

Heart Attack

Higher Percentages Are Better (some of the recommended care given to patients if appropriate*)

Hospital Process of Care Measure	UNITED STATES AVERAGE	IOWA AVERAGE	Percentage for MERCY MEDICAL CENTER-DES MOINES
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given Aspirin at Arrival	94%	96%	99% of 301 patients
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given Aspirin at Discharge	93%	95%	100% of 499 patients
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given ACE Inhibitor or ARB for Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction (LVSD)	91%	93%	99% of 76 patients
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given Smoking Cessation Advice/Counseling	96%	94%	100% of 228 patients
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given Beta Blocker at Discharge	94%	93%	100% of 458 patients
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given Fibrinolytic Medication Within 30 Minutes Of Arrival	41%	46%	0 patients [†]
Percent of Heart Attack Patients Given PCI Within 90 Minutes Of Arrival	79%	85%	95% of 96 patients

* The percentage includes only patients whose history and condition indicate the treatment is appropriate. Talk to your health care provider if you have questions about your treatment.

†: "0 patients" -- No patients met the criteria for inclusion in the measure calculation.