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

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: <u>Health,</u> Standard 01/10/2008

Definition: A person's serum C-reactive protein (CRP) level, measured in milligrams per litre.

Data Element Concept: Person—C-reactive protein level (measured)

Value Domain: <u>Total milligrams per litre N[NN].N</u>

Value domain attributes

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

Specifications:

Health, Superseded 01/09/2012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Acute coronary syndrome (clinical) DSS Health, Superseded 02/05/2013

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