

Table 1**Gender differences in symptoms of myocardial ischaemia****Common in both sexes**

- Pain, pressure or squeezing in chest
- Radiation of pain to neck, shoulder, back, arm, jaw
- Palpitations
- Difficulty in breathing
- Heartburn, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain
- Cold sweats, clamminess
- Dizziness

More common in women

- Report milder symptoms
- Sudden onset of weakness, shortness of breath, fatigue, feeling of systemic illness (without chest pain)
- Mild discomfort in back, chest, arm, neck or jaw (without chest pain)