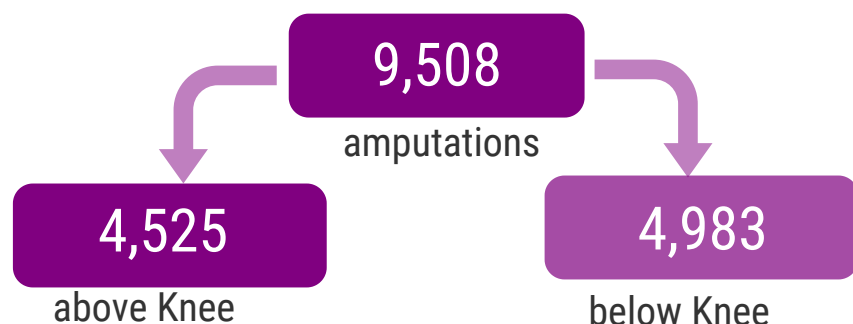


Lower limb major amputation for peripheral arterial disease

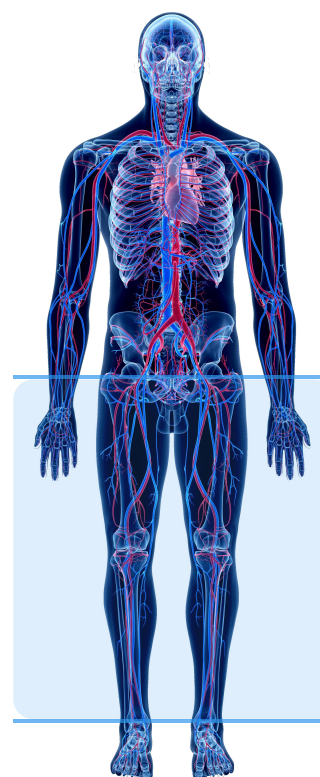
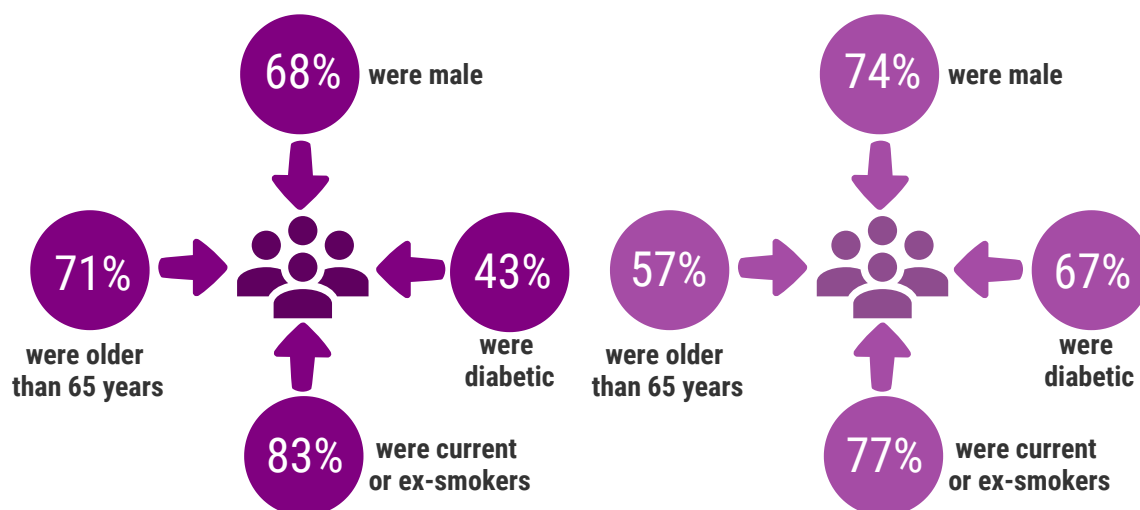
Peripheral arterial disease (PAD) is a restriction of the blood flow in the lower limb arteries that can severely affect a patient's quality of life, and risk their limb.

Despite open and endovascular revascularisation procedures, PAD can gradually progress in some patients to critical limb ischaemia. In these situations, patients will require amputation of the lower limb.

In 2016-2018 there were 9,508 major lower limb amputations submitted to the NVR.



Which people had surgery?



Glossary

The average is the median; "typically between" is the interquartile range.

Patient outcomes after surgery

