

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

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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](https://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.

