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DataFax #001 Plate 001	Visit 000
Patient ID Patient In Patient	tials Prescreen Date month day year
Age: years Sex:	male female
	ic Hispanic ican Indian Other skan Native Other
Source of Hospital Physician Patient: Survey Referral	Other (list)
FAILURE CHECKOFF: Using the information ye for any of the folion	ou have available now, mark if you know that patient FAILS wing reasons (STOP at FIRST FAIL).
EF too high - list EF: %	MI in the past 6 months
Class I or II NYHA - mark:	II Unstable angina
Cardiac surgery /procedure within last 60 da or anticipated (list )	Age<18 years
Comorbid disease (list)	Listed for cardiac transplant or will be listed within 6 months
Pregnant or no reliable contraception	Not on optimal therapy
Excluded etiology for CHF (list)	High grade AV block
Excluded meds (list)	Life threatening disease  (list)
Contra-indication to beta-blockers (list)	Other Disqualification (list)
BASED ON THE ABOVE, CHOOSE ONE:  Contact	
Disqualify patient  Physician and Patient for scree	ning Review Patient indays

Use other side for Identifiers, including Name, Address, Tel #, Spouse, etc.



7 id 8 init	9 vdate
10 pcage 11 pcsex	
13 pcsource	14 s_other
15 pcef  16 pcef_per  18 pcnyha  19 pcclass	17 pcmihx 20 pcangina
21 pcproc60  22 Istsurg  24 pccomorb  25 Istcomor	23 pc18yrs  26 pctransp
27 pcpregnt	28 pcnottx
30 Isetiol  32 pcxmeds  33 Istexmed	31 pcavblk  34 pcthdis  35 lstthrt
36 pccontra  37 istcontr	38 pcodisq 39 Istother
40 pcoutcom	41 review
	42 staff

## PCSF Dataset, Plate 1 Preliminary Contact Screening (Prescreening)

	Variable Name	Description	Coding					
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708					
	visit	Visit Number	= 0					
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	<= 0					
*	race4	Patient race (in 4 groups)	1=white, 2=black, 3=hispanic, 4=other					
	pcage	Patient age in years	18+					
	pcsex	Patient sex	1=male, 2=female					
Ī	pcsource	Source of patient	1=Hospital survey, 2=Physician referral, 3=other					
	s_other	Source other						
	pcef	EF too high	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcef_per	EF percentage						
	pcmihx	MI in past 6 months	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcnyha	Class I or II NYHA	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcclass	Class I or II	1=Class I, 2=Class II					
	pcangina	Unstable angina	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcproc60	Cardiac proc in 60 days	yes=present, no=absent					
	Istsurg	List surgery/procedure						
	pc18yrs	Age less than 18 years	yes=present, no=absent					
L	pccomorb	Comorbid disease	yes=present, no=absent					
L	Istcomor	List comorbid disease						
L	pctransp	Transplant in 6 months	yes=present, no=absent					
L	pcpregnt	Pregnant/no contraception	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcnottx	Not on optimal therapy	yes=present, no=absent					
L	pcetchf	Excluded etiology for CHF	yes=present, no=absent					
	Isetiol	List excluded etiology						
	pcavblk	High grade AV block	yes=present, no=absent					
	pcxmeds	Excluded medications	yes=present, no=absent					
	Istexmed	List excluded meds.						

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# PCSF Dataset, Plate 1 Preliminary Contact Screening (Prescreening)

Variable Name	Description	Coding
pcthdis	Life threatening disease	yes=present, no=absent
Istthrt	List life threatening	
pccontra	Contraindication Beta-Blk	yes=present, no=absent
Istcontr	List contraindication	
pcodisq	Other disqualification	yes=present, no=absent
Istother	List other disqualification	
pcoutcom	PCSF screening outcome	1=disqualify, 2=contact physician, 3=review patient
review	Review pt. no. days	

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	DataF	ax #	001			Plat	e 002					Numbe	r				
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1.	how	wou	ld you	u ch	aracte	being \ erize yo 3-4 mon	ur well	-being	g muc wor		3 4  a little worse	5  same before		7 			10  much petter
2.	get s	hort	of br	eath		d,do you n you go :		more 5 blo	e than ocks		up to 5 blocks		1-2	blocks			s than lock
3.	Walk do yo					d, d after:		more 5 blo	e than ocks		up to 5 blocks		1-2	blocks			s than lock
4.	Do y	ou c	harad	cteriz	ze yoı	ur walki	ng as:		brisk		normal		slow				
5.	How can y				of sta			more than			2		] 1	,			less than 1
6.	Can	you	do ho	ouse	work'	?		heav (mov furni			medium (vacuumi	ing)		ight dusting)		] ,	none
7.	Can	you	do o	ccup	ationa	al work?		norn pace			reduced pace			nad to change jo	ob		had to stop
8.	Can activi			ge ii	n recr	eationa		norn pace			reduced pace		0	nad to change activities			had to stop
9.						ou find it ages)?	difficu	ılt to c	do grod	cery sh	nopping		] <sub>ye</sub>	es [	no	)	
10						when ye sofa o			st			$\square$	] ye	es [	no	)	
11	.Do y	ou a	wake	n dı	uring 1	he nigh	t beca	use o	f short	ness c	of breath	?	] ye	es [	no	)	
12	do yo	ou n	eed to	o sle	ep pr	reath in opped uthe nigl	up on 3						] ye	es [	no	)	
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QOL\_1 Dataset, Plate 2 Quality of Life Questionnaire, pg 1 (San Diego Heart Failure)

	Variable Name	Description	Coding				
	visit	Visit Number					
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708				
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline					
	qo_1	Q1: On a scale from 1-10, current well-being compared to 3-4 months ago	1=much worse, [2-4], 5=same as before, [6-9], 10=much better				
	qo_2	Q2: Walking on level ground, SOB after:	1=more than 5 blocks, 2=up to 5 blocks, 3=1-2 blocks, 4=less than 1 block				
	qo_3	Q3: Walking on level ground, fatigue after:	1=more than 5 blocks, 2=up to 5 blocks, 3=1-2 blocks, 4=less than 1 block				
	qo_4	Q4: Do you characterize your walking as:	1=brisk, 2=normal, 3=slow				
	qo_5	Q5: How many flights of stairs can you comfortably climb?	1=more than 2, 2=two, 3=one, 4=less than 1				
	qo_6	Q6: Can you do housework?	1=heavy, 2=medium, 3=light, 4=none				
	qo_7	Q7: Can you do occupational work?	1=normal pace, 2=reduced pace, 3=had to change job, 4=had to stop				
	8_op	Q8: Can you engage in recreational activities?	1=normal pace, 2=reduced pace, 3=had to change activities, 4=had to stop				
	qo_9	Q9: Are you unable/or do you find it difficult to do grocery shopping?	1=yes, 2=no				
	qo_10	Q10: Do you have SOB at rest?	1=yes, 2=no				
	qo_11	Q11: Do you awaken during night due to SOB?	1=yes, 2=no				
	qo_12	Q12: To avoid SOB in bed, do you sleep propped on 3+ pillows, or spend part of the night in a chair?	1=yes, 2=no				
	qo_13	Q13: In the last 3-4 months, what changes have you noticed in your in exercise ability?	1=improved, 2=no change, 3=deteriorated				

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Natal	Fax #001	H	I I	Plate			Į,	I		Visit Numb	per		
Patient ID	Hospital		Patient		Patien	ıt Init	ials	F	M L	Visit Date	month	day	year

These questions concern how your heart failure (heart condition) has prevented you from living as you wanted during the <u>last month</u>. These items listed below describe different ways some people are affected. If you are sure an item does not apply to you or is not related to your heart failure, then put an X in the box marked 0, (No) and go on to the next item. If an item does apply to you, then put an X in the box with the the number rating of how much it prevented you from living as you wanted. Remember to think about ONLY THE LAST MONTH.

### Did your heart failure prevent you from living as you wanted during the last month by

		no	very little				very much
1.	causing swelling in your ankles, legs, etc?	□ o	1			4	5
2.	making your working around the house or yard difficult?	□ o	1			<i>4</i>	5
3.	making your relating to or doing things with your friends or family difficult?	□ o	1			4	
4.	making you sit or lie down to rest during the day?	□ o	1			4	5
5.	making you tired, fatigued, or low on energy?	□ o	1			4	
6.	making your working to earn a living difficult?	□ o	1				
7.	making your walking about or climbing stairs difficult?	□ o	1				5
8.	making you short of breath?	□ o	1			4	
9.	making your sleeping well at night difficult?	□ o	1			4	
10.	making you eat less of the foods you like?	□ o	1			4	5
11.	making your going places away from home difficult?	o	1	2	<u> </u>	4	<u> </u>
12.	making your sexual activities difficult?				3	4	

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QOL\_2 Dataset, Plate 3
Quality of Life Questionnaire, pg 2 (Minnesota Living with Heart Failure, pg. 1)
[All questions ask "Did your heart failure prevent you from living as you wanted during the last month by:]

Variable Name	Description	Coding
visit	Visit Number	
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
ql_1	Q1: Causing swelling in ankles, legs etc.?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_2	Q2: Making your working around the house or yard difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_3	Q3: Making your relating to or doing things with friends/family difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_4	Q4: Making you sit or lie down to rest during the day?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_5	Q5: Making you tired, fatigued?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_6	Q6: Making your working to earn a living difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_7	Q7: Making your walking about or climbing stairs difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_8	Q8: Making you short of breath?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_9	Q9: Making it difficult to sleep well at night?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_10	Q10: Making you eat less?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_11	Q11: Making your going places away from home difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
ql_12	Q12: Making your sexual activities difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much

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Patient ID Patient   Patient	Initials	ML		sit ate month	n day	year					
Did your heart failure prevent you from living as you wanted during the last month by											
	no	very little				very much					
13. making your recreational pastimes, sports, or hobbies difficult?	□ o	1				5					
14. making it difficult for you to concentrate or remember things?	□ o	1			4	5					
15. giving you side effects from medication?	□ o	1			4						
16. making you worry?	□ o	1		3	4	5					
17. making you feel depressed?	$\Box$ o	1			<i>4</i>	5					
18. costing you money for medical care?	□ o	1			4	5					
19. making you feel a loss of self-control in your life?	□ o	1				5					
20. making you stay in a hospital?	□ o	1				5					
21. making you feel you are a burden to your family and friends?	□ o	1			4	<u> </u>					

QOL\_3 Dataset, Plate 4
Quality of Life Questionnaire, pg 3 (Minnesota Living with Heart Failure, pg. 2)
[All questions ask "Did your heart failure prevent you from living as you wanted during the last month by:]

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	ql_13	Q13: Making your recreational pastimes difficult?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_14	Q14: Making it difficult to concentrate or remember things?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_15	Q15: Giving you side effects from medication?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_16	Q16: Making you worry?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_17	Q17: Making you feel depressed?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_18	Q18: Costing you money for medical care?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_19	Q19: Making you feel a loss of self-control in life?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_20	Q20: Making you stay in a hospital?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much
	ql_21	Q21: Making you feel you are a burden to your family/friends?	1=no, 2=very little, 3=3, 4=4, 5=5, 6=very much

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	111	D1-4 00E		Vis Nu	it mber		
Patient ID Hospital	Patient	Plate 005 Patient In	itials	Visit	month	day	year
1. Vital Signs:							
Heart Rate (sitting	)):	beats per n	ninute				
Blood Pressure (s	_		mm H	g			
Weight:	pounds	•	diastolic	inches	S		
2. Cardiovascula	r Exam						
S3 gallop:	yes	no					
S4 gallop:	yes	no					
Systolic murmur:	yes	no					
Diastolic murmur:	yes	no					
JVD at 30°:	not pro	esent ba	se of ha		ngle of andible		
Edema:	none	feet alone	feet and ankles	pre-tibial	ai	bove ne knee	
Hepatomegaly:	yes	no					
Rales:	none	bases only	halfway up	entire lu field	ıng		
Wheezes:	yes	☐ no					

## PE Dataset, Plate 5 Physical Exam

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	pehr	Heart Rate bpm	
	pebps	Systolic BP mm Hg	
	pebpd	Diastolic BP mm Hg	
	pewt	Weight in pounds	
	peht	Height in inches	
	pes3	S3 gallop	1=yes, 2=no
	pes4	S4 gallop	1=yes, 2=no
	pesmr	Systolic murmur	1=yes, 2=no
	pedmr	Diastolic murmur	1=yes, 2=no
	pejvd	JVD at 30 degrees	1=not present, 2=base of neck, 3=halfway up, 4=angle of mandible
	peedm	Edema	1=none, 2=feet alone, 3=feet and ankles, 4=pre-tibial, 5=above the knee
	pehep	Hepatomegaly	1=yes, 2=no
	perls	Rales	1=none, 2=bases only, 3=halfway up, 4=entire lung field
	pewhz	Wheezes	1=yes, 2=no

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			Vis	it mber:
	DataFax #001	Plate 006	Nui	inder.
Patie	ent ID Hospital Patie	Patient Initials F M	Visit Date:	month day year
	atient Hospitalized for CH	HF since last visit?	:5 <u> </u>	If yes, fill out AME, SAE MedWatch 3500, and Hospitalization forms.
SA	AS Class: [ ]	II III IV		
		nal Classification	66.	and Marks
ı	No limitations: Ordinary pr	nysical activity does not cause undue	fatigue, dyspnea, or	paipitation.
II	Slight Limitation of physic sults in fatigue, palpitation, or	cal activity: Such patients are comfordyspnea, or angina.	rtable at rest, ordinar	y physical activity re
Ш	Marked limitation of physical will lead to symptoms.	ical activity: Although patients are co	omfortable at rest, les	ss than ordinary activity
IV	Inability to carry on any person at rest. With any physic	hysical activity without discomfort sical activity, increased discomfort is e	: Symptoms of conger experienced.	estive failure are present
	Spec	ific Activity Scale (SAS)		
1.	Could the patient walk down	a flight of stairs without stopping? If y	ves, go to 2, if no, go	to 4
2.	<ul><li>a) have sexual intercourse v</li><li>b) garden, rake or weed</li><li>c) rollerskate, dance foxtroi</li></ul>	5		
3.	<ul><li>a) carry objects weighing at</li><li>b) perform outdoor work (e.</li><li>c) participate in recreational</li></ul>		touch football squasi	
4.	a) change bed linen b) mop floors c) hang washed clothes d) clean windows e) walk 2.5 mph f) bowl g) play golf (walk and carry	hout stopping? <b>Or</b> can the patient clubs)	the <b>patient</b> is class	: <b>III</b> . if no. ao to 5
5.	, .	it stopping because of symptoms? If v	•	

## CVS Dataset, Plate 6 Cardiovascular Symptoms

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	cvhhf	Hospitalized for CHF since last visit?	1=yes, 2=no
	cvnyh	NYHA class	1=I, 2=II, 3=III, 4=IV
	cvsas	SAS class	1=I, 2=II, 3=III, 4=IV

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Patient ID							] <sub>P</sub>	atie	nt Ini	tials		<u>.                                    </u>		Sc Da	reen te	ing						
	Hosp	ital		Pa	atient						F	Μ	L				n	nonti	h	day	r	year

Record all routine medications taken by patient at <u>Screening Visit only</u>. If dosage changes from day to day, then list <u>average</u> daily dose in the following.

DRUG	CODE	TOTAL DAILY DOSE	UNITS	CATEGORY	ROUTE
1			☐ mg ☐	other	
2			mg	other	
3			mg	other	
4			mg	other	
5			mg	other	
6			☐ mg ☐	other	
7			☐ mg ☐	other	
8			mg	other	
9			☐ mg ☐	other	
10			mg	other	
11			☐ mg ☐	other	
12			☐ mg ☐	other	
13			mg	other	
14			mg	other	

#### **CATEGORIES**:

#### **ROUTES:**

1=Diuretic 2=ACEI 3=Vasodilator (non-ACEI) 4=Inotrope 5=Digitalis 6=Anti-arrhythmic 7=Anti-coagulant 8=Other cardiac 9=Non-cardiac

1=PO 2=IV 3=Subcutaneous 4=Topical 5=Sublingual 6=Intramuscular 7=Suppository 8=Inhaler Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 007 - SCT1

7 id			8 init	9 vd	ate
10 scdrug1	11 sccode1	12 scdose1	13 scur	nit1	14 sccat1
16 scdrug2	17 sccode2	18 scdose2	19 scur	nit2	20 sccat2
22 scdrug3	23 sccode3	24 scdose3	25 scur	nit3	26 sccat3
28 scdrug4	29 sccode4	30 scdose4	31 scur	nit4	32 sccat4
34 scdrug5	35 sccode5	36 scdose5	37 scur	nit5	38 sccat5
40 scdrug6	41 sccode6	42 scdose6	43 scur	nit6	44 sccat6
46 scdrug7	47 sccode7	48 scdose7	49 scur	nit7	50 sccat7
52 scdrug8	53 sccode8	54 scdose8	55 scur	nit8	56 sccat8
58 scdrug9	59 sccode9	60 scdose9	61 scur	nit9	62 sccat9
64 scdrug10	65 sccode10	66 scdose10	67 scur	nit10	68 sccat10
70 scdrug11	71 sccode11	72 scdose11	73 scur	nit11	74 sccat11
76 scdrug12	77 sccode12	78 scdose12	79 scur	nit12	80 sccat12
82 scdrug13	83 sccode13	84 scdose13	85 scur	nit13	86 sccat13
88 scdrug14	89 sccode14	90 scdose14	91 scur	nit14	92 sccat14

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
	visit	Visit Number	1
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	scdrug1	SCT #1 Drug Name	
	sccode1	SCT #1 Drug Code	
	scdose1	SCT #1 Total Daily Dose	
	scunit1	SCT #1 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	sccat1	SCT #1 Category	
	scrout1	SCT #1 Route	
	scdrug2	SCT #2 Drug Name	
	sccode2	SCT #2 Drug Code	
	scdose2	SCT #2 Total Daily Dose	
	scunit2	SCT #2 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	sccat2	SCT #2 Category	
	scrout2	SCT #2 Route	
	scdrug3	SCT #3 Drug Name	
	sccode3	SCT #3 Drug Code	
	scdose3	SCT #3 Total Daily Dose	
	scunit3	SCT#3 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	sccat3	SCT #3 Category	
ſ	scrout3	SCT #3 Route	
	scdrug4	SCT #4 Drug Name	

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Variable Name	Description	Coding
sccode4	SCT #4 Drug Code	
scdose4	SCT #4 Total Daily Dose	
scunit4	SCT #4 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat4	SCT #4 Category	
scrout4	SCT #4 Route	
scdrug5	SCT #5 Drug Name	
sccode5	SCT #5 Drug Code	
scdose5	SCT #5 Total Daily Dose	
scunit5	SCT #5 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat5	SCT #5 Category	
scrout5	SCT #5 Route	
scdrug6	SCT #6 Drug Name	
sccode6	SCT #6 Drug Code	
scdose6	SCT #6 Total Daily Dose	
scunit6	SCT #6 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat6	SCT #6 Category	
scrout6	SCT #6 Route	
scdrug7	SCT #7 Drug Name	
sccode7	SCT #7 Drug Code	
scdose7	SCT #7 Total Daily Dose	
scunit7	SCT #7 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat7	SCT #7 Category	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

Variable Name	Description	Coding
scrout7	SCT #7 Route	
scdrug8	SCT #8 Drug Name	
sccode8	SCT #8 Drug Code	
scdose8	SCT #8 Total Daily Dose	
scunit8	SCT #8 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat8	SCT #8 Category	
scrout8	SCT #8 Route	
scdrug9	SCT #9 Drug Name	
sccode9	SCT #9 Drug Code	
scdose9	SCT #9 Total Daily Dose	
scunit9	SCT #9 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat9	SCT #9 Category	
scrout9	SCT #9 Route	
scdrug10	SCT #10 Drug Name	
sccode10	SCT #10 Drug Code	
scdose10	SCT #10 Total Daily Dose	
scunit10	SCT #10 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat10	SCT #10 Category	
scrout10	SCT #10 Route	
scdrug11	SCT #11 Drug Name	
sccode11	SCT #11 Drug Code	
scdose11	SCT #11 Total Daily Dose	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

Variable Name	Description	Coding
scunit11	SCT #11 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat11	SCT #11 Category	
scrout11	SCT #11 Route	
scdrug12	SCT #12 Drug Name	
sccode12	SCT #12 Drug Code	
scdose12	SCT #12 Total Daily Dose	
scunit12	SCT #12 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat12	SCT #12 Category	
scrout12	SCT #12 Route	
scdrug13	SCT #13 Drug Name	
sccode13	SCT #13 Drug Code	
scdose13	SCT #13 Total Daily Dose	
scunit13	SCT #13 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat13	SCT #13 Category	
scrout13	SCT #13 Route	
scdrug14	SCT #14 Drug Name	
sccode14	SCT #14 Drug Code	
scdose14	SCT #14 Total Daily Dose	
scunit14	SCT #14 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat14	SCT #14 Category	
scrout14	SCT #14 Route	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

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Patient ID	Hospital		Pati	ient		Pat	ient	Initi	ials ∟	F M	<u> </u>	J	Scr Dat	een e	ing		mont	] [ h	da	 v	vear

DRUG	CODE	TOTAL DAILY DOSE	UNITS	CATEGORY	ROUTE
15			mg c	other	
16			mg c	other	
17			mg c	other	
18			mg c	other	
19			mg c	other	
20			mg c	other	
21			mg c	other	
22			mg c		
23			mg c	other	
24			mg c	other	
25			mg c	other	
26			mg c	other	

#### **CATEGORIES**:

#### **ROUTES:**

1=Diuretic 2=ACEI 3=Vasodilator (non-ACEI) 4=Inotrope 5=Digitalis 6=Anti-arrhythmic 7=Anti-coagulant 8=Other cardiac 9=Non-cardiac

1=PO 2=IV 3=Subcutaneous 4=Topical 5=Sublingual 6=Intramuscular 7=Suppository 8=Inhaler Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 008 - SCT2

			8 init		9 vdate
10 scdrug15	11 sccode15	12 scdose15		13 scunit15	14 sccat15
16 scdrug16	17 sccode16	18 scdose16		19 scunit16	20 sccat16
22 scdrug17	23 sccode17	24 scdose17		25 scunit17	26 sccat17
28 scdrug18	29 sccode18	30 scdose18		31 scunit18	32 sccat18
34 scdrug19	35 sccode19	36 scdose19		37 scunit19	38 sccat19
40 scdrug20	41 sccode20	42 scdose20		43 scunit20	44 sccat20
46 scdrug21	47 sccode21	48 scdose21		49 scunit21	50 spcat21
52 scdrug22	53 sccode22	54 scdose22		55 scunit22	56 sccat22
58 scdrug23	59 sccode23	60 scdose23		61 scunit23	62 sccat23
64 scdrug24	65 sccode24	66 scdose24		67 scunit24	68 sccat24
70 scdrug25	71 sccode25	72 scdose25		73 scunit25	74 spcat25
76 scdrug26	77 sccode26	78 scdose26		79 scunit26	80 sccat26
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Variable Name	Description	Coding
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
visit	Visit Number	1
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
scdrug15	SCT #15 Drug Name	
sccode15	SCT #15 Drug Code	
scdose15	SCT #15 Total Daily Dose	
scunit15	SCT #15 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat15	SCT #15 Category	
scrout15	SCT #15 Route	
scdrug16	SCT #16 Drug Name	
sccode16	SCT #16 Drug Code	
scdose16	SCT #16 Total Daily Dose	
scunit16	SCT #16 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat16	SCT #16 Category	
scrout16	SCT #16 Route	
scdrug17	SCT #17 Drug Name	
sccode17	SCT #17 Drug Code	
scdose17	SCT #17 Total Daily Dose	
scunit17	SCT #17 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat17	SCT #17 Category	
scrout17	SCT #17 Route	
scdrug18	SCT #18 Drug Name	
sccode18	SCT #18 Drug Code	
scdose18	SCT #18 Total Daily Dose	
scunit18	SCT #18 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat18	SCT #18 Category	
scrout18	SCT #18 Route	
scdrug19	SCT #19 Drug Name	

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Variable Name	Description	Coding
sccode19	SCT #19 Drug Code	
scdose19	SCT #19 Total Daily Dose	
scunit19	SCT #19 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat19	SCT #19 Category	
scrout19	SCT #19 Route	
scdrug20	SCT #20 Drug Name	
sccode20	SCT #20 Drug Code	
scdose20	SCT #20 Total Daily Dose	
scunit20	SCT #20 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat20	SCT #20 Category	
scrout20	SCT #20 Route	
scdrug21	SCT #21 Drug Name	
sccode21	SCT #21 Drug Code	
scdose21	SCT #21 Total Daily Dose	
scunit21	SCT #21 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat21	SCT #21 Category	
scrout21	SCT #21 Route	
scdrug22	SCT #22 Drug Name	
sccode22	SCT #22 Drug Code	
scdose22	SCT #22 Total Daily Dose	
scunit22	SCT #22 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat22	SCT #22 Category	
scrout22	SCT #22 Route	
scdrug23	SCT #23 Drug Name	
sccode23	SCT #23 Drug Code	
scdose23	SCT #23 Total Daily Dose	
scunit23	SCT #23 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat23	SCT #23 Category	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

Variable Name	Description	Coding
scrout23	SCT #23 Route	
scdrug24	SCT #24 Drug Name	
sccode24	SCT #24 Drug Code	
scdose24	SCT #24 Total Daily Dose	
scunit24	SCT #24 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat24	SCT #24 Category	
scrout24	SCT #24 Route	
scdrug25	SCT #25 Drug Name	
sccode25	SCT #25 Drug Code	
scdose25	SCT #25 Total Daily Dose	
scunit25	SCT #25 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat25	SCT #25 Category	
scrout25	SCT #25 Route	
scdrug26	SCT #26 Drug Name	
sccode26	SCT #26 Drug Code	
scdose26	SCT #26 Total Daily Dose	
scunit26	SCT #26 Units	1=mg, 2=other
sccat26	SCT #26 Category	
scrout26	SCT #26 Route	

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DataFax #001	111		Visit Number	
Patient ID Hospital	Patient	Patient Initials F M	Visit Date mo	nth day year
Use at every post	-screening visit	to record changes in current o	o-therapy.	
Did patient requ	iire IV inotrope	s since last visit?	ye	s no
Did patient requ	ire IV diuretics	s since last visit?	ye	s no
Did patient requ	iire increase in	PRN oral diuretics since la	st visit?	s no
No chang	es in any routi	ne medication (if so, STOP	)	
Record changes in be recorded as zer	routine medica o dose. If dosag	tions comparing last visit to the changes from day to day, the	iis visit. A discontinued r en list <u>average</u> daily dose	nedication should in the following.
ORAL MEDICATIO	NS			
DRUG NAME	DRUG CODE	TOTAL DAILY DOSE	UNITS	CATEGORY
1			mg other	1=Diuretic 2=ACEI
2			mg other	3=Vasodilator (non-ACEI) 4=Inotrope
3			mg other	5=Digitalis 6=Anti-arrhythm 7=Anti-coagulan
4			mg other	8=Other cardiac 9=Non-cardiac
5			mg other	
6			mg other	
7			mg other	
8			mg other	
9			mg other	
10			mg other	
11			mg other	
12			mg other	

**Continue Co-Therapy form.....** 



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13 cloned  14 con1	7 id			8 init	6 visit
19 con2   20 coo2   21 cod2   22 cou2   23 cbt2     24 con3   25 coo3   26 cod3   27 cou3   28 cbt3     29 con4   30 coo4   31 cod4   32 cou4   33 cbt4     34 con5   35 coo5   36 cod5   37 cou5   38 cbt5     39 con6   40 coo6   41 cod6   42 cou6   43 cbt6     44 con7   45 coo7   46 cod7   47 cou7   48 cbt7     49 con8   50 coo8   51 cod8   52 cou8   53 cbt8     54 con9   55 coo9   56 cod9   57 cou9   58 cbt9     59 con10   60 coo10   61 cod10   62 cou10   63 cbt10     64 con11   65 coo11   66 cod11   67 cou11   68 cbt11     69 con12   70 coo12   71 cod12   72 cou12   73 cbt12     70 coo12   71 cod12   72 cou12   73 cbt2     70 cod12   72 cou12   73 cbt2     70 cod12   74 cod2   74 cod2     70 cod2   cod2	13 comed				11 codui
29 con4     30 coo4     31 cod4     32 cou4     33 cbt4       34 con5     35 coo5     36 cod5     37 cou5     38 cbt5       39 con6     40 coo6     41 cod6     42 cou6     43 cbt6       44 con7     45 coo7     46 cod7     47 cou7     48 cbt7       49 con8     50 coo8     51 cod8     52 cou8     53 cbt8       54 con9     55 coo9     56 cod9     57 cou9     58 cbt9       59 con10     60 coo10     61 cod10     62 cou10     63 cbt10       64 con11     65 coo11     66 cod11     67 cou11     68 cbt11       69 con12     70 coo12     71 cod12     72 cou12     73 cbt12					
34 con5       35 coo5       36 cod5       37 cou5       38 cbt5         39 con6       40 coo6       41 cod6       42 cou6       43 cbt6         44 con7       45 coo7       46 cod7       47 cou7       48 cbt7         49 con8       50 coo8       51 cod8       52 cou8       53 cbt8         54 con9       55 coo9       56 cod9       57 cou9       58 cbt9         59 con10       60 coo10       61 cod10       62 cou10       63 cbt10         64 con11       65 coo11       66 cod11       67 cou11       68 cbt11         69 con12       70 coo12       71 cod12       72 cou12       73 cbt12	24 con3	25 coo3	26 cod3	27 cou3	28 cpt3
39 con6       40 coo6       41 cod6       42 cou6       43 cbt6         44 con7       45 coo7       46 cod7       47 cou7       48 cbt7         49 con8       50 coo8       51 cod8       52 cou8       53 cbt8         54 con9       55 coo9       56 cod9       57 cou9       58 cbt9         59 con10       60 coo10       61 cod10       62 cou10       63 cbt10         64 con11       65 coo11       66 cod11       67 cou11       68 cbt11         69 con12       70 coo12       71 cod12       72 cou12       73 cbt12	29 con4				
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	64 con11				
	69 con12	70 coo12	71 cod12	72 cou12	

## COTX\_1 Dataset, Plate 9 Cotherapy, pg. 1

Г			
	Variable Name	Description	Coding
Ī	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	coino	Did pt require IV inotrop	1=yes, 2=no
	codui	Did pt require IV diuret	1=yes, 2=no
	coprn	Did pt require increase	1=yes, 2=no
	comed	No changes in any routine	yes=present, no=absent
	con1	Oral #1 Drug Name	
	coo1	Oral #1 Drug Code	
	cod1	Oral #1 Total Daily Dose	
	cou1	Oral #1 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	cot1	Oral #1 Category	
	con2	Oral #2 Drug Name	
	coo2	Oral #2 Drug Code	
	cod2	Oral #2 Total Daily Dose	
	cou2	Oral #2 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	cot2	Oral #2 Category	
	con3	Oral #3 Drug Name	
	coo3	Oral #3 Drug Code	
	cod3	Oral #3 Total Daily Dose	
	cou3	Oral #3 Units	1=mg, 2=other
	cot3	Oral #3 Category	
ſ	con4	Oral #4 Drug Name	
	coo4	Oral #4 Drug Code	
	cod4	Oral #4 Total Daily Dose	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

## COTX\_1 Dataset, Plate 9 Cotherapy, pg. 1

Variable Name	Description	Coding
cou4	Oral #4 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot4	Oral #4 Category	
con5	Oral #5 Drug Name	
coo5	Oral #5 Drug Code	
cod5	Oral #5 Total Daily Dose	
cou5	Oral #5 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot5	Oral #5 Category	
con6	Oral #6 Drug Name	
coo6	Oral #6 Drug Code	
cod6	Oral #6 Total Daily Dose	
cou6	Oral #6 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot6	Oral #6 Category	
con7	Oral #7 Drug Name	
coo7	Oral #7 Drug Code	
cod7	Oral #7 Total Daily Dose	
cou7	Oral #7 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot7	Oral #7 Category	
con8	Oral #8 Drug Name	
coo8	Oral #8 Drug Code	
cod8	Oral #8 Total Daily Dose	
cou8	Oral #8 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot8	Oral #8 Category	
con9	Oral #9 Drug Name	
coo9	Oral #9 Drug Code	
cod9	Oral #9 Total Daily Dose	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

## COTX\_1 Dataset, Plate 9 Cotherapy, pg. 1

Variable Name	Description Coding	
cou9	Oral #9 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot9	Oral #9 Category	
con10	Oral #10 Drug Name	
coo10	Oral #10 Drug Code	
cod10	Oral #10 Total Daily Dose	
cou10	Oral #10 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot10	Oral #10 Category	
con11	Oral #11 Drug Name	
coo11	Oral #11 Drug Code	
cod11	Oral #11 Total Daily Dose	
cou11	Oral #11 Units	1=mg, 2=other
cot11	Oral #11 Category	
con12	Oral #12 Drug Name	
coo12	Oral #12 Drug Code	
cod12	Oral #12 Total Daily Dose	
cou12	Oral #12 Units 1=mg, 2=other	
cot12	Oral #12 Category	

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DataFax #001	Plate (	010	Visit Number		(must match first page of form)
Patient ID Hospital	Patient F	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date	month	day year
IV MEDICATIONS					
DRUG  1  2 MEDICATIONS DELI	CODE  VERED BY OTHER RO	DOSE	nin	CATEGORY	1=Diuretic 2=ACEI 3=Vasodilator (non-ACEI) 4=Inotrope 5=Digitalis 6=Anti-arrhythmic 7=Anti-coagulant 8=Other cardiac 9=Non-cardiac
DRUG	CODE	TOTAL DAILY DOSE		CATEGORY	
1					
2					
3					
4					
5.					

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7 id		8 init	9 vdate
10 coin1	11 coiv1	12 coid1 16 coid2	13 cbit1 17 cbit2
18 coon1 22 coon2	19 cooc1 23 cooc2	20 cood1	21 cbot1 25 cbot2
26 coon3 30 coon4 34 coon5	27 cooc3 31 cooc4 35 cooc5	28 cood3  32 cood4  36 cood5	29 cpot3  33 cpot4  37 cpot5
			38 staff

## COTX\_2 Dataset, Plate 10 Cotherapy, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
visit	Visit Number	
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
coin1	IV #1 Drug Name	
coiv1	IV #1 Drug Code	
coid1	IV #1 Total Daily Dose	
coit1	IV #1 Category	
coin2	IV #2 Drug Name	
coiv2	IV #2 Drug Code	
coid2	IV #2 Total Daily Dose	
coit2	IV #2 Category	
coon1	Other #1 Drug Name	
cooc1	Other #1 Drug Code	
cood1	Other #1 Total Daily Dose	
coot1	Other #1 Category	
coon2	Other #2 Drug Name	
cooc2	Other #2 Drug Code	
cood2	Other #2 Total Daily Dose	
coot2	Other #2 Category	
coon3	Other #3 Drug Name	
cooc3	Other #3 Drug Code	
cood3	Other #3 Total Daily Dose	
coot3	Other #3 Category	
coon4	Other #4 Drug Name	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

## COTX\_2 Dataset, Plate 10 Cotherapy, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
cooc4	Other #4 Drug Code	
cood4	Other #4 Total Daily Dose	
coot4	Other #4 Category	
coon5	Other #5 Drug Name	
cooc5	Other #5 Drug Code	
cood5	Other #5 Total Daily Dose	
coot5	Other #5 Category	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

DataFax #001	Plate 011	Visit 001	
Patient ID Hospital Patient	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date	month day year
Cardiac History			
Duration of CHF: · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			months
Atrial fibrillation/flutter · · · · ·		yes	no
Ventricular fibrillation, sustain	ned VT, or resuscitated cardiac arres	st yes	no
Peripheral vascular disease		yes	no
Thromboembolic disease · ·		yes	no
Angina: · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		yes	no
Current smoker · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		yes	no
Number of years smoked · · ·		···	vears
Premature CHF (< age 65) in	n parents or siblings	yes	no
Prior Surgery/Procedure			
Coronary bypass surgery:		yes	no
Coronary angioplasty, PTCA	A/DCA/stent/rotablator, etc:	yes	no
Valvular replacement (list valv	ve replaced)	yes	no
Valvuloplasty (list valve opened	d)	yes	no
Pacemaker ·····		yes	no
Ablation ·····		·· yes	no
Implanted Cardio defibrillator	r ·		no
Aneurismectomy			no
Congenital heart disease sur	rgery (ASD, VSD, etc.) ···	yes	no

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7 id	8 init	9 vdate
		10 cvduratn
		11 cvafib
		12 cvvfib
		13 cvpvd
		14 cvthrom
		15 cvang
		16 cvsmoker
		17 cvyrsmok
		18 cvprechf
		19 cvbypas
		20 cvangiop
		21 cvvalrep
		22 cvvalvul
		23 cvpacemk
		24 cvblatn
		25 cvdefibr
		26 cvaneur
		27 cvcongen
		28 staff

# CVH\_1 Dataset, Plate 11 Cardiovascular History, pg. 1

Variable Name	Description	Coding
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
visit	Visit Number	1
cvduratn	Duration of CHF (months)	
cvafib	Atrial fibrillation or flutter	1=yes, 2=no
cvvfib	Ventricular fib, sustained VT, resuscitated cardiac arrest	1=yes, 2=no
cvpvd	Peripheral vascular disease	1=yes, 2=no
cvthrom	Thromboembolic disease	1=yes, 2=no
cvang	Angina	1=yes, 2=no
cvsmoker	Current smoker	1=yes, 2=no
cvyrsmok	Number of years smoked	
cvprechf	Premature CHF (< age 65) parents/siblings	1=yes, 2=no
cvbypas	Coronary bypass surgery	1=yes, 2=no
cvangiop	Coronary angioplasty, PTCA/DCA/stent/rotablator, etc.	1=yes, 2=no
cvvalrep	Valvular replacement	1=yes, 2=no
cvvalvul	Valvuloplasty	1=yes, 2=no
cvpacemk	Pacemaker	1=yes, 2=no
cvblatn	Ablation	1=yes, 2=no
cvdefibr	Implanted Cardio defibrillator	1=yes, 2=no
cvaneur	Aneurismectomy	1=yes, 2=no
cvcongen	Congenital heart disease surgery (ASD, VSD, etc.)	1=yes, 2=no

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DataFax #001  Patient ID Hospital Patient	Plate 012 Patient Initials F M L	Visit 001 Visit Date		day yea
History of related illness, requiring	g medical treatment:			
Hypertension yes	no			
Diabetes mellitus yes	no			
Hyperlipidemia yes	no			
Ischemic CHF Etiology				
Prior MI diagnosed by Q-wave	es:	yes	no	
Prior MI diagnosed by Cardiac	Enzymes:	yes	☐ no	
Greater than 70% stenosis wit wall motion abnormality, by	h corresponding y coronary angiography:	yes	no	
Positive stress perfusion study	<i>r</i> :	yes	no	
Positive exercise test with inte	rpretable baseline ECG:	yes	no	
CAD etiology (any of above etiol	logies marked "yes"):	yes	no	
If no CAD etiology, complete all it	ems below for Non-Ischemic Etio	logy:		
Mitral Valvu	ular disease · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	yes	no	
Aortic Valvu	ular disease·····	yes	no	
Alcoholic ca	ardiomyopathy ·····	yes	no	
Drug-induc	ed ·	yes	no	
Hypertension	on induced ·····	yes	no	
Familial · · ·		yes	no	
Viral ·····		yes	no	
Idiopathic -		yes	no	
Other (Chag	gas', myocarditis)	yes	no	

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7 id		8 init	9 vdate
	10 cvhxhtxn		
	11 cvhxdiab		
	12 cvhxlip		
		13 cvowa	ive
		14 cvenzy	yme
		15 cvgt70	
		16 cvstre	ss
		17 cvexet	rcs
		18 cvcad	
		19 cvmitr	ral
		20 cvaori	iic
		21 cvetol	h
		22 cvdru	
		23 cvhyp	
		24 cvfam 25 cvvira	
		26 cvidio	
		27 cvothe	er
			28 staff

# CVH\_2 Dataset, Plate 12 Cardiovascular History, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
visit	Visit Number	1
cvhxhtxn	History of Hypertension	1=yes, 2=no
cvhxdiab	History of Diabetes Mellitus	1=yes, 2=no
cvhxlip	History of Hyperlipidemia	1=yes, 2=no
cvowave	Prior MI diagnosed by Q waves	1=yes, 2=no
cvenzyme	Prior MI diagnosed by cardiac enzymes	1=yes, 2=no
cvgt70	Greater than 70% stenosis w/ wall motion abn, by coronary angiography	1=yes, 2=no
cvstress	Positive stress perfusion study	1=yes, 2=no
cvexercs	Positive exercise test w/ interpretable baseline ECG	1=yes, 2=no
cvcad	CAD etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvmitral	Mitral valvular disease	1=yes, 2=no
cvaortic	Aortic valvular disease	1=yes, 2=no
cvetoh	Alcoholic cardiomyopathy	1=yes, 2=no
cvdrug	Drug induced etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvhyprin	Hypertension induced etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvfamil	Familial etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvviral	Viral etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvidiop	Idiopathic etiology	1=yes, 2=no
cvother	Other (Chagas', myocarditis) etiology	1=yes, 2=no

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

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Patient ID Patient Patient	ent Initials F M L	Visit Date	month	day	year
Date of MUGA:  month day	year				
Avg HR during MUGA	bpm				
Avg BP during MUGA	/ /	ттНд			
Atrial fibrillation during MUGA	yes no				
LVEF	<b>\(\)</b> %				
RVEF equilibrium	<b></b> %				
LAO with caudal angulation	yes no				
Regional wall motion abnormality	yes no				
Diffuse Global wall motion abnormality	yes no				
Peak filling rate	. EDV/sec				

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7 id		8 init	6 visit
	10 mudat		
	11 muh 12 mub 14 mua	ps 13 mubpd	
	15 mulv		
	16 murv 17 mula	10	
	19 mug		
			21 staff

# MUGA Dataset, Plate 13 Radionuclide Angiography

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
*	mugadays	Number of days to MUGA, from Baseline	
	muhr	Avg HR during MUGA (bpm)	
	mubps	Systolic BP during MUGA (mm Hg)	
	mubpd	Diastolic BP during MUGA (mm Hg)	
	muaf	Atrial fibrillation during MUGA	1=yes, 2=no
	mulve	LVEF (%)	
	murve	RVEF equilibrium (%)	
	mulao	LAO with caudal angulation	1=yes, 2=no
	murwm	Regional wall motion abnormality	1=yes, 2=no
	mugwm	Diffuse global wall motion abnormality	1=yes, 2=no
	mupfr	Peak filling rate (EDV/sec)	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

111111		Visit Number
DataFax #001  Patient ID Hospital	Plate 014  Patient Initials F M	Visit
Date of Sample:	month day year	
Hematology	Mark if clinica	ally significant abnormality (fill out AME form)
1. Hct		
2. Hgb	g/dL	
3. Platelet count	$10^3/\text{mm}^3$	
4. WBC's	$10^{3}$ /mm <sup>3</sup>	
Chemistry		
5. Glucose	mg/dL	
6. Sodium	mEq/L	
7. Potassium	mEq/L	
8. Chloride	mEq/L	
9. Bicarbonate	□□ • □ mEq/L	
10. BUN	mg/dL	
11. Creatinine	mg/dL	
12. Calcium	mg/dL	
13. Magnesium	☐ . ☐ mEq/L	
14. Total bilirubin	mg/dL	

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LAB\_1 Dataset, Plate 14 Laboratory Results, pg. 1

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
*	labdays	Number of days to Lab Exam, from Baseline	
	lahct Hct (%)		
	lahcs	Hct - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lahgb	Hgb (g/dL)	
	lahgs	Hgb - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lapc	Platelet count	
	laps	Platelet count - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lawbc WBC		
	lawbs	WBC - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	laglu Glucose (mg/dL)		
	lagls	Glucose - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lasdm	Sodium (mEq/L)	
	lasds	Sodium - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lapot	Potassium (mEq/L)	
	lapos	Potassium - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lachl	Chloride (mEq/L)	
	lachs	Chloride - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	labic	Bicarbonate (mEq/L)	
	labis	Bicarbonate - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	labun	BUN (mg/dL)	
	labus	BUN - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

LAB\_1 Dataset, Plate 14 Laboratory Results, pg. 1

Variable Name	Description	Coding
lacre	Creatinine (mg/dL)	
lacrs	Creatinine - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
lacal	Calcium (mg/dL)	
lacas	Calcium - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
lamag	Magnesium (mEq/L)	
lamas	Magnesium clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
labil	Total bilirubin (mg/dL)	
latbs	Total bilirubin - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

	Plate 015	Visit Number		(must match first page!)
Patient ID Hospital	Patient Initials	Visit Date	month day	year
Chemistry, continued	Mark if clinically s	significant abnormality (f	ill out AME form)	
15. AST/SGOT	U/L			
16. ALT/SGPT	U/L			
17. Alkaline phosphatase	U/L			
18. Phosphorus	mg/dL			
19. Uric acid	mg/dL			
20. Total protein	g/dL			
21. Albumin	g/dL			
22. Cholesterol	mg/dL			
23. Triglycerides	mg/dL			
Coagulation				
24. INR				
25. Activated partial thromboplastin time	sec			

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7 id		8 init	6 visit  9 vdate
	10 laast  12 laalt  14 laap  16 lapho	11 laass 13 laals 15 laaps	
	20 latp  22 laalb  24 lacho	19 lauas 21 latps 23 laabs 25 lachos	
	26 latri	27 latrs 29 lains	
	30 laptt	31 lapts	
			32 staff

# LAB\_2 Dataset, Plate 15 Laboratory Results, pg. 2

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	laast	AST/SGOT (U/L)	
	laass	AST/SGOT - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	laalt	ALT/SGPT (U/L)	
	laals	ALT/SGPT - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	laap	Alkaline phosphatase U/L	
	laaps	Alkaline phosphatase - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lapho	Phosphorus (mg/dL)	
	laphs	Phosphorus - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	laua	Uric acid (mg/dL)	
	lauas	Uric acid - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	latp	Total protein (g/dL)	
	latps	Total protein - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	laalb	Albumin (g/dL)	
	laabs	Albumin- clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	lacho	Cholesterol (mg/dL)	
	lachos	Cholesterol - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	latri	Triglycerides (mg/dL)	
	latrs	Triglycerides - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

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# LAB\_2 Dataset, Plate 15 Laboratory Results, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
lainr	INR	
lains	INR - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
laptt	Activated PTT (sec)	
lapts	Activated PTT - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

		Vis Nu	it mber
Patient ID Hospital F	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date	month day year
Date of X-ray:	month day year		
Cardio/Thoracic Ratio:	0.		
Pulmonary Edema:	none old new		
If old edema:	no change worsened impr	oved	

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 016 - XRAY

7 id			8 init	9 vdate	6 visit	
	10 xrdat		o min			
	11 xrct	т				
	12 xrpe					
					14 staff	

## XRAY Dataset, Plate 16 Chest X-Ray

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
*	xrdays	Number of days to X-ray, from Baseline	
	xrctr	Cardio/thoracic ratio	
	xrpe	Pulmonary edema	1=none, 2=old, 3=new
	xroe	If old edema,	1=no change, 2=worsened, 3=improved

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

		Visit
DataFax #001	Plate 017	Number
Patient ID Hospital	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date and Date month day year
Date of ECG:	month day year	
Rate and intervals	,	
Average ventricular rate:	bpm Rhythm: Normal sinus	Sinus Sinus bradycardia
PR interval:	O. Sec Atrial fibrillation	Atrial Paced rhythm
QRS duration:	O. Sec Wandering atrial pacemake	Othor
QTc interval:	0. sec	
Hypertrophy		
Left ventricular hypertrophy:	yes no	
Right ventricular hypertophy:	yes no	
Infarction Evidence of previous Q-wave MI:  If yes, Location:   anterior	yes no  Interval inferoposterior	
Conduction (mark all	that apply)	
normal 1	$^{O}$ AV block $2^{O}$ AV block $2^{O}$ AV block $Mobitz$ II	2 <sup>0</sup> AV block 2 <sup>0</sup> AV block Uncertain 2:1
AV Dissociation	3 <sup>O</sup> AV block LBBB RBBB Hem	niblock Hemiblock erior Posterior
Pre-excitation	Other intraventricular conduction block	

## ECG Dataset, Plate 17 Electrocardiogram

Variable Name	Description	Coding
visit	Visit Number	
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
* vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
* ecdays	Number of days to ECG, from Baseline	
ecvr	Average ventricular rate	
ecrh	Rhythm	1=normal sinus, 2=sinus tachycardia, 3=sinus bradycardia, 4=atrial fibrillation, 5=atrial flutter, 6=paced, 7=wandering atrial pacemaker, 8=other
ecpr	PR interval (sec)	
ecqr	QRS interval (sec)	
ecqt	QTc interval (sec)	
eclvh	Left ventricular hypertrophy	1=yes, 2=no
ecrvh	Right ventricular hypertrophy	1=yes, 2=no
ecpmi	Evidence of previous Q-wave MI	1=yes, 2=no
ecmia	Location of MI: anterior	yes=present, no=absent
ecmil	Location of MI: lateral	yes=present, no=absent
ecmip	Location of MI: infero-posterior	yes=present, no=absent
ecnor	Normal conduction	yes=present, no=absent
ec1av	Cond 1st deg AV blk	yes=present, no=absent
ec2m1	Cond 2nd degree AV blk Mobitz I	yes=present, no=absent
ec2m2	Cond 2nd degree AV blk Mobitz II	yes=present, no=absent
ec2un	Cond 2nd degree AV blk uncertain	yes=present, no=absent
ec221	Cond 2nd degree AV blk 2:1	yes=present, no=absent

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## ECG Dataset, Plate 17 Electrocardiogram

Variable Name	Description	Coding
ecdis	Cond AV Dissociation	yes=present, no=absent
ec3av	Cond 3rd degree AV block	yes=present, no=absent
eclbb	Conduction LBBB	yes=present, no=absent
ecrbb	Conduction RBBB	yes=present, no=absent
echa	Cond Hemiblock Anterior	yes=present, no=absent
echp	Cond Hemiblock Posterior	yes=present, no=absent
ecpre	Conduction Pre-excitation	yes=present, no=absent
ecoth	Conduction - other intraventricular block	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

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DataFax #001	Plate 019	Visit 002	
Patient ID Hospital Pati	Patient Initials	Rand Date M L	month day year
Inclusion (BOTH columns	of items MUST be marked "ye	es" to randomize patient)	:
At least 18 years old:	yes no	NYHA Class III or IV	yes no
Competent to consent:	yes no	EF less than or equal to 35%	yes no
Signed Consent form	yes no	Receiving optimal conventional therapy	yes no
Exclusion (BOTH column	s of items MUST be marked "r	no" to randomize patient)	:
Excluded etiology of heart failure list:	yes no	Unstable decompensated HF	yes no
MI within past 6 months	yes no	ETOH/drug abuse	yes no
Anticipated or listed		History of Non-compliance	yes no
for transplant  Excluded cardiac surgery or procedure within the past 60 days or anticipated	yes no	PCD/AICD fired in past 3 months	yes no
list:	yes no	High grade AV block or symptomatic bradycardia	yes no
Contraindication to beta adrenergic blockade list:	yes no	Other life-threatening disease list:	yes no
Excluded meds list:	yes no	Excluded comorbid disease list:	yes no
Pregnant, or not on reliable contraception, if of child-bearing potential	yes no	Other disqualification list:	yes no
If all inclusion criteria are mar	ked "yes" and all exclusion cr	iteria "no", proceed to stra	atification and randomization:
CAD: yes	no EF:		or Randomization number rite it here:
Race: Black	other Sex: male	female	

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7 id		8 init	9 vdate
	10 br18		11 brnyha34
	12 brcomp		13 brefit35
	14 brscons		15 bropt
	16 brexetio		17 brdecomp
	18 brmi6		20 brnoncom
	21 brxplant		22 bricdf
	23 brsurg		
	24 brang	7	25 brhgav
	26 brcontra	]	27 brothdis
	28 brexmed	7	29 brexcomo
			31 brodisq
	30 brpreg		of blodisq
32 brcad		33 brefstr	
34 brrace		35 brsex	36 brrandn
		38 vest	37 staff
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#### BR Dataset, Plate 19 Baseline Randomization

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	randays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	0
	visit	Visit Number	2
	br18	At least 18 years old	1=yes, 2=no
	brnyha34	NYHA Class III or IV	1=yes, 2=no
	brcomp	Competent to consent	1=yes, 2=no
	breflt35	EF less or equal 35%	1=yes, 2=no
	brscons	Signed consent form	1=yes, 2=no
	bropt	Receiving optimal therapy	1=yes, 2=no
	brexetio	Excluded etiology of HF	1=yes, 2=no
	brdecomp	Unstable decompensated HF	1=yes, 2=no
	brmi6	MI within past 6 months	1=yes, 2=no
	brabuse	ETOH/drug abuse	1=yes, 2=no
	brnoncom	History of noncompliance	1=yes, 2=no
	brxplant	Anticipated/listed: transplant	1=yes, 2=no
	bricdf	PCD/AICD fired - last 3 months	1=yes, 2=no
	brsurg	Excluded cardiac surgery	1=yes, 2=no
	brang	Severe/unstable angina	1=yes, 2=no
	brhgav	High grade AV block	1=yes, 2=no
	brcontra	Contraindication to beta-blockade	1=yes, 2=no
	brothdis	Other life-threatening disease	1=yes, 2=no
	brexmed	Excluded meds	1=yes, 2=no
	brexcomo	Excluded comorbid disease	1=yes, 2=no
	brpreg	Pregnant/no contraception	1=yes, 2=no

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#### BR Dataset, Plate 19 Baseline Randomization

Variable Name	Description	Coding
brodisq	Other disqualification	1=yes, 2=no
brcad	CAD stratum	1=yes, 2=no
brefstr	EF stratum	1=le20%, 2=gt20%
brrace	Race stratum	1=black, 2=other
brsex	Sex stratum	1=male, 2=female
brrandn	Randomization number	
vest	Former Vest patient	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

	Plate 020	Vis Nu	it mber
Patient ID Hospital Patient	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date	month day year
Date of Sample: month	day year		
Norepinephrine Sample			
Was sample spun down and plasma frozen?	yes no		
Any problems drawing sample?	yes no		
If yes,	·		
Hemolysis	yes no		
Inadequate sample volume	yes no		

# NE Dataset, Plate 20 Norepinephrine

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
*	nedays	Number of days to PNE sample, from Baseline	
	nespn	NE sample spun and frozen	1=yes, 2=no
	neprb	Any problem drawing sample?	1=yes, 2=no
	nehem	Hemolysis	1=yes, 2=no
	nevol	Inadequate sample volume	1=yes, 2=no
	noresult	Sample lost, no result	1=Sample taken, lost at site 2=Sample taken, other problem at site 3=Sample sent to corelab, lost 4=No result, circumstances unknown

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

		Visi Nun	t nber:
Patient ID  Hospital  Patient ID  Patient ID	Plate 021 Patient Initials	Visit Date:	month day year
Type of contact: initi	al required required required following required following following required following r	gular special llow-up change	between visit dispensation
Is this an up-titration visit	? yes no		
If yes, test vital signs 1 a	nd 2 hours after challenge do	se. If no, skip to Study	Drugs Returned.
Challenge dose:			
Vital signs one hour afte	r challenge dose:		
HR (sitting):	beats/min BP	(sitting):	/ mmHg
Vital signs two hours aft	er challenge dose:		
HR (sitting):	beats/min BP	P(sitting):	/ mmHg
Tolerance:	not tolerated, will rechallen		
Symptoms			
Study drugs returned:			
Did the patient return stud	dy drug from previous visit	yes	no
Study drug returned (number of caps):	Study drug dispensed (number of caps):	Capsules/ dos dose day	
3.0 mg	3.0 mg		***IMPORTANT***
6.25 mg	6.25 mg		Adverse event since last visit?
12.5 mg	12.5 mg		yes no
25 mg	25 mg		<i>IF YES</i> Fill out AME
50 mg	50 mg		form
100 mg	100 mg		
Is patient currently taking study medication?	yes no	If <b>no</b> , is d/c expeto be permanent	
Reasons for discontinual (Notify Study Co-Chair at initial discontinuation			Staff Initials

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## SMED Dataset, Plate 21 Study Medication / Dose Titration

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	smtyp	Type of contact	1=initial challenge 2=titration 3=regular follow-up 4=special change 5=between visit dispensation
	smupt	Is this an up-titr visit?	1=Yes, 2=No
	smchd	Challenge dose	
	smhr1	Heart rate after 1 hour	
	smsb1	Systolic BP after 1 hr	
	smdb1	Diastolic BP after 1 hr	
	smhr2	Heart rate after 2 hours	
	smsb2	Systolic BP after 2 hr	
	smdb2	Diastolic BP after 2 hr	
	smtol	tolerance	1=tolerated 2=not tolerated, will rechallnge 3=not tolerated, won't rechallenge
	smsym	symptoms	
	smret	Did pt ret. study drug?	1=Yes, 2=No
	smr3	Returned 3.0 mg caps	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

## SMED Dataset, Plate 21 Study Medication / Dose Titration

Variable Name	Description	Coding
smp3	Dispensed 3.0 mg caps	
smc3	Capsules per dose 3 mg	
smd3	Doses per day 3 mg	
smr6	Returned 6.25 mg caps	
smp6	Dispensed 6.25 mg caps	
smc6	Capsules per dose 6.25 mg	
smd6	Doses per day 6.25 mg	
smr12	Returned 12.5 mg caps	
smp12	Dispensed 12.5 mg caps	
smc12	Capsules per dose 12.5 mg	
smd12	Doses per day 12.5 mg	
smr25	Returned 25 mg caps	
smp25	Dispensed 25 mg caps	
smc25	Capsules per dose 25 mg	
smd25	Doses per day 25 mg	
smr50	Returned 50 mg caps	
smp50	Dispensed 50 mg caps	
smc50	Capsules per dose 50 mg	
smd50	Doses per day 50 mg	
smr10	Returned 100 mg caps	
smp10	Dispensed 100 mg caps	
smc10	Capsules per dose 100 mg	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

## SMED Dataset, Plate 21 Study Medication / Dose Titration

Variable Name	Description	Coding
smd10	Doses per day 100 mg	
smame	Adverse event since last visit?	1=Yes, 2=No
smsmd	Is pt taking study med?	1=Yes, 2=No
smdcp	Is d/c expt'd to be permanent?	1=Yes, 2=No
smdis	Discontinuation reasons	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

<b>DataFax #001</b> Plate 023		rse Event rt Number	6	
Patient ID Patient Initials Patient F M L	Form Date	month	day	year
Date of hospital or ER visit:    Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:   Date of hospital or ER visit:				
Type: hospital ER				
Visit due to worsening heart failure  yes  no  (Answer "yes" only if the admission/visit is due to decompensated heart failure.)				
Was the patient admitted to hospital?				
If yes, how long was the hospital stay? day	rs			
Did patient die during this ER visit or hospitalization?		10		

Note: Fill out Adverse Medical Events Form and FDA Form 3500 (MedWatch) and obtain Discharge Summary for your files.

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11 hvtyp  12 hvhfr  13 hvadm  14 hvlen  15 hvdie	[7	7 id		8 init		9 vdate	6 visit	
12 hvhfr  13 hvadm  14 hvlen		11 hytyp	10 hvdat					
14 hvien		,		12 hvhfr				
					13 iivule			
16 staff							16 staff	

# HV Dataset, Plate 23 Hospitalization or Emergency Room Visit

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Adverse Event Report Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
*	hvdays	Number of days to Hosp/ER visit, from Baseline	
	hvtyp	Туре	1=hospital, 2=ER
	hvhfr	Visit due to HF related illness?	1=yes, 2=no
	hvadm	Was patient admitted to the hospital?	1=yes, 2=no
	hvlen	How long was hospital stay?	
	hvdie	Did patient die during visit?	1=yes, 2=no

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

DataFax #1		Plat	<b> </b>		rse Event rt Number 6
Patient ID Hosp		atient	Patient Initials F M	Form Date	
Fill out if you	have evidenc	e that the pa	atient has had a NEW MI (A	ME form requi	red)
Date of susp	ected MI:	month	day year		
Q waves?	yes	по	unknown		
Evidence of M	II (at least 2 n	nust be ansv	wered yes for documented	MI):	
Enzymes:	yes	по			
ECG:	yes	по			
Clinical:	yes	по	If YES, give details:		
			- -		
			-		

Note: Fill out Adverse Medical Events Form, Hospitalization Form (if necessary) and FDA Form 3500 (MedWatch)

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 024 - MI

7 id		8 init	9 vdate
	10 mida		
11	1 miqw		
13	2 mienz 3 miecg		
14	4 micIn	15 mi_dtls	
			[40, 444]
			16 staff

# MI Dataset, Plate 24 Myocardial Infarction

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Adverse Event Report Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
*	midays	Number of days to MI, from Baseline	
	miqw	Q waves?	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	mienz	Enzyme evidence?	1=yes, 2=no
	miecg	ECG evidence?	1=yes, 2=no
	micIn	Clinical evidence?	1=yes, 2=no
	mi_dtls	MI clinical details	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

<b>DataFax #001</b> Plate 025			XP Number:	5 5	
Patient ID Patient Patient		Form Date	month	day	year
Date of change in status: month day	]				
New transplant status:	transplanted				

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 025 - XP

7 id		8 init	6 xpnum
7 10		8 init	9 vdate
	10 xpdat		
	11 xpsta		
			12 staff

### XP Dataset, Plate 25 Transplant Status

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	xpnum	Transplant Number	551-559
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
*	xpdays	Number of days to change in status, from Baseline	
	xpsta	New transplant status	1=listed, 2=transplanted

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

			Adverse Event Report Number	]
DataFax ≠001	Plate 026		Report Number	J
Patient ID Hospital Patie	Patient Initial	s	Form Date: month day y	/ear
Date death pronounced:  Documentation of death	month day yea	Autopsy per	formed? yes .	no
Hospital record	yes no			
Death certificate	yes no			
Verbal report of family or friend	yes no			
Other report	yes no			
Death witnessed	yes no			
Location of death	In ER in hospita	out of hospital		
Cause of death:				
Check one and only one of	the following suspected	causes of death		
Sudden Unexpecte	ed Death <u>without</u> <u>change</u> in	CV symptoms, in NY	HA class I or II patient.	
Sudden Unexpecte	ed Death <u>preceded by</u> cha	nge in CV symptoms, i	in NYHA class I or II patient.	
Sudden death with	out change in CV sympton	ns in NYHA class III or	r IV patient.	
Sudden death pred	ceded by change in CV syr	nptoms, in NYHA clas	s III or IV patient.	
Pump failure with o	or <u>without</u> secondary arrhyt	thmic death.		
Myocardial Infarction	on			
Cerebrovascular				
Other Cardiovascu	lar death			
Non-Cardiovascula	ar death			

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 026 - MORT1

7 id	8 init	9 vdate
	12 morecord  13 modcert  14 movrpt	
	15 moothrpt  16 mowitnes  17 molocat	
18 mocause		
	19 moother1 20 moother2	
		21 staff

## MORT\_1 Dataset, Plate 26 Mortality Form, pg. 1

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Adverse Event Rpt. No.	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
*	modays	Number of days to death, from Baseline	
	moautop	Autopsy performed	1=yes, 2=no
	morecord	Hospital record	1=yes, 2=no
	modcert	Death certificate	1=yes, 2=no
	movrpt	Verbal report of family	1=yes, 2=no
	moothrpt	Other report	1=yes, 2=no
	mowitnes	Death witnessed	1=yes, 2=no
	molocat	Location of death	1=in ER, 2=in hospital, 3=out of hospital
	mocause	Cause of death	1 = Sudden unexpected death, without change in CV symptoms, in NYHA Class I or II pt. 2 = Sudden unexpected death, preceded by change in CV symptoms, in NYHA Class II or IV patient 3 = Sudden death, without change in CV symptoms, in NYHA Class III or IV patient 4 = Sudden death, preceded by change in CV symptoms, in NYHA Class III or IV patient 5 = Pump failure with or without secondary arrhythmic death 6 = Myocardial infarction 7 = Cerebrovascular 8 = Other cardiovascular death 9 = Non-cardiovascular death
f	moother1	Other CV death (list)	
Ī	moother2	Non-CV death (list)	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

DataFax #001		Plate 02	7		Adverse Report N		6
Patient ID Hospital	Patien	Pa	ntient Initials F M	L L	Form Date:	month	day year
Last date study r	med taken:	month	day year	(Date	and num	ber must	match page 1)
Medication use	during we	ek before de		from <u>oı</u>	ne week to	one mor	<u>ith</u> before death
Oral diuretic	yes	по	unknown	$\bigcup y$	es 🗌	no [	unknown
IV diuretic	yes	по	unknown	$\bigcup y_i$	es 🗌	no [	unknown
Digoxin	yes	по	unknown	☐ y	es 🗌	no [	unknown
Angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor	yes	по	unknown	☐ y	es 🔲	no [	unknown
Non-ACEI vasodilator	yes	по	unknown	☐ y	es 🗌	no [	unknown
Phospho- diesterase inhibitor (milrinone, amrinone)	yes	no	unknown	☐ y	es 🗌	no [	unknown
Calcium channel blocker	yes	по	unknown	$\bigcup y_i$	es 🗌	no [	unknown
Anti- arrhythmic	yes	no	unknown		es 🔲	no [	unknown
Inotrope	yes	по	unknown		es 🗌	no [	unknown
Potassium supplement	yes	по	unknown		es 🔲	no [	unknown
Potassium sparing diuretic	yes	no	unknown		es 🗌	no [	unknown
Aspirin	yes	по	unknown	$\bigcup y$	es 🗌	no [	unknown

Note: Fill out Adverse Medical Events Form, FDA Form 3500 (MedWatch), Withdrawal Form, and prepare Long Form Mortality Report.

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 027 - MORT2

				6 visit
7 id		8 init	9 vdate	
	10 momeddat			
11 moral_wk		12	2 moral_mo	
13 moiv_wk		14	4 moiv_mo	
15 modig_wk		10	6 modig_mo	
17 moace_wk		18	8 moace_mo	
19 monon_wk		20	0 monon_mo	
		_		_
21 mopho_wk		2:	2 mopho_mo	
23 mocal_wk		24	4 mocal_mo	
25 moant_wk		26	6 moant_mo	
27 moino_wk		28	8 moino_mo	
29 moksu_wk		30	0 moksu_mo	
31 mokdi_wk		32	2 mokdi_mo	
33 moasp_wk		34	4 moasp_mo	
				05
				35 staff

### MORT\_2 Dataset, Plate 27 Mortality Form, pg. 2

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Adverse Event Rpt. Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
*	momedays	Days to meds last taken, from Baseline	
	moral_wk	Oral diuretic week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moral_mo	Oral diuretic month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moiv_wk	IV diuretic week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moiv_mo	IV diuretic month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	modig_wk	Digoxin week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	modig_mo	Digoxin month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moace_wk	ACEI week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moace_mo	ACEI month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	monon_wk	Non-ACEI week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	monon_mo	Non-ACEI month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	mopho_wk	Phospho week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	mopho_mo	Phospho month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	mocal_wk	Calc. ch. blocker week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	mocal_mo	Calc. ch. blocker month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moant_wk	Anti-arr. week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moant_mo	Anti-arr month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
	moino_wk	Inotrope week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

### MORT\_2 Dataset, Plate 27 Mortality Form, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
moino_mo	Inotrope month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
moksu_wk	K suppl week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
moksu_mo	K suppl month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
mokdi_wk	K diuretic week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
mokdi_mo	K diuretic month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
moasp_wk	Aspirin week before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
moasp_mo	Aspirin month before death	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

D-1-E #004	Adverse Event Report Number
Patient ID  Hospital  Plate 028  Patient ID  Patient Initials  F	Form Date M L month day year
Description:	AME code
New onset of an AME? yes no if yes,	Onset date
Is this AME over? yes no if yes,	End date
Greatest severity since last report of this AME	mild moderate severe
Related to study medication?	no possibly probably
Action taken since the last report of this AME:	
Study drug: increased unchanged i	reduced interrupted discontinued
Treatment: none outpatient hospi	italization
Outcome: resolved ongoing patie	ent died
Is a Special Adverse Medical Event Report (FDA For (see note below)	rm 3500) required? yes no
Severity Classification:	Criteria for relation to study medication:
Mild: Does not interfere with normal activity.  Moderate: Interferes with normal activity to some extent.	No: Definitely not related to study medication.  Possibly: Known to occur.
Severe: Interferes significantly with normal activity.	The temporal relationship is not clear, and other causes are also possible.
An event is serious when the outcome is:  Death Life-threatening (real risk of dying) Hospitalization (initial or prolonged) Disability (significant, persistant or prolonged) Congenital anomaly	Probably: Commonly known to occur Clear temporal relationship is noted or improvement is seen upon withdrawal of drug
Paguired intervention to provent permanent impairment or dam	2220

Required intervention to prevent permanent impairment or damage

Note: A Special Adverse Medical Event Report (FDA 3500) must be completed within 72 hours for any event reasonably attributable to the drug and is either 1) serious OR 2) unexpected or previously unreported. If the event is fatal or life-threatening, immediately report to the PCC in Albuquerque by telephone, followed by a written report within 72 hours to PCC with a copy to both study Co-Chairmen.





Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 028 - AME

7 id		8 init	9 vdate	6 visit
	10 amdes			11 amcod
	12 amnew		13 amond	
	14 amovr		15 amend	
		16 amsev		
		17 amrel		
	18 amdos			
	19 amtrt			
	20 amout		21 amfda	
				22 staff

#### AME Dataset, Plate 28 Adverse Medical Event

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Adverse Event Report Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
	amdes	Description	
	amcod	AME code	
	amnew	New onset of an AME?	1=yes, 2=no
*	amondays	Days to AME onset, from Baseline	
	amovr	Is this AME over?	1=yes, 2=no
*	amendays	Days to AME end, from Baseline	
	amsev	Greatest severity since last report of this AME	1=mild, 2=moderate, 3=severe
	amrel	Related to study med?	1=no, 2=possibly, 3=probably
	amdos	Study drug action taken since last report of this AME	1=increased, 2=unchanged, 3=reduced, 4=interrupted, 5=discontinued
	amtrt	Treatment action taken since last report of this AME	1=none, 2=outpatient, 3=hospitalization
	amout	Outcome	1=resolved, 2=ongoing, 3=patient died
	amfda	Special AME report reqd?	1=yes, 2=no

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

DataFax #001	Plate 029	Visit 501		
Patient ID Hospital Pati	Patient Initials Lient	Form date	month	day year
(i.e. transfer to inactive statu DO NOT use this form if the (use SMED form to record cl Use this form ONLY if you w	henever you are terminating is), or in the event of a patier patient has stopped study manges in study medication). ill never be able to get any fum tells the DCC that NO FUR	nt's death. edication but you are ab uture information from or	le to continue about the pa	_
This is a report of:	transfer to inactive status (fill out section below)	a patient's death (stop and fill out	MORTALITY f	orm)
Date of transfer to inactive status	th day year			
Reasons for transfer to inac	tive status (indicate any item	s that apply by marking	'yes" box, oth	nerwise "no"):
Judgement of the PI that could no longer be conside to the patient's well-being	dered informed or would b	on in the study e directly injurious	yes	no
Catastrophic injury or illne state that makes it impos			yes	no
Complete inaccessibility t (for example, long-term in		endpoints	yes	no
Patient has withdrawn co in any assessments:	nsent for continued partic	ipation	yes	no
Other:			yes	no
Any chance that you ma	ay contact the patient in	the future?	yes	no

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 029 - WD

	8 init	9 vdate
10 wdreport		
11 wddate		
		12 wdr1  13 wdr2  14 wdr3
16 wdother1		15 wdr4  17 wdother2  18 wdrecon
		19 staff

#### WD Dataset, Plate 29 Withdrawal

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
	wdreport	WD report type	1=inactive, 2=death
*	wddays	Days to Withdrawal (non-death), from Baseline	
	wdr1	Judgement of PI	1=yes, 2=no
	wdr2	Catastrophic injury/illness	1=yes, 2=no
	wdr3	Complete inaccessibility	1=yes, 2=no
	wdr4	Patient has withdrawn consent	1=yes, 2=no
	wdother1	Other reason (text)	
	wdother2	Other reason (yes/no)	1=yes, 2=no
	wdrecon	Any chance of recontact?	1=yes, 2=no

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

	Fax <b>#</b> 001	50 <del>5</del> 0 <del>500</del>	Plate 03				EOS	90	9
Patient ID	Hospital	Patient	Pa	atient Initials	F M L	Status Date	month	day y	year
	or any randomi an early withdra	•		s reached th	ne end of schedul	ed follow-up	)		

Status of patient at the time this form completed:	known alive and on study medication
	known alive and NOT on study medication
	Vital status UNKNOWN

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 030 - EOS

7 id	8 init		9 vdate
		10 ebstatus	
			11 staff

#### EOS Dataset, Plate 30 End of Study

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to report date, from Baseline	
	eostatus	Status of Patient	1=alive, on meds
	COStatus	Otatus of Fatient	2=alive, off meds

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

1		Visit Number
Da	taFax #001 Plate 031	
Patient I	D Patient Initials Hospital Patient Patient F M L	Visit
	do you feel today as compared to how you felt before taking this e mark one box below.	s medication?
	Markedly improved	
	Moderately improved	
	Mild improvement	
	No change	
	Slightly worse	
	Moderately worse	
	Markedly worse	

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 031 - PtGA

7 id	8 init	9 vdate
10 gapat		
		11 staff

#### PTGA Dataset, Plate 31 Patient's Global Assessment

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	gapat	Patient Global Assessment	1=Markedly improved 2=Moderately improved 3=Mild improvement 4=No change 5=Slightly worse 6=Moderately worse 7=Markedly worse

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

- 1	111111		Visit Number
Da <sup>-</sup>	taFax #001	Plate 032	
Patient I	D Hospital Patient	Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date day year
	does the patient's clinicate ation?	al status today compare to his or her s	atus prior to taking study
	Marked improvement		
	Moderate improvemen	nt	
	Mild improvement		
	No change		
	Slight worsening		
	Moderate worsening		
	Marked worsening		

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 032 - PhyGA

	7 id	8 init	6 visit
10 gaphy			
			11 staff

#### PHYGA Dataset, Plate 32 Physician's Global Assessment

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	gaphy	Physician Global Assessment	1=Marked improvement 2=Moderate improvement 3=Mild improvement 4=No change 5=Slight worsening 6=Moderate worsening 7=Marked worsening

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

11111		Visit Number	
DataFax #001  Patient ID Hospital	Plate #035  Patient Initials  F	Visit Date M L month	day year
Date of Sample:	month day year		
riematology	Mark if cl	inically significant abnormality (f	ill out AME form)
1. Hct	%		
2. Hgb	g/dL		
3. Platelet count	10 <sup>9</sup> /L		
4. WBC's			
Chemistry			
5. Glucose	mmol/L		
6. Sodium	mmol/L		
7. Potassium	mmol/L		
8. Chloride	mmol/L		
9. Bicarbonate	mmol/L		
10. BUN	mmol/L		
11. Creatinine	umol/L		
12. Calcium	mmol/L		
13. Magnesium	mmol/L		
14. Total bilirubin	umol/L		

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Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 035 - CLAB1

7 id	8 init	6 visit  9 vdate
	11 clahct  13 clahgb  15 clapc  17 clawbc	12 clahes  14 clahgs  16 claps
	19 claglu  21 clasdm  23 clapot	20 clasds  22 clasds  24 clapos
	25 clachl 27 clabic 29 clabun 31 clacre	26 clabis  28 clabis  30 clabus  32 clacrs
	33 clacal  35 clamag  37 clabil	34 clacas  36 clamas  38 clatbs
		39 staff

### CLAB\_1 Dataset, Plate 35 Canadian Laboratory Results, pg. 1

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
ŀ	visit	Visit Number	<del> </del>
*	best id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
*	clabdays	Days to Lab Exam, from Baseline	
ľ	clahct	Hct (%)	
ľ	clahctx	Hct (%) [conversion]	
Ī	clahcs	Hct-clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
Ī	clahgb	Hgb (g/L)	
Ī	clahgbx	Hgb (g/dL) [conversion]	
	clahgs	Hgb clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
Ī	clapc	Platelet count	
Ī	claps	Platlet count - clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
Ī	clawbc	WBC	
	clawbs	WBC clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	claglu	Glucose (mmol/L)	
	claglux	Glucose (mgl/dL) [conversion]	
	clagls	Glucose clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clasdm	Sodium (mmol/L)	
	clasds	Sodium clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clapot	Potassium (mmol/L)	
	clapos	Potassium clin sig abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clachl	Chloride (mmol/L)	
	clachs	Chloride clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clabic	Bicarbonate (mmol/L)	
	clabis	Bicarbonate clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clabun	BUN (mmol/L)	
	clabunx	BUN (mg/dL) [conversion]	
	clabus	BUN clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clacre	Creatinine (umol/L)	
L	clacrex	Creatinine (mg/dL) [conversion]	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

### CLAB\_1 Dataset, Plate 35 Canadian Laboratory Results, pg. 1

Variable Name	Description	Coding
clacrs	Creatinine clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
clacal	Calcium (mmol/L)	
clacalx	Calcium (mdl/dL) [conversion]	
clacas	Calcium clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
clamag	Magnesium (mmol/L)	
clamas	Magnesium clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
clabil	Total bilirubin (umol/L)	
clabilx	Total bilirubin (mg/dL) [conversion]	
clatbs	Total bilirubin clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

111111	1 11 1			Visit Number		(must match first page!)
Patient ID  Hospital	Plate Patient	Patient Initials F N		Visit Date	month day	year
Chemistry, continued		Mark if clinically sign	ficant abnor	rmality (fi	ill out AME form	)
15. AST/SGOT		U/L				
16. ALT/SGPT		U/L				
17. Alkaline phosphatase		U/L				
18. Phosphorus		mmol/L				
19. Uric acid		umol/L				
20. Total protein						
21. Albumin		<b>.</b> g/L				
22. Cholesterol		mmol/L				
23. Triglycerides	$\Box$ . $\Box$	mmol/L				
Coagulation						
24. INR	$\Box$ . $\Box$					
25. Activated partial thromboplastin time		sec sec				

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 036 - CLAB2

10 classt	7 id		8 init	6 visit  9 vdate
20 clatp  21 clatps  22 claalb  23 claabs  24 clacho  25 clachos  26 clatri  27 clatrs		12 claalt	13 claals	
28 clains 29 clains		20 clatp  22 claalb	21 c atps	
30 claptt 31 clapts				
		30 claptt	31 clapts	
32 staff				32 staff

#### CLAB\_2 Dataset, Plate 36 Canadian Laboratory Results, pg. 2

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
Ī	visit	Visit Number	
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	claast	AST/SGOT (U/L)	
	claass	AST/SGOT clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	claalt	ALT/SGPT (U/L)	
	claals	ALT/SGPT clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	claap	Alkaline phosphatase-U/L	
	claaps	Alkaline Phosp-clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clapho	Phosphorus (mmol/L)	
	claphox	Phosphorus (mg/dL) [conversion]	
	claphs	Phosphorus clin sign abnormaltiy	yes=present, no=absent
	claua	Uric acid (umol/L)	
	clauax	Uric acid (mg/dL) [conversion]	
	clauas	Uric acid clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clatp	Total Protein (g/L)	
	clatpx	Total Protein (g/dL) [conversion]	
	clatps	Total protein clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	claalb	Albumin (g/L)	
	claalbx	Albumin (g/dL) [conversion]	
	claabs	Albumin clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clacho	Cholesterol (mmol/L)	
	clachox	Cholesterol (mg/dL) [conversion]	
	clachos	Cholesterol clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
	clatri	Triglycerides (mmol/L)	

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

### CLAB\_2 Dataset, Plate 36 Canadian Laboratory Results, pg. 2

Variable Name	Description	Coding
clatrix	Triglycerides (mg/dL) [conversion]	
clatrs	Triglycerides clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
clainr	INR	
clains	INR clinically significant abnormality	yes=present, no=absent
claptt	Activated PTT (sec)	
clapts	Activated PTT clin sign abnormality	yes=present, no=absent

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

Data Fee: #004	Visit Number 0 0 1
Patient ID Plate #045  Patient ID Patient Initials F M L	Visit Date Month day year
Does the patient have a documented history of Diabetes Mellitus at	baseline (prior to randomization)?
If yes, continue:	yes no
Mark one:	
Childhood onset (<18 years) - insulin therapy	
Childhood onset (<18 years) - oral hypoglycemic the	rapy
Adult onset - insulin therapy	
Adult onset - concurrent insulin and oral hypoglycem	ic therapy
Adult onset - oral hypoglycemic therapy	
Adult onset - dietary treatment only	
Does the patient have documented diabetic end organ disease a	nt <u>baseline</u> (prior to randomization)?
If yes, answer each of the following:	yes no
Retinopathy: yes no	
Neuropathy: yes no	
Nephropathy:	

Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 045 - DIAB

7 id		8 init	6 visit 9 vdate
			10 diahis
11 diaon			
	13 d	iaret	12 diaeod
		ianep	
			16 staff

#### DIAB Dataset, Plate 45 Diabetes History

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
ſ	visit	Visit Number	1
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	vdays	Number of days to visit, from Baseline	
	diahis	History of Diabetes?	1=yes, 2=no
	diaon	Mark onset and therapy	1=Childhood onset - insulin 2=Childhood onset - oral hypoglycemic 3=Adult onset - insulin 4=Adult onset - concurrent insulin and oral hypoglycemic 5=Adult onset - oral hypoglycemic 6=Adult onset - dietary treatment only
	diaeod	Documented end organ disease at baseline?	1=yes, 2=no
	diaret	Retinopathy:	1=yes, 2=no
	dianeu	Neuropathy:	1=yes, 2=no
	dianep	Nephropathy	1=yes, 2=no

<sup>\*</sup> Recoded/new variable, per patient confidentiality guidelines.

DataFax #001	Plate #048	Visit	#500	
Patient ID Hospital Patient	Case Number		ADJ Date month day	year
Date death pronounced month	day year	Date patient last observed	month day year	
Time of death known	s no esti	mate		
Time of death hou	ur min			
Documentation reviewed:		Cardiovascular symp	toms:	
Discharge summary	yes no	NYHA class prior to terminal event		
Death certificate	yes no	to tomma over	I II III I	IV
Autopsy report	yes no			
Cause of death:				
Sudden death not prece	<u>ded by change</u> in CHF sy	mptoms Chest pa	ain? (24 hours prior to death	ካ):
Sudden death preceded	<u>by change</u> in CHF symp	toms ye	es no unknov	wn
Pump failure with or with	nout secondary arrhythmic	c death		
Myocardial Infarction				
Cardiac procedure				
Other cardiovascular de	ath (e.g. cerebrovascular	accident, pulmonary en	mbolus, aortic dissection)	
Non-cardiovascular deal	th			
No information				
Comments:				_

DCC Initials F M L



Study 001 - BEST (395) Plate 048 - ADJU

	7 id	8 adcase 9 adjdate
	10 addate	11 adistob
	12 adtimekn  13 adtime	
	14 addcsum 15 addcert	17 adnyha
18 adcau	16 adautop	
		19 adcpain
	20 adcproc	
	21 adothcv  22 adnoncv	
	23 adcom	

# ADJU Dataset, Plate 48 Mortality Adjudication

Varia Nam		Description	Coding
* best	_id	Patient ID	1-2708
adca	ase	Case Number	
* adjda	ays	Days to adjudication, from Baseline	
* adda	ays	Days to death, from Baseline	
* adlda	ays	Days to date pt. last observed, from Baseline	
adtin	mekn	Time of death known	1=yes, 2=no, 3=estimate
adtin	me	Time of death	
addo	csum	Discharge summary	1=yes, 2=no
addo	cert	Death certificate	1=yes, 2=no
adau	utop	Autopsy report	1=yes, 2=no
adny	yha	NYHA class prior to death	1=I, 2=II, 3=III, 4=IV
adca	ause	Cause of death	1=Sudden death not preceded by change in CHF symptoms 2=Sudden death preceded by change in CHF symptoms 3=Pump failure with or without secondary arrhythmic death 4=Myocardial Infarction 5=Cardiac Procedure 6=Other cardiovascular death 7=Non-cardiovascular death 8=No information
adcp	pain	Chest pain?	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
adcp	oroc	List cardiac procedure	
adot	thcv	List other cardiovascular cause of death	
adno	oncv	List non-cardiovascular cause of death	
adco	om	Comments:	

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	Plate 058			MI Number	505	
Patient ID Hospital Patie		e nber		ADJ Date	onth day yea	] r
Date of MI:	day year					
Did this MI meet the tria	l criteria?	s no	If no,	ACS	other	
Was it a procedurally-re	lated MI? <sub>yes</sub>	s no				
Evidence of MI: (docum	ented by autopsy ev	ridence or 2 of the	e other crite	ria, one of v	which must be enzy	mes)
Elevated enzymes:  If yes, check all that apply		unknown JNL with CKMB >				
	CK > 1.5 t	JNL with cardiac	troponin I o	r T > 2xUN	L 	
ECG evidence:	yes no	unknown				
If yes, check all that apply	new Q wa	ves present				
	new ST se	egment elevation	> 1mm on 2	2 or more c	ontiguous leads	
	1mm depr	ession on v1 and	l v2			
Clinical evidence:	yes no	unknown				
If yes,	7.	nsistent				
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### MIADJU Dataset, Plate 58 Myocardial Infarction Adjudication

Variable Name	Description	Coding
miadnum	MI Number	
* best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
miadcase	MI Case Number	
* miadjday	Days to MI adjudication, from Baseline	
* miadays	Days to MI, from Baseline	
miadcrit	Did this MI meet criteria	1=yes, 2=no
miadifno	If no	1=ACS, 2=other
miadproc	Procedurally-related MI?	1=yes, 2=no
miadprde	If yes, describe	
miadaut	Autopsy evidence	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
miadelev	Elevated enzymes	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
miadckmb	CK > 1.5 UNL with CKMB > 2xUNL	yes=present, no=absent
miadcard	CK > 1.5 UNL with cardiac troponin I or T > 2xUNL	yes=present, no=absent
miadoth	Elev. enzymes, other	yes=present, no=absent
miadlsot	List other	
miadecg	ECG evidence	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
miadqwav	New Q-waves present	yes=present, no=absent
miadst	New ST segment elevation	yes=present, no=absent
miad1mm	1mm depression on v1/v2	yes=present, no=absent
miadclin	Clinical evidence	1=yes, 2=no, 3=unknown
miadclys	Clinical evid., if yes	1=typical, 2=consistent
miaddtls	Clinical evid., details	
miadsign	Signature, primary reviewer	yes=present, no=absent

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# PERMDC Dataset Permanent Discontinuation from Study Medication

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
*	dcdays	Days to D/C, from Baseline	
	reason	Reason for discontinuation	

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## PNELAB Dataset PNE Lab Results from PNE Core Lab

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
Ī	pne	PNE Level (pg/ml)	
	visit	Visit Number	

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# T Dataset Treatment Assignment and Time in Study

	Variable Name	Description	Coding
*	best_id	Patient ID	1-2708
	days	Days in study	Days calculated from baseline randomization date to date of withdrawal (non-death), date of death, or date of study termination.
*	sitegrp	Clinical site type (VA/Non-VA)	VA=VA, NONVA=Non-VA
	group	Treatment Group	1=Placebo, 2=Bucindolol

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