

| Cancer Surveillance & Outcomes

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Statistics by Cancer Type - Thyroid

General Summary

In 2017, an estimated 600 British Columbians will be newly diagnosed with thyroid cancer and 30 will die of it. An estimated 73% of those diagnosed with thyroid cancer will be female.

One in 95 females and one in 242 males is expected to develop thyroid cancer during their lifetime.

One in 1287 females and one in 1695 males is expected to die of thyroid cancer.

Number of New Thyroid Cancer Cases Diagnosed in 2014

Age at Diagnosis	Males	Females	Total
0-19	0	5	5
20-39	20	85	110
40-59	45	155	200
60-79	50	85	135
80+	5	15	20
Total	130	345	470

Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sum of individual values

Number of Thyroid Cancer Deaths in 2014

Age at Death	Males	Females	Total
0-19	0	0	0
20-39	0	0	0
40-59	5	0	5
60-79	0	5	10
80+	5	5	10
Total	5	15	25

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Incidence Rates (per 100,000 population) for Thyroid Cancer Cases Diagnosed in 2014

Age at Diagnosis	Males	Females	Total
0-19	0.4	0.6	0.5
20-39	3.8	13.8	8.8
40-59	6.8	22.6	14.8
60-79	12	18.6	15.4
80+	5.9	13.9	10.6
Total	5.6	14.7	10.2

Mortality Rates (per 100,000 population) for Thyroid Cancer Deaths in 2014

Age at Death	Males	Females	Total
0-19	0	0	0
20-39	0	0	0
40-59	0.3	0	0.1
60-79	0.5	1.8	1.1
80+	4.7	5.7	5.3
Total	0.3	0.6	0.5

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Estimated New Thyroid Cancer Diagnoses in 2017 by Health Authority

		Age at Diagnosis				
Health Authority	0-19	20-39	40-59	60-79	80+	Total*
Interior	0	15	35	30	5	85
Fraser	0	50	100	60	10	230
Coastal	0	40	65	40	5	150
Island	0	20	40	35	5	95
Northern	0	10	20	15	0	45
BC	5	130	250	180	30	600

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Estimated Thyroid Cancer Deaths in 2017 by Health Authority

		Age at Diagnosis				
Health Authority	0-19	20-39	40-59	60-79	80+	Total*
Interior	0	0	0	0	0	5
Fraser	0	0	0	5	0	10
Coastal	0	0	0	0	0	5
Island	0	0	0	0	0	5
Northern	0	0	0	0	0	0
BC	0	0	0	20	10	30

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1-, 3- and 5-year Observed Survival and Age-standardized Relative Survival for BC Adults (age 15-99) Diagnosed with Thyroid Cancer

	Observed Survival Proportion %			Relative Survival Proportion %		
	1 Year 3 Year 5 Year			1 Year	3 Year	5 Year
Survival Proportion	96.7	94.2	92.0	93.2	90.8	90.0
95% Confidence Interval	95.7 - 97.4	92.9 - 95.2	90.5 - 93.3	90.6 - 95.1	87.4 - 93.4	85.6 - 93.1



