Bowel cancer: the facts

Bowel cancer is the fourth most common cancer in the UK.

Every 15 minutes someone is diagnosed. That’s almost 42,000 people every year.

Bowel cancer is the UK’s second biggest cancer killer. However it shouldn’t be because it is treatable and curable especially if diagnosed early.

It is more common in the over 50s, but it can affect people of all ages.

Around 268,000 people living in the UK today have been diagnosed with bowel cancer.

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