Person—timing of aspirin prescription, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Timing of aspirin prescription |
| METEOR identifier: | 347829 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/10/2008 |
| Definition: | The timing of care when aspirin is prescribed to a person, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—timing of aspirin prescription](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/347826) |
| Value Domain: | [Timing of prescription N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/350350) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Prior to presentation at hospital |
|  | 2 | First 24 hours of presentation |
|  | 3 | After 24 hours and before discharge |
|  | 4 | At discharge |
| Supplementary values: | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1     Prior to presentation at hospital  Use this code when the person has been previously prescribed aspirin prior to presentation at the hospital and the person is still following the prescription.  CODE 2     First 24 hours of presentation  Use this code when aspirin is prescribed within the first 24 hours following presentation to the hospital.  CODE 3      After 24 hours and before discharge  Use this code when aspirin is prescribed following the first 24 hours after presentation to the hospital and before discharge from the hospital.  CODE 4     At discharge  Use this code when aspirin is prescribed at discharge from the hospital. |
| Collection methods: | Record each time aspirin is prescribed for the person. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Acute coronary syndrome pharmacotherapy data cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/351876)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/10/2008  ***Conditional obligation:*** If prescribed, provide a phase for each time aspirin therapy is prescribed. |