

Clinical Domain - Cancer

Cancer register = All cancer patients with a diagnosis of cancer (excluding non-melanotic skin cancers) from 1 April 2003.

Quality & Outcomes Framework (QOF) April 2006 - March 2007, Northern Ireland nGMS practices

Indicator Achievement Points for this clinical domain by nGMS practices within each Health and Social Services Board (HSSB)

Points per Indicator CANCER 1 5

HSSB	Number of Practices participating	Points achieved	Points available	% Points achieved	Total register size ¹	Combined List size at January 2007	Raw Prevalence per 1,000 patients ²
Eastern	147	735.0	735	100%	5,908	715,983	8.25
Northern	81	405.0	405	100%	3,353	429,716	7.80
Southern	77	385.0	385	100%	2,731	359,432	7.60
Western	58	290.0	290	100%	2,126	309,177	6.88
Northern Ireland	363	1,815.0	1,815	100%	14,118	1,814,308	7.78

Data Source: Payment Calculation and Analysis System (PCAS) as at 31 March 2007, taking account of locally resolved adjustments up to 30 June 2007. Register sizes and raw prevalence figures are as at 14 February 2007.

¹ For full details of which patients were to be included in each register, refer to Annex E of the Statement of Financial Entitlement 2006 (see QOF Links page).

² For QOF payment purposes, the register is always expressed out of the full patient list of practices, even though this may not reflect the target group of the indicator.

