

Cancer Surgery
Resection bowel/colon/rectum (Removal of diseased portion)

Actual Patient Waits for Procedures Performed
(01OCT2025 to 31MAR2026)

Area of Service	Patients completed	Within 2 weeks	3 - 4 weeks	5 - 6 weeks	7 - 12 weeks	13 - 26 weeks	Longer than 26 weeks	Patients Waiting on 31MAR2026
02 North East	8	Data	suppressed	because	< 20	procedures	performed.	< 5
03 Saskatoon	131	25%	38%	24%	11%	2%	0%	21
04 South West	15	Data	suppressed	because	< 20	procedures	performed.	< 5
05 South East	5	Data	suppressed	because	< 20	procedures	performed.	< 5
06 Regina	56	43%	48%	9%	0%	0%	0%	7
Other smaller areas	< 5	Data	suppressed	because	< 20	procedures	performed.	< 5
99 All SK hospitals	219	33%	40%	18%	7%	1%	0%	32

* Fewer than five cases performed in the following area(s): North West

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

Notes:

- ◆ Most of these procedure are performed by general surgeons, but they may also be performed by urologists.
- ◆ 38% of all bowel/colon/rectum resections reported over this time period were categorized as cancer surgeries.
- ◆ 90% of bowel/colon/rectum resections reported here were categorized with a diagnosis-based priority of four weeks or less. The remainder have a diagnosis-based prioirty of six weeks or longer. Emergency procedures are excluded.
- ◆ Time periods where patients specify that they are unavailable for surgery are subtracted from the wait time.
- ◆ Postponed cases are included, regardless of whether the reason for postponement is patient or system related.
- ◆ The results are based on the Apr 19, 2026 refresh of the Saskatchewan Surgical Patient Registry data mart and are subject to minor changes as data is added or corrected.