Additional file 1: Figure S1: Overview of the categories in the Danish Index for Emergency Care

The main symptom categories in the Danish Index for Emergency Medical Care are presented in the table below.

	Category	Note
1	Unconscious adult	
2	Unconscious child	
3	Foreign body in airway	
4	Large scale accident	
5	Ordered mission	Includes referrals and ambulance runs ordered by physicians.
6	Unclear problem	
7	Allergic reaction	
8	Non-traumatic bleeding	
9	Burn or electricity injury	
10	Chest pain, heart disease	
11	Diabetes	
12	Drowning	
13	Diving accident	
14	Animal bite or insect bite	
15	Fever	
16	Poisoning in child	
17	Childbirth	
18	Gynaecology, pregnancy	
19	Headache	
20	Skin disease, rash	
21	Hypo- and hyperthermia	
22	Exposure to chemicals and gases	
23	Seizures	
24	Stomach or back pain	
25	Possible death	
26	Impaired consciousness	
27	Psychiatry, suicide	
28	Breathing problems	
29	Alcohol, poisoning, drugs	
30	Sick child	Broad category pertaining particularly to young children.
31	Minor wound, fracture, injury	
32	Traffic accident	
33	Accidents	
34	Urinary system	
35	Violence, abuse	
36	Ear, nose, throat	
37	Eye	