

2025 Screening Programs by the numbers

Cancer Screening



ages
25 to 69

1,520,707 Albertans were eligible for **cervical cancer screening**.

*Data includes colposcopy data that may be underreported.

- **62.2%** up to date with cervical screening*.
- **1.8% (6,074)** of eligible individuals who were screened in 2025 needed further assessment.



ages
45 to 74

860,494 Albertans were eligible for **breast cancer screening**.

- **63.5%** up to date with a mammogram every two years.
- **8.5% (22,913)** of eligible individuals who were screened in 2025 needed further assessment.



ages
50 to 74

1,431,698 Albertans were eligible for **colorectal cancer screening**.

- **57.9%** up to date with screening.*
- **8.0% (30,086)** of eligible individuals who were screened in 2025 needed assessment after Fecal Immunological Test (FIT) positive results.

*Data includes individuals who either had a FIT within two years or a colonoscopy within five years.



ages
50 to 74

4,793 of referred at-risk Albertans were eligible to participate in the lung cancer screening pilot.*

*Pilot project started Sep 1, 2022 | Data from Sep 1, 2022 to Dec 31, 2025.

Cancer Screening Outreach

7,824 screening mammograms performed in **75** rural communities by mobile Screen Test trailers and the clinic in Edmonton.



5,335 calls to 1-866-727-3926.

9% from 2024

108,140 visits to screeningforlife.ca.

61% from 2024

3,838 FIT kits for colorectal screening were mailed directly to eligible individuals upon request.

Newborn Screening

98.9% of babies born in Alberta in 2025 were screened for **22** treatable conditions.

Data for newborn hearing screening in 2025 is not available at this time.



For more information on cancer screening, visit screeningforlife.ca

For more information on newborn screening, visit primarycarealberta.ca/newbornscreening