

Short list

The database provides mortality data for three different cause-of-death classification schemes: a short list, an intermediate list, and a long list. This is the short list. It is made of 17 categories (corresponding more or less to the chapters or sub-chapters of the International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision). One of these categories combine all ill-defined causes (see below).

| No | Title | Category codes according to ICD10 |
|------|--|-----------------------------------|
| S001 | Certain infectious diseases | A00-B99 |
| S002 | Neoplasms | C00-D48 |
| S003 | Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs | D50-D89 |
| S004 | Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases | E00-E88 |
| S005 | Mental and behavioural disorders | F01-F99 |
| S006 | Diseases of the nervous system and the sense organs | G00-G44, G47-H93 |
| S007 | Heart diseases | I00-I51 |
| S008 | Cerebrovascular diseases | G45, I60-I69 |
| S009 | Other and unspecified disorders of the circulatory system | I70-I99, K64 |
| S010 | Acute respiratory diseases | J00-J22, U04, U07-U10 |
| S011 | Other respiratory diseases | J30-J98 |
| S012 | Diseases of the digestive system | K00-K63, K65-K92 |
| S013 | Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue, musculoskeletal system and connective tissue | L00-M99 |
| S014 | Diseases of the genitourinary system and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium | N00-O99 |
| S015 | Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period and congenital malformations/anomalies | P00-Q99, R95 |
| S016 | External causes | V01-Y89 |

** For the reconstructed series, but not for the series in the original classifications ill-defined and unknown causes of death (ICD10 codes R00-94, R96-R99) were redistributed among the other causes of death. A detailed description of the redistribution methods used is provided in the country specific "Background and Documentation" files. The total number of death counts which have been redistributed is given for each country in the individual "Ill-defined death counts" files.*

Ill-defined categories extra to the Short list

| No | Title | Category codes according to ICD10 |
|------|--|-----------------------------------|
| S017 | Ill-defined, unspecified and unknown causes of death | R00-R94, R96-R99 |