

## NHS Digital

### NHS Data Model and Dictionary Service

**Type:** Data Dictionary Change Notice  
**Reference:** 1531  
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**Subject:** Clinical Terminology Update  
**Effective Date:** Immediate  
**Reason for Change:** Updating of information  
**Publication Date:** 21 November 2016

#### Background:

SNOMED CT is the clinical terminology approved as an Information Standard. The Information Standard is being updated to:

- Confirm the timescales for cessation of SNOMED CT releases in Release Format 1 (RF1) and the subsequent move to releases being provided in Release Format 2 (RF2)
- Convert the current information standard to align with the requirements of the Health and Social Care Act 2012.

To complement the issue of the new Information Standards Notice by the Standardisation Committee for Care Information (SCCI) Publication Service, the NHS Data Model and Dictionary Service has produced a Data Dictionary Change Notice to update the existing information in the NHS Data Model and Dictionary.

The Data Dictionary Change Notice updates the following information in the NHS Data Model and Dictionary:

- Adds a new NHS Business Definition for:
  - Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C)
  - SNOMED CT Refset
- Adds additional SNOMED CT metadata information to existing items that reference SNOMED CT subsets, i.e.:
  - Adds the Fully Specified Name and ID
  - Links to the SNOMED CT subset on the Data Dictionary for Care
- Updates existing Clinical Terminology information to ensure it is up to date and consistent
- Adds a link to the United Kingdom Terminology Centre and the Clinical Classifications Service Request Submission Portal.

To view a demonstration on "How to Read an NHS Data Model and Dictionary Change Request", visit the NHS Data Model and Dictionary help pages at: [http://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/Flash\\_Files/changerequest.htm](http://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/Flash_Files/changerequest.htm).

Note: if the web page does not open, please copy the link and paste into the web browser.

#### Summary of changes:

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### Attribute Definitions

<a href="#">NEWBORN BLOOD SPOT TEST OUTCOME STATUS CODE</a>	Changed Description
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### Data Elements

<a href="#">ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
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<a href="#">ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY DRUG (SNOMED CT DM+D)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">CODED ASSESSMENT TOOL TYPE (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT)</a>	Changed Description
<a href="#">SPECIMEN TYPE (CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT)</a>	Changed Description

**Date:** 21 November 2016

**Sponsor:** Tom Denwood, Director of National Provider Support, LSP Directorate Central Services, NHS Digital

**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.

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## ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY DIAGNOSIS TABLES

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

- A broad classification of types of diagnoses which may be made as a result of [Accident and Emergency Attendance](#). The full description is made up of codes from three tables - [ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY DIAGNOSIS](#), [Accident and Emergency Attendance: ANATOMICAL AREAS](#) and [Accident and Emergency Attendance: ANATOMICAL SIDE](#). [ANATOMICAL AREA](#) (a classification of parts of the human body) and [ANATOMICAL SIDE](#) (an indication of the side of the human body) together give the Anatomical Site of clinical problems presented at an [Accident and Emergency Attendance](#).
- The [Accident and Emergency Diagnosis Tables](#) have been mapped to diagnoses in [SNOMED CT®](#), and are available on request from the [Technology Reference Data Update Distribution Service \(TRUD\)](#).
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- [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#):
  - [Subset Name](#): Concepts mapped to Data Dictionary A&E Diagnosis Codes
  - [Subset Original Id](#): 28511000000135
  - [Refset FSN](#): National Health Service Data Model and Dictionary accident and emergency diagnosis simple map reference set (foundation metadata concept)

- [Refset Id : 999001661000000103](#)
- The [SNOMED CT](#)® subset original ID is 285110000000135, and
- The [SNOMED CT](#)® subset name is *Concepts mapped to Data Dictionary A&E Diagnosis Codes*.

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Concepts mapped to Data Dictionary A&E Diagnosis Codes](#).

- Certain items are sub-analysed to specify the diagnosis, investigation or treatment more precisely. These are marked with an asterisk. The diagnosis sub-analysis list follows the main diagnosis list, and the treatment sub-analysis list follows the main treatment list.
- It is recommended that computerised systems provide a minimum of six character fields for each category in order to accommodate more detailed information if necessary. Where fewer than six characters are required for coding, such as for investigations and treatments, it is recommended that the codes are left-justified and the unused fields left blank.
- [ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY DIAGNOSIS](#) is a six character code, comprising:

Diagnosis Condition	n2
Sub-Analysis	n1
<a href="#">Accident and Emergency Attendance - ANATOMICAL AREA</a>	n2
<a href="#">Accident and Emergency Attendance - ANATOMICAL SIDE</a>	an1

#### Accident and Emergency Diagnosis - Diagnosis Condition

Diagnosis Condition	Code
Laceration	01
Contusion/abrasion*	02
Soft tissue inflammation	03
Head injury*	04
Dislocation/fracture/joint injury/amputation*	05
Sprain/ligament injury	06
Muscle/tendon injury	07
Nerve injury	08
Vascular injury	09
Burns and scalds*	10
Electric shock	11
Foreign body	12
Bites/stings	13
Poisoning* (including overdose)	14
Near drowning	15
Visceral injury	16
Infectious disease*	17
Local infection	18
Septicaemia	19
Cardiac conditions*	20
Cerebro-vascular conditions	21
Other vascular conditions	22
Haematological conditions	23
Central Nervous System conditions* (excluding strokes)	24

Respiratory conditions*	25
Gastrointestinal conditions*	26
Urological conditions (including cystitis)	27
Obstetric conditions	28
Gynaecological conditions	29
Diabetes and other endocrinological conditions*	30
Dermatological conditions	31
Allergy (including anaphylaxis)	32
Facio-maxillary conditions	33
ENT conditions	34
Psychiatric conditions	35
Ophthalmological conditions	36
Social problem (includes chronic alcoholism and homelessness)	37
Diagnosis not classifiable	38
Nothing abnormal detected	39

\*Item sub-analysed

### Accident and Emergency Diagnosis - Sub-analysis

Sub-analysis		Code
Contusion/abrasion	- contusion	1
	- abrasion	2
Head Injury	- concussion	1
	- other head injury	2
Dislocation/fracture/joint injury/amputation	- dislocation	1
	- open fracture	2
	- closed fracture	3
	- joint injury	4
	- amputation	5
Burns and scalds	- electric	1
	- thermal	2
	- chemical	3
	- radiation	4
Poisoning	- prescriptive drugs	1
	- proprietary drugs	2
	- controlled drugs	3
	- other, including alcohol	4
Infectious disease	- notifiable disease	1
	- non-notifiable disease	2
Cardiac conditions	- myocardial ischaemia & infarction	1
	- other non-ischaemia	2
Respiratory conditions	- bronchial asthma	1
	- other non-asthma	2
Central Nervous System conditions	- epilepsy	1
	- other non-epilepsy	2
Gastrointestinal conditions	- haemorrhage	1
	- acute abdominal pain	2
	- other	3
Diabetes and other endocrinological conditions	- diabetic	1
	- other non-diabetic	2

### Anatomical Site

### Accident And Emergency Anatomical Area - Area

Anatomical Area	Code
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<b>Head and Neck</b>	
Brain	01
Head	02
Face	03
Eye	04
Ear	05
Nose	06
Mouth, Jaw, Teeth	07
Throat	08
Neck	09
<b>Upper Limb</b>	
Shoulder	10
Axilla	11
Upper Arm	12
Elbow	13
Forearm	14
Wrist	15
Hand	16
Digit	17
<b>Trunk</b>	
Cervical spine	18
Thoracic	19
Lumbosacral spine	20
Pelvis	21
Chest	22
Breast	23
Abdomen	24
Back/buttocks	25
Ano/rectal	26
Genitalia	27
<b>Lower Limb</b>	
Hip	28
Groin	29
Thigh	30
Knee	31
Lower leg	32
Ankle	33
Foot	34
Toe	35
Multiple Site	36
<b>Accident and Emergency Anatomical Side</b>	
Left	L
Right	R
Bilateral	B
Not applicable	8

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**ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY DIAGNOSIS TABLES**

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

- [Changed Description](#)

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## CLINICAL CODING INTRODUCTION

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- [Accident and Emergency Coding Tables](#)
- [European Dialysis and Transplant Association Coding Scheme](#)
- [International Classification of Diseases \(ICD\)](#)
- [International Classification of Diseases for Oncology \(ICD-O\)](#)
- [National Interim Clinical Imaging Procedure Code Set \(NICIP Code Set\)](#)
- [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices \(dm+d\)](#)
- [OPCS Classification of Interventions and Procedures](#)
- [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#)
- [Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms \(SNOMED CT\)](#)
- [SNOMED CT®](#)

### Requests for Change:

- Change requests for [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODES](#) and [CLINICAL CLASSIFICATION CODES](#) released by the [United Kingdom Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#) and the [Clinical Classifications Service \(CCS\)](#) should be requested through the Request Submission Portal on the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [Welcome to the Request Submission Portal](#).
- Requests for medicines or devices terminologies should be made via the Service Desk at: [information.standards@nhs.net](mailto:information.standards@nhs.net).

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## CODING AND CLASSIFICATIONS MENU

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Change to Supporting Information: [Changed Description](#)

- [Clinical Coding Introduction](#)
- [European Dialysis and Transplant Association Coding Scheme](#)
- [International Classification of Diseases](#)
- [International Classification of Diseases for Oncology](#)
- [National Interim Clinical Imaging Procedure Code Set](#)
- [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices](#)
- [OPCS Classification of Interventions and Procedures](#)
- [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#)
- [Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms](#)
- [SNOMED CT®](#)

### Accident and Emergency Coding Tables

- [Accident and Emergency Diagnosis Tables](#)
- [Accident and Emergency Investigation Table](#)
- [Accident and Emergency Treatment Tables](#)

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## DATA DICTIONARY FOR CARE

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Change to Supporting Information: New Supporting Information

The [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) publishes metadata associated with [SNOMED CT Subsets](#).

For further information on the [Data Dictionary for Care](#), see the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [Welcome to DD4C](#).

**This supporting information is also known by these names:**

Context	Alias
shortname	DD4C

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**FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION DATA SET OVERVIEW**

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

**Contextual Overview**

The [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#) provides essential information in relation to the female genital mutilation population across England.

The [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#) is used:

- To publish Official Statistics which will inform the [Department of Health](#), [NHS England](#), other Government Agencies and the public, about female genital mutilation when it has been identified
- To identify the potential risk of female genital mutilation to young girls and vulnerable women
- For better planning and management of female genital mutilation [SERVICES](#) at a local level and across England

Data may be input immediately using an input screen via the [NHS Digital](#) Clinical Audit Platform when female genital mutilation is identified, or data extracts for Patients, can be submitted as a bulk upload on a monthly basis for each [Organisation](#).

[CARE CONTACT](#) activities undertaken for female genital mutilation [PATIENTS](#) during the [REPORTING PERIOD](#) are reported in the data upload. This includes any attendances at an [Out-Patient Clinic](#) led by any type of [CARE PROFESSIONAL](#), [Hospital Provider Spells](#), [Accident and Emergency Attendances](#), [Group Therapy](#), [Ward Attendances](#); or any other type of direct [PATIENT](#)-facing [CARE CONTACT](#), with an exception to [Sexual and Reproductive Health Clinics](#) and Genitourinary Medicine (GUM) clinics, who are not required to submit the [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#) to the [NHS Digital](#).

The associated [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) for the [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#) are listed below: [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#):

- ~~Female genital mutilation related findings~~ — Original ID ~~58681000000133~~
- ~~Female genital mutilation related procedures~~ — Original ID ~~58671000000131~~
- [Female genital mutilation related findings](#):
  - [Subset Name](#): [Female genital mutilation related findings](#)
  - [Subset Original Id](#): [58681000000133](#)
  - [Refset FSN](#): [Female genital mutilation related findings simple reference set \(foundation metadata concept\)](#)
  - [Refset Id](#): [999002041000000103](#)

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Female genital mutilation related findings](#).

- [Female genital mutilation related procedures](#):
  - [Subset Name](#): [Female genital mutilation related procedures](#)

- [Subset](#) Original Id: 58671000000131
- [Refset](#) FSN: Female genital mutilation related procedures simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset](#) Id: 999002031000000107

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Female genital mutilation related procedures](#).

## DATA EXTRACT SPECIFICATION

### Description:

The [Department of Health](#) requires all [NHS Trusts](#), [NHS Foundation Trusts](#) and [GENERAL MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS](#) to generate and provide a data extract in accordance with the [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#). This requirement is applicable to all [CARE PROFESSIONALS](#) in these [Organisations](#) whenever it has been identified that a woman or young girl has undergone female genital mutilation.

Further information is available on the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [Female Genital Mutilation Datasets](#).

### Time period:

Data extracted from systems can be submitted as a bulk upload on a quarterly basis for each [Organisation](#).

### Format:

Data submitted by the bulk upload facility must be formatted in 3 separate comma separated variable (csv) files (i.e. Patient, Attendance or Female Genital Mutilation), which are used to populate the [NHS Digital](#) Clinical Audit Platform. The data elements should be transmitted in the order specified in the [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#).

### Transmission

Electronic files must be transmitted to [NHS Digital](#) via the Clinical Audit Platform which is a secure web portal.

Connection to the web portal requires registration to the Clinical Audit Platform, which will include the provision of a login account name and password.

Further information about the Clinical Audit Platform and the data upload facility can be found on the [Clinical Audit Platform web pages](#) on the [NHS Digital](#) website.

Further guidance on the [Female Genital Mutilation Data Set](#) can be found on the [Standardisation Committee for Care Information publication web pages](#) on the [NHS Digital](#) website.

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## INTERNATIONAL HEALTH TERMINOLOGY STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

The [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation \(IHTSDO\)](#) is an [Organisation](#).

The [IHTSDO](#) develops and promotes the use of [SNOMED CT®](#) ([Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms](#)) to support safe and effective health information exchange. The [IHTSDO](#) develops and promotes the use of [SNOMED CT®](#) to support safe and effective health information exchange.

For further information on the [IHTSDO](#), see the [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation website](#). For further information on the [IHTSDO](#), see the [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation website](#) at: [Welcome to IHTSDO](#).



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## NHS DICTIONARY OF MEDICINES AND DEVICES

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

The [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices \(dm+d\)](#) is a dictionary containing unique identifiers and associated textual descriptions for medicines and medical devices. It has been developed for use throughout the NHS as a means of uniquely identifying the specific medicines and devices used in the diagnosis and treatment of [PATIENTS](#).

Data within [dm+d](#) is also used to populate the UK Drug Extension; the drug extension then includes relationships into the full UK Edition of [SNOMED CT](#) to items such as products and substances. Data within [dm+d](#) is also used to populate the UK Drug Extension; the drug extension then includes relationships into the full UK Edition of [SNOMED CT®](#) to items such as products and substances. Further details on these two products can be found on the [UK Terminology website](#).

The codes used to identify [dm+d](#) concepts are of the same form as those used in [SNOMED CT](#) and thus conform to the same specification. The codes used to identify [dm+d](#) concepts are of the same form as those used in [SNOMED CT®](#) and thus conform to the same specification.

For further information on the [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices](#), see the [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices website](#). For further information on the [NHS dictionary of medicines and devices](#), see the [NHS Business Services Authority website](#) at: [Dictionary of Medicines and Devices](#).

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## READ CODED CLINICAL TERMS

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

It should be noted that the [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#) are scheduled for a staged withdrawal commencing April 2016.

The [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#) are a comprehensive computerised coded thesaurus for use by clinicians. They are available in two main formats, known as Version 2 and Clinical Terms Version 3 (CTV3). They are designed for use in the electronic health care record. Clinical Terms Version 3 (CTV3) of the Read Codes is a "Superset" of all the codes from the earlier versions.

[Read Coded Clinical Terms](#) may be used for coding within local systems but are not acceptable directly for coding [Hospital Episode Statistics](#) which are extracted from the Admitted Patient Care Commissioning Data Sets. [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#) are not acceptable directly for coding [Hospital Episode Statistics](#) which are extracted from the Admitted Patient Care Commissioning Data Sets. Version 2 and Clinical Terms Version 3 (CTV3) of the Read Codes contain mapping tables which can be used to generate [ICD-10](#) and [OPCS-4](#) codes.

For further information on [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#), see [Read Codes](#) on the [UK Terminology Centre website](#). For further information on [Read Coded Clinical Terms](#), see the [NHS Digital website](#) at: [Read Codes](#).

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## SNOMED CT\_ renamed from SYSTEMATIZED NOMENCLATURE OF MEDICINE CLINICAL TERMS

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description, Name

[SNOMED CT®](#), the '[Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms](#)', is the clinical terminology approved as a Fundamental Standard by the [Information Standards Board for Health and Social Care](#) for use within the NHS in England. [SNOMED CT®](#) is the clinical terminology approved as an Information Standard.

Requirements for utilising [SNOMED CT®](#) are stated within the [National Information Board 'Framework for Action'](#) with further details approved by the [Standardisation Committee for Care Information \(SCCI\)](#) in August 2014 ([Item 9 on the agenda](#)). [SNOMED CT®](#) is licensed for use in more than fifty countries and is free to deploy in systems used within the UK. Requirements for utilising [SNOMED CT®](#) are stated within the [National Information Board](#) document "A Framework for Action".

[SNOMED CT®](#) provides the clinical language that facilitates electronic communication between healthcare professionals in clear and unambiguous terms, and can be used to code, retrieve and analyse clinical data. [SNOMED CT®](#) provides the clinical language that facilitates electronic communication between healthcare professionals in clear and unambiguous terms, and can be used to code, retrieve and analyse clinical data.

[SNOMED CT®](#) is very comprehensive and provides clinical terms for all healthcare professions. Applications thus often use subsets of [SNOMED CT®](#) that have been developed to support specific requirements. The NHS Data Model and Dictionary highlights where [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) exist to support data reporting for specific data items. [SNOMED CT®](#) is comprehensive and provides clinical terms for all healthcare professions. Applications often use subsets of [SNOMED CT®](#) that have been developed to support specific requirements. The NHS Data Model and Dictionary references [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) to support data reporting for specific data items.

**Note:** Those using the Release Format 2 (RF2) of [SNOMED CT®](#) will be aware that [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) are implemented via the 'refset mechanism'. The UK RF2 release includes a file that provides the corresponding refset details for each [SNOMED CT Subset](#). For further details please see the [RF2 Overview](#). [SNOMED CT®](#) is currently provided in two release formats:

- Release Format 1 (RF1)
  - RF1 of [SNOMED CT®](#) contains [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) referenced by subset original ID
  - RF1 will no longer be available after 1st April 2018
- Release Format 2 (RF2)
  - RF2 of [SNOMED CT®](#) contains [SNOMED CT Refsets](#) referenced by refset ID. The simple form of [SNOMED CT Refset](#) is used to represent a [SNOMED CT Subset](#) and RF2 includes content that corresponds to RF1.

[SNOMED CT®](#) is managed and maintained internationally by the [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation \(IHTSDO\)](#) and in the UK by the [UK Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#). [SNOMED CT®](#) is managed and maintained internationally by the [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation \(IHTSDO\)](#) and in the UK by the [UK Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#).

National and International arrangements have been established to ensure there is adequate and relevant governance of [SNOMED CT®](#), to ensure it meets the needs of healthcare in the respective jurisdictions. National and International arrangements have been established to ensure there is adequate and relevant governance of [SNOMED CT®](#), to ensure it meets the needs of healthcare in the respective jurisdictions with:

- [UKTC](#) – UK governance arrangements
- [IHTSDO](#) – International governance arrangements
- [United Kingdom Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#) - UK governance arrangements
- [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation \(IHTSDO\)](#) - International governance arrangements.

**Note:** previous versions of SNOMED (including SNOMED RT and SNOMED 3) cease to be licenced by the [International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation \(IHTSDO\)](#) after April 2017 other than for historical content.

Mapping tables and guidance to enable historical data previously captured using a previous version of SNOMED, can be found on the [Technology Reference Data Update Distribution Service \(TRUD\)](#) at: [SNOMED Antecedent Versions Data Migration](#).

For further information on [SNOMED CT®](#), see the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [SNOMED CT](#).

## SNOMED CT, renamed from SYSTEMATIZED NOMENCLATURE OF MEDICINE CLINICAL TERMS

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description, Name

- Changed Description
  - Changed Name from Web\_Site\_Content.Supporting\_Information.Clinical\_Coding.Systematized\_Nomenclature\_of\_Medicine\_Clin to Web\_Site\_Content.Supporting\_Information.Clinical\_Coding.SNOMED\_CT
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## SNOMED CT REFSET

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Change to Supporting Information: New Supporting Information

A [SNOMED CT Refset](#):

- Is a data structure defined within [SNOMED CT® 2 \(RF2\)](#)
- Consists of a set of references to [SNOMED CT®](#) components, like concepts, descriptions or relationships.

In its simple form a [SNOMED CT Refset](#) can represent a [SNOMED CT Subset](#).

Change requests for [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) and [SNOMED CT Refsets](#) released by the [United Kingdom Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#) should be requested through the [Request Submission Portal](#) on the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [Welcome to the Request Submission Portal](#).

**This supporting information is also known by these names:**

Context	Alias
shortname	Refset
plural	SNOMED CT Refsets
fullname	SNOMED CT Reference Set

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## SNOMED CT SUBSET

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

~~A [SNOMED CT Subset](#) is a set of [SNOMED CT®](#) ([Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms](#)) Concepts, Descriptions, or Relationships that is appropriate to deployment to support particular requirements of implementation. A [SNOMED CT Subset](#) is a:~~

- ~~Set of [SNOMED CT®](#) concepts, descriptions, or relationships~~
- ~~Simple form of a [SNOMED CT Refset](#).~~

~~[SNOMED CT Subsets](#) support user interface development through the organisation of clinical display, creation of menus and pick lists, or support of knowledge structures. [SNOMED CT Subsets](#):~~

- ~~Usually represent groups of concepts that share specified characteristics (for example, a specific clinical domain)~~
- ~~Support user interface development through the organisation of clinical display, creation of menus and pick-lists, or support of knowledge structures~~
- ~~May be created as value sets for messaging or data entry.~~

~~[SNOMED CT Subsets](#) may be created as value sets for messaging or data entry or to provide pre-coordinated [SNOMED CT®](#) concepts for certain constrained use, or can inter-relate with qualifier value tables appropriate to the concept types. Different types of [SNOMED CT Subsets](#) are used to represent:~~

~~[SNOMED CT Subsets](#) usually represent groups of concepts or objects (e.g. a specific clinical domain) which share specified characteristics.~~

Different types of Subsets are used to represent:

- Descriptions or concepts for particular realms or specialties
- ~~Suitability of particular concepts for use in a particular context in a record~~
- ~~Structure and ordering of hierarchies displaying concepts for user navigation~~
- Suitability of particular concepts for use in a particular context in a record.

Information on the ~~[SNOMED CT Subsets](#)~~ within the UK Edition of ~~[SNOMED CT](#)~~ can be found on the ~~[SNOMED CT Subsets](#)~~ page of the ~~[UK Terminology Centre](#)~~ website. Change requests for SNOMED CT Subsets and SNOMED CT Refsets released by the ~~[United Kingdom Terminology Centre](#)~~ (UKTC) should be requested through the Request Submission Portal on the ~~[NHS Digital](#)~~ website at: ~~[Welcome to the Request Submission Portal.](#)~~

~~For further information on [SNOMED CT](#), see [SNOMED CT](#).~~ For further information on SNOMED CT Subsets, see the ~~[NHS Digital](#)~~ website at: ~~[SNOMED CT Subsets.](#)~~

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## SNOMED CT SUBSET

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## UK TERMINOLOGY CENTRE

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

The ~~[UK Terminology Centre](#)~~ is a member of the ~~[International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation](#)~~.

The core activities of the ~~[UK Terminology Centre](#)~~ are:

- Product Development
- Technical Infrastructure and
- Product Support

The ~~[UK Terminology Centre](#)~~'s responsibilities include:

- Being the primary point of liaison with the ~~[International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation](#)~~ (~~[IHTSDO](#)~~) with regard to all aspects of the management of the Terminology Products within the UK
- Establishing and maintaining processes for distributing and sub-licensing the Terminology Products within the UK
- Being the principal contact point within the UK for contact in relation to the Terminology Products, including sub-licensing, technical support; and obtaining updates and enhancements to the Terminology Products ensuring that any products and their releases that the Member deploys within its jurisdiction that are based on the ~~[IHTSDO](#)~~'s Terminology Products, are prepared, checked and managed in conformance with the ~~[IHTSDO](#)~~'s standards
- Maintaining a record of problems and other issues reported within the UK in connection with the Terminology Products
- Documenting, submitting and supporting requests (to the ~~[IHTSDO](#)~~) for proposed updates and enhancements to the Terminology Products
- Monitoring the distribution and applications of the ~~[IHTSDO](#)~~'s Terminology Products, Trade Marks and other Intellectual Property within the UK and reporting to the ~~[IHTSDO](#)~~

- Maintaining the UK National extension to [SNOMED CT®](#) ([Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms](#)) and co-ordinating its release with the International Terminology Products. The combined International Release and local extension is known as the National Release
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- Creation, maintenance, co-ordination and release of UK sub-sets (reference sets) and other UK derivative works
- Managing UK National release content requests
- Administration for the UK Health Terminology Governance Board (organise meetings; distribute papers; minutes, etc)
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For further information on the [UK Terminology Centre](#), see the [UK Terminology website](#). For further information on the [UK Terminology Centre](#), see the [NHS Digital website](#) at: [UK Terminology Centre \(UKTC\)](#).

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#### UK TERMINOLOGY CENTRE

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Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

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#### NEWBORN BLOOD SPOT TEST OUTCOME STATUS CODE

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The outcome/status of a [Newborn Blood Spot Test](#) request.

~~[NEWBORN BLOOD SPOT TEST OUTCOME STATUS CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors in [SNOMED CT®](#) as follows:~~ [NEWBORN BLOOD SPOT TEST OUTCOME STATUS CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors in [SNOMED CT®](#) as follows:

#### [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:](#)

- ~~the [SNOMED CT Subset](#):~~
  - original ID is ~~61081000000135~~ and
  - name is ~~Newborn blood spot screening result status~~.
- [Subset Name](#): Newborn blood spot screening result status
- [Subset Original Id](#): 61081000000135
- [Refset FSN](#): Newborn blood spot screening result status simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset Id](#): 966281000000109

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\) website](#) at: [Newborn blood spot screening result status](#).

#### *National Codes:*

- 01 Specimen received in [Laboratory](#)
- 02 Screening declined
- 03 Repeat/Further Sample Required
- 04 Condition not suspected
- 05 Carrier
- 06 Sickle Cell Disease not suspected, carrier of other haemoglobin
- 07 Condition not suspected, other disorders follow up

- 08 Condition suspected
- 09 Not screened/screening incomplete
- 10 Haemoglobin S not suspected (by DNA) No other haemoglobin /thalassemia excluded

**NEWBORN BLOOD SPOT TEST OUTCOME STATUS CODE**

Change to Attribute: Changed Description

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**RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION CODE**

Change to Attribute: Changed Description

The [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION](#) of a [PERSON](#), as specified by a [PERSON](#).

Note: This is the [Religious Affiliation](#) of a [PERSON](#), not their [Religion](#).

Where applicable, [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors for religious and other belief system affiliations in [SNOMED CT](#)® as follows: Where applicable, [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors for "Religious and Other Belief System Affiliation" in [SNOMED CT](#)® as follows:

[SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:](#)

- ~~the [SNOMED CT Subset](#):~~
  - ~~original ID is 10791000000130 and~~
  - ~~name is Religious or Other Belief System Affiliation.~~
- [Subset Name: Religious or Other Belief System Affiliation](#)
- [Subset Original Id: 10791000000130](#)
- [Refset FSN: Religious or other belief system affiliation simple reference set \(foundation metadata concept\)](#)
- [Refset Id: 99900053100000100](#)

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Religious or Other Belief System Affiliation](#).

*National Codes:*

**Baha'i**

A1 Baha'i

**Buddhist**

- B1 Buddhist
- B2 Mahayana Buddhist
- B3 New Kadampa Tradition Buddhist
- B4 Nichiren Buddhist
- B5 Pure Land Buddhist
- B6 Theravada Buddhist
- B7 Tibetan Buddhist
- B8 Zen Buddhist

**Christian**

- C1 Christian
- C2 Amish
- C3 Anabaptist
- C4 Anglican
- C5 Apostolic Pentecostalist
- C6 Armenian Catholic

C7 Armenian Orthodox  
C8 Baptist  
C9 Brethren  
C10 Bulgarian Orthodox  
C11 Calvinist  
C12 Catholic: Not Roman Catholic  
C13 Celtic Christian  
C14 Celtic Orthodox Christian  
C15 Chinese Evangelical Christian  
C16 Christadelphian  
C17 Christian Existentialist  
C18 Christian Humanist  
C19 Christian Scientists  
C20 Christian Spiritualist  
C21 Church in Wales  
C22 Church of England  
C23 Church of God of Prophecy  
C24 Church of Ireland  
C25 Church of Scotland  
C26 Congregationalist  
C27 Coptic Orthodox  
C28 Eastern Catholic  
C29 Eastern Orthodox  
C30 Elim Pentecostalist  
C31 Ethiopian Orthodox  
C32 Evangelical Christian  
C33 Exclusive Brethren  
C34 Free Church  
C35 Free Church of Scotland  
C36 Free Evangelical Presbyterian  
C37 Free Methodist  
C38 Free Presbyterian  
C39 French Protestant  
C40 Greek Catholic  
C41 Greek Orthodox  
C42 Independent Methodist  
C43 Indian Orthodox  
C44 Jehovah's Witness  
C45 Judaic Christian  
C46 Lutheran  
C47 Mennonite  
C48 Messianic Jew  
C49 Methodist  
C50 Moravian  
C51 Mormon  
C52 Nazarene Church  
Synonym: Nazarene  
C53 New Testament Pentacostalist  
C54 Nonconformist  
C55 Old Catholic  
C56 Open Brethren  
C57 Orthodox Christian  
C58 Pentecostalist  
Synonym: Pentacostal Christian  
C59 Presbyterian  
C60 Protestant  
C61 Plymouth Brethren  
C62 Quaker

C63 Rastafari  
 C64 Reformed Christian  
 C65 Reformed Presbyterian  
 C66 Reformed Protestant  
 C67 Roman Catholic  
 C68 Romanian Orthodox  
 C69 Russian Orthodox  
 C70 Salvation Army Member  
 C71 Scottish Episcopalian  
 C72 Serbian Orthodox  
 C73 Seventh Day Adventist  
 C74 Syrian Orthodox  
 C75 Ukrainian Catholic  
 C76 Ukrainian Orthodox  
 C77 Uniate Catholic  
 C78 Unitarian  
 C79 United Reform  
 C80 Zwinglian

**Hindu**

D1 Hindu  
 D2 Advaitin Hindu  
 D3 Arya Samaj Hindu  
 D4 Shakti Hindu  
 D5 Shiva Hindu  
 D6 Vaishnava Hindu  
 Synonym: Hare Krishna

**Jain**

E1 Jain

**Jewish**

F1 Jewish  
 F2 Ashkenazi Jew  
 F3 Haredi Jew  
 F4 Hasidic Jew  
 F5 Liberal Jew  
 F6 Masorti Jew  
 F7 Orthodox Jew  
 F8 Reform Jew

**Muslim**

G1 Muslim  
 G2 Ahmadi  
 G3 Druze  
 G4 Ismaili Muslim  
 G5 Shi'ite Muslim  
 G6 Sunni Muslim

**Pagan**

H1 Pagan  
 H2 Asatruar  
 H3 Celtic Pagan  
 H4 Druid  
 H5 Goddess  
 H6 Heathen  
 H7 Occultist  
 H8 Shaman  
 H9 Wiccan

**Sikh**

I1 Sikh

**Zoroastrian**

J1 Zoroastrian



**Other**

- K1 Agnostic \*
- K2 Ancestral Worship
- K3 Animist
- K4 Anthroposophist
- K5 Black Magic
- K6 Brahma Kumari
- K7 British Israelite
- K8 Chondogyo
- K9 Confucianist
- K10 Deist
- K11 Humanist
- K12 Infinite Way
- K13 Kabbalist
- K14 Lightworker
- K15 New Age Practitioner
- K16 Native American Religion
- K17 Pantheist
- K18 Peyotist
- K19 Radha Soami  
Synonym: Sant Mat
- K20 Religion (Other Not Listed) \*\*
- K21 Santeri
- K22 Satanist
- K23 Scientologist
- K24 Secularist
- K25 Shumei
- K26 Shinto
- K27 Spiritualist
- K28 Swedenborgian  
Synonym: Neo-Christian
- K29 Taoist
- K30 Unitarian-Universalist
- K31 Universalist
- K32 Vodun
- k33 Yoruba

**None**

- L1 Atheist
- L2 Not Religious

**Declines to Disclose**

- M1 Religion not given - [PATIENT](#) refused

**Unknown**

- N1 Patient Religion Unknown \*\*\*

**Note:**

\* Where the [PATIENT](#) has been asked for their [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION](#) but they are unsure what it is: Agnostic should be used

\*\* Where the [PATIENT](#) has been asked for their [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION](#) and it is one that is not listed: Religion (Other Not Listed) should be used

\*\*\* Where the [PATIENT](#) has not been asked for their [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION](#): Patient Religion Unknown should be used

**RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION CODE**

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Change to Attribute: Changed Description

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**RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION GROUP CODE**

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The [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION](#) group of a [PERSON](#), as specified by a [PERSON](#).

Note: This is the [Religious Affiliation](#) of a [PERSON](#), not their [Religion](#).

~~[RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION GROUP CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors for "Religious or other belief system affiliation groups" in [SNOMED CT](#)® as follows:~~ [RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION GROUP CODE](#) is aligned with descriptors for "Religious or other belief system affiliation groups" in [SNOMED CT](#)® as follows:

[SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata:

- ~~Subset Name: Religious or other belief system affiliation groups~~
- ~~Subset Original Id: 71981000000132~~
- ~~Refset FSN: Religious or other belief system affiliation groups simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)~~
- ~~Refset Id : 999002601000000106~~
- [Subset Name: Religious or other belief system affiliation groups](#)
- [Subset Original Id: 71981000000132](#)
- [Refset FSN: Religious or other belief system affiliation groups simple reference set \(foundation metadata concept\)](#)
- [Refset Id : 999002601000000106](#)

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata, see the Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C) website at: ~~[Religious or other belief system affiliation groups](#)~~. For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata, see the Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C) website at: [Religious or other belief system affiliation groups](#).

*National Codes:*

- A Baha'i
  - B Buddhist
  - C Christian
  - D Hindu
  - E Jain
  - F Jewish
  - G Muslim
  - H Pagan
  - I Sikh
  - J Zoroastrian
  - K Other
  - L None
  - M Declines to Disclose
  - N Patient Religion Unknown
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**RELIGIOUS OR OTHER BELIEF SYSTEM AFFILIATION GROUP CODE**

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Change to Attribute: Changed Description

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**ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE (SNOMED CT)**

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

**Notes:**

[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires support (aids/equipment/adjustments) to enable communication.~~  
[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT®](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires support (aids/equipment/adjustments) to enable communication.

The [SNOMED CT Subset](#): [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#):

- ~~original ID is 58921000000137~~
- name is 'Accessible Information - communication support'.
- [Subset Name](#): Accessible information - communication support
- [Subset Original Id](#): 58921000000137
- [Refset FSN](#): Accessible information - communication support simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset Id](#): 99900212100000109

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Accessible Information - communication support](#).

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**ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION COMMUNICATION SUPPORT CODE (SNOMED CT)**

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

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**ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION CONTACT METHOD CODE (SNOMED CT)**

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

**Notes:**

[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION CONTACT METHOD CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION CONTACT METHOD CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires a different or specific contact method.~~  
[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION CONTACT METHOD CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT®](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires a different or specific contact method.

The [SNOMED CT Subset](#):SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:

- original ID is 58931000000135
- name is 'Accessible Information - requires specific contact method'.
- [Subset Name](#): Accessible Information - requires specific contact method
- [Subset Original Id](#): 58931000000135
- [Refset FSN](#): Accessible information - requires specific contact method simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset Id](#): 999002131000000106

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Accessible Information - requires specific contact method](#).

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#### ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION CONTACT METHOD CODE (SNOMED CT)

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#### ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

#### Notes:

[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires support from a communication professional.~~  
[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires support from a communication professional.

The [SNOMED CT Subset](#):SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:

- original ID is 58951000000133
- name is 'Accessible Information - requires communication professional'.
- [Subset Name](#): Accessible Information - requires communication professional
- [Subset Original Id](#): 58951000000133
- [Refset FSN](#): Accessible information - requires communication professional simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset Id](#): 999002151000000104

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Accessible Information - requires communication professional](#).

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#### ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL REQUIRED CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

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## ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

### Notes:

[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires information in a specific format.~~  
[ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT®](#) concept ID which is used to identify that the [PATIENT](#) requires information in a specific format.

The [SNOMED CT Subset](#):[SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata:

- original ID is 58941000000130
- name is 'Accessible Information - requires specific information format'.
- [Subset](#) Name: Accessible Information - requires specific information format
- [Subset](#) Original Id: 58941000000130
- [Refset](#) FSN: Accessible information - requires specific information format simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset](#) Id: 999002141000000102

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata, see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Accessible Information - requires specific information format](#).

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## ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION SPECIFIC INFORMATION FORMAT CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

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## AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

### Notes:

[AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify the type of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) defining illness a [PATIENT](#) is diagnosed with.~~  
[AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT®](#) concept ID which is used to identify the type of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) defining illness a [PATIENT](#) is diagnosed with.

[AIDS DEFINING ILLNESS CODE ADULT \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is used for adult [PERSONS](#) over 15 years of age.

[SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata:

- Subset Name: AIDS defining illness for adults
- Subset Original Id: 69311000000130
- Refset FSN: Acquired immune deficiency syndrome defining illness for adults simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- Refset Id : 999002431000000102

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata, see the Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C) website at: [AIDS defining illness for adults](#). For further details relating to the SNOMED CT Subset Metadata, see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [AIDS defining illness for adults](#).

**ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY DRUG (SNOMED CT DM+D)**

Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	See <a href="#">DM+D CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

**Notes:**

[ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY DRUG \(SNOMED CT DM+D\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY DRUG \(SNOMED CT DM+D\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID from the [NHS Dictionary of Medicines and Devices](#) which is used to identify the [Antiretroviral Therapy](#) drug prescribed to a [PATIENT](#) at the [HIV Clinic Attendance](#).~~ [ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY DRUG \(SNOMED CT DM+D\)](#) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID from the [NHS Dictionary of Medicines and Devices](#) which is used to identify the [Antiretroviral Therapy](#) drug prescribed to a [PATIENT](#) at the [HIV Clinic Attendance](#).

[SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata:

- Subset Name: NHS dm+d VTM
- Subset Original Id: 601000001138
- Refset FSN: National Health Service dictionary of medicines and devices virtual therapeutic moiety simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- Refset Id : 999000581000001102

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset](#) Metadata, see the Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C) website at: [NHS dm+d VTM](#). For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [NHS dm+d VTM](#).

**CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT (SNOMED CT)**

Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	min n6 max n18
Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

**Notes:**

[CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT concept ID which is used to identify the result of the Chlamydia test.~~ CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID which is used to identify the result of the Chlamydia test.

The ~~SNOMED CT Subset~~:SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:

- ~~original ID is 58851000000137~~
- name is 'Chlamydia test result findings'.
- **Subset Name:** Chlamydia test result findings
- **Subset Original Id:** 58851000000137
- **Refset FSN:** Chlamydia test result findings simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- **Refset Id:** 999002091000000108

For further details relating to the SNOMED CT Subset Metadata, see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Chlamydia test result findings](#).

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#### CHLAMYDIA TEST RESULT (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

- Changed Description

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#### CODED ASSESSMENT TOOL TYPE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	min an6 max an18
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

#### Notes:

[CODED ASSESSMENT TOOL TYPE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~CODED ASSESSMENT TOOL TYPE (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT concept ID which is used to identify an ASSESSMENT TOOL.~~ CODED ASSESSMENT TOOL TYPE (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID which is used to identify an ASSESSMENT TOOL.

Nationally published SNOMED CT Subset Metadata can be found on the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Published Subset Metadata](#).

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#### IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	min n6 max n18
Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

#### Notes:

[IMAGING CODE \(SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT concept ID which is used to identify the Diagnostic Imaging test.~~ IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID which is used to identify the Diagnostic Imaging test.

The ~~SNOMED CT Subset~~: SNOMED CT Subset Metadata:

- ~~original ID is 611000000135~~
- name is 'UK Diagnostic Imaging Procedure Concepts'.
- Subset Name: UK Diagnostic Imaging Procedure Concepts
- Subset Original Id: 611000000135
- Refset FSN: United Kingdom diagnostic imaging procedure simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- Refset Id: 999001111000000105

For further details relating to the SNOMED CT Subset Metadata, see the Data Dictionary for Care (DD4C) website at: [UK Diagnostic Imaging Procedure Concepts](#).

**IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT) will be replaced with IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT), which is the most recent approved national information standard to describe the required definition.**

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#### IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

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#### IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	max n18
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

#### Notes:

[IMAGING CODE \(SNOMED-CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT) is the SNOMED CT concept ID which is used to identify the Diagnostic Imaging test.~~ IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT) is the SNOMED CT® concept ID which is used to identify the Diagnostic Imaging test.

The [SNOMED CT Subset](#):

- original ID is 611000000135
- name is 'UK Diagnostic Imaging Procedure Concepts'.

**IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT) will be replaced with IMAGING CODE (SNOMED CT), which is the most recent approved national information standard to describe the required definition.**

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#### IMAGING CODE (SNOMED-CT)

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## SPECIMEN TYPE (CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

Format/Length:	min n6 max n18
Format/Length:	See <a href="#">SNOMED CT CODE</a>
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

### Notes:

[SPECIMEN TYPE \(CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT\)](#) is the same as attribute [CLINICAL TERMINOLOGY CODE](#).

~~[SPECIMEN TYPE \(CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT](#) concept ID which is used to identify the type of specimen used for Chlamydia testing.~~ [SPECIMEN TYPE \(CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT\)](#) is the [SNOMED CT®](#) concept ID which is used to identify the type of specimen used for Chlamydia testing.

The ~~[SNOMED CT Subset](#)~~: [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#):

- ~~original ID is 58831000000130~~
- name is 'Chlamydia test procedures'
- [Subset Name](#): Chlamydia test procedures
- [Subset Original Id](#): 58831000000130
- [Refset FSN](#): Chlamydia test procedures simple reference set (foundation metadata concept)
- [Refset Id](#): 999002071000000109

For further details relating to the [SNOMED CT Subset Metadata](#), see the [Data Dictionary for Care \(DD4C\)](#) website at: [Chlamydia test procedures](#).

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## SPECIMEN TYPE (CHLAMYDIA TESTING SNOMED CT)

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Change to Data Element: Changed Description

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