

Person—acute coronary syndrome symptoms onset date, DDMMYYYY

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Date of onset of acute coronary syndrome symptoms
Synonymous names:	Date of onset of ACS symptoms
METEOR identifier:	321201
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 01/10/2008
Definition:	The date on which a person experienced acute coronary syndrome symptoms that prompted the person to seek medical attention, either at the hospital or from a general practitioner.
Data Element Concept:	Person—acute coronary syndrome symptoms onset date
Value Domain:	Date DDMMYYYY

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Date
Data type:	Date/Time
Format:	DDMMYYYY
Maximum character length:	8

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>Acute coronary syndrome symptoms may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• tightness, pressure, heaviness, fullness or squeezing in the chest which may spread to the neck and throat, jaw, shoulders, the back, upper abdomen, either or both arms and even into the wrist and hands• dyspnoea, nausea/vomiting, cold sweat or syncope. <p>Seeking medical attention could include the person presenting to their GP who then refers them to hospital or the person presenting directly to hospital (via ambulance or own form of transport).</p> <p>If the person is already a patient at the hospital for another reason then the date would be when they advised hospital staff of their symptoms.</p>
Collection methods:	Record the date that the person identifies as being when the most significant acute coronary syndrome symptom/s occurred that prompted them to seek medical attention.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	See also Person—acute coronary syndrome risk stratum, code N Health! , Superseded 01/10/2008
	See also Person—acute coronary syndrome symptoms onset time, hhmm Health! , Standard 01/10/2008

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health!](#), Superseded 01/09/2012

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health!](#), Superseded 02/05/2013

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) NBPDS 2013-Health!](#), Standard 02/05/2013

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