



Moorabool LGA Cancer Snapshot 2015-16 Year



Our Stats:

31,818



Our Population

342 births in 2015
185 deaths in 2015 (all cause)



1.2%

Indigenous
Australians

83% - 2011

↓ 81% - 2016

Australian-born

5.8% Born in Non-English Speaking Countries

Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census 2016 & 2011

We Are At Risk!

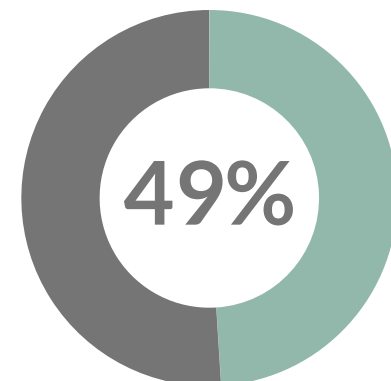
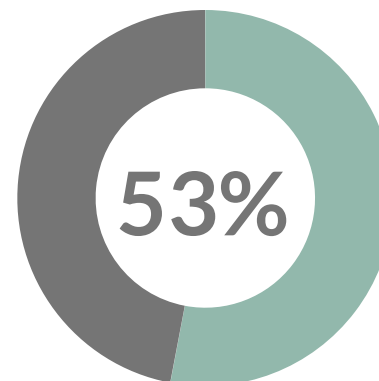
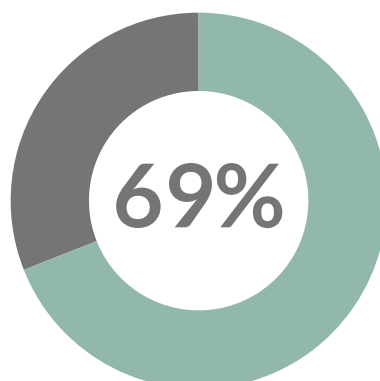
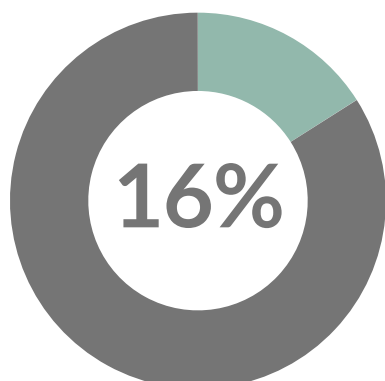
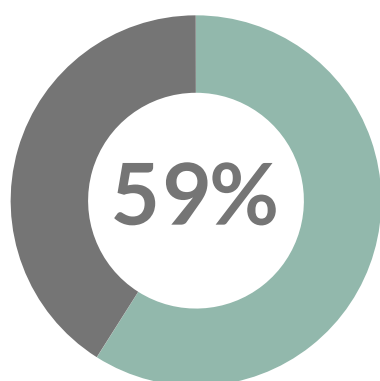
Overweight/Obese

Current Smokers
18 Years or older

Alcohol Intake per day (Average)
More than 2 Standard drinks

Inadequate Fruit &
Veg Intake

No or Low Exercise



State averages:
50%

13%

59%

49%

52%

Overweight

Being overweight or obese increases risk of developing cancer

Smoking

Smoking is a leading cause of cancer and death from cancer

Alcohol Intake

Drinking alcohol can increase your risk of cancer of the mouth, throat, esophagus, larynx (voice box), liver, and breast. The more you drink, the higher your risk

Inadequate Fruit & Veg Intake

Lack of adequate fruit & vegetable consumption increases cancer risk

Inadequate Exercise

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Screening Participation & Positive Results



Pap screening - 63.9%

5.6% (low / high grade abnormality)



BreastScreen - 55.9%

20 women diagnosed with breast cancer in 2015



BowelScreen - 32.9%

(State Average - 33.5%, Aust 36%)

7.8% positive faecal occult blood

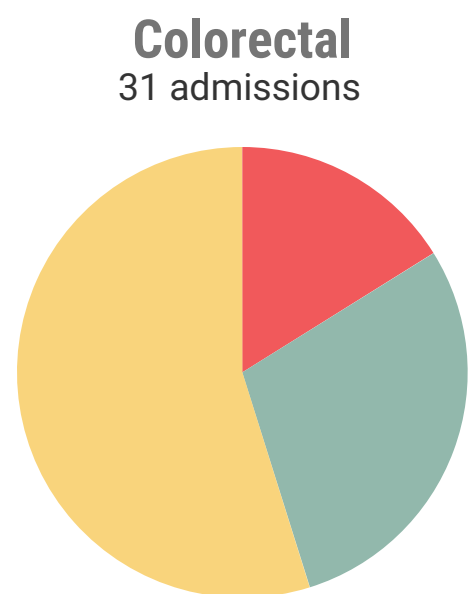
201 New cases of cancer in Moorabool LGA in 2015

1473 People in Moorabool living with cancer

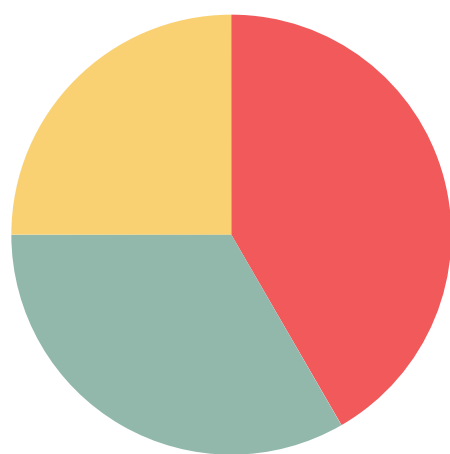
58% have survived 5 or more years after their cancer diagnosis

Where do Moorabool residents receive treatment?

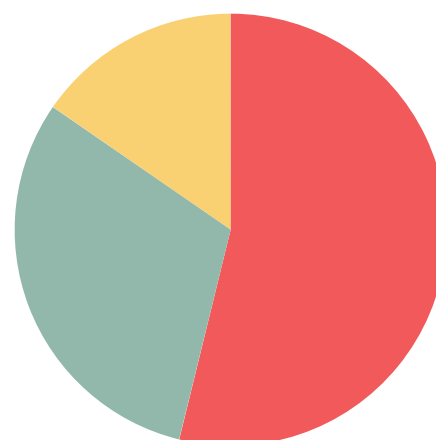
Surgery



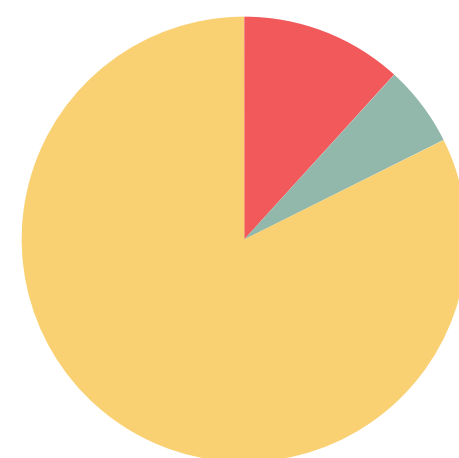
Breast
48 admissions



Prostate
13 admissions



Lung
17 admissions



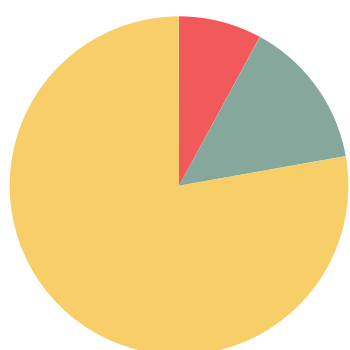
● Ballarat Health Services

● St John of God, Ballarat

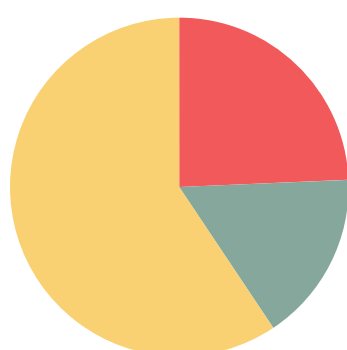
● Other

Chemotherapy

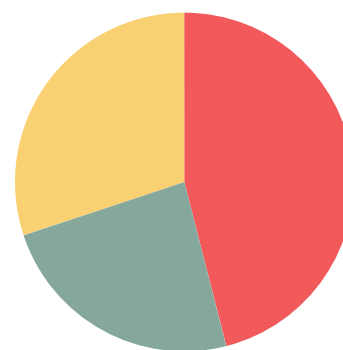
Colorectal
189 admissions



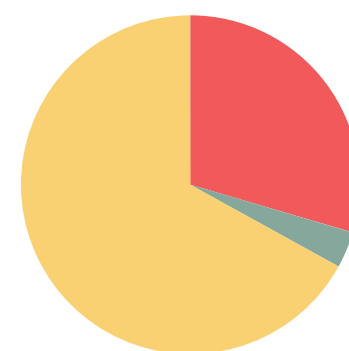
Breast
337 admissions



Prostate
113 admissions



Lung
115 admissions



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● Other

48% of people living in Moorabool who have **radiotherapy**, have it in Ballarat at Ballarat Austin Radiation Oncology Centre (BAROC) in the BRICC