## **Number of Endobronchial Ultrasound (EBUS)**

The annual number of EBUS performed to examine the mediastinal lymph node at SNUBH Respiratory Intervention Center



## **Definitions**



Endobronchial Ultrasound (EBUS): The size and shape of the mediastinal lymph node are examined using
ultrasound through bronchoscopy. If necessary, fine needle aspiration may be performed for differential
diagnosis of metastasis.



## Interpretation



- The indicator allows the evaluation of whether the lung cancer stage has been correctly determined.
- The number of EBUS for appropriate diagnosis and treatment of lung cancer showed a pattern of increase, indicating the increased role and status of SNUBH in lung cancer diagnosis and treatment.

## Improvement



Assessment of the correct cancer stage prior to surgery, compared to the number of lung cancer surgery.