

Intensive care unit—level of intensive care

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	320715
Registration status:	Health , Recorded 14/07/2006
Definition:	The level of care required in the intensive care unit.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Intensive care unit
Definition:	<p>An <i>intensive care</i> unit (ICU) is a designated ward of a hospital which is specially staffed and equipped to provide observation, care and treatment to patients with actual or potential life-threatening illnesses, injuries or complications, from which recovery is possible.</p> <p>The ICU provides special expertise and facilities for the support of vital functions and utilises the skills of medical, nursing and other staff trained and experienced in the management of these problems.</p>

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Level of intensive care
Definition:	A level of intensive care required.

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:	Intensive care unit—level of intensive care, code N Health , Recorded 14/07/2006
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