



Heart failure: register

NICE indicator

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Indicator

The contractor establishes and maintains a register of patients aged 18 or over with heart failure.

Indicator type

General practice indicator suitable for use in the Quality and Outcomes Framework.

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Rationale

This indicator establishes a register of people with heart failure with the aim of facilitating

subsequent intervention and support.

Source guidance

- [Chronic heart failure in adults: diagnosis and management. NICE guideline NG106 \(2018\)](#)
- [Acute heart failure: diagnosis and management. NICE guideline CG187 \(2014, updated 2021\)](#)

Specification

A register of people aged 18 or over with heart failure.

Exclusions: People with a heart failure resolved code after the latest heart failure diagnosis code.

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