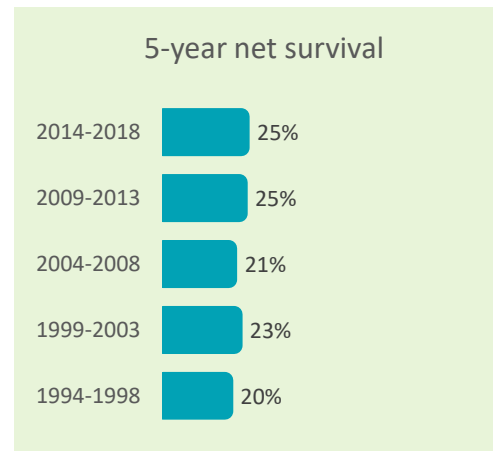
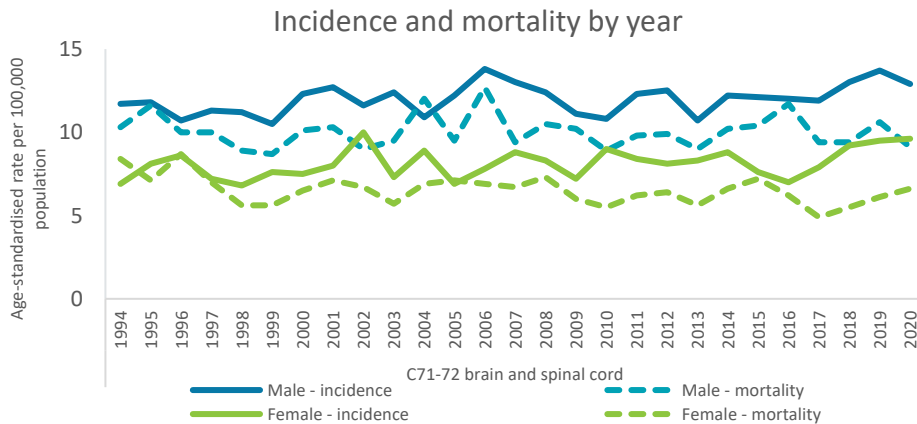
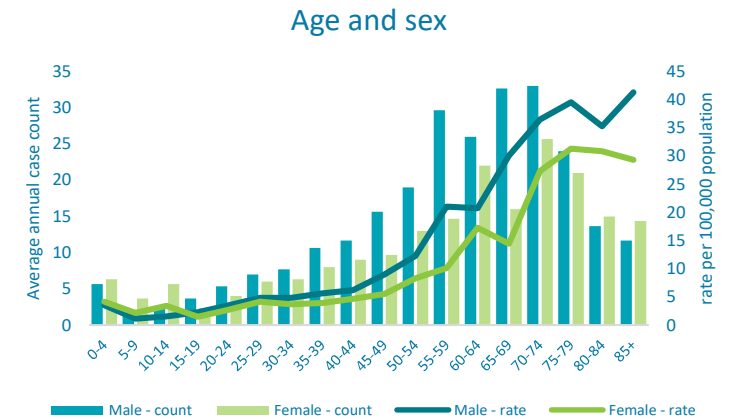


Cancer Factsheet

Brain and spinal cord (ICD-10 C71-72)



New cases 2018-2020			
	Female	Male	Total
Number of new cases per year C71-72 brain and spinal cord	203	262	464
Incidence rate (cases per 100,000 per year)	9.4	13.2	11.2
Cumulative lifetime risk of diagnosis	1 in 115	1 in 94	1 in 103
Percentage of all invasive cancers (excl NMSC)	1.8%	2.0%	1.9%
Ranking among most common invasive cancers (excl NMSC)	15	13	15
Median age at diagnosis (years)	63	62	62
Deaths 2018-2020			
Number of deaths per year C71-72 brain and spinal cord	125	183	308
Mortality rate (deaths per 100,000 per year)	6.1	9.7	7.8
Cumulative risk of death to age 75 years	1 in 290	1 in 178	1 in 221
Percentage of all invasive cancer deaths (excl NMSC)	2.9%	3.6%	3.3%
Ranking among most common invasive cancer deaths (excl NMSC)	8	8	8
Median age at death (years)	67	66	66



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Incidence rates age standardised using 2013 European population. Data presented refer to cases diagnosed 2018-2020 unless otherwise specified. Data on stage relates to cases diagnosed 2014-2018. 5-year net survival estimate relates to Brain only (C71)