

2024-25 Strategic Plan

LONG-TERM GOALS

- Safe – Avoiding harm
- Timely – Reducing waits
- Efficient – Avoiding waste
- Effective – Providing services based on scientific knowledge
- Person-centred – Providing care that is respectful and responsive
- Equitable – Providing care that does not vary in quality because of personal characteristics



- Effective use of resources
- People/leadership development
- Skill/task alignment
- Prevention/health promotion

- Research
- Personalized medicine
- Models of care
- Partnership development

Strategic Initiatives

1. DRUG COMPUTERIZED PROVIDER ORDER ENTRY (DRUG CPOE)

Implement a Drug Computerized Provider Order Entry (Drug CPOE) system as part of the transition to a comprehensive electronic medical record. This project will focus on incorporating all prescribed, dispensed and administered medications within SCA treatment units (excluding clinical trial protocols) which will enhance patient safety and streamline medication management.

2. FIRST NATIONS AND MÉTIS CANCER STRATEGY

Collaborate with partners to better understand the experiences of Indigenous people receiving cancer services, and develop a First Nations & Métis Cancer Strategy.

3. INTERSTITIAL GYNECOLOGICAL BRACHYTHERAPY

Develop an Interstitial high dose rate (HDR) gynecological brachytherapy program in Saskatchewan. This program will eliminate the need for women to travel out-of-province for treatment as the gold standard of care will now be available close to home.

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High Operational Priorities



1. OPTIMIZING PATIENT SCHEDULING/REDUCING PATIENT WAIT TIMES

Streamline outpatient appointment scheduling to minimize patient waits, maximize efficiencies, balance workload and optimize resource allocation.

2. LUNG CANCER SCREENING & PREVENTION

Establish a comprehensive lung screening and prevention program in Saskatchewan, focused on the early detection and prevention of lung cancer. This high-quality program is designed to be evidence-based, collaborative, community-informed, person-centred and responsive.

3. CANCHECK

Upgrade SCA screening program software systems to a modern, unified platform. This upgrade addresses the critical risks associated with outdated and unsupported legacy systems, and ensures enhanced functionality and adaptability for evolving screening needs.

4. MODELS OF CARE

Use innovation to improve efficiency and sustainability of cancer care delivery while mitigating inequities in access and outcomes for underserved populations.

- **Rapid Diagnosis of Upper Gastrointestinal Cancers**

This project demonstrates a new model for rapidly diagnosing cases of suspected upper gastrointestinal cancers in a northern Saskatchewan community. The model will provide patient navigation and address system-related issues causing delays in diagnosis and referrals.

- **Monoclonal Gammopathies Care Pathway**

This project demonstrates a new care pathway from diagnosis to end-of-life for patients in northern Saskatchewan communities with complex monoclonal gammopathy care requirements. This model will provide patient navigation, early pain and symptom management, and palliative care supports to address system-related issues contributing to delays and health-care inequities.