

Person—timing of statin prescription, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Timing of statin prescription
METEOR identifier:	350445
Registration status:	Health , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	The timing of care when a statin is prescribed to a person, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Person—timing of statin prescription
METEOR identifier:	350439
Registration status:	Health , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	The timing of care when a statin is prescribed to a person.
Object class:	Person
Property:	Timing of statin prescription

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Timing of prescription N
METEOR identifier:	350350
Registration status:	Health , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	A code set representing the timing of a prescription.

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

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 a statin 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 a statin is prescribed for within the first 24 hours following presentation to the hospital.

CODE 3 After 24 hours and before discharge

Use this code when an ACE-inhibitor 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 a statin is prescribed at discharge from the hospital.

Collection methods:

Record each time a statin is prescribed for the person.

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set [Acute coronary syndrome pharmacotherapy data cluster](#)

Specifications: [Health](#), Standard 01/10/2008

Conditional obligation: If prescribed, provide a phase for each time statin therapy is prescribed.