

Advance Care Directive Custodian Release Note v1.0.1

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Approved for external information

EP-1745:2014 Advance Care Directive Custodian v1.0.1

Release rationale

Template package library

This incremental release of the Advance Care Directive Custodian end product introduces the *Template Package Library* as a new product component. This version of the template package library contains all template packages available for the Advance Care Directive Custodian document type at the time of publication.

Of those template packages, the following is aligned with the *PCEHR Conformance Profile for Consumer Entered Information v1.3*¹:

Document type variant	Conformance level	Template package ID
default	3A	1.2.36.1.2001.1006.1.16696.2

Future versions of the template package library will contain template packages aligned with the latest version of the PCEHR Conformance Profile, but not previous versions.

The full list of published template packages can be found in the *Template Package Directory*² published as part of the *Common – Clinical Document* end product.

Document type name change

'Advance Care Directive' has been changed to 'Advance Care Directive Custodian' (approved change request CCB-0297). This is reflected in the name of this end product and the names of its new or updated product components. Names of other product components will be adjusted on their next update.

Package inclusions

New

Identifier	Name
NEHTA-1760:2014	<i>Advance Care Directive Custodian – Template Package Library v1.0</i>

¹ <https://www.nehta.gov.au/implementation-resources/clinical-documents/EP-1428-2013/NEHTA-1447-2013>

² <https://www.nehta.gov.au/implementation-resources/clinical-documents/EP-1754-2014/NEHTA-1738-2014>

Updated

Identifier	Name
NEHTA-1759:2014	<i>Advance Care Directive Custodian – Release Note v1.0.1 (this document)</i>

No change

Identifier	Name
NEHTA-0947:2011	<i>Advance Care Directive - CDA Implementation Guide Plus Addendum v1.0</i>
NEHTA-0945:2011	<i>Advance Care Directive Custodian Link - Executive Summary v1.0</i>
NEHTA-0943:2011	<i>Advance Care Directive Custodian Record - Structured Content Specification v1.0</i>
NEHTA-0944:2011	<i>Advance Care Directive Record - Information Requirements v1.0</i>

Removed

None

This end product has a dependency on *Clinical Documents - Common Conformance Profile v1.4³* published as part of the *Common – Clinical Document* end product.

Scope

The scope of the Advance Care Directive Custodian end product has not changed as part of this release.

Stakeholders

The updates performed for this incremental release of the end product did not warrant any stakeholder consultations.

Audience

- Implementers of clinical systems producing or consuming Advance Care Directive Custodian clinical documents
- Senior managers and policy makers, clinical experts, health information managers, IT operations and support teams, and system integrators
- Technical and non-technical readers

Known issues

None known

Support

For further support or to provide feedback, please email help@nehta.gov.au.

³ <https://www.nehta.gov.au/implementation-resources/clinical-documents/EP-1457-2013/NEHTA-1446-2013>

Future releases

Increased uptake and implementation of the specifications provided as part of this end product are expected to result in the need to further update and improve these specifications. Any such updates will be managed through the joint change control process operated by the Commonwealth Department of Health.

In addition to changes managed through the joint change control process, NEHTA may provide supplementary implementation guidance for the specifications of this end product. Such information will be added to the end product as additional or updated product components and published as an incremental release of the end product (version identifier 1.0.x).

Previous releases

EP-0932:2012 Advance Care Directive v1.0

Release note: NEHTA-0946:2012, 27 June 2012

Introduction

This release note introduces specifications associated with Advance Care Directive Version 1.0.

This solution bundle as detailed below is released with the following supporting document;

- Advance Care Directive Information Requirements v1.0

Role

The role of this release is to define the goal-state solution for the content of the advance care directive custodian link in the Consolidated View, communicated between healthcare providers.

Scope

The PCEHR System will provide a link to the location of an Individual's Advance Care Directive through the Consolidated View.

The Advance Care Directive document will not be stored in the current version of the PCEHR. Future versions of the PCEHR System may include electronically stored Directives.

An Advance Care Directive is a statement by a competent person expressing decisions about his or her future care, should he or she become incapable of participating in medical treatment decisions.

Each Australian state and territory has their own Advance Care Directive (or Advance Health Directive) form which must be completed and signed by the individual.

Currently, the completed directive is kept in a safe place, and copies of the document are given to the Individual's family, solicitor or appointed attorney for health matters.

The individual, their authorised representative or their Healthcare Provider may input the Directive location information into the PCEHR. The authorised representative may be a relative, friend, attorney, healthcare provider, Medicare or PCEHR Call Centre staff.

The individual may enter the Advance Care Directive location information via the Consumer Portal.

Solution bundle

The complete solution bundle for Advance Care Directive contains the following components.

1. Logical Service and (Structured Content Specification)
 - Structured Content Specification
 - PCEHR B2B Gateway Web Service Specification for Clinical Documents.
2. Technical Services Specification (SMD, CDA Implementation Guide & CDA Rendering Specification)
 - CDA Implementation Guide plus Addendum (Refer Zip File "Advanced Care Directive Custodian Record CDA Implementation Guide plus Addendum")
 - CDA Rendering Specification
 - CDA Package – common profile specifications for attachments and their formats

- Clinical Package – common logical model for bundling of clinical documents with referenced attachments

3. eHealth Conformance Profile

- PCEHR Conformance Profile for Clinical Documents – Common
- PCEHR Conformance Profile Clinical Documents CEI

B2B specifications associated with the PCEHR are detailed in a separate suite of documents and will be published independently of this solution bundle.

Variations resulting from the further delivery of PCEHR specifications will be managed through the PCEHR change control process.

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