



AMIS Plus Newsletter Nr. 14

Dear Current, Potential AMIS Plus Participants & Sponsors

Routine Activities

- **New AMIS Plus Questionnaire/Long-term Follow-up**
The new online data questionnaire is up and running. Please be sure to only use the new, revised paper questionnaire and not the old one anymore. Patient follow-up is now being carried out, 3- and 12-months following the cardiac event.
- **New Data Entry System**
For online data entry, the Survey Manager now lists all completed cases since April 1 as well as all incomplete cases. When starting online entry of a new questionnaire it is possible to enter a comment in the comment field, e.g. the patient ID number, which will enable you afterwards to see from the list which patient cases have been completed.
If you open any test cases, could you please delete them once you've finished to avoid cluttering up the server.
- **Online Analysis**
The online analysis has finally been updated and is once again ready for regular use. We apologise for this delay but a change in the system always, unfortunately, takes longer than originally planned. Please note that the variables you are now downloading differ from the old version of online analysis.

Presentations

Four abstracts from AMIS Plus have been published and were presented at the SSC Congress from 15.06.2005 – 17.06.2005 in Lausanne! These abstracts can be downloaded from our homepage (www.amis-plus.ch). It was a great opportunity to meet up with those of you attending, interested in collaborating with AMIS Plus.

Publications

Two AMIS Plus papers have been published: Trends in reperfusion therapy of ST segment elevation myocardial infarction in Switzerland: six year results from a nationwide registry. Heart 2005; 91:882-888. Association of dyslipidemia and co-risk factors with in-hospital mortality in acute coronary syndrome in Switzerland. HeartDrug 2005; 5:131-139.

We wish you all a lovely warm summer.

Sincerely yours

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