

# **Acute stroke clinical care standard indicators: 5d-Proportion of patients with a final diagnosis of ischaemic stroke on antithrombotic medications on separation from hospital, 2019-**

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Indicator type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Short name:</b>	Indicator 5d- Proportion of patients with a final diagnosis of ischaemic stroke on antithrombotic medications on separation from hospital
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	719116
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care, Qualified 09/09/2019</a>
<b>Description:</b>	Proportion of patients with a final diagnosis of <a href="#">ischaemic stroke</a> prescribed and administered antithrombotic medications, where not contraindicated, on <a href="#">separation</a> from hospital.
<b>Indicator set:</b>	<a href="#">Clinical care standard indicators: acute stroke</a> <a href="#">Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care, Standard 03/11/2020</a>

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Computation description:</b>	<p>Both the numerator and the denominator include patients with a final diagnosis of ischaemic stroke.</p> <p>The numerator requires evidence of prescription and administration of antithrombotics prior to separation. Antithrombotic medications include: oral anticoagulants, such as warfarin, apixaban, rivaroxaban or dabigatran; and antiplatelet agents, such as aspirin, clopidogrel and dipyridamole.</p> <p>Both the numerator and the denominator exclude patients for whom antithrombotics are contraindicated (where the contraindication is clearly documented). Contraindications may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• decline treatment</li><li>• where there are limitations of therapy (i.e. advance care directive is enacted and/or the patient is on a palliative care pathway).</li></ul> <p>Presented as a percentage.</p>
<b>Computation:</b>	$(\text{Numerator} \div \text{denominator}) \times 100$
<b>Numerator:</b>	Number of patients with a final diagnosis of ischaemic stroke prescribed and administered antithrombotic medications on separation from hospital.
<b>Denominator:</b>	Number of patients with a final diagnosis of ischaemic stroke separated from hospital.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Percentage
<b>Data type:</b>	Real
<b>Unit of measure:</b>	Episode
<b>Format:</b>	N[NN]

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care