

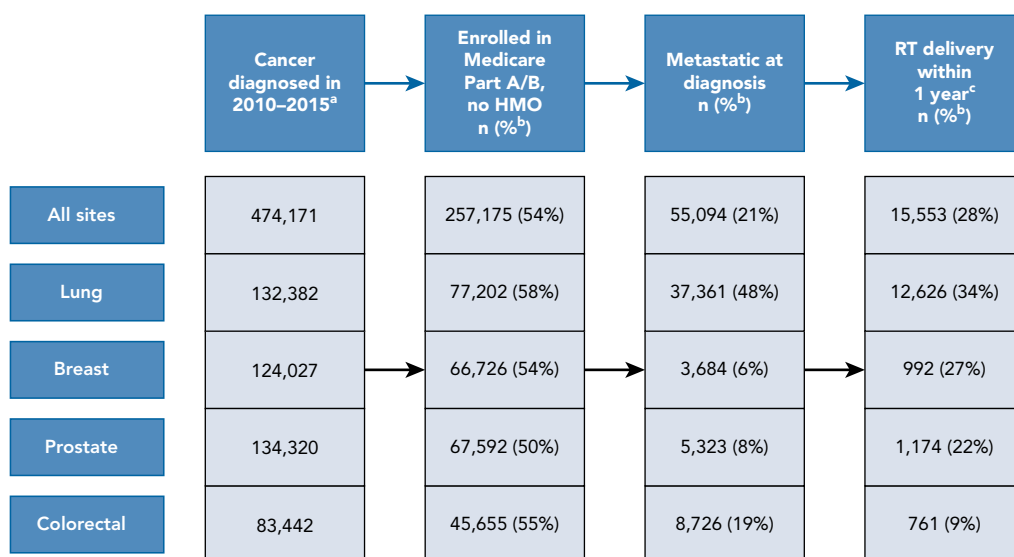
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Variation in Use of High-Cost Technologies for Palliative Radiation Therapy by Radiation Oncologists

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Abbreviation: RT, radiation therapy.

^aPatients aged >65 years, no prior cancers, not enrolled because of end-stage renal disease or disability, not diagnosed by autopsy/death certificate.

^bRemaining from prior step.

^cInclusion criteria: RT planning code was no more than 28 days before and no more than 3 days after the first RT delivery code. RT assignable to specific physician, with minimum 90 days of claims data available. Note: >99% met all inclusion criteria for each disease site.