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Indicator Equality Impact Assessment

Topic: Cardiovascular disease IND229

1.1 Have any potential equality issues been identified during the development process?

There is variation in treatment based on gender, ethnicity and economic status.

1.2 Have any population groups, treatments or settings been excluded from coverage by the indicator? Are these exclusions justified – that is, are the reasons legitimate and the exclusion proportionate?

People with diagnosed CVD or CKD. The exclusion is justified as these populations are covered in NICE indicators NM212 and NM213.

1.3 Does the indicator make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access services compared with other groups? If so, what are the barriers to, or difficulties with, access for the specific group?

No.

1.4 Is there potential for the indicator to have an adverse impact on people with disabilities because of something that is a consequence of the disability?

No.

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