

**Table 8. Crude hospital discharge rates (per 100,000 inhabitants) from all cardiovascular diseases, ischaemic heart disease, acute myocardial infarction and stroke. Last year available, all ages**

Country	Last year	All CVD*	IHD*	AMI**	Stroke*
Austria	2004	4060.8	1035.0	182.1	628.6
Belgium	2004	2302.8	721.8	158.8	378.7
Bulgaria	2005	2839.9	722.2	-	593.3
Croatia	2005	1849.9	502.6	138.3	408.9
Cyprus	2005	738.3	253.0	75.7	108.7
Czech Republic	2005	3742.9	1063.0	211.2	646.8
Denmark	2005	2559.3	822.9	256.0	383.6
Estonia	2004	3386.9	1046.8	-	608.1
Finland	2005	3121.3	923.0	293.7	561.1
France	2004	2233.4	513.7	123.9	218.0
Germany	2004	3125.1	915.9	235.9	421.9
Greece	2001	2432.0	828.7	-	423.6
Hungary	2005	4977.3	997.9	209.9	1394.5
Iceland	2004	1710.3	638.8	169.4	206.1
Ireland	2005	1316.3	450.6	134.3	169.6
Italy	2003	2443.7	598.8	206.1	490.8
Latvia	2005	3635.9	1380.6	243.6	794.8
Lithuania	2005	4569.5	1397.1	200.2	1055.2
Luxembourg	2004	2407.0	865.2	-	174.9
Malta	2005	727.1	271.4	-	54.3
Netherlands	2004	1549.2	555.3	147.9	213.2
Norway	2005	2468.8	952.5	369.3	342.5
Poland	2004	2930.9	888.9	199.4	418.4
Portugal	2005	1239.8	277.2	107.6	329.2
Romania	2004	2881.7	649.4	-	515.5
Slovakia	2005	2679.1	883.6	128.0	518.3
Slovenia	2004	1791.7	392.4	173.6	228.2
Spain	2003	1412.6	362.2	126.9	267.8
Sweden	2005	2457.8	782.8	-	417.4
Switzerland	2004	1828.9	540.5	125.1	206.8
United Kingdom	2003	1452.2	532.5	181.1	224.9

CVD=all cardiovascular diseases, IHD=ischaemic heart disease, AMI=acute myocardial infarction

\*Source: WHO-Health for All Database (<http://data.euro.who.int/hfadb/>)-2007

\*\* Source: WHO Regional Office for Europe – European Hospital Morbidity Database (<http://data.euro.who.int/hmdb/index.php>)-2007