

# NHS Data Model and Dictionary



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## Background:

This Data Dictionary Change Notice (DDCN) introduces a supporting definition for the Impairment Harmonised Standard in the NHS Data Model and Dictionary.

A short demonstration is available which describes "How to Read an NHS Data Model and Dictionary Change Request", in an easy to understand screen capture including a voice over and readable captions. This demonstration can be viewed at: [https://datadictionary.nhs.uk/elearning/Change\\_Request/index.html](https://datadictionary.nhs.uk/elearning/Change_Request/index.html).

Note: if the web page does not open, please copy the link and paste into the web browser. A guide to how to use the demonstration can be found at: [Demonstrations](#).

## Summary of changes:

### Supporting Information

<a href="#">IMPAIRMENT HARMONISED STANDARD</a>	New Supporting Information
<a href="#">SUPPORTING DEFINITIONS MENU</a>	Changed Description

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## IMPAIRMENT HARMONISED STANDARD

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Change to Supporting Information: New Supporting Information

The [Impairment Harmonised Standard](#) describes the types of physical or mental health impairment affecting a [PERSON](#) which significantly impacts their ability to undertake particular functions.

An impairment with significant impact lasting 12 months or more is a [DISABILITY](#).

The [Impairment Harmonised Standard](#) is consistent with the definitions and guidelines in UK legislation, including the [Equality Act 2010](#) in Great Britain (GB).

The [Impairment Harmonised Standard](#) is utilised to enable visibility of [Reasonable Adjustments](#) required to enable a [PATIENT](#) to access [SERVICES](#) within:

- [Clinical systems](#)
- [Administrative systems](#)
- [NHS Spine \(accessible via the Summary Care Record application \(SCRa\) or through future integrated systems\).](#)

This is to indicate [DISABILITY](#) and impairment in the systems in relation to (but not limited to) the [Equality Act 2010](#) and the approved Information Standard DAPB4019: Flagging of Reasonable Adjustment.

For further information on the Reasonable Adjustment Flag functionality on the NHS Spine (utilising Summary Care Record application or future integrated systems), see the [NHS Digital](#) website at: [Reasonable Adjustment Flag](#).

For further information on the [Impairment Harmonised Standard](#), see the Government Statistical Service (GSS) website at: [Impairment Harmonised Standard website](#).

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## SUPPORTING DEFINITIONS MENU

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