

Change Request

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Reference: Change Request 1251
Version No: 1.0
Subject: Change to the Format/Length of Weekly Hours Worked
Effective Date: Immediate
Reason for Change: Change to the Format/Length
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Background:

This Data Dictionary Change Notice (DDCN) updates the Format/Length of the Data Element "Weekly Hours Worked".

The Format/Length has been amended from n2 to an2, to address the problem of leading zeroes being stripped off numerical format codes within systems.

No changes have been made to the codes collected for this item.

Summary of changes:

Data Elements

[WEEKLY HOURS WORKED](#) Changed Description, Aliases

Date: 19 May 2011

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Note: New text is shown with a blue background. Deleted text is crossed out. Retired text is shown in grey. Within the Diagrams deleted classes and relationships are red, changed items are blue and new items are green.

WEEKLY HOURS WORKED

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Aliases

Format/length:	n2
HES item:	
Format/Length:	an2
HES Item:	
National Codes:	See WEEKLY HOURS WORKED
Default Codes:	97 - Not disclosed (PATIENT was asked but refused to respond) 98 - Not applicable (PATIENT not employed or has not received secondary mental health services) 99 - Not known

Notes:

This is the same as attribute ~~WEEKLY HOURS WORKED~~. [WEEKLY HOURS WORKED](#) is the same as attribute [WEEKLY HOURS WORKED](#).

Required to be collected locally from 1st April 2008 and nationally from October 2008.

WEEKLY HOURS WORKED

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Aliases

- Changed Description
- Alias Changes

Name	Old Value	New Value
plural	WEEKLY HOURS WORKED	

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