

Acute coronary syndromes clinical care standard indicators: 1a- Proportion of patients presenting with symptoms suggestive of acute coronary syndrome (ACS) whose care is guided by a documented chest pain assessment pathway, 2019-

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Indicator
Short name:	Indicator 1a-Proportion of patients whose care is guided by a documented chest pain assessment pathway
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Description:	Proportion of patients presenting with acute chest pain, or other symptoms suggestive of acute coronary syndrome (ACS) , whose care is guided by a documented chest pain assessment pathway.

Indicator set: [Clinical care standard indicators: acute coronary syndromes](#)
[Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care](#), Standard 29/10/2020

Collection and usage attributes

Computation description: Both the numerator and the denominator include patients with acute chest pain, or other symptoms suggestive of ACS.

Presented as a percentage.

Computation: $(\text{Numerator} \div \text{denominator}) \times 100$

Numerator: Number of patients presenting to hospital with acute chest pain, or other symptoms suggestive of ACS, whose care is guided by a documented chest pain assessment pathway.

Denominator: Number of patients presenting to hospital with acute chest pain or other symptoms suggestive of ACS.

Comments: Assessment is still indicated for patients with advance care directives, on a palliative care pathway, subject to discussion with patients, family and carers.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Episode

Format: N[NN]

Source and reference attributes

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

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