**COUNTRY REPORT**

**UNITED KINGDOM**

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**BURDEN**

1st cause of death**

- Cancer incidence
- Cancer mortality

Per 100,000 inhabitants (age-standardised rate)

- **Globocan (2022)**

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**NATIONAL INITIATIVES**

- **National Cancer Plans**
  - **NO** England (last plan 2015-2020)
  - **YES** Scotland
  - **YES** Wales

- **National Cancer Registries**
  - **YES**

- **National Cancer Audit**
  - **YES**

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**PREVENTION**

- **Tobacco smoking total prevalence**
  - **UK Office for National Statistics (2022)**, **Scottish Health Survey (2022)**, **Health Survey Northern Ireland (2022/2023)**, **National Survey for Wales (2022/2023)**

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**SCREENING**

- **Breast cancer (uptake)**
  - **England : CRUK (2019-2023)**

- **Cervical cancer (coverage)**
  - **Scotland and Wales : ONGOING pilots**

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**ORGANISED SCREENING PROGRAMMES**

- **Lung cancer**
  - **England : ONGOING rollout**

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**DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT**

- **Multi-biomarker test access**
  - **ICBP & National sources**

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**WORKFORCE**

- **Nurses**
  - **CRUK (2019-2023)**

- **Pathologists**
  - **ICBP (2019-2023)**

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**SURVIVORSHIP AND QUALITY OF LIFE**

- **Palliative care services**
  - **UKHSA (2023)**

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**ENDNOTES**


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