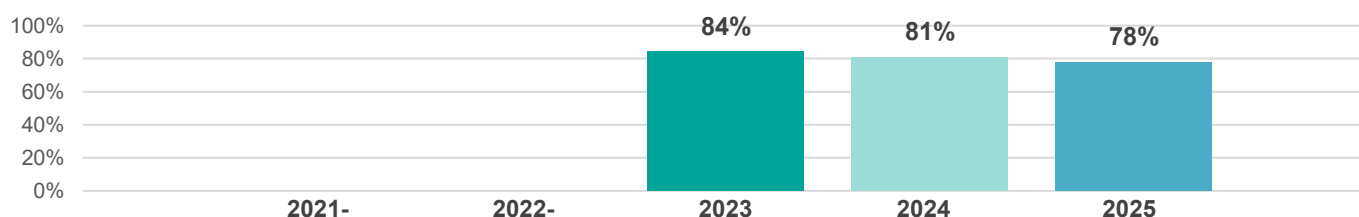
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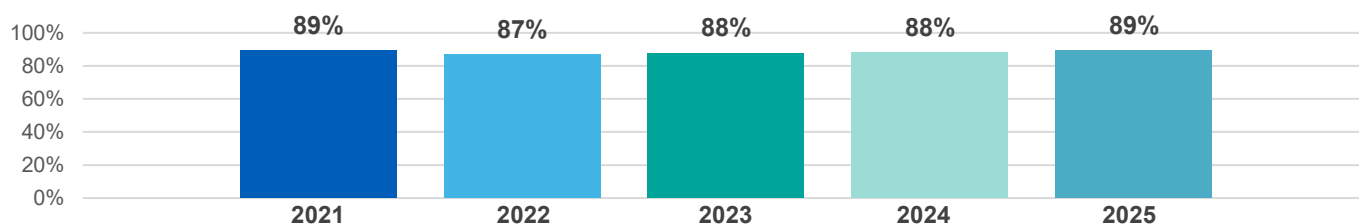
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Q43. Patient felt the length of waiting time at clinic and day unit for cancer treatment was about right



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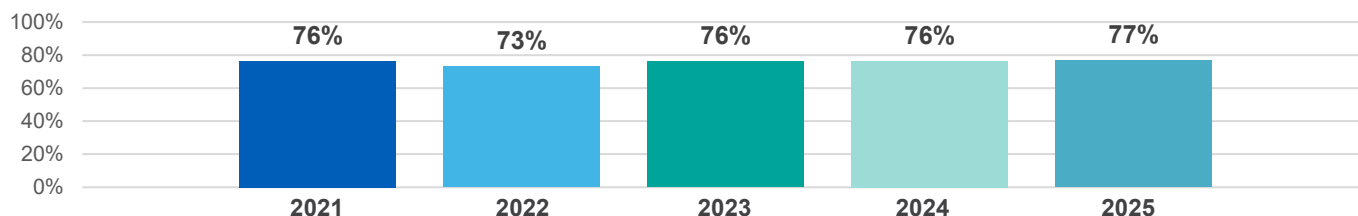
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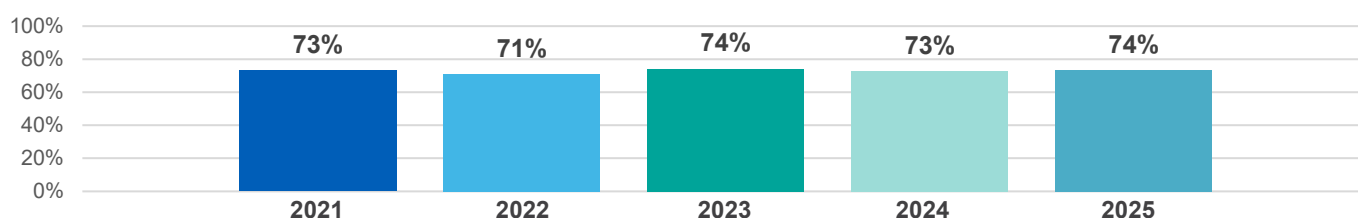
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IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM SIDE EFFECTS

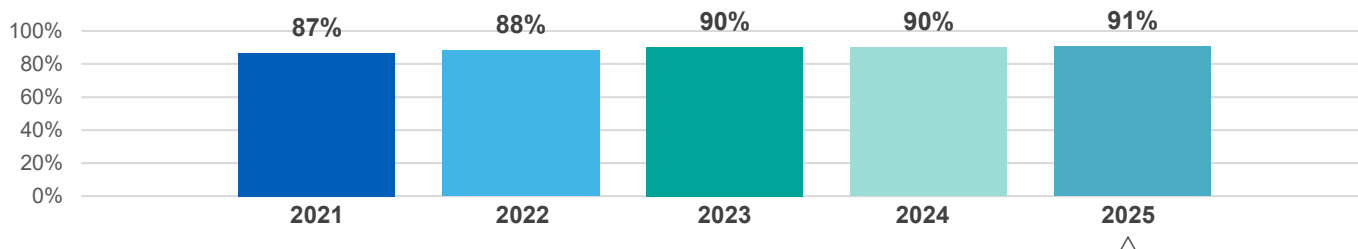
Q44. Possible side effects from treatment were definitely explained in a way the patient could understand



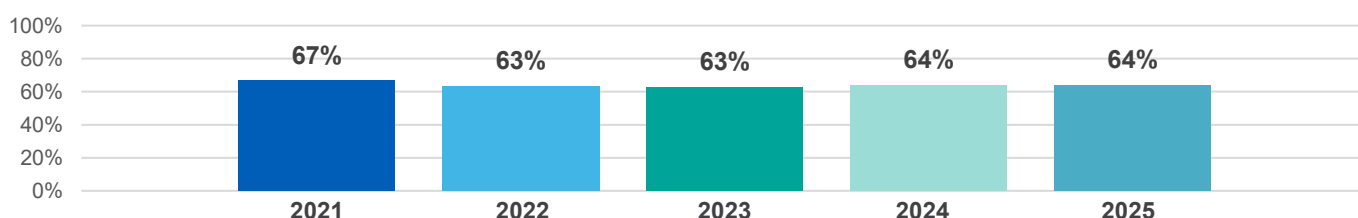
Q45. Patient was always offered practical advice on dealing with any immediate side effects from treatment



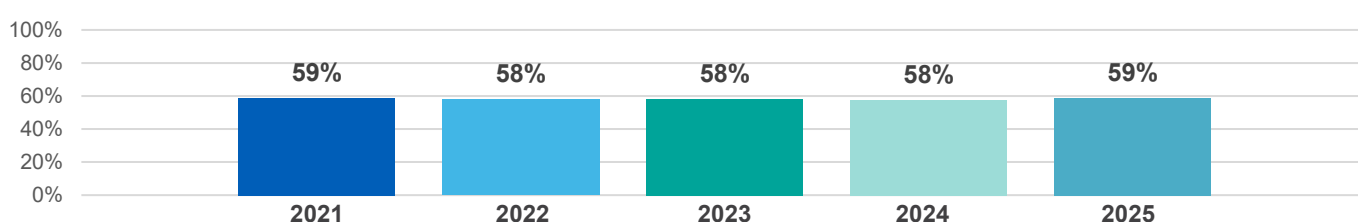
Q46. Patient was given information that they could access about support in dealing with immediate side effects from treatment



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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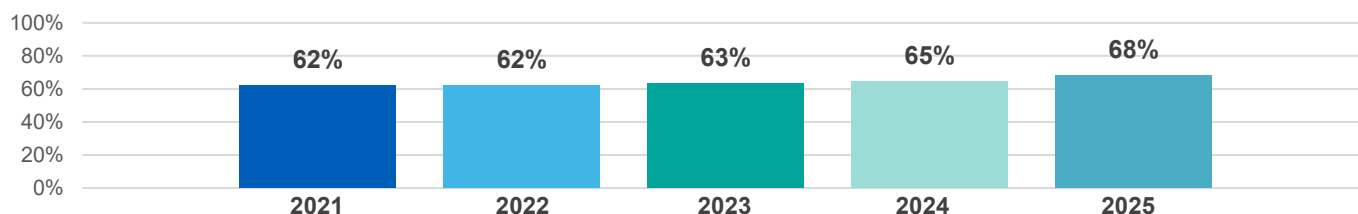
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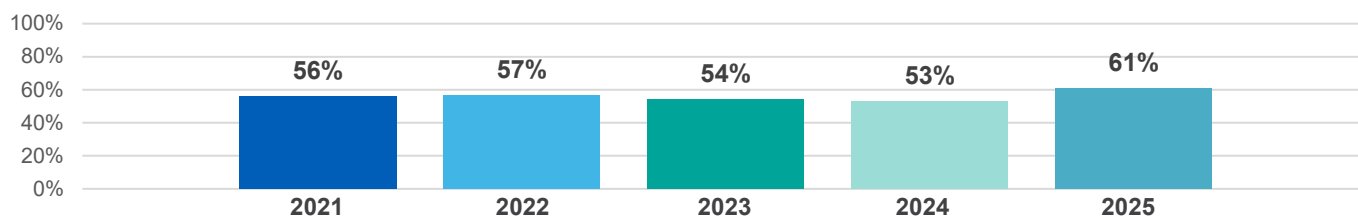
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SUPPORT WHILE AT HOME

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



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



CARE FROM YOUR GP PRACTICE

Q51. Patient definitely received the help or support needed from their GP practice since their cancer diagnosis



Q52. Patient has had a cancer care review with someone from their GP practice (excluding patients who have not had a review but were diagnosed less than or around 12 months ago)



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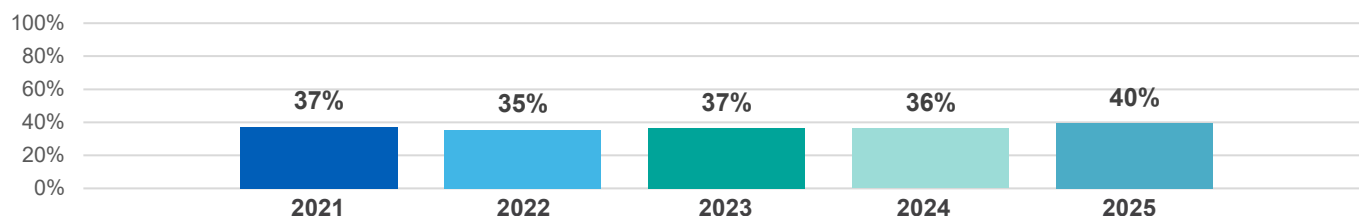
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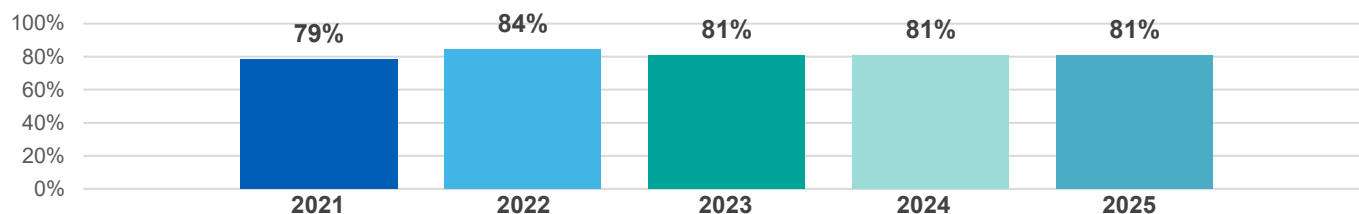
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LIVING WITH AND BEYOND CANCER

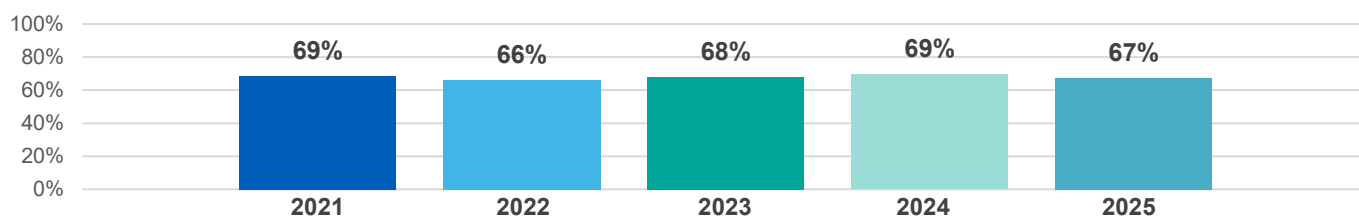
Q53. After treatment, the patient definitely could get enough emotional support at home from community or voluntary services



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

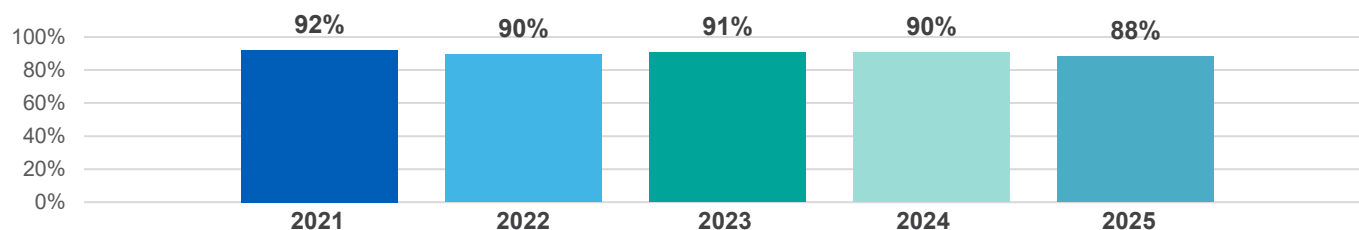


Q55. Patient was given enough information about the possibility and signs of cancer coming back or spreading

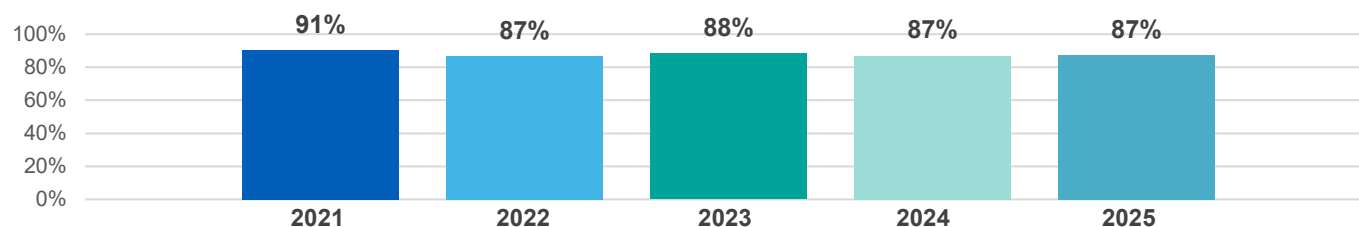


YOUR OVERALL NHS CARE

Q56. The whole care team worked well together



Q57. Administration of care was very good or good



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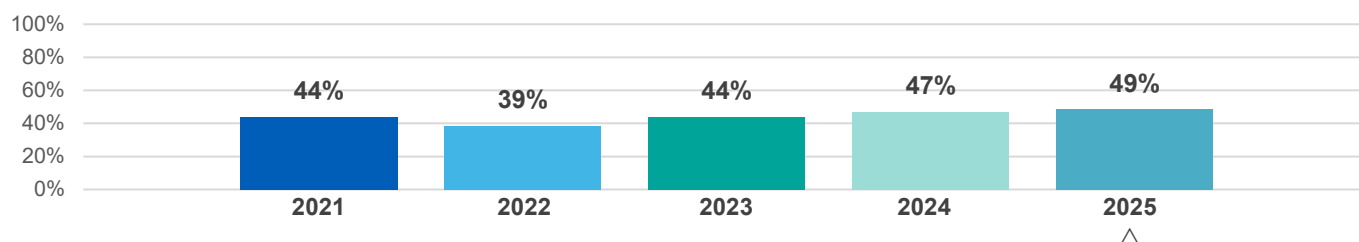
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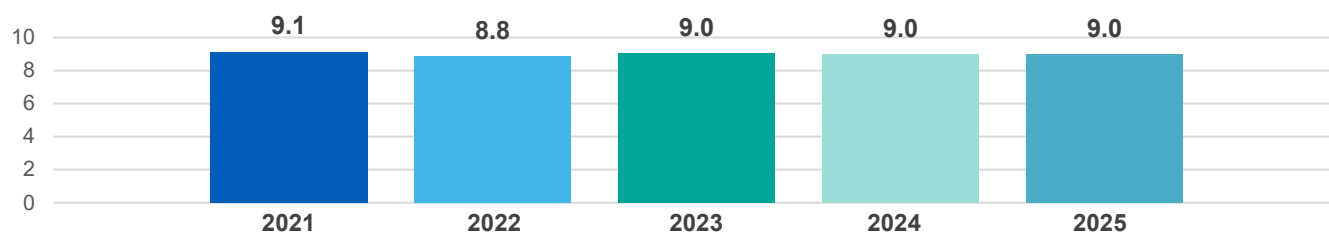
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Q58. Cancer research opportunities were discussed with patient



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



Trust expected range summary

Data labels relate to the number of scores that fell below, within and above the expected range

Number of scores below the lower expected range

Number of scores between the upper and lower expected ranges

Number of scores above the upper expected range

Trust		Expected range classification		
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