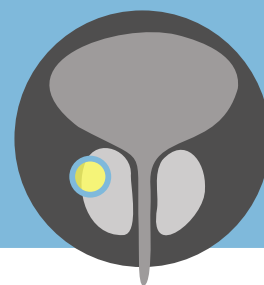


Prostate cancer in Canada



Prostate cancer develops in the cells of the prostate. Changes in these cells can lead to benign (non-cancerous) or precancerous conditions. In some cases, these tumours could become malignant (cancerous).

The data^{1,2}

It is the **4th MOST COMMON** cancer in Canada



1 IN 9 MEN will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime

About **23,300 men** will have been diagnosed with prostate cancer in **2020**

In **MEN**, prostate cancer is the **#1 CANCER**

99% of cases occur in **MEN AGED 50+**

Risk factors include*



AGING



FAMILY HISTORY



RACIAL OR CULTURAL BACKGROUND



INHERITED GENE MUTATIONS

* For more information, please visit: <https://data.prevent.cancer.ca/current>

Screening and detection^{2,3}

74%

of prostate cancers are diagnosed **EARLY** at **STAGE I and II**

The **PROBABILITY OF SURVIVING** prostate cancer **AT LEAST 5 YEARS AFTER DIAGNOSIS** is about

93%

Screening for prostate cancer using the Prostate-Specific Antigen (PSA) test is not recommended.

The screening guidelines above are available from the Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care.

Note: Statistics for lifetime probability, stage and survival exclude Quebec. Stage statistics include individuals aged 18 to 79 years at diagnosis and survival statistics include individuals aged 15 to 99 years at diagnosis. Unless specified, statistics include all stages combined.

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