

Population-based register of Stroke

Form for data collection

The following forms represent a simple and useful tools to collect data. Mortality and Hospital Discharge Records (HDR) data file fields provide the necessary information to identify current events and allows record linkage. See also the Manual of Operations (paragraph 4.3 ‘Data collection methods’)

MORTALITY

Field	Type of data	Size	Description
PIN (if available)	Text	10-11	Unique id number
Family name	Text	50	
First name	Text	50	
Date of birth	Date/hour	dd/mm/yyyy	
Place of birth	Text	6	Place of birth code
Sex	Text	1	men; women
Residence	Text	6	Residence code
Date of death	Date/hour	dd/mm/yyyy	
Place of death	Text	6	Place of death code
Died in	Text	1	home; private or public hospital; other
Underlying (main) cause	Text	4	Underlying (main) cause of death code
First cause	Text	4	First cause of death code
Intermediate cause	Text	4	Intermediate cause of death code
Final cause	Text	4	Final cause of death code

HDR

Field	Type of data	Size	Description
PIN (if available)	Text	10-11	Unique id number
Family name	Text	50	
First name	Text	50	
Hospital code	Text	6	
Hospital discharge record	Text	8	
Admission date	Date/hour	dd/mm/yyyy	
Fiscal or sanitary code	Text	16	Fiscal or sanitary code
Sex	Text	1	men; women
Place of birth	Text	6	Place of birth code
Date of birth	Date/hour	dd/mm/yyyy	
Residence	Text	6	Residence code
Types of admission	Text	1	ordinary; urgent; mandatory
Discharge date	Date/hour	dd/mm/yyyy	
Discharge modality	Text	1	ordinary; voluntary; transfer to other structure; died
ICD-9 underlying (main) discharge diagnosis code	Text	4	Underlying (main) discharge diagnosis code
ICD-9 secondary discharge diagnosis code	Text	4	Secondary discharge diagnosis code
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