Cancer Waiting Times
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The 62-day standard was met by two NHS Boards: NHS Borders and NHS Lanarkshire.

Two of the ten cancer types successfully met the 95% 62-day standard.

The 31-day standard was met by twelve NHS Boards: NHS Ayrshire & Arran, NHS Borders, NHS Dumfries & Galloway, NHS Fife, NHS Forth Valley, NHS Grampian, NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde, NHS Lanarkshire, NHS Lothian, NHS Orkney, NHS Tayside and NHS Western Isles.

Seven of the ten cancer types successfully met the 95% 31-day standard.

84.7% of patients started treatment within the 62-day standard, an increase from 83.7% in the previous quarter.

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The 62-day standard from receipt of referral to treatment

Previous quarter | Jan–Mar 2020
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83.7% | 84.7%

The 31-day standard from decision to treat until first treatment

Previous quarter | Jan–Mar 2020
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96.5% | 96.1%

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