

Cancer Screening



ages 25 to 69

1,335,553 Albertans were eligible for **cervical cancer screening**.

- 60% up to date with a Pap test* every 3 years.
- 6,980 screened individuals needed further assessment.**

*Data includes colposcopy | **Data from Apr 1, 2021 to Mar 31, 2022



ages 45 to 74*

632,816 Albertans were eligible for **breast cancer screening**.

- 63% up to date with a mammogram every 2 years.
- 12,609 screened individuals needed further assessment.**

*Data is based on previous age group recommendation 50-74 years | **Data from Apr 1, 2021 to Mar 31, 2022



ages 50 to 74

1,325,373 Albertans were eligible for **colorectal cancer screening**.

- 53.4% up to date with screening.*
- 25,608 Albertans needed further assessment after FIT positive results.**

*Data includes individuals who either had a FIT within 2 years or a colonoscopy within 5 years
**Data from Apr 1, 2021 to Mar 31, 2022



ages 50 to 74

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

- 80% reported that they were currently smoking.*
- 29% accepted support to quit smoking.*

*Pilot project started Sep 1, 2022 | Data from Sep 1, 2022 to Mar 31, 2023

Cancer Screening Outreach



11,553 screening mammograms performed* in **109** rural communities by **2** mobile Screen Test trailers.

*Data from Jan, 2022 to Dec, 2022

902,954 personalized letters sent.
↑ 5% since 2021.

4,460 calls to 1-866-727-3926.
↓ 8% from 2021.

64,662 visitors to screeningforlife.ca.
↑ 66% from 2021.

2,502 FIT kits for colorectal screening were mailed directly to eligible individuals upon request.

Newborn Screening

99.2% of babies born in Alberta in 2022 were screened for **22** treatable conditions.

81.3% of babies born in Alberta in 2022 were screened for hearing loss.

