BMJ Open Large-scale evidence generation and evaluation across a network of databases for type 2 diabetes mellitus (LEGEND-T2DM): a protocol for a series of multinational, real-world comparative cardiovascular effectiveness and safety studies

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#### **ABSTRACT**

**Introduction** Therapeutic options for type 2 diabetes mellitus (T2DM) have expanded over the last decade with the emergence of cardioprotective novel agents, but without such data for older drugs, leaving a critical gap in our understanding of the relative effects of T2DM agents on cardiovascular risk.

Methods and analysis The large-scale evidence generations across a network of databases for T2DM (LEGEND-T2DM) initiative is a series of systematic, large-scale, multinational, real-world comparative cardiovascular effectiveness and safety studies of all four major second-line anti-hyperglycaemic agents, including sodium-glucose co-transporter-2 inhibitor, glucagonlike peptide-1 receptor agonist, dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor and sulfonylureas. LEGEND-T2DM will leverage the Observational Health Data Sciences and Informatics (OHDSI) community that provides access to a global network of administrative claims and electronic health record data sources, representing 190 million patients in the USA and about 50 million internationally. LEGEND-T2DM will identify all adult, patients with T2DM who newly initiate a traditionally second-line T2DM agent. Using an active comparator, new-user cohort design, LEGEND-T2DM will execute all pairwise class-versus-class and drugversus-drug comparisons in each data source, producing extensive study diagnostics that assess reliability and generalisability through cohort balance and equipoise to examine the relative risk of cardiovascular and safety outcomes. The primary cardiovascular outcomes include a composite of major adverse cardiovascular events and a series of safety outcomes. The study will pursue datadriven, large-scale propensity adjustment for measured confounding, a large set of negative control outcome experiments to address unmeasured and systematic bias. Ethics and dissemination The study ensures data safety through a federated analytic approach and follows

research best practices, including prespecification and

#### STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS OF THIS STUDY

- ⇒ The proposal seeks to use health information encompassing millions of patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus (T2DM) in the multinational Observational Health Data Science and Informatics (OHDSI) community to determine real-world comparative effectiveness and safety of traditionally second-line T2DM agents.
- ⇒ The proposed set of studies will be comprehensive, with a systematic pairwise comparisons of all sodium-glucose co-transporter-2 inhibitor, glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonist, dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor and sulfonylurea agents at the drug, class and population subaroup level.
- ⇒ The studies will focus on a broad set of outcomes. including comprehensive measures of adverse cardiovascular events as well as secondary effectiveness and safety outcomes.
- ⇒ The studies use robust methods an observational, active-comparator, new-user cohort design with a systematic framework to address residual confounding, publication bias and p-hacking using data-driven, large-scale propensity adjustment for measured confounding, a large set of negative control outcome experiments to address unmeasured and systematic bias, prespecification and full disclosure of hypotheses tested and their results. These approaches capitalise on mature OHDSI open-source resources and a large body of clinical and quantitative research that the LEGEND-T2DM investigators originated and continue to drive.
- ⇒ The study will focus on drug effectiveness rather than safety without the ability to systematically track the adherence to individual agents across cohorts.



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full disclosure of results. LEGEND-T2DM is dedicated to open science and transparency and will publicly share all analytic code from reproducible cohort definitions through turn-key software, enabling other research groups to leverage our methods, data and results to verify and extend our findings.

#### RATIONALE AND BACKGROUND

The landscape of therapeutic options for type 2 diabetes mellitus (T2DM) has been dramatically transformed over the last decade. The emergence of drugs targeting the sodium-glucose co-transporter-2 (SGLT2) and the glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP1) receptor has expanded the role of T2DM agents from lowering blood glucose to directly reducing cardiovascular risk.<sup>2</sup> A series of large randomised clinical trials designed to evaluate the cardiovascular safety of SGLT2 inhibitors (SGLT2Is) and GLP1 receptor agonists (GLP1RAs) found that use of many of these agents led to a reduction in major adverse cardiovascular events, including myocardial infarction, hospitalisation for heart failure and cardiovascular mortality.3-6 However, other T2DM drugs widely used before the introduction of these novel agents, such as sulfonylureas, did not undergo similarly comprehensive trials to evaluate their cardiovascular efficacy or safety. Moreover, direct comparisons of newer agents with dipeptidyl peptidase-4 (DPP4) inhibitors (DPP4Is), with neutral effects on major cardiovascular outcomes, 7-10 have not been conducted. Nevertheless, DPP4Is and sulfonylureas continue to be used in clinical practice and are recommended as secondline T2DM agents in national clinical practice guidelines.

Several challenges remain in formulating T2DM treatment recommendations based on existing evidence.<sup>11</sup> First, trials of novel agents did not pursue head-to-head comparisons to older agents and were instead designed as additive treatments on the background of commonly used T2DM agents. Therefore, the relative cardiovascular efficacy and safety of novel agents compared with older agents is not known, and indirect estimates have relied on summary-level data restricted to common comparators<sup>12–14</sup> and are less reliable. <sup>15</sup> 16 Second, trials of novel agents have tested individual drugs against placebo but have not directly compared SGLT2Is with GLP1RAs in reducing adverse cardiovascular event risk. Moreover, there is no evidence to guide the use of individual drugs within each class and across different drug classes, particularly among patients at lower cardiovascular risk than recruited in clinical trials. Third, randomised trials focused on cardiovascular efficacy and safety but were not powered to adequately assess the safety of these agents across a spectrum of non-cardiovascular outcomes. Finally, restricted enrolment across regions, and subgroups of age, sex and race further limits the efficacy and safety assessment that may guide individual patients' treatment.

Evidence gaps from these trials also pose a challenge in designing treatment algorithms, which rely on comparative effectiveness and safety of drugs. Perhaps, as a result, there is large variation in clinical practice guidelines and in clinical practice with regard to these medications,

with many patients initiated on the newer therapies and many others treated with older regimens. <sup>17–21</sup> Among the second-line options, there is much variation with respect to the order of drugs used. This lack of consensus about the best approach provides an opportunity for systematic, large-scale observational studies.

#### STUDY OBJECTIVES

To inform critical decisions facing patients with diabetes, their caregivers, clinicians, policy-makers and healthcare system leaders, we have launched the large-scale evidence generation and evaluation across a network of databases for T2DM (LEGEND-T2DM) initiative to execute a series of comprehensive observational studies to compare cardiovascular outcome rates and safety of second-line T2DM glucose-lowering agents. Specifically, these studies aim:

- To determine, through systematic evaluation, the comparative effectiveness of traditionally second-line T2DM agents, SGLT2Is and GLP1RAs, with each other and with DPP4Is and sulfonylureas, for cardiovascular outcomes.
- 2. To determine, through systematic evaluation, the comparative safety of traditionally second-line T2DM agents among patients with T2DM.
- 3. To assess heterogeneity in effectiveness and safety of traditionally second-line T2DM agents among key patient subgroups: using stratified patient cohorts, we will quantify differential effectiveness and safety across subgroups of patients based on age, sex, race, renal impairment and baseline cardiovascular risk.

#### **RESEARCH METHODS**

LEGEND-T2DM will execute three systematic, large-scale observational studies of second-line T2DM agents to estimate the relative risks of cardiovascular effectiveness and safety outcomes.

- 1. The Class-versus-class study will provide all pairwise comparisons between the four major T2DM agent classes to evaluate their comparative effects on cardio-vascular risk (Objective 1) and patient-centred safety outcomes (Objective 2).
- 2. The drug-versus-drug study will furnish head-to-head pairwise comparisons between individual agents within and across classes (both Objectives 1 and 2).
- 3. The heterogeneity study will refine these comparisons for patients with T2DM for important subgroups (Objective 3). In contrast to a single comparison approach, LEGEND-T2DM will provide a comprehensive view of the findings and their consistency across populations, drugs and outcomes. We will model each study on our successful collaborative research evaluating the comparative effectiveness of antihypertensives recently published in *The Lancet*.<sup>22</sup>

Table 1 list the four major T2DM agent classes and the individual agents licensed in the USA within each class.

DPP4 inhibitors	GLP1 receptor antagonists	SGLT2 inhibitors	Sulfonylureas
Alogliptin	Albiglutide	Canagliflozin	Chlorpropamide
Linagliptin	Dulaglutide	Dapagliflozin	Glimepiride
Saxagliptin	Exenatide	Empagliflozin	Glipizide
Sitagliptin	Liraglutide	Ertugliflozin	Gliquidone
Vildagliptin	Lixisenatide		Glyburide
	Semaglutide		Tolazamide
			Tolbutamide

We will examine all  $\left(\frac{4}{2}\right)$  = 6 class-wise comparisons and  $\left(\frac{5+6+4+7}{2}\right)$  = 231 ingredient-wise comparisons. For each comparison, we are interested in the relative risk of each of the cardiovascular and safety outcomes described in the Outcomes section.

#### Study design

For each study, we will employ an active comparator, new-user cohort design. 23-25 New-user cohort design is advocated as the primary design to be considered for comparative effectiveness and drug safety.<sup>26–28</sup> By identifying patients who start a new treatment course and using therapy initiation as the start of follow-up, the new-user design models a randomised controlled trial (RCT), where treatment commences at the index study

visit. Exploiting such an index date allows a clear separation of baseline patient characteristics that occur prior to index date and are usable as covariates in the analysis without concern of inadvertently introducing mediator variables that arise between exposure and outcome.<sup>29</sup> Excluding prevalent users as those without a sufficient washout period prior to first exposure occurrence further reduces bias due to balancing mediators on the causal pathway, time-varying hazards and depletion of susceptibles. 28 30 Our systematic framework across studies further will address residual confounding, publication bias and p-hacking using data-driven, large-scale propensity adjustment for measured confounding, <sup>31</sup> a large set of negative control outcome experiments to address unmeasured and systematic bias 32-34 and full disclosure of hypotheses

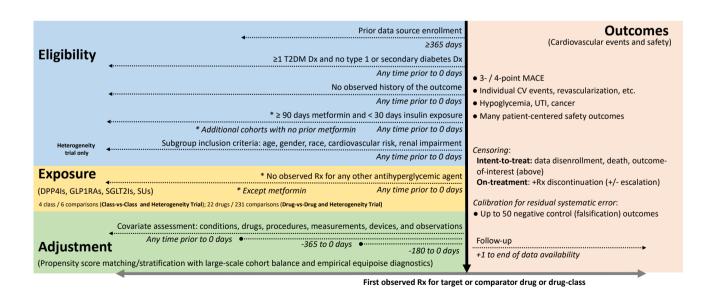


Figure 1 Schematic of LEGEND-T2DM new-user cohort design for the class-versus-class, drug-versus-drug and heterogeneity studies. DPP4Is, dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitors; GLP1RAs, glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonists; LEGEND-T2DM, large-scale evidence generation and evaluation across a network of databases for type 2 diabetes mellitus; MACE, major adverse cardiovascular events; SGLT2Is, sodium-glucose co-transporter-2 inhibitors; CV, cardiovasuclar; UTI, urinary track infection

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tested.<sup>35</sup> Figure 1 illustrates our design for all studies that the following sections describe in more detail.

#### **Data sources**

We will execute LEGEND-T2DM as a series of OHDSI network studies. All data partners within OHDSI are encouraged to participate voluntarily and can do so conveniently, because of the community's shared Observational Medical Outcomes Partnership (OMOP) common data model (CDM) and OHDSI tool stack. Many OHDSI community data partners have already committed to participate and we will recruit further data partners through OHDSI's standard recruitment process, which includes protocol publication on OHDSI's GitHub, an announcement in OHDSI's research forum, presentation at the weekly OHDSI all-hands-on meeting and direct requests to data holders.

Table 2 lists the 13 already committed data sources for LEGEND-T2DM; these sources encompass a large variety of practice types and populations. For each data source, we report a brief description and size of the population it represents and its patient capture process and start date. While the earliest patient capture begins in 1989 (Columbia University Irving Medical Center, CUIMC), the vast majority come from the mid-2000s to today, providing almost two decades of T2DM treatment coverage. US populations include those commercially and publicly insured, enriched for older individuals (MDCR, VA), lower socioeconomic status (MDCD) and racially diverse (VA >20% Black or African American, CUIMC 8%). The US data sources may capture the same patients across multiple sources. Different views of the same patients are an advantage in capturing the diversity of real-world health events that patients experience. Across Commercial Claims and Encounters (CCAE; commercially insured), MCDR (Medicare) and MCDC (Medicaid), we expect little overlap in terms of the same observations recorded at the same time for a patient; patients can flow between sources (eg, a CCAE patient who retires can opt-in to become an MDCR patient), but the enrolment time periods stand distinct. On the other hand, Optum, PanTher, OpenClaims, CUIMC and Yale New Haven Health System may overlap in time with the other US data sources. While it remains against licensing agreements to attempt to link patients between most data sources, Optum reports <20% overlap between their claims and electronic health record (EHR) data sources that is reassuringly small. All data sources will receive institutional review board approval or exemption for their participation before executing LEGEND-T2DM.

#### **Study population**

We will include all subjects in a data source who meet inclusion criteria for one or more traditionally second-line T2DM agent exposure cohorts. Broadly, these cohorts will consist of patients with T2DM either with or without prior metformin monotherapy who initiate treatment with one of the 22 drug ingredients that comprise the

DPP4I, GLP1RA, SGLT2I and sulfonylurea drug classes (table 1). We do not consider thiazolidinediones, given their known association with a risk of heart failure and bladder cancer.<sup>36</sup> <sup>37</sup> We describe specific definitions for exposure cohorts for each study in the following sections.

#### **Exposure comparators**

#### Class-versus-class study comparisons

The class-versus-class study will construct four exposure cohorts for new users of any drug ingredient within the four traditionally second-line drug classes in table 1. Cohort entry (index date) for each patient is their first observed exposure to any drug ingredient for the four second-line drug classes. Consistent with an idealised target trial for T2DM therapy and cardiovascular risk, <sup>38 39</sup> inclusion criteria for patients based on the index date will include:

- ► T2DM diagnosis and no type 1 or secondary diabetes mellitus diagnosis before the index date;
- ► At least 1 year of observation time before the index date (to improve new-user sensitivity).
- ▶ No prior drug exposure to a comparator second-line or other antihyperglycaemic agent (ie, thiazolidinediones, acarbose, acetohexamide, bromocriptine, glibornuride, miglitol and nateglinide) or >30 days insulin exposure before index date.

We will construct and compare separately cohorts patients either with:

- At least 3 months of metformin use before the index date.
- No prior metformin use before the index date.
   or
- ▶ No prior metformin use before the index date.

In the first case, 3 months of metformin is consistent with ADA guidelines. 40 In the second case, we are interested in relative effectiveness and safety of these traditionally second-line agents in patients who initiate their treatments without first using metformin. We purposefully do not automatically exclude or restrict to patients with a history of myocardial infarction, stroke or other major cardiovascular events, which will allow us to report relative effectiveness and safety for individuals with both low or moderate and high cardiovascular risk. Likewise, we do not automatically exclude or restrict to individuals with severe renal impairment.<sup>41</sup> We will use cohort diagnostics, such as achieving covariate balance and clinical empirical equipoise between exposure cohorts (see the Sample size and study power section) and stakeholder input to guide the possible need to exclude other prior diagnoses, such as congestive heart failure, pancreatitis or cancer.41

Online supplemental appendix A.1 reports the complete OHDSI ATLAS cohort description for new users of DDP4 inhibitors with prior metformin use. This description lists complete specification of cohort entry events, additional inclusion criteria, cohort exit events and all associated standard OMOP CDM concept code sets used in the definition. We generate programmatically



Table 2 Committed LEGEND-T2DM data sources and the populations they cover						
Data source	Population	Patients (million)	History	Data capture process and short description		
IBM MarketScan CCAE	Commercially insured, <65 years	142M	2000-today	Adjudicated health insurance claims (eg, inpatient, outpatient and outpatient pharmacy) from large employers and health plans who provide private healthcare coverage to employees, their spouses and dependents		
IBM MarketScan Medicare Supplemental Database (MDCR)	Commercially insured, 65+years	10M	2000-today	Adjudicated health insurance claims of retirees with primary or Medicare supplemental coverage through privately insured fee-for-service, point-of-service or capitated health plans		
IBM MarketScan Multi-State Medicaid Database (MDCD)	Medicaid enrollees, racially diverse	26M	2006-today	Adjudicated health insurance claims for Medicaid enrollees from multiple states and includes hospital discharge diagnoses, outpatient diagnoses and procedures, and outpatient pharmacy claims		
IQVIA Open Claims (IOC)	General	160M	2010-today	Pre-adjudicated claims at the anonymised patient- level collected from office-based physicians and specialists via office management software and clearinghouse switch sources for the purpose of reimbursement		
JMDC	Japan, general	5.5M	2005-today	Data from 60 society-managed health insurance plans covering workers aged 18–65 years and their dependents		
Korea NHIS	2% random sample of South Korea	1M	2002-today	National administrative claims database covering the South Korean population		
Optum Clinformatics Data Mart (Optum)	Commercially or Medicare insured	85M	2000-today	Inpatient and outpatient healthcare insurance claims		
CUIMC	Academic medical centre patients, racially diverse	6M	1989-today	General practice, specialists and inpatient hospital services from the New York-Presbyterian hospital and affiliated academic physician practices in New York		
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)	Veterans, older, racially diverse	12M	2000-today	National VA healthcare system, the largest integrated provider of medical services in the USA, provided at 170 VA medical centres and 1063 outpatient sites		
Information System for Research in Primary Care (SIDIAP)	80% of all Catalonia (Spain)	7.7M	2006-today	Primary care partially linked to inpatient data with pharmacy dispensations and primary care laboratories. Healthcare is universal and taxpayer funded in the region, and PCPs are gatekeeps for all care and responsible for repeat prescriptions		
IQVIA Disease Analyzer	Germany, general	37M	1992-today	Collection from patient management software used by general practitioners and selected specialists to document patients' medical records within their office-based practice during a visit		
OptumEHR	The USA, general	93M	2006-today	Clinical information, prescriptions, lab results, vital signs, body measurements, diagnoses and procedures derived from clinical notes using natural language processing		
YNHHS	Academic medical centre patients	2M	2013-today	General practice, specialists and inpatient hospital services from the YNHHS in Connecticut		

CCAE, Commercial Claims and Encounters; CUIMC, Columbia University Irving Medical Center; IOC, IQVIA Open Claims; JMDC, Japan Medical Data Center; LEGEND-T2DM, large-scale evidence generation and evaluation across a network of databases for type 2 diabetes mellitus; NHIS, National Health Insurance Service; OptumEHR, Optum electronic health records; PCP, primary care physician; YNHHS, Yale New Haven Health System.

equivalent cohort definitions for new others of each drug class with and without prior metformin use. ATLAS then automatically translates these definitions into network-deployable SQL source code. Online supplemental appendix A.2 lists the inclusion criteria modifier for no prior metformin use.

Of note, the inclusion criteria do not directly incorporate quantitative measures of poor glycaemic control, such as one or more elevated serum hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) measurements; such laboratory values are irregularly captured in large claims and even EHR data sources. Older ADA guidelines (but not since 2020 for patients with cardiovascular disease (CVD) 42) advise escalating to a second-line agent only when glycaemic control is not met with metformin monotherapy, nicely mirroring our cohort design for our historical data. We will conduct sensitivity analyses involving available HbA1c measurements to demonstrate their balance between exposure cohorts (described later in the Sample size and study power section). In the unlikely event that balance is not met, we will consider an inclusion criterion of at least two HbA1c measurements  $\geq 7\%$  within 6 months before the index.<sup>39</sup> We will also conduct sensitivity analyses to assess prior insulin use exclusions, bearing in mind difficulties in assessing insulin use end-dates.

For each data source, we will then execute all  $2 \times \left(\frac{4}{2}\right) = 6$  pairwise class comparisons for which the data source yields  $\geq 1000$  patients in each arm. Significantly fewer numbers of patients strongly suggest data source-specific differences in prescribing practices that may introduce residual bias and sufficient samples sizes are required to construct effective propensity score (PS) models.

#### Drug-versus-drug study comparisons

The drug-versus-drug study will construct 2×22 exposure cohorts for new users of each drug ingredient in table 1. We will apply the same cohort definition, inclusion criteria and patient count minimum as described in the Class-versus-class study comparisons section.

For each data source, we will then execute all  $2 \times \left(\frac{22}{2}\right) = 462$  pairwise drug comparisons. While we will publicly report studies results for all pairwise comparisons, we will focus primary clinical interpretation and scientific publishing to the  $2 \times \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$  (within DPP4Is)  $+2 \times \left(\frac{6}{2}\right)$  (within GLP1RAs)  $+2 \times \left(\frac{4}{2}\right)$  (within SGLT2Is)  $+2 \times \left(\frac{7}{2}\right)$  (within SUs) = 104 comparisons that pit drugs within the same class against each other, as well as across-class comparisons that stakeholders deem pertinent given their experiences.

Online supplemental appendix A.3 reports the complete OHDSI ATLAS cohort description for new users of aloglipitin with prior metformin use. Again, we programmatically construct all new-user drug-level cohort and automatically translate into SQL.

#### Heterogeneity study comparisons

The heterogeneity study will further stratify all 237 class-level and drug-level exposure cohorts in the Class-versus-class study comparisons section and the Drug-versus-drug study comparisons section by clinically important patient characteristics that modify cardiovascular risk or relative treatment heterogeneity to provide patient-focused treatment recommendations. These factors will include:

- ► Age (18–44 years/45–64 years/≥65 years at the index date).
- ► Gender (women/men).
- ▶ Race (African American or black).
- ► Cardiovascular risk (low or moderate/high, defined by established CVD at the index date).
- ► Renal impairment (at the index date).

We will define patients at high cardiovascular risk as those who fulfil at index date an established CVD definition that has been previously developed and validated for risk stratification among new users of second-line T2DM agents.44 Under this definition, established CVD means having at least one diagnosis code for a condition indicating CVD, such as atherosclerotic vascular disease, cerebrovascular disease, ischaemic heart disease or peripheral vascular disease, or having undergone at least one procedure indicating CVD, such as percutaneous coronary intervention, coronary artery bypass graft or revascularisation, any time on or prior to the exposure start. Likewise, we will define renal impairment through diagnosis codes for chronic kidney disease and end-stage renal disease, dialysis procedures and laboratory measurements of estimated glomerular filtration rate, serum creatinine and urine albumin.

Online supplemental appendix A.4 presents complete OHDSI ATLAS specifications for these subgroups, including all standard OMOP CDM concept codes defining cardiovascular risk and renal disease.

#### Validation

We will validate exposure cohorts and aggregate drug utilisation using comprehensive cohort characterisation tools against both claims and EHR data sources. Chief among these tools stands OHDSI's CohortDiagnostic package (github). For any cohort and data source mapped to OMOP CDM, this package systematically generates incidence new-user rates (stratified by age, gender and calendar year), cohort characteristics (all comorbidities, drug use, procedures and health utilisation) and the actual codes found in the data triggering the various rules in the cohort definitions. This can allow researchers and stakeholders to understand the heterogeneity of source coding for exposures and health outcomes as well as the impact of various inclusion criteria on overall cohort counts (details described in the Sample size and study power section).

#### **Outcomes**

Across all data sources and pairwise exposure cohorts, we will assess relative risks of 32 cardiovascular and



		Prior
Phenotype	Brief logical description	development
3-point MACE	Condition record of acute myocardial infarction, haemorrhagic or ischaemic stroke or sudden cardiac death during an inpatient or ER visit	49–61
4-point MACE	3-point MACE+inpatient or ER visit (hospitalisation) with heart failure condition record	44 49–67
Acute myocardial infarction	Condition record of acute myocardial infarction during an inpatient or ER vist	49–54
Acute renal failure	Condition record of acute renal failure during an inpatient or ER visit	47 68–75
Glycaemic control	First haemoglobin A1c measurement with value ≤7%	76
Hospitalisation with heart failure	Inpatient or ER visit with heart failure condition record	44 62–67
Measured renal dysfunction	First creatinine measurement with value >3 mg/dL	75
Coronary revascularisation	Procedure record of percutaneous coronary intervention or coronary artery bypass grafting during an inpatient or ER visit	45
Stroke	Condition record of haemorrhagic or ischaemic stroke during an inpatient or ER visit	55-60
Sudden cardiac death	Condition record of sudden cardiac death during an inpatient or ER visit	52 61
Abnormal weight gain	Abnormal weight gain record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes; note, weight measurements not used	77
Abnormal weight loss	Abnormal weight loss record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes; note, weight measurements not used	78
Acute pancreatitis	Condition record of acute pancreatitis during an inpatient or ER visit	79–82
All-cause mortality	Death record of any type	52 83 84
Bladder cancer	Malignant tumour of urinary bladder condition record of any type; limited to earliest event per person	
Bone fracture	Bone fracture condition record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes	
Breast cancer	Malignant tumour of breast condition record of any type; limited to earliest event per person	
Diabetic ketoacidosis	Diabetic ketoacidosis condition record during an inpatient or ER visit	46 85
Diarrhoea	Diarrhoea condition record of any type; successive records with >30-day gap are considered independent episodes	86–88
GU infection	Condition record of any type of genital or urinary tract infection during an outpatient or ER vists	89
Hyperkalaemia	Condition record for hyperkalaemia or potassium measurements >5.6 mmol/L; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes	90–92
Hypoglycaemia	Hypoglycaemia condition record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes	93
Hypotension	Hypotension condition record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes	94
Joint pain	Joint pain condition record of any type; successive records with >90-day gap are considered independent episodes	
Lower extremity amputation	Procedure record of below knee lower extremity amputation during inpatient or outpatient visit	44 48
Nausea	Nausea condition record of any type; successive records with >30-day gap are considered independent episodes	95–97
Peripheral oedema	Oedema condition record of any type; successive records with >180-day gap are considered independent episodes	
Photosensitivity	Condition record of drug-induced photosensitivity during any type of visit	
Renal cancer	Primary malignant neoplasm of kidney condition record of any type; limited to earliest event per person	

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Phenotype	Brief logical description	Prior development
Thyroid tumour	Neoplasm of thyroid gland condition record of any type; limited to earliest event per person	
Venous thromboembolism	Venous thromboembolism condition record of any type; successive records with >180-day gap are considered independent episodes	98–101
Vomiting	Vomiting condition record of any type; successive records with >30-day gap are considered independent episodes	95–97

type 2 diabetes mellitus; MACE, major adverse cardiovascular events.

patient-centred outcomes (table 3). Primary outcomes of interest are:

- ► Three-point major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE), including acute myocardial infarction, stroke and sudden cardiac death.
- ► Four-point MACE that additionally includes heart failure hospitalisation.

Secondary outcomes include:

- Individual MACE components.
- Acute renal failure.
- ► Coronary revascularisation.

In data sources with laboratory measurements, secondary outcomes further include:

- Glycaemic control.
- Measured renal dysfunction.

We will also study second-line T2DM drug side-effects and safety concerns highlighted in the 2018 ADA guide-lines<sup>40</sup> and from RCTs, including:

- Abnormal weight change.
- ► Genitourinary infection.
- Various cancers.
- Hypoglycaemia.

We will employ the same level of systematic rigour in studying outcomes regardless of their primary or secondary label (online supplemental appendix B).

A majority of outcome definitions have been previously implemented and validated in our own work<sup>22</sup> <sup>44–48</sup> based heavily on prior development by others (see references in table 3<sup>44–101</sup>). To assess across-source consistency and general clinical validity, we will characterise outcome incidence, stratified by age, sex and index year for each data source.

#### **Analysis**

#### Contemporary utilisation of drug classes and individual agents

For all cohorts in the three studies, we will describe overall utilisation as well as temporal trends in the use of each drug class and agents within the class. Furthermore, we will evaluate these trends in patient groups by age (18–44 years/45–64 years/≥65 years), gender, race and geographic regions. Since the emergence of novel medications in the management of T2DM in 2014, there has been a rapid expansion in both the number of drug classes and individual agents. These data will provide

insight into the current patterns of use and possible disparities. These data are critical to guide the real-world application of treatment decision pathways for the treatment of patients with T2DM.

Specifically, we will calculate and validate aggregate drug utilisation using the OHDSI's CohortDiagnostic package against both claims and EHR data sources. The CohortDiagnostics package works in two steps: (1) generate the utilisation results and diagnostics against a data source and (2) explore the generated utilisation and diagnostics in a user-friendly graphical interface R-Shiny app. Through the interface, one can explore patient profiles of a random sample of subjects in a cohort. These diagnostics provide a consistent methodology to evaluate cohort definitions/phenotype algorithms across a variety of observational databases. This will enable researchers and stakeholders to become informed on the appropriateness of including specific data sources within analyses, exposing potential risks related to heterogeneity and variability in patient care delivery that, when not addressed in the design, could result in errors such as highly correlated covariates in PS matching of a target and a comparator cohort. Thus, the added value of this approach is twofold in terms of exposing data quality for a study question and ensuring face validity checks are performed on proposed covariates to be used for balancing PSs.

#### Relative risk of cardiovascular and patient-centred outcomes

For all three studies, we will execute a systematic process to estimate the relative risk of cardiovascular and patient-centred outcomes between new users of second-line T2DM agents. The process will adjust for measured confounding, control from further residual (unmeasured) bias and accommodate important design choices to best emulate the nearly impossible to execute, idealised RCT that our stakeholders envision across data source populations, comparators, outcomes and subgroups.

To adjust for potential measured confounding and improve the balance between cohorts, we will build large-scale PS models<sup>102</sup> for each pairwise comparison and data source using a consistent data-driven process through regularised regression.<sup>31</sup> This process engineers a large set of predefined baseline patient characteristics, including age, gender, race, index month/year and



other demographics and prior conditions, drug exposures, procedures, laboratory measurements and health service utilisation behaviours, to provide the most accurate prediction of treatment and balance patient cohorts across many characteristics. Construction of condition, drug, procedures and observations include occurrences within 365 days, 180 days and 30 days prior to index date and are aggregated at several SNOMED (conditions) and ingredient/ATC class (drugs) levels. Other demographic measures include comorbidity risk scores (Charlson, DCSI (diabetes complications severity index), CHADS2 (congestive heart failure, hypertension, age, diabetes and stroke 2) and CHAD2VASc (CHADS2 plus vascular disease history)). From prior work, feature counts have ranged in the 1000s-10 000s, and these large-scale PS models have outperformed high-dimensional PS (hdPS)<sup>103</sup> in simulation and real-world examples. 31 Given the subcutaneous route of administration of GLP1RAs compared with other drugs administered orally, device codes that represent needles and associated health management encounters will be excluded from PS construction.

We will:

- Exclude patients who have experienced the outcome prior to their index date.
- Stratify and variable-ratio match patients by PS.
- ► Use Cox proportional hazards models.

to estimate HRs between alternative target and comparator treatments for the risk of each outcome in each data source. In addition, we will perform a sensitivity analysis that does not exclude individuals who previously experienced a glycaemic control outcome before the index date. The regression will condition on the PS strata/matching unit with treatment allocation as the sole explanatory variable and censor patients at the end of their time-atrisk (TAR) or data source observation period. We will prefer stratification over matching if both sufficiently balance patients (see the Sample size and study power section), as the former optimises patient inclusions and thus generalisability.

We will execute each comparison using three different TAR definitions, reflecting different and important causal contrasts:

- Intent to treat (TAR: index +1 → end of observation) captures both direct treatment effects and (long-term) behavioural/treatment changes that initial assignment triggers. <sup>104</sup>
- ► On-treatment 1 (TAR: index +1 → treatment discontinuation) is more patient centred 105 and captures direct treatment effect while allowing for escalation with additional T2DM agents.
- ▶ On-treatment 2 (TAR: index +1 → discontinuation or escalation with T2DM agents) carries the least possible confounding with other concurrent T2DM agents.

Our 'on-treatment' is often called 'per-protocol'. 106 Systematically executing with multiple causal contrasts enables us to identify potential biases that missing prescription data, treatment escalation and behavioural changes introduce, while preserving the ease of intent-to-treat

interpretation and power if the data demonstrate them as unbiased. Online supplemental appendix A.5 reports the modified cohort exit rule for the on-treatment-2 TAR.

We will aggregate HR estimates across non-overlapping data sources to produce meta-analytic estimates using a random-effects meta-analysis. <sup>107</sup> This classic meta-analysis assumes that per-data source likelihoods are approximately normally distributed. <sup>108</sup> This assumption fails when outcomes are rare as we expect for some safety events. Here, our recent research shows that as the number of data sources increases, the non-normality effect increases to where coverage of 95% CIs can be as low as 5%. To counter this, we will also apply a Bayesian meta-analysis model <sup>109</sup> <sup>110</sup> that neither assumes normality nor requires patient-level data sharing by building on composite likelihood methods <sup>111</sup> and enables us to introduce appropriate overlap weights between data sources.

Residual study bias from unmeasured and systematic sources often remains in observational studies even after controlling for measured confounding through PS adjustment.<sup>32</sup> For each comparison-outcome effect, we will conduct negative control (falsification) outcome experiments, where the null hypothesis of no effect is believed to be true, using approximately 100 controls. We identified these controls through a data-rich algorithm 112 that identifies prevalent OMOP condition concept occurrences that lack evidence of association with exposures in published literature, drug-product labelling and spontaneous reports, and were then adjudicated by clinical review. We previously validated 60 of the controls in LEGEND for Hypertension (LEGEND-HTN).<sup>22</sup> Online supplemental appendix C lists these negative controls and their OMOP condition concept IDs.

Using the empirical null distributions from these experiments, we will calibrate each study effect HR estimate, its 95% CI and the p value to reject the null hypothesis of no differential effect.<sup>34</sup> We will declare an HR as significantly different from no effect when its calibrated p <0.05 without correcting for multiple testing. Finally, blinded to all trial results, study investigators will evaluate study diagnostics for all comparisons to assess if they were likely to yield unbiased estimates (see the Sample size and study power section).

#### Sensitivity analyses and missingness

Because of the potential confounding effect of glycaemic control at baseline between treatment choice and outcomes and to better understand the impact of limited glucose level measurements on effectiveness and safety estimation that arises in administrative claims and some EHR data, we will perform prespecified sensitivity analyses for all studies within data sources that contain reliable glucose or haemoglobin A1c measurements. Within a study, for each exposure pair, we will first rebuild PS models, where we additionally include baseline glucose or haemoglobin A1c measurements as patient characteristics, stratify or match patients under the new PS models that directly adjust for potential confounding by

glycaemic control and then estimate effectiveness and safety HRs.

A limitation of the Cox model is that no doubly robust procedure is believed to exist for estimating HRs, due to their non-collapsibility. 113 Doubly robust procedures combine baseline patient characteristic-adjusted outcome and PS models to control for confounding and, in theory, remain unbiased when either (but not necessarily both) model is correctly specified. 114 Doubly robust procedures do exist for hazard differences<sup>115</sup> and we will validate the appropriateness of our univariable Cox modelling by comparing estimate differences under an additive hazards model<sup>116</sup> with and without doubly robust adjustment. 117 In practice, however, neither the outcome nor PS model is correctly specified, leading to systematic error in the observational setting.

Missing data of potential concern are patient demographics (gender, age and race) for our inclusion criteria. We will include only individuals whose baseline eligibility can be characterised that will most notably influence race subgroup assessments in the heterogeneity study. No further missing data can arise in our large-scale PS models because all features, with the exception of demographics, simply indicate the presence or absence of health records in a given time period. Finally, we limit the impact of missing data, such as prescription information, relating to exposure TAR by entertaining multiple definitions. In all reports, we will clearly tabulate numbers of missing observations and patient attrition.

### **SAMPLE SIZE AND STUDY POWER**

Within each data source, we will execute all comparisons with ≥1000 eligible patients per arm. Blinded to effect estimates, investigators and stakeholders will evaluate extensive study diagnostics for each comparison to assess reliability and generalisability, and only report risk estimates that pass. 25 35 These diagnostics will include:

- 1. Minimum detectable risk ratio as a typical proxy for
- 2. Preference score distributions to evaluate empirical equipoise 10 and population generalisability.
- 3. Extensive patient characteristics to evaluate cohort balance before and after PS adjustment.
- 4. Negative control calibration plots to assess residual
- 5. Kaplan-Meier plots to examine HR proportionality assumptions.

We will define cohorts to stand in empirical equipoise if the majority of patients carry preference scores between 0.3 and 0.7 and to achieve balance if all after-adjustment characteristics return absolute standardised mean differences < 0.1. 118

#### STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS **Strengths**

LEGEND-T2DM is, to the best of our knowledge, the largest and most comprehensive study to provide evidence about the comparative effectiveness and safety of second-line T2DM agents. The LEGEND-T2DM studies will encompass over 1 million patients initiating second-line T2DM agents across at least 13 databases from 5 countries and will examine all pairwise comparisons between the four second-line drug classes against a panel of to-do health outcomes. Through an international network, LEGEND-T2DM seeks to take advantage of disparate health databases drawn from different sources and across a range of countries and practice settings. These large-scale and unfiltered populations better represent real-world practice than the restricted study populations in prescribed treatment and follow-up settings from RCTs. Our use of the OMOP CDM allows extension of the LEGEND-T2DM experiment to future databases and allows replication of these results on licensable databases that were used in this experiment while still maintaining patient privacy on patient-level data.

LEGEND-T2DM further advances the statistically rigorous and empirically validated methods we have developed in OHDSI that specifically address bias inherent in observational studies and allow for reliable causal inference. Patient characteristics and their treatment choices are likely to confound comparative effectiveness and safety estimates. Our approach combines active comparator new-user designs that emulate randomised clinical trials with large-scale propensity adjustment for measured confounding, a large set of negative control outcome experiments to address unmeasured and systematic bias, and full disclosure of hypotheses tested.

Each LEGEND-T2DM aim will represent evidence synthesis from a large number of bespoke studies across multiple data sources. Addressing questions one bespoke study at a time is prone to errors arising from multiple testing, random variation in effect estimates and publication bias. LEGEND-T2DM is designed to avoid these concerns through methodologic best practices 119 with full study diagnostics and external replication.

Through open science, LEGEND-T2DM will allow any interested investigators to engage as partners in our work at many levels. We will publicly develop all protocols and analytic code. This invites additional data custodians to participate in LEGEND-T2DM and enables others to modify and reuse our approach for other investigations. We will also host real-time access to all study result artefacts for outside analysis and interpretation. Such an open science framework ensures a feed-forward effect on other scientific contributions in the community. Collectively, LEGEND-T2DM will generate patient-centred, high quality, generalisable evidence that will transform the clinical management of T2DM through our active collaboration with patients, clinicians and national medical societies. LEGEND-T2DM will spur scientific innovation



Data source	Statement
IBM MarketScan CCAE	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
IBM MarketScan Medicare Supplemental Database (MDCR)	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
IBM MarketScan Multi-State Medicaid Database (MDCD)	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
IOC	This is a retrospective database study on de-identified data and is deemed not human subject research. Approval is provided for OHDSI network studies
JMDC	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
Korea NHIS	Ajou University IRB (AJIRB-MED-EXP-17-054 for LEGEND-HTN) and approval expected shortly for LEGEND-T2DM
Optum Clinformatics Data Mart (Optum)	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
CUIMC	Use of the CUIMC data source was approved by the Columbia University Institutional Review Board as an OHDSI network study (IRB# AAAO7805)
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)	Use of the VA-OMOP data source was reviewed by the Department of Veterans Affairs Central IRB and was determined to meet the criteria for exemption under Exemption Category 4 (3) and approved the request for Waiver of HIPAA Authorisation
Information System for Research in Primary Care (SIDIAP)	Use of the SIDIAP data source was approved by the Clinical Research Ethics Committee of IDIAPJGoI (project code: 20/070-PCV)
IQVIA Disease Analyzer,Germany	This is a retrospective database study on de-identified data and is deemed not human subject research. Approval is provided for OHDSI network studies
OptumEHR	New England IRB and was determined to be exempt from broad IRB approval, as this research project did not involve human subject research
YNHHS	Use of the YNHHS EHR data source was approved by the Yale University IRB as an OHDSI network study (IRB# pending)

CCAE, Commercial Claims and Encounters; CUIMC, Columbia University Irving Medical Center; HTN, hypertension; IOC, IQVIA Open Claims; IRB, institutional review board; JMDC, Japan Medical Data Center; LEGEND-T2DM, large-scale evidence generation and evaluation across a network of databases for type 2 diabetes mellitus; NHIS, National Health Insurance Service; OHDSI, Observational Health Data Sciences and Informatics; OMOP, Observational Medical Outcomes Partnership; OptumEHR, Optum electronic health records; YNHHS, Yale New Haven Health System.

through the generation of open-source resources in data science).

#### **Limitations**

Even though many potential confounders will be included in these studies, there may be residual bias due to unmeasured or misspecified confounders, such as confounding by indication, differences in physician characteristics that may be associated with drug choice, concomitant use of other drugs started after the index date and informative censoring at the end of the on-treatment periods. To minimise this risk, we will use methods to detect residual bias through a large number of negative and positive controls.

Ideal negative controls carry identical confounding between exposures and the outcome of interest. The true confounding structure, however, is unknowable. Instead of attempting to find the elusive perfect negative control, we will rely on a large sample of controls that

represent a wide range of confounding structures. If a study comparison proves to be unbiased for all negative controls, we can feel confident that it will also be unbiased for the outcome of interest. In our previous studies, <sup>22 25 121</sup> using the active comparator, new-user cohort design we will employ here, we have observed minimal residual bias using negative controls. This stands in stark contrast to other designs such as the (nested) case–control that tends to show large residual bias because of incomparable exposure cohorts implied by the design. <sup>122</sup>

Observed follow-up times are limited and variable, potentially reducing power to detect differences in effectiveness and safety and, further, misclassification of study variables is unavoidable in secondary use of health data, so it is possible to misclassify treatments, covariates and outcomes. Based on our previous successful studies on antihypertensives, we do not expect differential



misclassification, and, therefore, bias will most likely be toward the null. Finally, the EHR databases may be missing care episodes for patients due to care outside the respective health systems. Such bias, however, will also most likely be towards the null.

Finally, since our studies focus on healthcare datasets, as opposed to vital statistics datasets, the cause of the death among those suffering sudden cardiac death in the outpatient setting will not be identified as such.

#### **ETHICS AND DISSEMINATION**

LEGEND-T2DM does not involve human subjects research. The project does, however, use human data collected during routine healthcare provision. Most often the data are de-identified within data source. All data partners executing the LEGEND-T2DM studies within their data sources will have received institutional review board (IRB) approval or waiver for participation in accordance with their institutional governance prior to execution (see table 4). LEGEND-T2DM executes across a federated and distributed data network, where analysis code is sent to participating data partners and only aggregate summary statistics are returned, with no sharing of patient-level data between organisations.

## Management and reporting of adverse events and adverse reactions

LEGEND-T2DM uses coded data that already exist in electronic databases. In these types of databases, it is not usually possible to link (ie, identify a potential causal association between) a particular product and medical event for any specific individual. Thus, the minimum criteria for reporting an adverse event (ie, identifiable patient, identifiable reporter, a suspect product and event) are not available and adverse events are not reportable as individual adverse event reports. The study results will be assessed for medically important findings.

#### Plans for disseminating and communicating study results

Open science aims to make scientific research, including its data process and software, and its dissemination, through publication and presentation, accessible to all levels of an inquiring society, amateur or professional and is a governing principle of LEGEND-T2DM. Open science delivers reproducible, transparent and reliable evidence. All aspects of LEGEND-T2DM (except private patient data) will be open and we will actively encourage other interested researchers, clinicians and patients to participate. This differs fundamentally from traditional studies that rarely open their analytic tools or share all result artefacts, and inform the community about hard-to-verify conclusions at completion.

#### **Transparent and re-usable research tools**

We will publicly register this protocol and announce its availability for feedback from stakeholders, the OHDSI community and within clinical professional societies. This protocol will link to open-source code for all steps to generating diagnostics, effect estimates, figures and tables. Such transparency is possible because we will construct our studies on top of the OHDSI tool stack of open-source software tools that are community developed and rigorously tested. We will publicly host LEGEND-T2DM source code at https://github.com/ohdsi-studies/LegendT2dm, allowing public contribution and review, and free re-use for anyone's future research.

#### **Continuous sharing of results**

LEGEND-T2DM embodies a new approach to generating evidence from healthcare data that overcome weaknesses in the current process of answering and publishing (or not) one question at a time. Generating evidence for thousands of research and control questions using a systematic process enables us to not only evaluate that process and the coherence and consistency of the evidence but also to avoid p-hacking and publication bias. The will store and openly communicate all these results as they become available using a user-friendly web-based app that serves up all descriptive statistics, study diagnostics and effect estimates for each cohort comparison and outcome. Open access to this app will be through a public facing LEGEND-T2DM webpage.

#### Dissemination through scientific meetings and publications

We will deliver multiple presentations annually at scientific venues including the annual meetings of the American Diabetes Association, American College of Cardiology, American Heart Association and American Medical Informatics Association. We will also prepare multiple scientific publications for clinical, informatics and statistical journals.

#### Dissemination to general public

We believe in sharing our findings that will guide clinical care with the public. LEGEND-T2DM will use social media (Twitter) to facilitate this. With dedicated support from the OHDSI communications specialist, we will deliver regular press releases at key project stages, distributed via the extensive media networks of UCLA, Columbia and Yale.

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# **Appendix**

## A Exposure Cohort Definitions

## A.1 Class-vs-Class Exposure (DPP4 New-User) Cohort / OT1

## A.1.1 Cohort Entry Events

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. drug exposure of 'DPP4 inhibitors' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

Restrict entry events to with all of the following criteria:

- 1. with the following event criteria: who are >= 18 years old.
- 2. having at least 1 condition occurrence of 'Type 2 diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 3. having no condition occurrences of 'Type 1 diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 4. having no condition occurrences of 'Secondary diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

#### A.1.2 Additional Inclusion Criteria

No prior GLP-1 receptor agonist exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'GLP-1 receptor agonists,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior SGLT-2 inhibitor exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'SGLT2 inhibitors,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior SU exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'Sulfonylureas,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior other anti-diabetic exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'Other anti-diabetics,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

· Prior metformin use

Entry events with any of the following criteria:

- 1. having at least 1 drug era of 'Metformin,' starting anytime up to 90 days before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period; with era length >= 90 days.
- 2. having at least 3 drug exposures of 'Metformin,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- No prior insulin use or combo initiation: Proxy for < 30 days drug era anytime before index and no combination use on index

Entry events with all of the following criteria:

- 1. having no drug eras of 'Insulin,' starting anytime up to 30 days before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period; with era length > 30 days.
- 2. having no drug eras of 'Insulin,' starting between 30 days before and 0 days after cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

#### A.1.3 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be based on a continuous exposure to 'DPP4 inhibitors': allowing 30 days between exposures, adding 0 days after exposure ends, and using days supply and exposure end date for exposure duration.

#### A.1.4 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

#### A.1.5 Concept: DPP4 inhibitors

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
43013884	alogliptin	1368001	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
40239216	linagliptin	1100699	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
40166035	saxagliptin	857974	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1580747	sitagliptin	593411	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19122137	vildagliptin	596554	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

### A.1.6 Concept: GLP-1 receptor agonists

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
44816332	albiglutide	1534763	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
45774435	dulaglutide	1551291	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1583722	exenatide	60548	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
40170911	liraglutide	475968	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
44506754	lixisenatide	1440051	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
793143	semaglutide	1991302	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

#### A.1.7 Concept: SGLT2 inhibitors

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
43526465	canagliflozin	1373458	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
44785829	dapagliflozin	1488564	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
45774751	empagliflozin	1545653	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
793293	ertugliflozin	1992672	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.8 Concept: Sulfonylureas

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
1594973	chlorpropamide	2404	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1597756	glimepiride	25789	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1560171	glipizide	4821	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19097821	gliquidone	25793	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1559684	glyburide	4815	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502809	tolazamide	10633	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502855	tolbutamide	10635	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.9 Concept: Other anti-diabetics

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
1529331	acarbose	16681	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1530014	acetohexamide	173	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
730548	bromocriptine	1760	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19033498	carbutamide	2068	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19001409	glibornuride	102846	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19059796	gliclazide	4816	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19001441	glymidine	102848	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1510202	miglitol	30009	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502826	nateglinide	274332	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1525215	pioglitazone	33738	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1516766	repaglinide	73044	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1547504	rosiglitazone	84108	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1515249	troglitazone	72610	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.10 Concept: Insulin

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
1596977	insulin, regular, human	253182	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1550023	insulin lispro	86009	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1567198	insulin aspart, human	51428	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502905	insulin glargine	274783	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1513876	insulin lispro protamine, human	314684	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1531601	insulin aspart protamine, human	352385	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1586346	insulin, regular, pork	221109	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1544838	insulin glulisine, human	400008	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1516976	insulin detemir	139825	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1590165	insulin, regular, beef-pork	235275	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1513849	lente insulin, human	314683	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1562586	lente insulin, pork	93108	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1588986	insulin human, rDNA origin	631657	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1513843	lente insulin, beef-pork	314682	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1586369	ultralente insulin, human	221110	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
35605670	insulin argine	1740938	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

35602717	insulin degludec	1670007	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
21600713	INSULINS AND ANALOGUES	A10A	ATC	NO	YES	NO
19078608	insulin, protamine zinc, beef-pork 100 UNT/ML Injectable Suspension	311053	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.11 Concept: Metformin

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
1503297	metformin	6809	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.12 Concept: Secondary diabetes mellitus

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
195771	Secondary diabetes mellitus	8801005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.13 Concept: Type 1 diabetes mellitus

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
201254	Type 1 diabetes mellitus	46635009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
435216	Disorder due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	420868002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
200687	Renal disorder due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	421893009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
377821	Disorder of nervous system due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	421468001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
318712	Peripheral circulatory disorder due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	421365002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## A.1.14 Concept: Type 2 diabetes mellitus

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
201826	Type 2 diabetes mellitus	44054006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443734	Ketoacidosis due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	421750000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443767	Disorder of eye due to diabetes mellitus	25093002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
192279	Disorder of kidney due to diabetes mellitus	127013003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443735	Coma due to diabetes mellitus	420662003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
376065	Disorder of nervous system due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	421326000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443729	Peripheral circulatory disorder due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	422166005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443732	Disorder due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	422014003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

#### A.2 Metformin Use Modifier

#### A.2.1 No prior metformin use

Entry events having no drug eras of 'Metformin,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

## A.3 Drug-vs-Drug Exposure (Alogliptin New-User) Cohort / OT1

## A.3.1 Cohort Entry Events

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. drug exposure of 'alogliptin' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

Restrict entry events to with all of the following criteria:

- 1. with the following event criteria: who are >= 18 years old.
- 2. having at least 1 condition occurrence of 'Type 2 diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 3. having no condition occurrences of 'Type 1 diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 4. having no condition occurrences of 'Secondary diabetes mellitus,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

#### A.3.2 Additional Inclusion Criteria

· No prior with-in class exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'DPP4 inhibitors excluding alogliptin,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior GLP-1 receptor agonist exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'GLP-1 receptor agonists,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior SGLT-2 inhibitor exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'SGLT2 inhibitors,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior SU exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'Sulfonylureas,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

No prior other anti-diabetic exposure

Entry events having no drug exposures of 'Other anti-diabetics,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

Prior metformin use

Entry events with any of the following criteria:

- 1. having at least 1 drug era of 'Metformin,' starting anytime up to 90 days before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period; with era length >= 90 days.
- 2. having at least 3 drug exposures of 'Metformin,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- No prior insulin use or combo initiation: Proxy for < 30 days drug era anytime before index and no combination use on index

Entry events having no drug eras of 'Insulin,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period; with era length > 30 days.

#### A.3.3 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be based on a continuous exposure to 'alogliptin': allowing 30 days between exposures, adding 0 days after exposure ends, and using days supply and exposure end date for exposure duration.

#### A.3.4 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

#### A.3.5 Concept: alogliptin

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
43013884	alogliptin	1368001	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

#### A.3.6 Concept: DPP4 inhibitors excluding alogliptin

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
40239216	linagliptin	1100699	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
40166035	saxagliptin	857974	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1580747	sitagliptin	593411	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19122137	vildagliptin	596554	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## A.4 Heterogenity Study Inclusion Criteria

#### A.4.1 Lower age group

Entry events with the following event criteria: who are < 45 years old.

### A.4.2 Middle age group

Entry events with all of the following criteria:

- 1. with the following event criteria: who are >= 45 years old.
- 2. with the following event criteria: who are < 65 years old.

#### A.4.3 Older age group

Entry events with the following event criteria: who are >= 65 years old.

#### A.4.4 Female stratum

Entry events with the following event criteria: who are female.

#### A.4.5 Male stratum

Entry events with the following event criteria: who are male.

#### A.4.6 Race stratum

Entry events with the following event criteria: race is: "black or african american," "black," "african american," "african," "bahamian," "barbadian," "dominican," "dominica islander," "haitian," "jamaican," "tobagoan," "trinidadian" or "west indian."

#### A.4.7 Low cardiovascular risk

Entry events with all of the following criteria:

- having no condition occurrences of 'Conditions indicating established cardiovascular disease,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 2. having no procedure occurrences of 'Procedures indicating established cardiovascular disease,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

#### A.4.8 Higher cardiovascular risk

Entry events with any of the following criteria:

- having at least 1 condition occurrence of 'Conditions indicating established cardiovascular disease,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.
- 2. having at least 1 procedure occurrence of 'Procedures indicating established cardiovascular disease,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

## A.4.9 Concept: Conditions indicating established cardiovascular disease

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
319844	Acute ischemic heart disease	413439005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321318	Angina pectoris	194828000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4124841	Aortic bifurcation syndrome	233972005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
312337	Arterial embolus and thrombosis	266262004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4278217	Arterial thrombosis	65198009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
40484167	Arteriosclerosis of artery of extremity	443971004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
318443	Arteriosclerotic vascular disease	72092001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
314659	Arteritis	52089001	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
40479625	Atherosclerosis of artery	441574008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
40484541	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein bypass graft of limb	442693003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
312902	Benign intracranial hypertension	68267002	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4288310	Carotid artery obstruction	69798007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
372924	Cerebral artery occlusion	20059004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
376713	Cerebral hemorrhage	274100004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
381591	Cerebrovascular disease	62914000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
316494	Cerebrovascular disorder in the puerperium	6594005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
315286	Chronic ischemic heart disease	413838009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
44782819	Chronic occlusion of artery of extremity	698816006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4313767	Chronic peripheral venous hypertension	423674003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
372721	Congenital anomaly of cerebrovascular system	65587001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
316995	Coronary occlusion	63739005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
134057	Disorder of cardiovascular system	49601007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
40480453	Disorder of vein of lower extremity	441739009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
46272492	Dissection of artery	710864009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4324690	Fracture of skull	71642004	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
441246	Hemangioma of intracranial structure	93468003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
380113	Hemorrhage in optic nerve sheaths	14460007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
192763	Injury of blood vessel	57662003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4275428	Injury of blood vesser	64583005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
442774	Intermittent claudication	63491006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
439847	Intracranial hemorrhage	1386000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
434056	Late effects of cerebrovascular disease	195239002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4146311	Leriche's syndrome	307816004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4329847	Myocardial infarction	22298006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4296029	,		SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
260841	Periarteritis	76805007	SNOMED			NO
	Perinatal subarachnoid hemorrhage	21202004		YES	YES	
317309	Peripheral arterial occlusive disease	399957001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321822	Peripheral vascular disorder due to diabetes mellitus	421895002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
313928	Peripheral vascular complication	10596002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321052	Peripheral vascular disease	400047006	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
44782775	Peripheral vascular disease associated with another disorder	34881000119105	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
318137	Phlebitis and thrombophlebitis of intracranial sinuses	192753009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
441039	Phlebitis of lower limb vein	312588002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4067424	Polyarteritis	20258000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

320749	Polyarteritis nodosa	155441006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
443239	Precerebral arterial occlusion	266253001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
440417	Pulmonary embolism	59282003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4318842	Renal vasculitis	95578000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
380943	Rupture of syphilitic cerebral aneurysm	186893003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
432923	Subarachnoid hemorrhage	21454007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
439040	Subdural hemorrhage	35486000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
320741	Thrombophlebitis	64156001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4141106	Thrombosis of arteries of the extremities	33591000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4132546	Traumatic brain injury	127295002	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4194610	Trunk arterial embolus	312593004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
318169	Varicose veins of lower extremity	72866009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4189293	Vascular disorder of lower extremity	373408007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
443752	Ventricular hemorrhage	23276006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
432346	Dissection of vertebral artery	230730001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

#### A.4.10 Concept: Procedures indicating established cardiovascular disease

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4150819	Operative procedure on coronary artery	31413008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4331725	Operative procedure on artery of extremity	22701007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## A.4.11 Without renal impairment

Entry events having no condition occurrences of 'Renal impairment,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

#### A.4.12 Renal impairment

Entry events having at least 1 condition occurrence of 'Renal impairment,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date; allow events outside observation period.

## A.4.13 Concept: Renal impairment

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4030518	Renal impairment	236423003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

#### A.5 Escalation Exit Criteria

The cohort end date will be based on a continuous exposure to 'DPP4 inhibitors': allowing 30 days between exposures, adding 0 days after exposure ends, and using days supply and exposure end date for exposure duration.

The person also exists the cohort when encountering any of the following events:

- 1. drug exposures of 'All alternative target exposures.'
- 2. drug exposures of 'Other anti-diabetics.'
- 3. drug eras of 'Insulin,' with era length > 30 days.

#### A.5.1 Concept: All alternative target exposures

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
44816332	albiglutide	1534763	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
43526465	canagliflozin	1373458	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1594973	chlorpropamide	2404	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
44785829	dapagliflozin	1488564	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
45774435	dulaglutide	1551291	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
45774751	empagliflozin	1545653	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
793293	ertugliflozin	1992672	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1583722	exenatide	60548	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1597756	glimepiride	25789	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1560171	glipizide	4821	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
19097821	gliquidone	25793	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1559684	glyburide	4815	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
40170911	liraglutide	475968	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
44506754	lixisenatide	1440051	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
793143	semaglutide	1991302	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502809	tolazamide	10633	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO
1502855	tolbutamide	10635	RxNorm	NO	YES	NO

## **B** Outcome Cohort Definitions

## **B.1 3-point MACE**

#### **B.1.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

- 1. condition occurrences of 'Acute myocardial Infarction.'
- 2. condition occurrences of 'Sudden cardiac death.'
- 3. condition occurrences of 'Ischemic stroke.'
- 4. condition occurrences of 'Intracranial bleed Hemorrhagic stroke'.

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.1.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

#### **B.1.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

## **B.1.4** Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	IP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

## **B.1.5** Concept: Acute myocardial Infarction

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4329847 314666	Myocardial infarction Old myocardial infarction	22298006 1755008	SNOMED SNOMED	NO YES	YES YES	NO NO

## **B.1.6** Concept: Sudden cardiac death

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4048809	Brainstem death	230802007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321042	Cardiac arrest	410429000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
442289	Death in less than 24 hours from onset of symptoms	53559009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4317150	Sudden cardiac death	95281009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4132309	Sudden death	26636000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
437894	Ventricular fibrillation	71908006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

#### **B.1.7** Concept: Ischemic stroke

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
372924	Cerebral artery occlusion	20059004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
375557	Cerebral embolism	75543006	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
443454	Cerebral infarction	432504007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
441874	Cerebral thrombosis	71444005	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

#### B.1.8 Concept: Intracranial bleed Hemorrhagic stroke

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
376713 439847	Cerebral hemorrhage Intracranial hemorrhage	274100004 1386000	SNOMED SNOMED	NO NO	NO NO	NO NO
432923	Subarachnoid hemorrhage	21454007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

43530727	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage	291571000119106	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4148906	Spontaneous subarachnoid hemorrhage	270907008	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

#### **B.1.9 Concept: Heart Failure**

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
315295	Congestive rheumatic heart failure	82523003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
316139	Heart failure	84114007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## **B.2** 4-point MACE

#### **B.2.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

- 1. condition occurrences of 'Acute myocardial Infarction.'
- 2. condition occurrences of 'Sudden cardiac death.'
- 3. condition occurrences of 'Ischemic stroke.'
- condition occurrences of 'lintracranial bleed Hemorrhagic stroke.'
- condition occurrences of 'Heart Failure.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.2.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

#### **B.2.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

#### **B.2.4** Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	ΙP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

#### **B.2.5** Concept: Acute myocardial Infarction

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4329847	Myocardial infarction Old myocardial infarction	22298006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
314666		1755008	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

## B.2.6 Concept: Sudden cardiac death

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4048809	Brainstem death	230802007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321042	Cardiac arrest	410429000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
442289	Death in less than 24 hours from onset of symptoms	53559009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4317150	Sudden cardiac death	95281009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4132309	Sudden death	26636000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
437894	Ventricular fibrillation	71908006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

## **B.2.7** Concept: Ischemic stroke

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
372924	Cerebral artery occlusion	20059004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
375557	Cerebral embolism	75543006	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
443454	Cerebral infarction	432504007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
441874	Cerebral thrombosis	71444005	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

## B.2.8 Concept: lintracranial bleed Hemorrhagic stroke

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
376713	Cerebral hemorrhage	274100004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
439847	Intracranial hemorrhage	1386000	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
432923	Subarachnoid hemorrhage	21454007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
43530727	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage	291571000119106	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4148906	Spontaneous subarachnoid hemorrhage	270907008	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

#### **B.2.9 Concept: Heart Failure**

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
315295	Congestive rheumatic heart failure	82523003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
316139	Heart failure	84114007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## **B.3** Acute myocardial infarction

#### **B.3.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND-T2DM] Acute myocardial Infarction.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.3.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

#### **B.3.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

#### B.3.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	IP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

## B.3.5 Concept: [LEGEND-T2DM] Acute myocardial Infarction

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4329847	Myocardial infarction Old myocardial infarction	22298006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
314666		1755008	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

#### B.4 Acute renal failure

#### **B.4.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'Acute Renal Failure.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.4.2 Cohort Exit**

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 30 days.

#### **B.4.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

## **B.4.4** Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	IP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

## **B.4.5 Concept: Acute Renal Failure**

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
197320	Acute renal failure syndrome	14669001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
432961	Acute renal papillary necrosis with renal failure	298015003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
444044	Acute tubular necrosis	35455006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## **B.5** Glycemic control

#### **B.5.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

- 1. measurements of 'HbA1c\_v2,' numeric value <= 7; unit: "percent."
- 2. measurements of 'HbA1c\_v2,' numeric value <= 53; unit: "millimole per mole."

### **B.5.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### **B.5.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

#### B.5.4 Concept: HbA1c\_v2

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
3004410	Hemoglobin A1c (Glycated)	4548-4	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3007263	Hemoglobin A1c/Hemoglobin.total in Blood by calculation	17855-8	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3003309	Hemoglobin A1c/Hemoglobin.total in Blood by Electrophoresis	4549-2	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3005673	Hemoglobin A1c/Hemoglobin.total in Blood by HPLC	17856-6	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
40762352	Hemoglobin A1c/Hemoglobin.total in Blood by IFCC protocol	59261-8	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
40758583	Hemoglobin A1c in Blood	55454-3	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3034639	Hemoglobin A1c [Mass/volume] in Blood	41995-2	LOINC	NO	YES	NO

## B.6 Hospitalization with heart failure

#### **B.6.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

 visit occurrences of 'Inpatient or ER visit'; having at least 1 condition occurrence of '[LEGEND-T2DM] Heart Failure,' starting between 0 days before and all days after 'Inpatient or ER visit' start date and starting anytime on or before 'Inpatient or ER visit' end date.

#### **B.6.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's end date plus 0 days.

#### **B.6.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 7 days of each other.

#### B.6.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	ΙP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

## B.6.5 Concept: [LEGEND-T2DM] Heart Failure

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
315295	Congestive rheumatic heart failure	82523003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
316139	Heart failure	84114007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

## B.7 Measured renal dysfunction

#### **B.7.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

- measurements of 'Creatinine measurement,' numeric value > 3; unit: "milligram per deciliter."
- 2. measurements of 'Creatinine measurement,' numeric value > 265; unit: "micro-mole/liter."
- 3. measurements of 'Creatinine measurement,' numeric value > 0.265; unit: "millimole per liter."
- 4. measurements of 'Creatinine measurement,' numeric value > 3; unit: "milligram."

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

#### **B.7.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### B.7.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

## **B.7.4** Concept: Creatinine measurement

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
3016723	Creatinine [Mass/volume] in Serum or Plasma	2160-0	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3022243	Creatinine [Mass/volume] in Serum or Plasma –pre dialysis	11042-9	LOINC	NO	YES	NO
3020564	Creatinine [Moles/volume] in Serum or Plasma	14682-9	LOINC	NO	YES	NO

#### **B.8** Revascularization

## **B.8.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. procedure occurrences of 'PCI.'

2. procedure occurrences of 'CABG.'

#### **B.8.2** Additional Inclusion Criteria

Hospitalization

Entry events having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Hospitalization,' starting between 0 days before and 0 days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.8.3** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### **B.8.4** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

#### B.8.5 Concept: PCI

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4006788	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty	11101003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4264285	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty by rotoablation	397193006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4265293	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty with rotoablation, single vessel	397431004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4225903	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, multiple vessels	85053006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4283892	Placement of stent in coronary artery	36969009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4337738	Percutaneous endarterectomy of coronary artery	232726007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4139198	Percutaneous transluminal thrombolysis of artery	426485003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
44511532	Percutaneous transluminal thrombolysis of artery	L71.6	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
45770795	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of drug eluting stent into coronary artery	936451000000108	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
44789455	Insertion of drug-eluting coronary artery stent	203741000000101	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
44784573	Percutaneous transluminal atherectomy of coronary artery by rotary cutter using fluoroscopic guidance	698740005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
44512256	Percutaneous transluminal arterial thrombolysis and reconstruction	L66.1	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
44511273	Unspecified percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of stent into coronary artery	K75.9	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
44511272	Other specified percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of stent into coronary artery	K75.8	OPCS4	NO	NO	NO
44511271	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of 3 or more stents into coronary artery NEC	K75.4	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
44511269	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of 3 or more drug-eluting stents into coronary artery	K75.2	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO

44511268	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty and insertion of 1-2 drug-eluting stents into coronary artery	K75.1	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
44511133	Other specified transluminal balloon angioplasty of coronary artery	K49.8	OPCS4	NO	NO	NO
44511131	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty of bypass graft of coronary artery	K49.3	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
44511130	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty of multiple coronary arteries	K49.2	OPCS4	NO	YES	NO
43533353	Percutaneous transluminal coronary atherectomy, with drug eluting intracoronary stent, with coronary angioplasty when performed; single major coronary artery or branch	C9602	HCPCS	NO	YES	NO
43533352	Percutaneous transcatheter placement of drug-eluting intracoronary stent(s), with coronary angioplasty when performed; each additional branch of a major coronary artery (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	C9601	HCPCS	NO	NO	NO
43533248	Percutaneous transluminal coronary atherectomy, with drug-eluting intracoronary stent, with coronary angioplasty when performed; each additional branch of a major coronary artery (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	C9603	HCPCS	NO	YES	NO
43533247	Percutaneous transcatheter placement of drug eluting intracoronary stent(s), with coronary angioplasty when performed; single major coronary artery or branch	C9600	HCPCS	NO	NO	NO
43531440	Percutaneous transluminal insertion of metal stent into coronary artery using fluoroscopic guidance	609154002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
43531439	Percutaneous insertion of drug eluting stent into coronary artery using fluoroscopic guidance	609153008	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
43531438	Percutaneous insertion of stent into aneurysm of coronary artery using fluoroscopic guidance	609152003	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4329263	Placement of stent in circumflex branch of left coronary artery	429499003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4328103	Infusion of intra-arterial thrombolytic agent with percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty	75761004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4264286	Percutaneous rotational coronary endarterectomy	397194000	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4238755	Infusion of intra-arterial thrombolytic agent with percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, single vessel	91338001	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4216356	Infusion of intra-arterial thrombolytic agent with percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, multiple vessels	80762004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4214516	Insertion of drug coated stent	414509005	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4181025	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty with insertion of stent into coronary artery	429639007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4178148	Placement of stent in anterior descending branch of left coronary artery	428488008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4175997	Percutaneous transluminal thrombolysis and reconstruction of artery	428068004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4171077	Fluoroscopic angiography of coronary artery and insertion of stent	418982001	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4020653	Percutaneous transluminal balloon angioplasty of bypass graft of coronary artery	175066001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

2001506	Insertion of drug-eluting coronary artery stent(s)	36.07	ICD9Proc	NO	NO	NO
2001505	Insertion of non-drug-eluting coronary artery stent(s)	36.06	ICD9Proc	NO	NO	NO
2000064	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty [PTCA]	00.66	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
2001500	Single vessel percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty [PTCA] or coronary atherectomy without mention of thrombolytic agent	36.01	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
2001504	Multiple vessel percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty [PTCA] or coronary atherectomy performed during the same operation, with or without mention of thrombolytic agent	36.05	ICD9Proc	NO	NO	NO
2001501	Single vessel percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty [PTCA] or coronary atherectomy with mention of thrombolytic agent	36.02	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO

## **B.8.6** Concept: Hospitalization

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	IP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

## B.8.7 Concept: CABG

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
2001516	Abdominal-coronary artery bypass	36.17	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
4284104	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft	67166004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4229433	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft with prosthesis	8876004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4146972	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft with saphenous vein graft	3546002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4228305	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft with three vein grafts	405599002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4228304	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft with two vein grafts	405598005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4063237	Aortocoronary artery bypass graft with vein graft	17073005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4148030	Aortocoronary bypass grafting	309814006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4008625	Aortocoronary bypass of four or more coronary arteries	10190003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4106548	Aortocoronary bypass of one coronary artery	29819009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4031996	Aortocoronary bypass of three coronary arteries	14323007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4234990	Aortocoronary bypass of two coronary arteries	90487008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
45889469	Arterial Grafting for Coronary Artery Bypass	1006216	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
4240486	Carotid-subclavian artery bypass graft with vein	59012002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4336464	Coronary artery bypass graft	232717009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4337056	Coronary artery bypass graft x 1	232719007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4000733	Coronary artery bypass graft, anastomosis of artery of thorax to coronary artery	119565001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4336467	Coronary artery bypass grafts greater than 5	232724005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

4336465	Coronary artery bypass grafts x 2	232720001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4339629	Coronary artery bypass grafts x 3	232721002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4337737	Coronary artery bypass grafts x 4	232722009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4336466	Coronary artery bypass grafts x 5	232723004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4233421	Coronary artery bypass with autogenous graft of internal mammary artery, single graft	359601003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4305509	Coronary artery bypass with autogenous graft, five grafts	82247006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4309432	Coronary artery bypass with autogenous	39202005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4011931	graft, four grafts Coronary artery bypass with autogenous	10326007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4253805	graft, three grafts Coronary artery bypass with autogenous	74371005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
	graft, two grafts					
45887879	Coronary artery bypass, using arterial graft(s)	1006217	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107242	Coronary artery bypass, using arterial graft(s); 2 coronary arterial grafts	33534	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107243	Coronary artery bypass, using arterial	33535	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107244	graft(s); 3 coronary arterial grafts Coronary artery bypass, using arterial	33536	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
	graft(s); 4 or more coronary arterial grafts					
2107231	Coronary artery bypass, using arterial graft(s); single arterial graft	33533	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
45889898	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s)	1006208	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107223	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s); 2 venous grafts (List separately in addition to code for	33518	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
	primary procedure)					
2107224	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s); 3 venous grafts (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	33519	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107226	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s); 4 venous grafts (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	33521	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107227	Coronary artery bypass, using venous	33522	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
	graft(s) and arterial graft(s); 5 venous grafts (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)					
2107228	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s); 6 or more	33523	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
	venous grafts (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)					
2107222	Coronary artery bypass, using venous graft(s) and arterial graft(s); single vein graft (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	33517	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
45887862	Coronary artery bypass, vein only	1006200	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107217	Coronary artery bypass, vein only; 2	33511	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107218	coronary venous grafts Coronary artery bypass, vein only; 3	33512	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107219	coronary venous grafts Coronary artery bypass, vein only; 4	33513	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107220	coronary venous grafts Coronary artery bypass, vein only; 5	33514	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2107221	coronary venous grafts Coronary artery bypass, vein only; 6 or more	33516	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
	coronary venous grafts					
2107216	Coronary artery bypass, vein only; single coronary venous graft	33510	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2001515	Double internal mammary-coronary artery bypass	36.16	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO

4000732	Internal mammary-coronary artery bypass graft	119564002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2001514	Single internal mammary-coronary artery bypass	36.15	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
4233420	Single internal mammary-coronary artery bypass	359597003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
45889467	Venous Grafting Only for Coronary Artery Bypass	1006199	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
4020216	Revision of bypass for coronary artery	175036008	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4305852	Off-pump coronary artery bypass	418824004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

# **B.9 Stroke**

# **B.9.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND-T2DM] Stroke (ischemic or hemorrhagic).'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting between all days before and 1 days after cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

### **B.9.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

### **B.9.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

# B.9.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	ΙP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

# B.9.5 Concept: [LEGEND-T2DM] Stroke (ischemic or hemorrhagic)

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
372924	Cerebral artery occlusion	20059004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
375557	Cerebral embolism	75543006	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
376713	Cerebral hemorrhage	274100004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
443454	Cerebral infarction	432504007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
441874	Cerebral thrombosis	71444005	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
439847	Intracranial hemorrhage	1386000	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

432923	Subarachnoid hemorrhage	21454007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
43530727	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage	291571000119106	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4148906	Spontaneous subarachnoid hemorrhage	270907008	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

# B.10 Sudden cardiac death

# **B.10.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Sudden cardiac death.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

#### **B.10.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

### **B.10.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

# B.10.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	IP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

# B.10.5 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Sudden cardiac death

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4048809	Brainstem death	230802007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
321042	Cardiac arrest	410429000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
442289	Death in less than 24 hours from onset of symptoms	53559009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4317150	Sudden cardiac death	95281009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4132309	Sudden death	26636000	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
437894	Ventricular fibrillation	71908006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

# B.11 Abnormal weight gain

### **B.11.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. observations of '[LEGEND HTN] Abnormal weight gain.'

### **B.11.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.11.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

### B.11.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Abnormal weight gain

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
439141	Abnormal weight gain	161833006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.12** Abnormal weight loss

# **B.12.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

observations of '[LEGEND HTN] Abnormal weight loss.'

### **B.12.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.12.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

### B.12.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Abnormal weight loss

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
435928	Abnormal weight loss	267024001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
40303297	Weight loss (& abnormal)	139091004	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

# **B.13** Acute pancreatitis

# **B.13.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Acute pancreatitis.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting anytime on or before cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

### **B.13.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

### **B.13.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

### B.13.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	ΙP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

# B.13.5 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Acute pancreatitis

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
199074	Acute pancreatitis	197456007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2109394	Placement of drains, peripancreatic, for acute pancreatitis	48000	CPT4	NO	NO	NO
2109400	Resection or debridement of pancreas and peripancreatic tissue for acute necrotizing pancreatitis	48105	CPT4	NO	NO	NO
2109395	Placement of drains, peripancreatic, for acute pancreatitis; with cholecystostomy, gastrostomy, and jejunostomy	48001	CPT4	NO	NO	NO
42737025	Resection or debridement of pancreas and peripancreatic tissue for acute necrotizing pancreatitis (Deprecated)	48005	CPT4	NO	NO	NO

# **B.14** All-cause mortality

### **B.14.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. death of any form.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

### **B.14.2** Cohort Exit

The person also exists the cohort at the end of continuous observation.

### **B.14.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

### B.15 Bladder cancer

# **B.15.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrence of 'Bladder cancer' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

### **B.15.2** Cohort Exit

The person also exists the cohort at the end of continuous observation.

### **B.15.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

### B.15.4 Concept: Bladder cancer

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
197508	Malignant tumor of urinary bladder	399326009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

### **B.16** Bone fracture

### **B.16.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'Bone fracture.'

### **B.16.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.16.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

### **B.16.4** Concept: Bone fracture

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
75053 4071354	Fracture of bone Open reduction of fracture with internal fixation	125605004 20701002	SNOMED SNOMED	NO NO	YES YES	NO NO

### B.17 Breast cancer

### **B.17.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrence of 'Malignant tumor of breast' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

# **B.17.2** Cohort Exit

The person also exists the cohort at the end of continuous observation.

### **B.17.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

**B.17.4** Concept: Malignant tumor of breast

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4112853	Malignant tumor of breast	254837009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.18** Diabetic ketoacidosis

# **B.18.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

condition occurrences of 'Diabetic ketoacidosis.'

Restrict entry events to having at least 1 visit occurrence of 'Inpatient or ER visit,' starting between all days before and 1 days after cohort entry start date and ending between 0 days before and all days after cohort entry start date.

### **B.18.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 7 days.

### **B.18.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

# B.18.4 Concept: Inpatient or ER visit

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
262	Emergency Room and Inpatient Visit	ERIP	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9203	Emergency Room Visit	ER	Visit	NO	YES	NO
9201	Inpatient Visit	ΙP	Visit	NO	YES	NO

### **B.18.5** Concept: Diabetic ketoacidosis

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
443727	Diabetic ketoacidosis	420422005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

### B.19 Diarrhea

# **B.19.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Diarrhea.'

#### B.19.2 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### **B.19.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

# B.19.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Diarrhea

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
196523	Diarrhea	62315008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4134607	Diarrheal disorder	128333008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
201773	Enteritis of small intestine	64613007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
80141	Functional diarrhea	47812002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4207688	Infectious enteritis	55184003	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
4324838	Noninfectious enteritis	71207007	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO
197596	Toxic gastroenteritis	71583005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
196620	Viral enteritis	78420004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.20** Genitourinary infection

# **B.20.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'UTI.'

Limit qualifying entry events to the earliest event per person.

#### B.20.2 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.20.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

### B.20.4 Concept: UTI

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
81902	Urinary tract infectious disease	68566005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4167328	Pyuria	4800001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
77340	Genitourinary tract infection in pregnancy	267204006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4265485	Bacteriuria	61373006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4126297	Chronic obstructive pyelonephritis	236379002	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
195588	Cystitis	38822007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
198806	Abscess of prostate	8725005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4126267	Chronic radiation cystitis	236629009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
194997	Prostatitis	9713002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4077499	Sterile pyuria	275742001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
442345	Syphilis of kidney	59530001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4062493	Mumps nephritis	17121006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
45757237	Diphtheria tubulointerstitial nephropathy	1086071000119103	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
36714969	Asymptomatic bacteriuria	720406004	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
195743	Diphtheritic cystitis	48278001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
201353	Irradiation cystitis	11251000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4047937	Neonatal urinary tract infection	12301009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
201792	Nongonococcal urethritis	84619001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4128384	Non-infective cystitis	236623005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
78357	Reactive arthritis triad	67224007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
195313	Urethral abscess	67277002	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
197919	Urethral stricture due to infection	80375002	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
439349	Cystitis associated with another disorder	197845000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4227291	Hemorrhagic cystitis	87696004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4060312	Infections of urethra in pregnancy	199206009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4127564	Acute cystitis - culture-negative	236624004	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4126141	Chronic cystitis - culture negative	236626002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4127565	Recurrent cystitis - culture-negative	236625003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4207186	Viral infection by site	312130009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4207190	Fungal infection by site	312146001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
434557	Tuberculosis	56717001	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
432251	Disease caused by parasite	17322007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
36102152	Protozoal infectious disorders	10037072	MedDRA	YES	YES	NO
433417	Gonorrhea	15628003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
36102938	Chlamydial infections	10008561	MedDRA	YES	YES	NO

# **B.21** Hyperkalemia

# **B.21.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

- 1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Hyperkalemia.'
- 2. measurements of '[LEGEND HTN] Potassium measurement,' numeric value > 5.6; unit: "millimole per liter."

# **B.21.2 Cohort Exit**

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.21.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

# B.21.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Hyperkalemia

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
434610	Hyperkalemia	14140009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

### **B.21.5** Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Potassium measurement

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
40789890	Potassium	Bld-Ser-Plas	LP42189-8	LOINC	NO	YES
4245152	Potassium measurement	59573005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4276440	Potassium level - finding	365760004	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.22** Hypoglycemia

# **B.22.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'Hypoglycemia.'

### **B.22.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.22.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

# B.22.4 Concept: Hypoglycemia

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
380688	- Hypoglygomia goma	267384006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4048805	Hypoglycemic coma  Non-diabetic hypoglycemic coma	230796005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4226798	Hypoglycemic coma due to diabetes mellitus	421725003	SNOMED	NO.	YES	NO
4228112	Hypoglycemic coma due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	421437000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
36714116	Hypoglycemic coma due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	719216001	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
24609	Hypoglycemia	302866003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
23034	Neonatal hypoglycemia	52767006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4029424	Non-diabetic hypoglycemia	237637005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

4029423	Hypoglycemia due to diabetes mellitus	237633009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
45769876	Hypoglycemia due to type 1 diabetes mellitus	84371000119108	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
45757363	Hypoglycemia due to type 2 diabetes mellitus	120731000119103	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4096804	Drug-induced hypoglycemia without coma	190448007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.23** Hypotension

# **B.23.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Hypotension.'

### **B.23.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### B.23.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

# B.23.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Hypotension

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
313232	Hemodialysis-associated hypotension	408667000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
317002	Low blood pressure	45007003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
314432	Maternal hypotension syndrome	88887003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

# **B.24** Joint pain

# **B.24.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'Joint pain.'

# **B.24.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

#### B.24.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

# B.24.4 Concept: Joint pain

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
77074	Joint pain	57676002	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

# **B.25** Lower extremity amputation

# **B.25.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People may enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. procedure occurrences of 'below-knee amputations.'

Restrict entry events to having no procedure occurrences of 'below-knee amputations,' starting in the 30 days prior to cohort entry start date.

### **B.25.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 0 days.

### B.25.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

# B.25.4 Concept: below-knee amputations

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4264289	Amputation of ankle	397218006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2006242	Amputation of ankle through malleoli of tibia and fibula	84.14	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
2105446	Amputation, leg, through tibia and fibula	27880	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105804	Amputation, foot; midtarsal (eg, Chopart type procedure)	28800	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105805	Amputation, foot; transmetatarsal	28805	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105806	Amputation, metatarsal, with toe, single	28810	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105807	Amputation, toe; metatarsophalangeal joint	28820	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105808	Amputation, toe; interphalangeal joint	28825	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105451	Amputation, ankle, through malleoli of tibia and fibula (eg, Syme, Pirogoff type procedures), with plastic closure and resection of nerves	27888	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2105447	Amputation, leg, through tibia and fibula; with immediate fitting technique including application of first cast	27881	CPT4	NO	YES	NO

4338257	Amputation of leg through tibia and fibula	88312006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2105448	Amputation, leg, through tibia and fibula; open, circular (guillotine)	27882	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
4108565	Amputation of the foot	180030006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2006229	Amputation of toe	84.11	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
4159766	Amputation of toe	371186005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4054983	Amputation through foot	211570009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2006230	Amputation through foot	84.12	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
4143797	Amputation through metatarsal bones	265739006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2105450	Amputation, leg, through tibia and fibula; re-amputation	27886	CPT4	NO	YES	NO
2006231	Disarticulation of ankle	84.13	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
2006244	Disarticulation of knee	84.16	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
4018719	Midtarsal amputation of foot	209724005	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
2006243	Other amputation below knee	84.15	ICD9Proc	NO	YES	NO
2105449	Amputation, leg, through tibia and fibula; secondary closure or scar revision	27884	CPT4	YES	YES	NO
4219032	Amputation of lower limb	397117006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.26** Nausea

# **B.26.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Nausea.'

### **B.26.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.26.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

# B.26.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Nausea

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
30284	Motion sickness	37031009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
31967	Nausea	422587007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.27** Peripheral edema

# **B.27.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of 'Edema.'

#### B.27.2 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### B.27.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

### B.27.4 Concept: Edema

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
433595	Edema	267038008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
133299	Swelling of limb	80068009	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

# **B.28** Photosensitivity

# **B.28.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

condition occurrences of 'Photosensitivity.'

### **B.28.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.28.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 90 days of each other.

# **B.28.4** Concept: Photosensitivity

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4300445	Acantholytic actinic keratosis	403199007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4263325	Actinic cheilitis	46795000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031007	Actinic folliculitis	238529007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
442179	Actinic granuloma	79144000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO

37312586	Actinic intraepidermal squamous cell	789051005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
	carcinoma					
138825	Actinic keratosis	201101007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4304266	Actinic keratosis of eyelid	418686001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4064057	Actinic lichen planus	200999007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
141374	Actinic prurigo	201015007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031006	Actinic reaction	238528004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
439096	Actinic reticuloid	52636001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4070156	Acute actinic otitis externa	21543000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4290728	Acute effect of ultraviolet radiation on normal skin	402165001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4241471	Acute phytophotodermatitis	58306008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
36674412	Ataxia, photosensitivity, short stature	773769008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
000	syndrome		0.1025	0		
4293437	Atrophic actinic keratosis	403200005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4066470	Berloque dermatitis	200836002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
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4119822	Bowenoid actinic keratosis	304524009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4033832	Brachioradial summer pruritus	109252001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
37116482	Burn of skin caused by exposure to artificial	733209003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
	source of ultraviolet radiation					
37116483	Burn of skin caused by ultraviolet radiation	733210008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
	due to ultraviolet light therapy					
4290729	Chronic effect of ultraviolet radiation on	402166000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
.200.20	normal skin (photo-aging)	.02.00000	0.1025	0		
4239682	Chronic phototoxic dermatitis	69231004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4242265	Chronic phytophotodermatitis	58419006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
36715275	Cutaneous photosensitivity and lethal colitis syndrome	720820000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4230340	Cutis rhomboidalis nuchae	89019003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
		403208003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4300796	Diffuse actinic hyperkeratosis					
141650	Disseminated superficial actinic porokeratosis	41495000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4301164	Drug-induced pellagra	403626007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4299673	Familial actinic prurigo of lip	403210001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4234867	Food-induced photosensitivity	90386003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
36715367	Hair defect with photosensitivity and	721007005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
	intellectual disability syndrome					
4308081	Hydroa vacciniforme	200837006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
42709861	Hyperkeratotic actinic keratosis	449733007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4112749	Hypertrophic solar keratosis	254667001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4300444	Idiopathic photo-onycholysis	403196000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031005	Juvenile spring eruption	238526000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4116197	Lentigo maligna	302836005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4299672	Lichenoid actinic keratosis	403198004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4080922	Light - exacerbated acne	238530002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4293560	Multiple actinic keratoses	403202002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4293562	Multiple actinic keratoses involving face	403204001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4300794	Multiple actinic keratoses involving forehead and temples	403205000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4300795	Multiple actinic keratoses involving hands	403206004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
			SNOMED			
4293563	Multiple actinic keratoses involving legs	403207008		YES	NO	NO
4293561	Multiple actinic keratoses involving scalp	403203007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
37110331	Neonatal burn due to phototherapy caused by ultraviolet radiation	724551009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4006157	Nodular elastosis with cysts and comedones	111200005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
37110590	Occupational phototoxic reaction to skin	724873006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
37 110390	contact with exogenous photoactive agent	724073000	ONOMED	ILO	140	NO
4292224	Photoaggravated psoriasis	402318000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4293593	Photoaggravated rosacea	403365004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4290732	Photoaggravation of disorder	402179009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
42537710	Photodermatitis co-occurrent and due to	737249005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
	autoimmune disease					
4318376	Photoonycholysis	95342006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4234104	Photosensitivity	90128006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

42537712	Phototoxic reaction of skin caused by cosmetic	737251009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
42537711	Phototoxic reaction of skin caused by fragrance	737250005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4290730	Phototoxic reaction to dye	402174004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4298594	Phototoxic reaction to tar or derivative	402175003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4298593	Phototoxic reaction to topical chemical	402173005	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4270722	Phototoxic reaction to topically applied medicament	402176002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
42539382	Pigmentation of skin caused by artificial ultraviolet light	762664003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
42709860	Pigmented actinic keratosis	449732002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4080921	Polymorphous light eruption	238525001	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4176424	Polymorphous light eruption, diffuse erythematous type	51048002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4223992	Polymorphous light eruption, eczematous type	84036008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4204365	Polymorphous light eruption, papular type	54116000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4195589	Polymorphous light eruption, papulovesicular type	79372000	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4278846	Polymorphous light eruption, plaque type	6618004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4297664	Porphyria-induced phototoxic burn	402480004	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4296207	Proliferative actinic keratosis	403201009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4066838	Pruritus estivalis	201024003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031625	Solar comedone	238518008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4185267	Solar degeneration	43982006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031162	Solar lentiginosis	238712007	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4217502	Solar lentigo	72100002	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4296189	Solar pruritus	402177006	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4033831	Solar pruritus of elbows	109251008	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4031004	Strimmer dermatitis	238522003	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO
4296206	Sun-induced wrinkles	403197009	SNOMED	YES	NO	NO

# B.29 Renal cancer

# **B.29.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrence of 'Primary malignant neoplasm of kidney' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

### B.29.2 Cohort Exit

The person also exists the cohort at the end of continuous observation.

### **B.29.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

# B.29.4 Concept: Primary malignant neoplasm of kidney

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
198985	Primary malignant neoplasm of kidney Renal cell carcinoma	93849006	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4215373		41607009	SNOMED	NO	NO	NO

# **B.30** Thyroid tumor

# **B.30.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People with continuous observation of 365 days before event enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

 condition occurrence of 'Neoplasm of thyroid gland' for the first time in the person's history.

Limit cohort entry events to the earliest event per person.

#### B.30.2 Cohort Exit

The person also exists the cohort at the end of continuous observation.

#### B.30.3 Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 0 days of each other.

### B.30.4 Concept: Neoplasm of thyroid gland

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
4131909	Neoplasm of thyroid gland	127018007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO

### B.31 Venous thromboembolism

### **B.31.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Venous thromboembolism (pulmonary embolism and deep vein thrombosis).'

#### B.31.2 Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

### **B.31.3** Cohort Eras

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 180 days of each other.

# B.31.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Venous thromboembolism (pulmonary embolism and deep vein thrombosis)

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
435616	Amniotic fluid embolism	17263003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
435887	Antepartum deep vein thrombosis	49956009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
196715	Budd-Chiari syndrome	82385007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4062269	Cerebral venous thrombosis in pregnancy	200259003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
442055	Obstetric air pulmonary embolism	200286003	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
433832	Obstetric blood-clot pulmonary embolism	200299000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
435026	Obstetric pulmonary embolism	200284000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
440477	Obstetric pyemic and septic pulmonary embolism	267284008	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
318137	Phlebitis and thrombophlebitis of intracranial sinuses	192753009	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
199837	Portal vein thrombosis	17920008	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
438820	Postpartum deep phlebothrombosis	56272000	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
440417	Pulmonary embolism	59282003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
254662	Pulmonary infarction	64662007	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
4235812	Septic thrombophlebitis	439731006	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
195294	Thrombosed hemorrhoids	75955007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4187790	Thrombosis of retinal vein	46085004	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
444247	Venous thrombosis	111293003	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
44834756	Acute venous embolism and thrombosis of other specified veins	453.8	ICD9CM	NO	NO	NO

# **B.32 Vomiting**

# **B.32.1 Cohort Entry Events**

People enter the cohort when observing any of the following:

1. condition occurrences of '[LEGEND HTN] Vomiting.'

### **B.32.2** Cohort Exit

The cohort end date will be offset from index event's start date plus 1 day.

# **B.32.3 Cohort Eras**

Entry events will be combined into cohort eras if they are within 30 days of each other.

# B.32.4 Concept: [LEGEND HTN] Vomiting

Concept ID	Concept Name	Code	Vocabulary	Excluded	Descendants	Mapped
40480290	Hyperemesis	444673007	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
4216862	Postoperative vomiting	72245005	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO
441408	Vomiting	422400008	SNOMED	NO	YES	NO
440785	Vomiting of pregnancy	90325002	SNOMED	YES	YES	NO

# **C** Negative Control Concepts

Negative outcome controls specified through condition occurrences that map to (a descendent of) the indicated concept ID

	Concept ID
Abnormal posture	439935
Abnormal pupil	436409
Abrasion and/or friction burn of multiple sites	443585
Abrasion and/or friction burn of trunk without infection	199192
Absence of breast	4088290
Absent kidney	4092879
Acquired hallux valgus	75911
Acquired keratoderma	137951
Anal and rectal polyp	73241
Anomaly of jaw size	45757682
Benign paroxysmal positional vertigo	81878
Bizarre personal appearance	4216219
Burn of forearm	133655
Cachexia	134765
Calcaneal spur	73560
Cannabis abuse	434327
Changes in skin texture	140842
Chondromalacia of patella	81378
Cocaine abuse	432303
Colostomy present	4201390
Complication due to Crohn's disease	46269889
Complication of gastrostomy	434675
Contact dermatitis	134438
Contusion of knee	78619
Crohn's disease	201606
Derangement of knee	76786
Developmental delay	436077
Deviated nasal septum	377910
Difficulty sleeping	4115402
Disproportion of reconstructed breast	45757370
Effects of hunger	433111
Endometriosis	433527
Epidermoid cyst	4170770
Exhaustion due to excessive exertion	437448
Feces contents abnormal	4092896
Feces contents abnormal	4092896
Foreign body in ear	374801
Foreign body in orifice	259995
Foreskin deficient	4096540

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Negative outcome controls specified through condition occurrences that map to (a descendent of) the indicated concept ID *(continued)* 

	Concept ID
Galactosemia	439788
Ganglion cyst	40481632
Ganglion cyst	40481632
Genetic disorder carrier	4168318
Hammer toe	433577
Hereditary thrombophilia	4231770
High risk sexual behavior	4012570
Homocystinuria	4012934
Impacted cerumen	374375
Impacted cerumen	374375
Impingement syndrome of shoulder region	4344500
Inadequate sleep hygiene	40481897
Ingrowing nail	139099
Injury of knee	444132
Jellyfish poisoning	4265896
Kwashiorkor	432593
Lagophthalmos	381021
Late effect of contusion	434203
Late effect of motor vehicle accident	438329
Lipid storage disease	4027782
Lymphangioma	433997
Macular drusen	4083487
Malingering	4051630
Marfan's syndrome	258540
Mechanical complication of internal orthopedic device, implant AND/OR graft	432798
Melena	4103703
Minimal cognitive impairment	439795
Nicotine dependence	4209423
Nicotine dependence	4209423
Noise effects on inner ear	377572
Non-toxic multinodular goiter	136368
Nonspecific tuberculin test reaction	40480893
Nonspecific tuberculin test reaction	40480893
Opioid abuse	438130
Opioid abuse	438130
Opioid intoxication	4299094
Passing flatus	4091513
Physiological development failure	437092
Poisoning by tranquilizer	433951
Postviral fatigue syndrome	4202045
Presbyopia	373478
Psychalgia	439790
Ptotic breast	81634
Regular astigmatism	380706
Senile hyperkeratosis	141932
Social exclusion	4019836
Somatic dysfunction of lumbar region	36713918
Splinter of face without major open wound	443172
Sprain of ankle	81151
Strain of rotator cuff capsule	72748
Symbolic dysfunction	432436
Tear film insufficiency	378427
Tobacco dependence syndrome	437264
Tooth loss	433244
Toxic effect of lead compound	436876
Toxic effect of tobacco and nicotine	440612
Tracheostomy present	4201387
Unsatisfactory tooth restoration	45757285

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Negative outcome controls specified through condition occurrences that map to (a descendent of) the indicated concept ID *(continued)* 

	Concept ID
Verruca vulgaris	140641
Wrist joint pain	4115367
Wristdrop	440193