

March 2018

This schedule outlines the requirements as described in the Improving Cancer Outcomes (Diagnosis Reporting) Regulations 2015, Section 6.

The Regulation defines that hospitals are required to register cancer cases to the Victorian Cancer Registry (VCR) within 60 days. The VCR understands that this will be 60 days from date of patient discharge.

Data submission to VCR

The reporting frequency is independent of the reporting schedule. The VCR is able to receive cancer registrations fortnightly or monthly for hospital extracts or as required via eform.

VCR Reporting Schedule

Reporting Period*	Latest Submission Due*
January 2018	31 March 2018
February 2018	30 April 2018
March 2018	31 May 2018
April 2018	30 June 2018
May 2018	31 July 2018
June 2018	31 August 2018
July 2018	30 September 2018
August 2018	31 October 2018
September 2018	30 November 2018
October 2018	31 December 2018
November 2018	31 January 2019
December 2018	28 February 2019

Definitions*

Reporting Period

Defines the reporting period that cancers are identified in (this includes the presence of cancer, a diagnosis of a recurrence of a cancer or a precursor of a prescribed type).

This reporting period could include any cancer identified for the listed month, previous months or years.

Submission Due

Defines the final date for a submission to the VCR (hospital cancer registration extract or e-form).