Supplement 1. Short outline of the Dutch guidelines

Last update in 2014; the Dutch CRC guidelines recommends a half-yearly outpatient clinic visit for 2-3 years postoperative and yearly hereafter up to 5 years. CEA measuring is recommended 3-to-6 monthly up to 3 years and half-yearly hereafter. Furthermore, abdominal ultrasound, CT-abdomen and chest X-ray (rectal cancer only) are recommended every half-year up to three years and yearly hereafter. The Dutch Colonoscopy Surveillance guideline recommends colonoscopy at 1, 4- and 9-years post-operative. In case of incomplete pre-operative colonoscopy; a complete colonoscopy should be done within 3 months postoperatively.

Weblink reference (in Dutch):
https://www.oncoline.nl/colorectaalcarcinoom