

# Epithor - Register of Patients Operated On By A Thoracic Surgeon

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## General

### Identification

Detailed name	Register of Patients Operated On By A Thoracic Surgeon
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Sign or acronym	Epithor
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CNIL registration number, number and date of CPP agreement, AFSSAPS (French Health Products Safety Agency) authorisation	809833
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### General Aspects

Medical area	Cancer research Pneumology
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Pathology (details)	Thoracic surgery
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Keywords	thoracic surgery ? epidemiology ? assessment of professional practices ? lung cancer ? complications ? survival
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### Scientific investigator(s) (Contact)

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### Collaborations

Participation in projects, networks and consortia	Yes
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Details	INCa
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Others

HAS

## Funding

Funding status

Public

Details

French Society for Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery

## Governance of the database

Sponsor(s) or organisation(s) responsible

French Society for Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery

Organisation status

Private

Presence of scientific or steering committees

Yes

Labelling and database evaluation

Yes

## Additional contact

## Main features

## Type of database

Type of database

Morbidity registers

Additional information regarding sample selection.

Database used as a voluntary initiative for French thoracic surgeons.  
Data is sent to a national registry through local software. Using a completely anonymous database enables comparisons with local, personal and national data.

## Database objective

Main objective

What procedure for which patient, with what comorbidity and what long-term outcome.

Inclusion criteria

All patients operated on by a thoracic surgeon participating in Epithor.

## Population type

Age

Adolescence (13 to 18 years)  
Adulthood (19 to 24 years)  
Adulthood (25 to 44 years)  
Adulthood (45 to 64 years)  
Elderly (65 to 79 years)

Great age (80 years and more)

Population covered	Sick population
Gender	Male Woman
Geography area	National
Detail of the geography area	All public and private thoracic surgery departments.
Data collection	
Dates	
Date of first collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)	2002
Date of last collection (YYYY or MM/YYYY)	Always active
Size of the database	
Size of the database (number of individuals)	Greater than 20 000 individuals
Details of the number of individuals	210,000 patients, 260,000 procedures
Data	
Database activity	Current data collection
Type of data collected	Clinical data Administrative data
Clinical data (detail)	Direct physical measures Medical registration
Details of collected clinical data	Diagnosis; comorbidities; complications.
Administrative data (detail)	Civil status
Presence of a biobank	No
Procedures	
Data collection method	Local software
Classifications used	CIM10 and CCAM
Participant monitoring	Yes

Details on monitoring of participants

Assessment and recording of medical results.

Links to administrative sources

No

## Promotion and access

### Promotion

Link to the document

[pubmed\\_result.txt](#)

### Access

Presence of document that lists variables and coding procedures

Yes

Terms of data access (charter for data provision, format of data, availability delay)

Any participant that meets the quality criteria following approval from the scientific committee, and according to certain publication regulations.

Access to aggregated data

Access on specific project only

Access to individual data

Access on specific project only