III-defined causes

For Human cause-of death Data series ill-defined or unknown causes are redistributed among other causes. They are thus excluded from the death rate, crude death rate and age-standardized death rates in the reconstructed series. The redistribution of deaths from ill-defined and unknown causes is carried out using the country-specific methods described in each country Background and Documentation file.

Because we realize that some users might be interested in this information, a stand-alone file available on each country page provides the numbers of deaths by age group and sex for the corresponging ill-defined categories.

1. Ill-defined categories extra to the Short list

Nº	Title	Category codes according to ICD10
17	Ill-defined, unspecified and unknown causes of death	R00-R94, R96-R99

2. Ill-defined categories extra to the Intermediate list

Nº	Title	Category codes according to ICD10
57	Senility	R54
58	Other ill-defined, unspecified and unknown causes of death	R00-R53, R55-R94, R96-R99

3. Ill-defined categories extra to the Long list

Nº	Title	Category codes according to ICD10
207	Senility	R54
208	Uknown cause	R98-R99
209	Other ill-defined and unspecified causes of death	R00-R53, R55-R94, R96

4. Ill-defined categories extra to the Full list

Nº	Title	ICD10
1556	Abnormalities of heart beat	R00
1557	Cardiac murmurs and other cardiac sounds	R01

1558	Gangrene, not elsewhere classified	R02
1559	Abnormal blood-pressure reading, without diagnosis	R03
1560	Haemorrhage from respiratory passages	R04
1561	Cough	R05
1562	Abnormalities of breathing	R06
1563	Pain in throat and chest	R07
1564	Other symptoms and signs involving the circulatory and respiratory systems	R09
1565	Abdominal and pelvic pain	R10
1566	Nausea and vomiting	R11
1567	Heartburn	R12
1568	Dysphagia	R13
1569	Flatulence and related conditions	R14
1570	Fecal incontinence	R15
1571	Hepatomegaly and splenomegaly, not elsewhere classified	R16
1572	Unspecified jaundice	R17
1573	Ascites	R18
1574	Other symptoms and signs involving the digestive system and abdomen	R19
1575	Disturbances of skin sensation	R20
1576	Rash and other nonspecific skin eruption	R21
1577	Localized swelling, mass and lump of skin and subcutaneous tissue	R22
1578	Other skin changes	R23
1579	Abnormal involuntary movements	R25
1580	Abnormalities of gait and mobility	R26
1581	Other lack of coordination	R27
1582	Other symptoms and signs involving the nervous and musculoskeletal systems	R29
1583	Pain associated with micturition	R30
1584	Unspecified haematuria	R31
1585	Unspecified urinary incontinence	R32
1586	Retention of urine	R33
1587	Anuria and oliguria	R34
1588	Polyuria	R35
1589	Urethral discharge	R36
1590	Other symptoms and signs involving the urinary system	R39
1591	Somnolence, stupor and coma	R40
1592	Other symptoms and signs involving cognitive functions and awareness	R41
1593	Dizziness and giddiness	R42
1594	Disturbances of smell and taste	R43
1595	Other symptoms and signs involving general sensations and perceptions	R44
1596	Symptoms and signs involving emotional state	R45
1597	Symptoms and signs involving appearance and behaviour	R46
1598	Speech disturbances, not elsewhere classified	R47
1599	Dyslexia and other symbolic dysfunctions, not elsewhere classified	R48
1600	Voice disturbances	R49

1601	Fever of other and unknown origin	R50
1602	Headache	R51
1603	Pain, not elsewhere classified	R52
1604	Malaise and fatigue	R53
1605	Senility	R54
1606	Syncope and collapse	R55
1607	Convulsions, not elsewhere classified	R56
1608	Shock, not elsewhere classified	R57
1609	Haemorrhage, not elsewhere classified	R58
1610	Enlarged lymph nodes	R59
1611	Oedema, not elsewhere classified	R60
1612	Hyperhidrosis	R61
1613	Lack of expected normal physiological development	R62
1614	Symptoms and signs concerning food and fluid intake	R63
1615	Cachexia	R64
1616	Other general symptoms and signs	R68
1617	Elevated erythrocyte sedimentation rate and abnormality of plasma viscosity	R70
1618	Abnormality of red blood cells	R71
1619	Abnormality of white blood cells, not elsewhere classified	R72
1620	Elevated blood glucose level	R73
1621	Abnormal serum enzyme levels	R74
1622	Laboratory evidence of human immunodeficiency virus [HIV]	R75
1623	Other abnormal immunological findings in serum	R76
1624	Other abnormalities of plasma proteins	R77
1625	Findings of drugs and other substances, not normally found in blood	R78
1626	Other abnormal findings of blood chemistry	R79
1627	Isolated proteinuria	R80
1628	Glycosuria	R81
1629	Other abnormal findings in urine	R82
1630	Abnormal findings in cerebrospinal fluid	R83
1631	Abnormal findings in specimens from respiratory organs and thorax	R84
1632	Abnormal findings in specimens from digestive organs and abdominal cavity	R85
1633	Abnormal findings in specimens from male genital organs	R86
1634	Abnormal findings in specimens from female genital organs	R87
1635	Abnormal findings in specimens from other organs, systems, and tissues	R89
1636	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of central nervous system	R90
1637	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of lung	R91
1638	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of breast	R92
1639	Abnormal findings on diagnostic imaging of other body structures	R93
1640	Abnormal results of function studies	R94
1641	Other sudden death, cause unknown	R96
1642	Unattended death	R98
1643	Other ill-defined and unspecified causes of mortality	R99