

Summary of projected number of cancer cases and deaths in Alberta (AB) in 2023*

Cancer	Males		Females		Both sexes	
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
All cancers	11,900	4,100	11,300	3,600	23,200	7,700
Bladder	880	130	260	50	1,140	180
Brain/CNS	190	150	140	95	330	245
Breast	20	5	3,300	510	3,320	515
Cervix	N/A	N/A	170	45	170	45
Colorectal	1,250	470	1,000	360	2,250	830
Esophagus	210	160	55	45	265	205
Head and neck	490	130	190	50	680	180
Hodgkin lymphoma	70	5	50	5	120	10
Kidney and renal pelvis	570	100	270	55	840	155
Leukemia	400	160	260	100	660	260
Liver and intrahepatic bile duct	300	210	150	120	450	330
Lung and bronchus	1,200	850	1,500	890	2,700	1,740
Melanoma	590	70	500	40	1,090	110
Multiple myeloma	210	80	130	60	340	140
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	560	160	410	110	970	270
Ovary	N/A	N/A	240	180	240	180
Pancreas	340	290	320	260	660	550
Prostate	3,100	470	N/A	N/A	3,100	470
Soft tissue (including heart)	95	35	70	35	165	70
Stomach	210	100	110	65	320	165
Testis	160	—	N/A	N/A	160	—
Thyroid	210	15	450	20	660	35
Uterus (body, NOS)	N/A	N/A	850	150	850	150
Source*	Tables 1.5 (cases) and 2.5 (deaths)			Males + Females		

CNS=central nervous system; NOS=not otherwise specified; NA=not applicable; — fewer than 3 cases or deaths

*Source: [Canadian Cancer Statistics 2023](#) (Tables 1.5 and 2.5). Both are available through cancer.ca/statistics and are accompanied by details on the data sources and methods used to obtain the estimates. Please reference accordingly. Email any questions to stats@cancer.ca.

Cases	Projected number of cancer diagnoses in 2023 (based on data to 2019)
Deaths	Projected number of cancer deaths in 2023 (based on data to 2020)

New: [Canadian Cancer Statistics Dashboard](#) presents the above cancer statistics in a new user-friendly format with interactive visualizations.

When using any of the above statistics, the following reference is recommended: Canadian Cancer Statistics Advisory Committee in collaboration with the Canadian Cancer Society, Statistics Canada and the Public Health Agency of Canada. *Canadian Cancer Statistics 2023*. Toronto, ON: Canadian Cancer Society; 2023.