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# Heart failure: register

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# Indicator NM238

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.

## 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](https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng106) (2018)

[Acute heart failure: diagnosis and management. NICE guideline CG187](https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg187) (2014)

## 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.

## Further information

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