

Person—pH of arterial blood gas, level N[.NN]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	pH of arterial blood gas
METEOR identifier:	320831
Registration status:	Health , Recorded 14/07/2006
Definition:	The pH of a person's arterial blood gases.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Person—pH of arterial blood gas
METEOR identifier:	320656
Registration status:	Health , Recorded 14/07/2006
Definition:	The pH of a person's arterial blood gases.
Object class:	Person
Property:	pH of arterial blood gas

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	pH level N[.NN]
METEOR identifier:	320829
Registration status:	Health , Recorded 14/07/2006
Definition:	The number that represents the pH value.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Total	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[.NN]	
Maximum character length:	3	
	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	9.99	Not recorded Not stated/inadequately described

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Any pH value of < 6.5 or > 8 is considered invalid.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: ANZICS Database Management Committee

Reference documents: Knaus WA, Draper EA, Bergner M, Murphy DJ, Harrell FE. The APACHE III Prognostic System: Risk Prediction of Hospital Mortality for Critically Ill Hospitalized adults. Chest 1991;100:1619–1636