

# Person—C-reactive protein level (measured), total milligrams per litre N[NN].N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	C-reactive protein level (measured)
Synonymous names:	CRP measured
METEOR identifier:	338256
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	A person's serum C-reactive protein (CRP) level, measured in milligrams per litre.

## Data element concept attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	<a href="#">Person—C-reactive protein level (measured)</a>
Synonymous names:	CRP measured
METEOR identifier:	338238
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	A person's measured serum C-reactive protein (CRP) level.
Object class:	<a href="#">Person</a>
Property:	<a href="#">C-reactive protein level</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	<a href="#">Total milligrams per litre N[NN].N</a>
METEOR identifier:	270921
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 01/03/2005
Definition:	Total number of milligrams per litre (mg/L).

## Representational attributes

Representation class:	Total	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[NN].N	
Maximum character length:	4	
	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	999.9	Not stated/inadequately described
Unit of measure:	Milligram per litre (mg/L)	

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Comments:** The value should be recorded on a high sensitivity assay.

CRP is used in the assessment of acute phase reaction in inflammatory, infective and neoplastic disorders.

## Source and reference attributes

**Reference documents:** The Royal College of Pathologists of Australia Version 4.0 12th March 2004 ( last accessed 12May 2006).  
<http://www.rcpamanual.edu.au/sections/pathologytest.asp?s=33&i=468>

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** See also [Person—C-reactive protein level measured date, DDMMYYYY Health](#), Standard 01/10/2008

See also [Person—C-reactive protein level measured time, hhmm Health](#), Standard 01/10/2008

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health](#), Superseded 01/09/2012

**DSS specific information:** The C-reactive protein (CRP) level should be measured as early as possible following presentation to the hospital.

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 02/05/2013

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[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) NBPDS 2013-](#)

[Health](#), Standard 02/05/2013

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2013

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