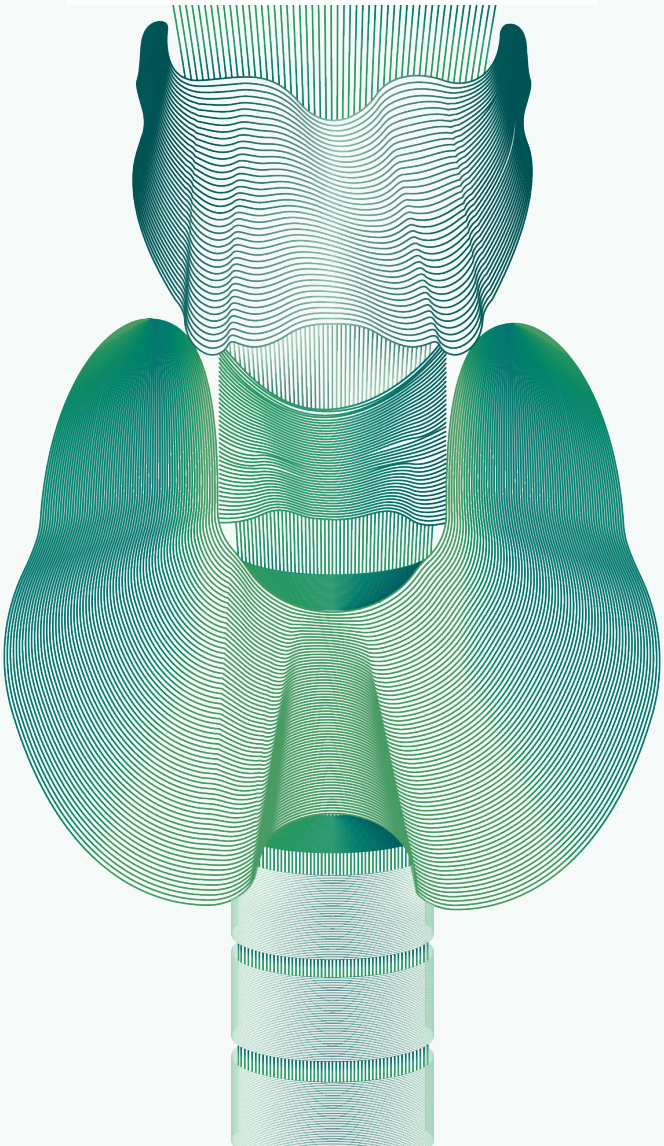
Cancer

Thyroid Cancer

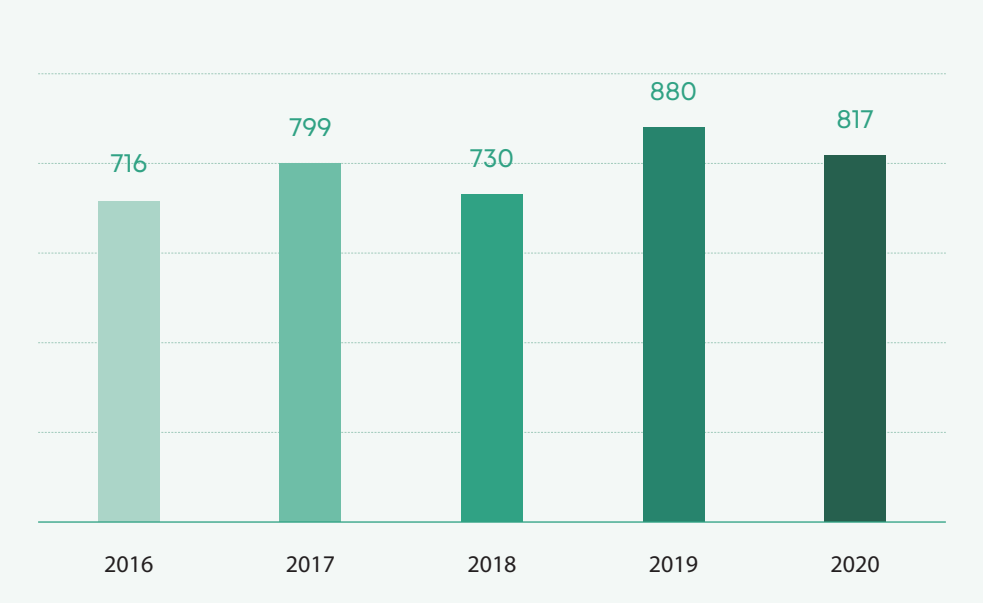


1 Annual number of thyroid cancer surgery

Index definition Annual number of thyroid cancer surgeries

Description SNUH performs over 800 thyroid cancer surgeries annually.

(Unit: procedures)



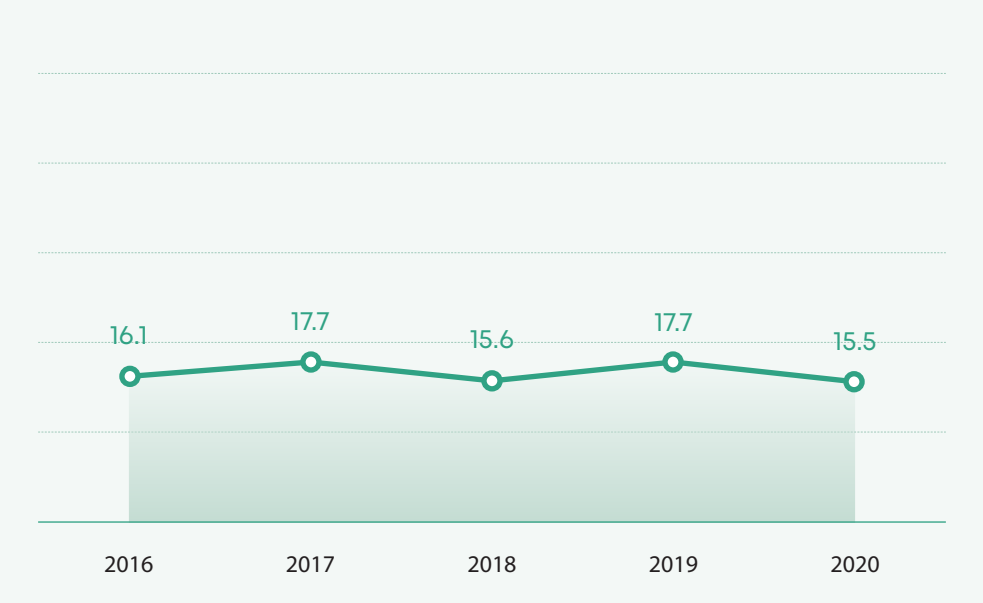
Calculation **Numerator** The annual number of thyroid cancer surgeries (diagnosis code: C73)

2 Proportion of robot surgery of thyroid cancer

Index definition Proportion of robot surgeries among thyroid cancer surgeries

Description SNUH performs robot surgeries (about 16%) for thyroid cancer patients.

(Unit: %)



Calculation

Numerator The number of robot surgeries for thyroid cancer

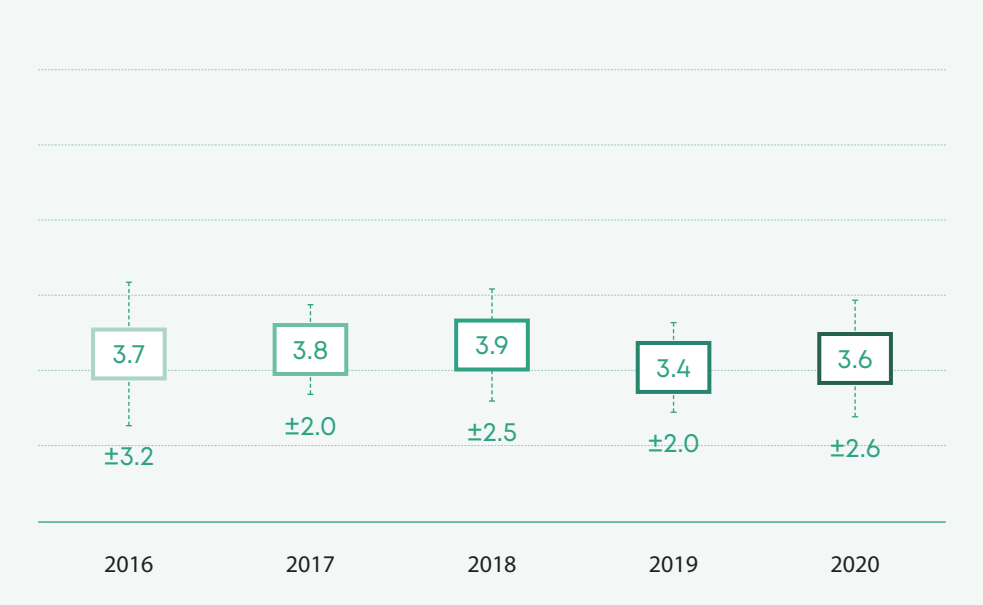
Denominator The number of thyroid cancer surgeries (diagnosis code: C73)

3 Postoperative hospitalization days of thyroid cancer(mean and SD)

Index definition Average hospitalization days from thyroid cancer surgery to discharge

Description At SNUH, thyroid cancer patients are discharged after an average of 3 postoperative hospitalization days

(Unit: days)



Calculation

Numerator Postoperative hospitalization periods after the surgery for thyroid cancer (from operation date to discharge date; if there are more than two operations during the same hospitalization period,the hospitalization period is calculated from the first operation to the second operation)

Denominator The number of thyroid cancer surgeries (diagnosis code: C73)