

## CCDSS Multiple Sclerosis DH01c10

## - Variable List -

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Variable	Label	Description/Code	
IRID	Interim Record ID	Temporary record code	
CaseRule	Case	Source of diagnosis: H or I = hospital M or P = Medicare physician billing data B = both V = vital statistics	
CaseDate	Date of Record	Date of case first time defined	
RecordCount	Record Count	Number of unique records by patient	
DiagnosisYear	Diagnosis Year	Year of first diagnosis	
Sex	Sex	Gender of patient:  M = male  F = female	
InsuranceEndDate	Insurance End Date	Medicare eligibility date: Date of insurance end (either end of fiscal year or due to death - the date may not be the date of death)	
Status	Status	0 = Not Active 1 = Active Case	
Year	Year of Case	Fiscal year of data using to define the case	
Dead Case Date	Date Case Date	Date of Death	
Dead_Status	Dead Status	0 = Alive in the fiscal year 1 = Deceased in fiscal year	
Dead DiagnosisYear	Dead Diagnosis Year	Year of Death (if applicable)	
Age	Age	Age of patient at the fiscal year.	

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