Total population over 50 yrs

On CHD, Stroke or Diabetes registers?

Yes

If most recent systolic BP > 150 mmHg (>145 if patient has diabetes)
or
most recent diastolic BP > 90 mmHg (>85 mmHg if patient has diabetes)
or
most recent cholesterol > 5.0 mmol/L
or
BP or cholesterol value not recorded in the past fifteen months

GROUP 1

Does the record contain “in date” information on all the “Framingham variables”?

No

Inserting “assumed” values for the missing variables, would the 10 year CVD risk be ≥20%?

Yes

GROUP 2

No

Yes

GROUP 4

Less than 75 years old?

No

Are all of the last three BPs ≥160 (systolic) or ≥100 (diastolic) (where available)?

No

Yes

GROUP 2

GROUP 3

GROUP 4