

Lymphoma Quality Performance Indicators

Patients diagnosed between October 2013 and September 2016

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About this release

This is the first publication of the National Lymphoma Quality Performance Indicators by the Information Services Division. The report assesses performance against eleven indicators developed by lymphoma specialists working in Scotland. The information reported has been collected from clinical audits. This report provides an opportunity to review NHSScotland performance against these measures.

Background

Lymphoma is cancer of the lymphatic system where tumours form in one or more groups of lymph nodes.

National cancer quality performance indicators have been developed to support continuous quality improvement in cancer care. NHS Boards are required to report these indicators as part of the mandatory national cancer quality programme. They have been developed collaboratively by the [North of Scotland Cancer Network](#), [South East Scotland Cancer Network](#), [West of Scotland Cancer Network](#) and [Healthcare Improvement Scotland](#) and the Information Services Division.

The next release of lymphoma quality performance indicators may include changes or refinements to indicator definitions and measurability criteria based on a review of this publication.

Find out more

Report

- [National report on Lymphoma Quality Performance Indicators](#)
- Supporting [data tables and graphs illustrating the figures](#) can also be downloaded.

Lymphoma Indicators

- A document detailing the lymphoma indicators is available from [Healthcare Improvement Scotland](#).

Cancer Quality Performance Indicators

- Information Services Division: [Cancer Quality Performance Indicators](#)
- For more information on the [National Cancer Quality Programme - Scottish Government letter CEL 06 2012](#).

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