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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose and Scope

This data group specification forms part of a suite of data specifications that NEHTA is developing for the Australian Health Informatics Community. The suite comprises specifications for a range of health topics (represented as "data groups"), which are generally agreed to be of high priority to standardise in order to achieve the benefits brought about by Level 4 (semantic) interoperability in the Australian health care setting.

NEHTA values your questions and comments about this document. Please direct your questions or feedback to <u>clinicalinformation@nehta.gov.au</u>.

1.2 Intended Audience

This document is intended to be read by jurisdictional ICT managers, clinicians involved in Clinical Information System specifications, software architects and developers, and implementers of Clinical Information Systems in various health care settings.

It is reasonably technical in nature and expects the audience to be familiar with the language of health data specification and have some familiarity with health information standards and specifications. Definitions and examples are provided to clarify relevant terminology usage and intent.

1.3 Background

There are several e-health priority areas to be addressed by NEHTA specifications. One area of priority is identification of the data to be communicated and its structure. NEHTA is addressing this through Data Specifications which detail the Data Elements (logically grouped), and their associated value domains.

Data Specifications need to be independent of messaging formats. They are concerned with providing an information framework in which to achieve semantic interoperability.

Data specifications have been developed:

- · Based on jurisdiction and clinician identified priorities;
- · Specifically to suit the Australian model for a shared EHR;
- To define collections of related information, e.g. event summaries, data groups, data elements;
- To allow for expansion and extension as electronic systems mature;
- So they are "human readable", (with information enhanced by the hierarchical structure);
- · Incorporating clinical examples of use to enhance utility and adoption; and
- To provide a set of clinical terminologies, specific to the requirements of the Australian healthcare system.

Whilst Personally Controlled Electronic Health Record (PCEHR) is referred to in these documents the implementation of the PCEHR is not dealt with here.

1.4 Terminology

NEHTA, through the National Clinical Terminology and Information Service (NCTIS), is defining a national approach to clinical terminology. Consistent and accurate articulation and interpretation of clinical terms is critical to the process of safe exchange.

The Systematised Nomenclature of Medicine - Clinical Terms[®] (SNOMED CT[®] ¹) has been recommended by NEHTA and endorsed by the Australian, State and Territory governments as the preferred clinical terminology for Australia, and is now freely available for e-health software developers to use in their Australian products under IHTSDO (International Health Terminology Standards Development Organisation) licensing arrangements.

While NEHTA's achievement of a national standard clinical terminology is based on SNOMED CT as the foundational resource, local variations and customisation of terms relevant to the Australian healthcare sector will be incorporated. SNOMED CT Australian Release (SNOMED CT-AU) is the Australian extension to SNOMED CT; the integrated national release of SNOMED CT for implementation in Australian deployed clinical IT systems. NEHTA is also developing the Australian Medicines Terminology (AMT) as the designated clinical terminology for medicines available in Australia. The AMT will provide a consistent approach to the identification and naming of medicines, to support medicines management and activity across the Australian healthcare domain. The AMT will be integrated with SNOMED CT-AU in the near future.

Reference sets listed as value domains within this document have been developed taking into account data element and data group definitions and how they align and complement the SNOMED CT concept model. For further information regarding terminology and the development of reference sets please visit http://www.nehta.gov.au/connecting-australia/terminology-and-information and direct your questions or feedback to terminologies@nehta.gov.au.

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2 Adverse Reaction Data Group

2.1 Purpose

To record health information that will inform a clinical assessment of the propensity of an individual for a future reaction to a substance, class of substance or agent.

To record information about exposure events to a substance, building up a persisting and evolving summary over time.

To record information about any adverse reaction, including:

- immune mediated reactions Types I-IV (including allergic reactions and hypersensitivities), and
- non-immune mediated reactions (including pseudoallergic reactions, side effects, intolerances, drug toxicities (eg Gentamycin), drug-drug interactions, food-drug interactions, drug-disease interactions and idiosyncratic reactions).

2.2 Use

Use to record all information about adverse reactions (including allergic reactions) that are required to support direct clinical care of an individual, safe exchange of information about adverse reactions and to enable computerised knowledge-based activities such as clinical decision support and alerts.

Use to provide a single place within the health record to record a range of clinical statements about adverse reactions, including:

- record cumulative information about each exposure to a known substance, class of substance or agent; and
- record a clinician's opinion that administration of, or exposure to, a substance or agent is absolutely contraindicated.

Use to record the information about an adverse reaction that might be exchanged with other systems, including as part of an adverse reaction report sent to statutory authorities. It is likely that a formal Adverse Reaction report will require additional information that will be captured in the health record using other data groups, for example medication and problem/diagnosis etc.

This data group has been designed to allow recording of information about a more generic substance, class of substance or agent, and then allow more specific details to be recorded including identification of the specific substance on a per exposure basis, including links to other parts of the health record where further details may be located. Note: it is possible on second or subsequent exposures to a previously identified substance for a reaction not to occur and this data group allows for these events to be closely linked in a way that will assist in determining if the adverse reaction has been incorrectly identified.

In addition, it is anticipated that in some very specific clinical situations, such as immunologist assessment or for use in clinical trials, more information about the adverse reaction may be required. Additional details can be added as cluster data groups using the 'Further Exposure Details' and 'Further Reaction Details' slots. Similarly, additional details that are required only for reporting can be added using the 'Reporting Details' slot.

The act of recording an adverse reaction in the health record implies there is a potential hazard for the individual if they are exposed to the same substance/agent in the future - a relative contraindication. If a clinician considers that it is not safe for the individual to be deliberately re-exposed to the substance/agent again, for example, following a manifestation of anaphylaxis, the 'Absolute contraindication'

data flag should be recorded as 'True'. Note: Conversely, a statement about 'Severity' of propensity (with possible values such as Mild, Moderate and Severe) has deliberately not been modelled explicitly. Predicting or estimating the grade of possible severity of a future reaction is not safe to record and persist in data, except where it is absolutely clear that the risk of deliberate re-exposure is unacceptable and highly likely to cause significant harm, such as a previous manifestation of anaphylaxis, and in this case the 'Absolute contraindication' data flag should be used.

Valuable first-level information that could be presented to the clinician when they need to assess propensity for future reactions are:

- statements about previous clinical manifestations following exposure,
- · source of the information/reporter, and
- · a flag for absolute contra-indication.

Second-level information can be drawn from each exposure event and links to additional detailed information such as history, examination and diagnoses stored elsewhere in the record, if it is available.

2.3 Misuse

- 1. Not to be used for recording the absence (or negative presence) of a reaction to 'any substances' or to identified substances use the EVALUATION.exclusion family of data groups to express a positive statement of exclusion.
- 2. Not to be used for recording that no information was able to be obtained about the Adverse Reaction status of a patient. Use the EVALUATION.absent_information family of data group to record a positive statement of absent information about Adverse Reactions was able to be obtained, for example, if a non-cooperative patient refuses to answer questions.
- 3. Not to be used to record adverse events, including failures of clinical process, interventions or products. For example: abnormal use or mistakes/errors made in administration of an agent or substance; mislabelling; harm or injury caused by an intervention or procedure; overdose etc.
- 4. Not to be used for recording alerts.

2.4 ADVERSE REACTION

Identification

Label ADVERSE REACTION

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16473

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16473

Definition

DefinitionA harmful or undesirable effect associated with exposure to any substance or agent, including food, plants, animals, venom from animal stings or a medication

at therapeutic or sub-therapeutic doses.

Definition Source NEHTA
Synonymous reaction
Names allergy

allergic adverse event effect sensitivity intolerance hypersensitivity side effect toxicity interaction drug food medication agent substance immune

non-immune chemical

Data Hierarchy

ADVERSE REACTION						
001011001	Substance/Agent	11				
4	Absolute Contraindication					
T	Comment (Adverse Reaction Comment)					
	REACTION EVENT	0*				

001011	Specific	Specific Substance/Agent					
001011	Manife	Manifestation					
001011	Reaction	on Type		01			
001011	Certair	nty (Adve	rse Reaction Certainty)	01			
1	Reaction	on Descri	ption	01			
7 th	Onset	of Reacti	on (Reaction Onset Date)	01			
Z	Duratio	on of Rea	ction	01			
e4	Additio	nal Reac	tion Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*			
	•	SPECII	FIC LOCATION	01			
		001011001	Name of Location (Anatomical Location Name)	01			
		001011001	Side	01			
		001011001	Numerical Identifier	01			
		001011001	Anatomical Plane	01			
	•	RELAT	VE LOCATION	0*			
		001011001	Identified Landmark	01			
		001011001	Aspect (Anatomical Location Aspect)	01			
			Distance From Landmark	01			
	T	Descrip	tion (Anatomical Location Description)	0*			
	T	Visual I	Markings/Orientation	0*			
	001011001	Image	Anatomical Location Image)	0*			
1	Exposi	Exposure Description					
7 th	Earlies	Earliest Exposure					
2	Duratio	on of Exp	osure	01			
	ADDIT	IONAL E	XPOSURE DETAIL	0*			

			AMOU	NT OF MEDICATION	11
			312	Quantity	01
			001011001	Dose Unit	01
			T	Quantity Description	01
			TIMING		11
			Ţ	Frequency Range (Intervention Frequency Range)	01
			1	Interval Range (Intervention Interval Range)	01
			7th	Time (Intervention Time)	0*
			001011001	Day of Week (Intervention Day of Week)	0*
			123	Day of Month (Intervention Day of Month)	0*
			7 th	Date (Intervention Date)	0*
		•	Exposu	re Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	11
			001011001	Route	01
			001011001	Site (Anatomical Site)	01
			T	Delivery Method (Medication Delivery Method)	01
			Z	Dose Duration	01
				Intravenous Details (INTRAVENOUS ADMINISTRATION DETAILS)	0*
	T	Clinica	l Manage	ement Description	01
	001011001	Multime	edia		0*
	T	Report	ing Detai	ls	0*
	T	Comme	ent (Adve	erse Reaction Event Comment)	01
4	Reaction	on Repor	ted		01
	Advers	e Reacti	on Repoi	t	0*

P	Supporting Clinical Record Information	01
8	INFORMATION PROVIDER	01
8	SUBJECT	01

2.5 Substance/Agent

Identification

Label Substance/Agent

Metadata Type Data Element

Identifier DE-15521

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15521

Definition

Definition Identification of a substance, agent, or a class of substance, that is considered to

be responsible for the adverse reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA
Synonymous Agent
Names Substance

Notes An agent can be a substance such as food, drug or an environmental allergen.

Data Type Codeable Text

Value Domain Substance/Agent Values

Usage

Examples 1. Animal protein

2. Latex

3. Peanut

4. Penicillin

5. Bee venom

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
•	ADVERSE REACTION	11	

2.6 Substance/Agent Values

Identification

Label Substance/Agent Values

Metadata Type Value Domain VD-15521

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.15521

Definition

Definition The set of values for the agent/substance causing the adverse reaction experienced

by the patient.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source	NEHTA
Permissible	The permissible values are the members of the following 8 reference sets.
Values	From SNOMED CT-AU:
	• 32570211000036100 Substance foundation reference set
	From AMT:
	929360061000036106 Medicinal product reference set
	• 929360081000036101 Medicinal product pack reference set
	• 929360071000036103 Medicinal product unit of use reference set
	 929360021000036102 Trade product reference set
	• 929360041000036105 Trade product pack reference set
	• 929360031000036100 Trade product unit of use reference set
	• 929360051000036108 Containered trade product pack reference set

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Substance/Agent	11	

2.7 Absolute Contraindication

Identification

Label Absolute Contraindication

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16073

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16073

Definition

A flag indicating that a clinician has identified a propensity for a serious reaction upon further exposure to the substance/agent.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Boolean

Usage

Conditions of Use

Record as True if the clinician assesses that exposure to, or administration of, the agent should be avoided in future.

False is not a valid value for this data element.

Conditions of Use Source

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	01	

2.8 Adverse Reaction Comment

Identification

LabelCommentMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-15590

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15590

Definition

Definition Additional narrative about the adverse reaction not captured in other fields, including

reason for flagging an absolute contraindication, instructions related to future

exposure or administration of the substance/agent.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous

Names

Reaction Note

NotesUsed to provide additional narrative information in relation to the adverse reaction

such as finding site or route of administration.

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	01	

2.9 REACTION EVENT

Identification

Label REACTION EVENT

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16474

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16474

Definition

Definition Details about each adverse reaction event.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Relationships

Parents

Dat	I Namo	Occur-	Condi-
Typ		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	0*	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
001011001	Specific Substance/Agent	01	
001011001	Manifestation	0*	
001011001	Reaction Type	01	
001011001	Certainty (Adverse Reaction Certainty)	01	
T	Reaction Description	01	
7 th	Onset of Reaction (Reaction Onset Date)	01	
	Duration of Reaction	01	
	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*	

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
T	Exposure Description	01	
7 th	Earliest Exposure	01	
	Duration of Exposure	01	
	ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL	0*	
T	Clinical Management Description	01	
001011001	Multimedia	0*	
T	Reporting Details	0*	
T	Comment (Adverse Reaction Event Comment)	01	

2.10 Specific Substance/Agent

Identification

Label Specific Substance/Agent

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16349

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16349

Definition

Definition Specific identification of the substance/agent considered to be responsible for the

adverse reaction event.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes This may include a medication trade name.

Data Type Codeable Text

Value Domain Substance/Agent Values

Usage

Examples

Misuse To record broad classes of substance such as "food" or "antibiotic".

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.11 Manifestation

Identification

LabelManifestationMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-15564

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15564

Definition

Definition Clinical manifestation of the adverse reaction expressed as a single word, phrase or brief description. **Definition Source NEHTA Synonymous** Reaction **Names Notes** The signs, symptoms, severity and/or certainty of the adverse reaction are relevant as it contributes towards the decision as to the immediacy and extent of treatment to be provided, as determined by a healthcare provider. Given that an adverse reaction has occurred, it is important to determine the manifestations of that reaction. **Data Type** CodeableText **Value Domain** Clinical Manifestation Values Reference Set

Usage

Examples
1. Itchy eyes.
2. Dysphagia.
3. Tinnitus.
4. Nausea.
5. Rash.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	0*	

2.12 Clinical Manifestation Values Reference Set

Identification

Label Clinical Manifestation Values Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-15564

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.15564

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept ID: 32570071000036102

Identifier

Definition

Definition The Clinical Manifestation values reference set provides the broadest possible

terminology to support the recording of Clinical manifestation of the adverse reaction

in Australian eHealth implementations.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Manifestation	11	

2.13 Reaction Type

Identification

LabelReaction TypeMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-15554

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15554

Definition

Definition The type of reaction, as determined by the clinician. **Definition Source NEHTA Synonymous Names** Context This field is used to identify the type of adverse reaction as determined by: • the signs and/or symptoms experienced by the subject of care; · information provided by a relevant individual; · previously documented history; and/or · a clinical assessment by a healthcare provider. **Context Source NEHTA Notes** Examples include Immune mediated - Types I-IV (including allergy and hypersensitivity); Non-immune mediated - including pseudoallergic reaction, side effect, intolerance, drug toxicity, drug-drug interaction, food-drug interaction, drug-disease interaction and idiosyncratic reaction. **Data Type** CodeableText Value Domain Not specified. In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used SHALL be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the HL7 code set registration procedure with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available. When national standard code sets become available, they SHALL be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples	1. Allergy.
	2. Idiosyncracy.
	3. Interactions.

¹ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

- 4. Intolerance / sensitivity.
- 5. Pseudoallergy / anaphylactoid reaction.
- 6. Side effects.

Relationships

Data	I Namo	Occur-	Condi-
Typ		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.14 Adverse Reaction Certainty

Identification

LabelCertaintyMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-15568

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15568

Definition

Definition Degree of certainty, as assessed by clinician, that the specific substance/agent

was the cause of the reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes It is important to know the degree of certainty of an adverse reaction to an

agent/substance as there may be instances where it is not clear whether it is the active agent or a secondary component causing the problem. For example, it may be the filler in a tablet that may be the allergen rather than the active drug. Another example is where there is suspicion of a reaction which warrants recording but it has not been confirmed objectively, or where a reaction has been recorded but is subsequently discounted following further observation and/or investigation.

Data Type CodedText

Value Domain Adverse Reaction Certainty Values

Usage

Examples 1. Certain.

2. Probable.

Unlikely.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.15 Adverse Reaction Certainty Values

Identification

Label Adverse Reaction Certainty Values

Metadata Type Value Domain VD-15568

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.15568

Definition

Definition The set of values for the degree of confidence that the agent/substance has caused

the adverse reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source

WHO-UMC causality assessment system.

Permissible Values

A clinical event, including laboratory test abnormality, occurring in a plausible time relationship to agent exposure or administration, and which cannot be explained by concurrent disease or other agents or chemicals. The response to withdrawal of the agent (dechallenge) should be clinically plausible. The event must be definitive pharmacologically or phenomenologically, using a satisfactory rechallenge procedure if necessary.

A clinical event, including laboratory test abnormality, with a reasonable time relationship to agent exposure or administration, unlikely to be attributed to concurrent disease or other agents or chemicals, and which follows a clinically reasonable response on withdrawal (dechallenge) Rechallenge information is not required to fulfil this definition.

A clinical event, including laboratory test abnormality, with a reasonable time time relationship to agent exposure or administration, but which could also be explained by concurrent disease or other agents or chemicals. Information on agent withdrawal may be lacking or unclear.

A clinical event, including laboratory test abnormality, with a temporal relationship to agent exposure or administration which makes a causal relationship improbable, and in which other agents, chemicals or underlying disease provide plausible explanations.

A clinical event, including laboratory test abnormality, reported as an adverse reaction, about which more data are required for a proper assessment or the additional data are under examination.

A reported adverse reaction which cannot be judged because information is insufficient or contradictory, and which cannot be supplemented or verified.

Usage

Conditions of	The value domain options are mutually exclusive and cannot be used in conjunction
Use	with each other.
Conditions of	Amended from Edwards, IR and C Biriell. 'Harmonisation in Pharmacovigilance'.
Use Source	Drug Safety 10.2 (1994): 93-102; The Uppsola Monitoring Centre; "The use of the
	WHO-UMC system for standardised and causality assessment". Note: These
	sources specifically relate to drug adverse events or pharmacovigilance. The
	modifications here are done to broaden the assessment to all agents which might
	cause or be suspected of causing an adverse event.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Certainty (Adverse Reaction Certainty)	11	

2.16 Reaction Description

Identification

Label Reaction Description

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-15563

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15563

Definition

Definition Narrative description of the reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA
Synonymous Reaction

Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples 1. Itchy eyes.

2. Dysphagia.

3. Tinnitus.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.17 Reaction Onset Date

Identification

LabelOnset of ReactionMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-15507

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.15507

Definition

Definition Record of the date and/or time of the onset of the reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous

Names

DateTime Started

NotesThe date or date and time that the specific Reaction commenced.

Sometimes, the date or age at which a person reacts to an agent is a relevant to understanding a condition, or to determining appropriate treatment. Often, this will

be an approximate, self-reported age, date or datetime.

Data Type Date Time

Usage

Examples Please see Appendix B, Specification Guide for Use

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.18 Duration of Reaction

Identification

Label Duration of Reaction

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16352

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16352

Definition

Definition Length of duration of the reaction.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Duration

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.19 ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL

Identification

Label Additional Reaction Detail

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16150

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16150

Definition

Definition Additional detail about the reaction, including anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Relationships

Parents

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	0*	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	SPECIFIC LOCATION	01	
•	RELATIVE LOCATION	0*	
T	Description (Anatomical Location Description)	0*	
T	Visual Markings/Orientation	0*	
001011001	Image (Anatomical Location Image)	0*	

2.20 SPECIFIC LOCATION

Identification

Label SPECIFIC LOCATION

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16151

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16151

Definition

Definition Specific and identified anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Relationships

Parents

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
~	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	01	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
001011001	Name of Location (Anatomical Location Name)	01	
001011001	Side	01	
001011001	Numerical Identifier	01	
001011001	Anatomical Plane	01	

2.21 Anatomical Location Name

Identification

LabelName of LocationMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16153

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16153

Definition

Definition The name of an anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type

CodeableText

Value Domain Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	SPECIFIC LOCATION	01	

2.22 Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Identification

Label Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-16152

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.16152

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept Id: 32570061000036105

Identifier

Definition

Definition The set of values for named anatomical locations.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Name of Location (Anatomical Location Name)	11	

2.23 Side

Identification

Label Side

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16336

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16336

Definition

Definition The laterality of an anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA
Synonymous Laterality

Names

Data Type CodedText

Value Domain Laterality Reference Set

Usage

Examples 1. Right.

2. Left.

3. Bilalteral.

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
•	SPECIFIC LOCATION	01	

2.24 Laterality Reference Set

Identification

Label Laterality Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-16312

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.16312

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept Id: 32570611000036103

Identifier

Definition

Definition The set of values for identifying laterality of an anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Side	11	

2.25 Numerical Identifier

Identification

Numerical Identifier Label

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16338

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16338

Definition

Definition Identify the specific anatomical site out of multiple sites.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type CodedText

Value Domain Not specified.

> In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> procedure² with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available.

When national standard code sets become available, they SHALL be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Conditions of Use

This **SHALL** be an ordinal number between first and eighteenth.

Conditions of Use Source

NEHTA

Examples

1. First, as in 'first rib'

2. Second, as in 'second toe'

3. Third, as in 'third lumbar vertebra'

² http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	SPECIFIC LOCATION	01	

2.26 Anatomical Plane

Identification

Label Anatomical Plane

Metadata Type Data Element

Identifier DE-16340

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16340

Definition

Definition Line describing the position of a vertical anatomical plane in the body.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type

CodedText

Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>³ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples 1. Midline.

2. Midclavicular.

3. Midaxillary.

4. Midscapular.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	SPECIFIC LOCATION	01	

³ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

2.27 RELATIVE LOCATION

Identification

Label RELATIVE LOCATION

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16341

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16341

Definition

Definition Qualifiers to identify non-specific location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes An example is: 5cm (distance) inferior (aspect) to the tibial tuberosity (landmark).

There may be more than one relative location required to provide a cross reference.

Relationships

Parents

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
001011001	Identified Landmark	01	
001011001	Aspect (Anatomical Location Aspect)	01	
	Distance From Landmark	01	

2.28 Identified Landmark

Identification

Label Identified Landmark

Metadata Type Data Element
Identifier DE-16343

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16343

Definition

Definition Identified anatomical landmark from which to specify relative anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type

CodeableText

Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>⁴ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	RELATIVE LOCATION	01	

⁴ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

2.29 Anatomical Location Aspect

Identification

Label Aspect

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16345

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16345

Definition

Definition Qualifier to identify which direction the anatomical location is in relation to the

identified landmark.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type CodedText
Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>⁵ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly

available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and

the non-standard code sets SHALL be deprecated.

Usage

Examples 1. Medial to: Relative location medial to the landmark.

2. Lateral to: Relative location lateral to the landmark.

3. Superior to: Relative location superior to the landmark.

4. Inferior to: Relative location inferior to the landmark.

5. Anterior to: Relative location anterior to the landmark.

6. Posterior to: Relative location posterior to the landmark.

7. Below: Relative location below the landmark.

8. Above: Relative location above the landmark.

9. Inferolateral to: Relative location inferior and medial to the landmark.

10. Superolateral to: Relative location superior and lateral to the landmark.

11. Inferomedial to: Relative location inferior and medial to the landmark.

⁵ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

12 Superomedial to: Relative location superior and medial to the landmark.

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	RELATIVE LOCATION	01	

2.30 Distance From Landmark

Identification

Label Distance From Landmark

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16346

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16346

Definition

Definition Distance of location from the identified landmark.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Quantity

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data		Occur-	Condi-
Typ		rences	tion
	RELATIVE LOCATION	01	

2.31 Anatomical Location Description

Identification

LabelDescriptionMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16319

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16319

Definition

Definition Description of anatomical location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*	

2.32 Visual Markings/Orientation

Identification

Label Visual Markings/Orientation

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16407

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16407

Definition

Definition Description of any visual markings used to orientate the viewer.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples 1. External reference points.

2. Special sutures.

3. Ink markings.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*	

2.33 Anatomical Location Image

Identification

Label Image

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16199

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16199

Definition

Definition Image or images used to identify a location.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Context This element is intended to be an image, e.g. photo of the anatomical site such

as a wound on the leg.

Context Source NEHTA

Data Type Encapsulated Data

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Additional Reaction Detail (ADDITIONAL REACTION DETAIL)	0*	

2.34 Exposure Description

Identification

Label Exposure Description

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16477

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16477

Definition

Definition Description about exposure to the substance/agent.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data		Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.35 Earliest Exposure

Identification

Label Earliest Exposure
Metadata Type Data Element

Identifier DE-16372

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16372

Definition

Definition Record of the date and/or time of the earliest or initial exposure to the

substance/agent.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type DateTime

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.36 Duration of Exposure

Identification

Label Duration of Exposure

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16373

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16373

Definition

Definition Length of duration of exposure.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes Used to describe the length of exposure to substance/agent triggering a specific

reaction event.

Data Type Duration

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.37 ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL

Identification

Label ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL

Metadata Type Choice Identifier C-16478

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.105.16478

Definition

Definition Additional detail about exposure/s for this reaction event, including structured

medication amount information.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Relationships

Parents

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	REACTION EVENT	0*	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	AMOUNT OF MEDICATION	11	
	TIMING	11	
	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	11	

2.38 AMOUNT OF MEDICATION

Identification

Label AMOUNT OF MEDICATION

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16423

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16423

Definition

Definition Additional detail about exposure/s for this reaction event, including structured

medication amount information.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Scope Used to record additional exposure details to substance/agent that triggers the

adverse reaction event.

Scope Source NEHTA

Relationships

Parents

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
***	ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL	11	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
312	Quantity	01	
001011001	Dose Unit	01	
T	Quantity Description	01	

2.39 Quantity

Identification

LabelQuantityMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-10145

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.10145

Definition

Definition The quantity, number or proportion.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes The number of doses and/or physical amount of the therapeutic good.

Data Type Real

QuantityRatio

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	AMOUNT OF MEDICATION	01	

2.40 Dose Unit

Identification

Label Dose Unit

Metadata Type Data Element
Identifier DE-16524

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16524

Definition

Definition The dose unit of this amount.

Definition Source Synonymous Names

Data Type CodedText

Value Domain Dose Unit Reference Set

Usage

Examples
1. Tablets.
2. Capsules.
3. Sachets.
4. Mg.
5. mL.

Relationships

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	AMOUNT OF MEDICATION	01	

2.41 Dose Unit Reference Set

Identification

Label Dose Unit Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-16523

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.16523

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept Id: 32570641000036102

Identifier

Definition

Definition The set of values for dose unit.

Definition Source NEHTA

Notes Values might include: Tablets, Capsules, Sachets, mg, mL.

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Dose Unit	11	

2.42 Quantity Description

Identification

Label **Quantity Description**

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16525

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16525

Definition

Definition Free text description of the amount which may consist of the quantity and dose **Definition Source NEHTA Synonymous**

Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	AMOUNT OF MEDICATION	01	

2.43 TIMING

Identification

LabelTIMINGMetadata TypeData GroupIdentifierDG-16431

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16431

Definition

Definition Details of the timing of the use or administration of the medicine, vaccine or other

therapeutic good.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes It is for recording timing of exposure to substance or agent, including medication

or vaccine.

Relationships

Parents

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL	11	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
<u></u>	Frequency Range (Intervention Frequency Range)	01	
<u></u>	Interval Range (Intervention Interval Range)	01	
7 ^t	Time (Intervention Time)	0*	
001011001	Day of Week (Intervention Day of Week)	0*	
123	Day of Month (Intervention Day of Month)	0*	
7 th	Date (Intervention Date)	0*	

2.44 Intervention Frequency Range

Identification

Label Frequency Range
Metadata Type Data Element

 Identifier
 DE-16547

 OID
 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16547

Definition

Definition The frequency as number of times per time period that the intervention is to take place.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes Includes details of variable upper and lower frequency e.g. 3-4 times a day.

Data Type QuantityRange

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	TIMING	01	

2.45 Intervention Interval Range

Identification

LabelInterval RangeMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16548

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16548

Definition

Definition The length of time between doses or interventions.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes 8 Hourly is PT8H, monthly is P1M, every hour and a half is PT1H30M.

Includes details of variable upper and lower intervals e.g. every 2-3 hours.

Data Type QuantityRange

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	TIMING	01	

2.46 Intervention Time

Identification

Label Time

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16549

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16549

Definition

Definition Specific time(s) during the day when the intervention should be applied.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type DateTime

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data		Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	TIMING	0*	

2.47 Intervention Day of Week

Identification

LabelDay of WeekMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16551

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16551

Definition

Definition The specific and repeating day(s) of the week.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type

CodedText

Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>⁶ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples 1. Monday

2. Wednesday

3. Friday

4. Sunday

Relationships

Data Type	Name		Condi- tion
	TIMING	0*	

⁶ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

2.48 Intervention Day of Month

Identification

LabelDay of MonthMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16552

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16552

Definition

 Definition
 The specific and repeating day(s) of the month.

 Definition Source
 NEHTA

 Synonymous Names
 For instance, if it is required to give a dose on the 2nd day of each month then the value is 2.

 Data Type
 Integer

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	TIMING	0*	

2.49 Intervention Date

Identification

Label Date

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16553

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16553

Definition

Definition Actual dates.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Date Time

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	TIMING	0*	

2.50 MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION

Identification

Label Exposure Mechanism

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-10108

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.10108

Definition

Definition Details about the administration of the medicine, vaccine or other therapeutic good.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Scope Used to describe the exposure mechanism to the substance or agent. This includes the route, anatomical site, delivery methods of medications.

Scope Source NEHTA

Usage

Conditions of Use	This data group is repeated for every instance of medication administration being recorded.
Conditions of Use Source	NEHTA

Relationships

Parents

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADDITIONAL EXPOSURE DETAIL	11	

Children

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
001011001	Route	01	
001011001	Site (Anatomical Site)	01	
T	Delivery Method (Medication Delivery Method)	01	

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	Dose Duration	01	
	Intravenous Details (INTRAVENOUS ADMINISTRATION DETAILS)	0*	

2.51 Route

Identification

Label Route

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-10147

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.10147

Definition

Definition The route by which the medication is administered.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous

Names

Route of administration.

Notes It is used to describe the route by which the substance/agent is entered into the

patient's body. This includes the route of medication administration.

Data Type Codeable Text

Value Domain Route of Administration Reference Set

Usage

Use

Conditions of Use "Unknown" only for retrospective data collection.

Conditions of

Use Source

NEHTA

Examples

1. Oral.

2. Subcutaneous injection.

3. Epidural.

4. Rectal.

5. Otic.

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
•	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	01	

2.52 Route of Administration Reference Set

Identification

Label Route of Administration Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-10147

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.10147

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept Id: 32570601000036100

Identifier

Definition

Definition A list of all possible routes of administration of medication.

Definition Source NEHTA

Notes Set of allowable values to describe the way through which a medication is

administered to/by the subject of care.

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Route	11	

2.53 Anatomical Site

Identification

Label Site

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-10156

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.10156

Definition

Definition A description of the site of administration.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes Location on or in the body of the subject of care where the substance/agent entered

the body or therapeutic good was administered.

Data Type CodeableText

Value Domain Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Usage

Examples 1. Left thigh

2. Upper arm

3. Entire left renal artery

Relationships

Data		Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	01	

2.54 Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Identification

Label Body Structure Foundation Reference Set

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-16152

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.16152

External SNOMED CT-AU Concept Id: 32570061000036105

Identifier

Definition

Definition The set of values for named anatomical locations.

Definition Source NEHTA

Value Domain

Source SNOMED CT-AU

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Site (Anatomical Site)	11	

2.55 Medication Delivery Method

Identification

LabelDelivery MethodMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16470

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16470

Definition

Definition The method of delivery if this should be specified.

Definition Source Synonymous Names

Data Type Text

Usage

Examples1. Delivery via neubliser or spacer2. Delivery via syringe pump

Relationships

	ata ype	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
•	%	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	01	

2.56 Dose Duration

Identification

LabelDose DurationMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16471

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16471

Definition

Definition The length of time over which to administer each dose.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Duration

Usage

Examples 1. An intravenous administration may have to be over a period of 5 minutes

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	01	

2.57 INTRAVENOUS ADMINISTRATION DETAILS

Identification

Label Intravenous Details

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16472

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16472

Definition

Definition	Details of intravenous administration.
Definition Source	NEHTA
Synonymous Names	

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	Exposure Mechanism (MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION)	0*	

2.58 Clinical Management Description

Identification

Label Clinical Management Description

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16482

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16482

Definition

Definition Description about the clinical management provided.

Definition Source Synonymous

Names

Data Type

Text

Data Type

Usage

Conditions of Used to describe details about clinical management provided to manage or treat

Use the adverse reaction.

Conditions of NEHTA

Conditions of Use Source

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.59 Multimedia

Identification

LabelMultimediaMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16376

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16376

Definition

 Definition
 Inclusion of any multimedia file to support the recording of the reaction event.

 Definition Source
 NEHTA

 Synonymous Names
 An example is a photo of a rash or presentation with angioneurotic oedema.

Data Type EncapsulatedData

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	0*	

2.60 Reporting Details

Identification

Label Reporting Details

Metadata Type Data Element

Identifier DE-16325

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16325

Definition

 Definition
 Further details required for reporting to regulatory bodies.

 Definition Source
 NEHTA

 Synonymous Names
 This free text data element is currently a placeholder for further structured data that is as yet undefined. See Appendix A, Known Issues for further information.

 Data Type
 Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	0*	

2.61 Adverse Reaction Event Comment

Identification

LabelCommentMetadata TypeData ElementIdentifierDE-16483

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16483

Definition

 Definition
 Further comment about the reaction event.

 Definition Source
 NEHTA

 Synonymous Names
 Text

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	REACTION EVENT	01	

2.62 Reaction Reported

Identification

Label Reaction Reported

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16379

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16379

Definition

Definition Was the adverse reaction reported to a regulatory body?

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Boolean

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	01	

2.63 Adverse Reaction Report

Identification

Label Adverse Reaction Report

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16484

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16484

Definition

Definition Link to an Adverse Reaction Report sent to a regulatory body.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Data Type Link

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	0*	

2.64 Supporting Clinical Record Information

Identification

Label Supporting Clinical Record Information

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16485

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16485

Definition

Definition Link to further information about about the presentation and findings that exist

elsewhere in the health record.

Definition Source NEHTA

Synonymous Names

Notes Examples are presenting symptoms, examination findings, diagnosis.

Data Type Link

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	01	

2.65 INFORMATION PROVIDER

Identification

Label INFORMATION PROVIDER

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-10296

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.10296

Definition

Definition
Definition Source
Synonymous
Names
Notes
This does not necessarily have to be a person and, in particular, not a healthcare provider. Types of sources include:

• the subject of care;
• a subject of care agent, e.g. parent, guardian;
• the clinician; and
• a device or software

Usage

Conditions of Use	This SHALL NOT be used unless the provider of the information is not the <i>Composer/Author</i> of the enclosing Structured Document.
	This is a reuse of the PARTICIPATION data group, which is described in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v].
	The following constraints are additional to those specified in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v]. Constraints are explained in <i>Appendix B</i> .
	Participation Type SHALL have a fixed value of "Information Provider".
	 PERSON OR ORGANISATION OR DEVICE SHALL be instantiated as a PERSON or as a DEVICE.
Conditions of Use Source	NEHTA

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	ADVERSE REACTION	01	

2.66 SUBJECT

Identification

LabelSUBJECTMetadata TypeData GroupIdentifierDG-10296

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.10296

Definition

Definition	The individual about whom the adverse reaction information is being recorded.
Definition Source	NEHTA
Synonymous Names	
Scope	Generally only used when the recorder needs to make it explicit. Otherwise, subject of the enclosing Structured Document is assumed.
Scope Source	NEHTA

Usage

Conditions of Use	This SHALL NOT be used unless the subject of the information is not the <i>Subject of Care</i> of the enclosing Structured Document.
	This is a reuse of the PARTICIPATION data group, which is described in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v].
	The following constraints are additional to those specified in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v]. Constraints are explained in <i>Appendix B</i> .
	 Participation Type SHALL have a fixed value of "Subject".
	 PERSON OR ORGANISATION OR DEVICE SHALL be instantiated as a PERSON.
Conditions of Use Source	NEHTA

Relationships

Da	ata	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Ty	pe		rences	tion
e4		ADVERSE REACTION	01	

3 Exclusion Statement - Adverse Reactions Data Group

3.1 EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS

Identification

Label EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-16137

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.16137

Definition

Definition Statements about Adverse Reactions that need to be positively recorded as not

prescribed for, or used by, the subject of care.

Definition Source openEHR Foundation

Scope To positively record the absence or exclusion of any adverse reactions within the

health record.

Scope Source openEHR Foundation

Usage

Conditions of Use

Use to record the positive exclusion or absence of adverse reactions within the health record. This data group avoids the need to use terminology to express negation about any item within the health record. It is important to note that the Exclusion Statement information is time-specific. Its validity may not extend beyond the point in time when the information is recorded. The patient should always be asked to verify previous statements on adverse reaction to a substance.

Conditions of Use Source

openEHR Foundation

Data Hierarchy

EXCLU	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS				
001011001	Global Statement	0*			
001011001	No Known Adverse Reaction to	01			

001011001	No Known Allergic Reaction to	01
001011001	No Known Hypersensitivity Reaction to	01
001011001	No Known Intolerance to	01
8	INFORMATION PROVIDER	01
8	SUBJECT	01

3.2 Global Statement

Identification

Label Global Statement

Metadata Type Data Element

Identifier DE-16302

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16302

Global Statement Values

Definition

 Definition
 The statement about the absence or exclusion.

 Definition Source
 openEHR Foundation

 Synonymous Names
 This can be used to capture any information that is needed to be explicitly recorded as being absent or excluded within the record.

 Context Source
 openEHR Foundation

 Data Type
 CodedText

Usage

Value Domain

Conditions of Use Captures any information that is needed to be explicitly recorded as being absent or excluded within the record.

Conditions of Use Source

Examples

Captures any information that is needed to be explicitly recorded as being absent or excluded within the record.

Relationships

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	0*	

3.3 Global Statement Values

Identification

Label Global Statement Values

Metadata Type Value Domain Identifier VD-16299

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.104.16299

Definition

Definition The set of values for the global statements about the exclusion.

Definition Source openEHR Foundation

Value Domain

Source	NEHTA		
Permissible Values	Not asked	No information about adverse reactions to any substance is available because the patient was not asked or not able to be asked	
	None known	No information about adverse reactions to any substance is known	
		No information about adverse reactions to any substance is supplied	
	No known adverse reactions	No known adverse reactions to any substance	
	No known allergic reactions	No known allergic reactions to any substance	
	No known hypersensitivity reactions	No known hypersensitivity reaction to any substance	
	No known intolerances	No known intolerances to any substance	
	Please see Appendix A, Known Issues		

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
001011001	Global Statement	11	

3.4 No Known Adverse Reaction to

Identification

Label No Known Adverse Reaction to

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16305

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16305

Definition

Definition Positive statement about adverse reactions to substances that are explicitly known to have not been identified at the time of recording. **Definition Source** openEHR Foundation **Synonymous Names Data Type** CodeableText **Value Domain** Not specified. In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>¹ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available. When national standard code sets become available, they SHALL be used and

the non-standard code sets SHALL be deprecated.

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data Type	Name	Occur- rences	Condi- tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	01	

¹ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

3.5 No Known Allergic Reaction to

Identification

Label No Known Allergic Reaction to

Metadata Type **Data Element Identifier** DE-16306

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16306

Definition

Definition Positive statement about allergic reactions to substances that are explicitly known

to have not been identified at the time of recording.

Definition Source openEHR Foundation

Synonymous Names

Data Type CodeableText **Value Domain** Not specified.

> In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> procedure² with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly available.

When national standard code sets become available, they SHALL be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
•	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	01	

http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

3.6 No Known Hypersensitivity Reaction to

Identification

Label No Known Hypersensitivity Reaction to

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16307

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16307

Definition

Definition Positive statement about hypersensitivity reactions to substances that are explicitly

known to have not been identified at the time of recording.

Definition Source openEHR Foundation

Synonymous Names

Data Type CodeableText Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>³ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly

available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	01	

³ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

3.7 No Known Intolerance to

Identification

Label No Known Intolerance to

Metadata Type Data Element Identifier DE-16308

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.103.16308

Definition

Definition Positive statement about intolerances to substances that are explicitly known to

have not been identified at the time of recording.

Definition Source openEHR Foundation

Synonymous Names

Data Type CodeableText
Value Domain Not specified.

In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used **SHALL** be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the <u>HL7 code set registration</u> <u>procedure</u>⁴ with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and **SHALL** be publicly

available.

When national standard code sets become available, they **SHALL** be used and the non-standard code sets **SHALL** be deprecated.

Usage

Examples

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	01	

⁴ http://www.hl7.org/oid/index.cfm

3.8 INFORMATION PROVIDER

Identification

Label INFORMATION PROVIDER

Metadata Type Data Group Identifier DG-10296

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.10296

· a device or software

Definition

Definition
Definition Source
Synonymous
Names
Notes
This does not necessarily have to be a person and, in particular, not a healthcare provider. Types of sources include:

• the subject of care;
• a subject of care agent, e.g. parent, guardian;
• the clinician; and

Usage

Conditions of Use	This SHALL NOT be used unless the provider of the information is not the <i>Composer/Author</i> of the enclosing Structured Document.		
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	 Participation Type SHALL have a fixed value of "Information Provider". 		
	 PERSON OR ORGANISATION OR DEVICE SHALL be instantiated as a PERSON or as a DEVICE. 		
Conditions of Use Source	NEHTA		

Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS	01	

3.9 SUBJECT

Identification

LabelSUBJECTMetadata TypeData GroupIdentifierDG-10296

OID 1.2.36.1.2001.1001.101.102.10296

Definition

Definition	The individual about whom the adverse reaction information is being recorded.
Definition Source	NEHTA
Synonymous Names	
Scope	Generally only used when the recorder needs to make it explicit. Otherwise, subject of the enclosing Structured Document is assumed.
Scope Source	NEHTA

Usage

Conditions of Use	This SHALL NOT be used unless the subject of the information is not the <i>Subject of Care</i> of the enclosing Structured Document.	
	This is a reuse of the PARTICIPATION data group, which is described in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v].	
	The following constraints are additional to those specified in Participation Data Specification [NEHT2011v]. Constraints are explained in <i>Appendix B</i> .	
	 Participation Type SHALL have a fixed value of "Subject". 	
	 PERSON OR ORGANISATION OR DEVICE SHALL be instantiated as a PERSON. 	
Conditions of Use Source	NEHTA	

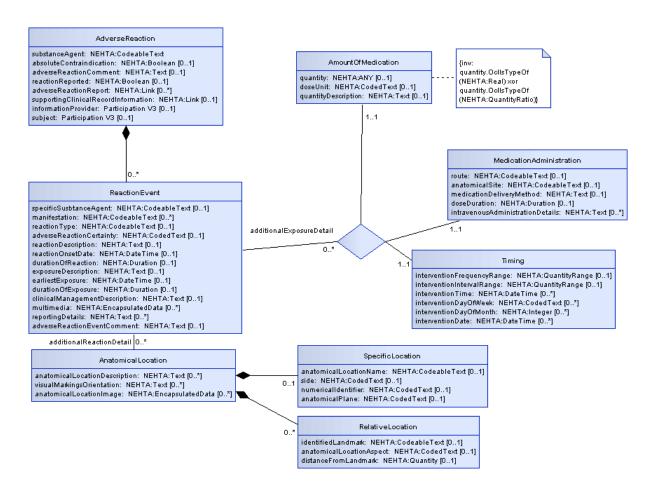
Relationships

Data	Name	Occur-	Condi-
Type		rences	tion
	EXCLUSION STATEMENT - ADVERSE REACTIONS		

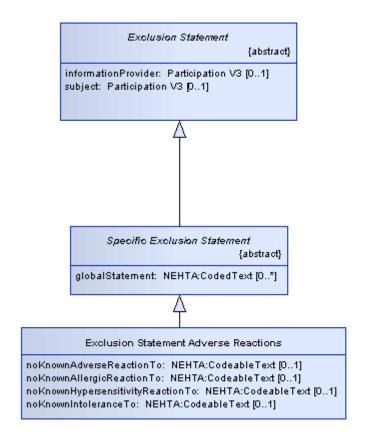
nehta UML Class Diagram

4 UML Class Diagram

The following figure presents the data hierarchy using a UML 2.0 class diagram. The diagram displays data groups and data elements, together with their names, data types and multiplicities. Data elements are displayed as attributes. Data groups are displayed as classes, their names are represented as association role names. Association role names are only displayed if they differ from the associated class name. The diagram shows the data hierarchy excluding the details of participation. The default multiplicity is 1..1.



UML class diagram of the Adverse Reaction data hierarchy.



UML class diagram of the Exclusion Statement for Adverse Reaction data hierarchy.

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nehta Known Issues

Appendix A. Known Issues

This appendix lists known issues with this specification at the time of publishing. NEHTA are working on solutions to these issues, but we encourage and invite comments to further assist the development of these solutions.

Reference	Description
Data Hierarchy	This detailed clinical model has not yet been fully mapped to HL7 CDA. Mapping to CDA may reveal inconsistencies in the data hierarchy requiring normative change.
'Intervention Day of Week' Data Element	In the future its data type needs to be changed to Integer with values from '0 to 6' or '1 to 7'.
'Quantity' Data Element	In the future this data element needs to be updated in order to cater for quantities of non-medications.
'Anatomical Site' Data Element	In the future this data element needs to be updated in order to cater for administration of non-medications.
'Global Statement Values' Data Element	The list of permissible values is a sample set to initiate discussion and collaboration to develop the correct set of values.
Exclusion Statement	The Exclusion Statement detailed clinical model is the subject of on-going development and review and may well change in the future.
Undefined Value Domains	The following data elements lack a defined value domain: 'Numerical Identifier', 'Anatomical Plane', 'Anatomical Location Aspect' and 'Intervention Day of Week' NEHTA is in the process of developing national code sets for these items. In the meantime, you are free to use your own code set(s) providing any code set used SHALL be registered, i.e. registered through the HL7 code set registration procedure with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and SHALL be publicly available. Note that when national standard code set(s) do become available, they SHALL be used and the non-standard code sets SHALL be deprecated.

Appendix B. Specification Guide for Use

B.1 Overview

Each Detailed Clinical Model (DCM) and Structured Content Specification (SCS) is designed to be a shared basis for data interpretation. It specifies rigorous business and technical definitions of data which systems may need to share. It is intended to be a logical specification of the data to be persisted within or communicated between systems. It is also the foundation for conformance, compliance and accreditation testing of implemented systems. NEHTA's CDA implementation guides are guides to the implementation of HL7 CDA R2 messages based upon these DCMs and SCSs.

Each DCM specifies all of the data components required for any use of a clinical concept, for instance an entry in a medical record such as a procedure or an imaging test. As such they are maximal data sets. DCMs are building blocks which are trimmed to size for use in construction SCSs.

Each SCS specifies the data for a single type of clinical document or information exchange, such as a discharge summary. It is assembled using DCMs which have been constrained to eliminate data components not relevant to the particular context. For example, procedure in a discharge summary uses only some of the data components required by procedure in a specialist report.

B.2 The Structured Content Specification Metamodel

The NEHTA Structured Content Metamodel (see Figure 1) is used to specify the overall structure of a Structured Content Specification.

A DCM can be considered as a Data Group with no parent.

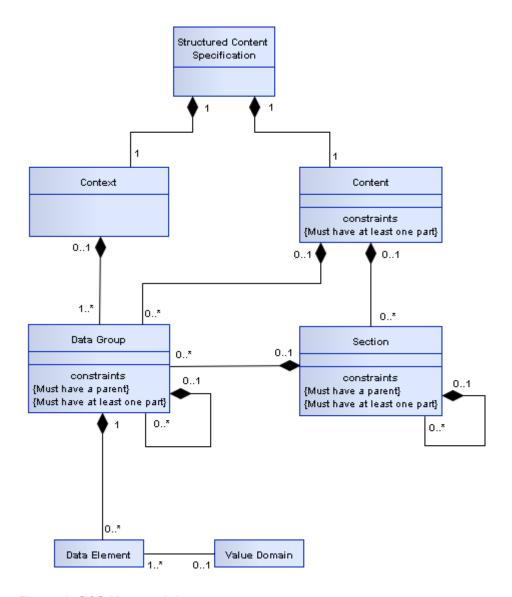


Figure 1: SCS Metamodel

There are two main components used to organise information within a Structured Content Specification (SCS) as follows:

Context: This contains information related to the overall context of the document.

Content: This contains information, which changes between different SCSs, but is always structured as shown, and consists of the following components:

- Section
- Data Group
- Data Element
- · Value Domain

These components are described in more detail below.

Context

The purpose of the Context is to identify and classify the document and to provide subjects of care and involved healthcare providers with the information related to the relevant healthcare events.

Content

The Content contains a collection of health information pertinent to a subject of care which is derived from the healthcare event described in the document. The detail **MAY** be organised into one or more sections, each of which contains one or more data groups and/or possible data elements.

Section

The contents of the structured document Content **MAY** be subdivided into one or more sections. A section is an organising container that gives a reader a clue as to the expected content. The primary purpose of a section is to organise information in the manner that is suitable for the primary purpose for which it is collected, and that provides a way to navigate through the data components within the document, thereby enabling more efficient querying. It **SHOULD** also support safe re-use for secondary purposes, e.g. clinical coding or inclusion in a summarised form in an electronic health record. A section is context-specific to the document in which it resides.

Data Group

Each data group is used to represent one concept. A data group consists of other data groups and/or data elements. Some data groups are reused across detailed clinical models.

Participation

Participation is a special case of a data group that is based on a data group template, which is reused throughout the detailed clinical models (DCMs) and SCSs. Participations are an amalgam of the Actors (see below) operating within a defined healthcare domain and the Roles that they are playing within that domain.

A Participant has been defined to align with the concepts of the NEHTA interoperability framework. It equates to an *Entity* that is related to the action described in an SCS as an *Actor*. A participant can be a human, an organisation or an IT system.

[NEHT2011v] defines the full Participation specification.

Choice

Choice represents a decision to be made at run-time between a disjunctive mandatory set of data groups defined at design-time, i.e. one and only one member of the set **SHALL** be chosen.

For example, at design time a Healthcare Provider provides a service but it is not until run-time that a decision can be made as to whether the provider is a person or an organisation. Hence when a Healthcare Provider Participant is instantiated, it **SHALL** be done with the choice of either the *Person* data group or the *Organisation* data group.

Data Element

A data element is the smallest named unit of information in the model that can be assigned a value. For example, 'DateTime of Observation' and 'Observation Note'. Data elements are bound to data types (see Data Types Legend). Some data elements are reused in different data groups.

Whilst all data elements are constrained by their data type, some data elements are further constrained by value domains (see Value Domain below).

Value Domain

A value domain constrains the permissible values for a data element. The values **MAY** be a subset of values based on a generic data type.

Value domains are reusable components and therefore, the same value domain can be referred to by different data elements in different contexts. Value domains are often specified as a reference set. A reference set (or a subset) is a constrained list of SNOMED CT-AU, AMT or LOINC concepts that are appropriate to a particular context. It **SHOULD** be noted that many of these reference sets have been developed specifically for the context in which they appear. An assessment of fitness for purpose **SHOULD** therefore be undertaken before using any of the reference sets in another context.

Value domains constrain by either specifying a lower and/or upper bound on the range of permissible values or else by specifying a finite set of prescribed values. Such a set of prescribed values can be specified directly within the definition of the data element, or in a separate but associated specification or else by reference to one or more vocabulary/terminology reference sets. The table below provides some examples of value domains.

Data Element	Data Type	Example of Value Domain		
Sex	CodedText	[SA2006a] and [SA2006b] derive their values from METeOR 270263 which includes values such as:		
		Value	Meaning	
		1	Male	
		2	Female	
		<u>3</u>	Intersex or Indeterminate	
		9	Not Stated/Inadequately Described	
Diagnosis	CodeableText	A SNOMED CT-AU reference set which references concepts such as 'Bronchitis' (Concept ID: 32398004)		
Therapeutic Good Identification	CodeableText	An AMT reference set which references concepts such as 'Ibuprofen Blue (Herron) (ibuprofen 200 mg) tablet: film-coated, 1 tablet' (Concept ID: 54363011000036107)		
To Be Advised	CodeableText	A LOINC subset which references concepts such as 'Cholesterol [Moles/volume] in Serum or Plasma' (ID: 14647-2)		

Table 1: Value Domain Examples

B.3 Icon Legend

These legends describe all icons that are used within the various NEHTA information specifications.

Metadata Types Legend

The following table explains each of the icons used to represent the metadata types within DCMs and SCSs.

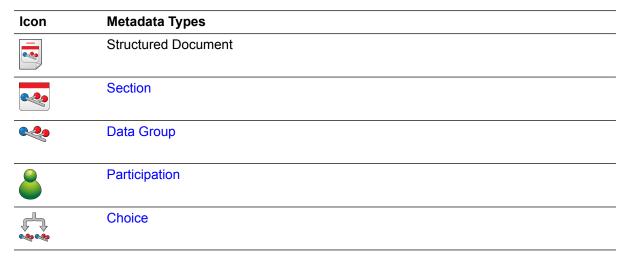


Table 2: Metadata Types Legend

Data Types Legend

The following table explains each of the icons used to represent the data types bound to each data element in the SCSs. These data types are a profile of the **ISO 21090-2011** data types as specified in [NEHT2010c].

Icon	Data type	Explanation		
4	Boolean	A primitive data type, sometimes called the logical data type, having one two values: <i>true</i> and <i>false</i> . Many systems represent true as <i>non-zero</i> (often		
	(ISO 21090: BL)	1, or -1) and false as zero.		
Usage/Examples		Usage/Examples		
		• An actual value entered by a user might be 'yes' or could be chosen by a mouse click on an icon such as ✓.		



CodeableText

(ISO 21090: CD)

Coded text *with* exceptions; flexible data type to support various ways of holding text, both free text and coded text. Commonly used to support compliance for early adopters of the Structured Content Specifications. Whilst it is recommended that the values in this data type come from the bound value domain, it allows other value domains to also be used (with or without translations to the bound value domain) or free text alternatives. This is a recognition that it **MAY** not be possible to define an entire value domain for a complex concept (e.g. *Diagnosis*) or that there **MAY** be competing code sets in existence. Note that within exchange specifications and/or message profiles this data type **MAY** be constrained to mandate compliance with the bound value domain.

Usage/Examples

- AIHW Separation Mode specifies the status at separation of a person from an organisation. An early adopter MAY have a similar concept (coded or otherwise) that maps to this data element but does not strictly comply with the AIHW values.
- A SNOMED CT-AU coded/complex expression that embodies single or multiple concepts. The SNOMED CT-AU concepts behind these CodeableText components are specified in the Structured Content Specification value domains.



CodedText

(ISO 21090: CD)

Coded text *without* exceptions; text with code mappings. Values in this data type **SHALL** come from the bound value domain, with no exceptions. Often used for reference sets with only a small number of applicable values, e.g. Gender and Document Status.

Usage/Examples

[SA2006b] specifies the following value domain representing a type of address:

Value	Meaning	
1	Business	
2	Mailing or Postal	
3	Temporary Accommodation	
4	Residential (permanent)	
9	Not Stated/Unknown/Inadequately Described	



DateTime

(ISO 21090: TS)

Used for specifying a single date and/or time. Has the ability to indicate a level of precision, but not whether the date/time is estimated. String representations of known dates **SHALL** conform to the nonextended format within the **ISO 21090-2011** standard, i.e. YYYYMMDDHHMMSS.UUUU[+]-ZZzz.

Usage/Examples

- Partial dates: 2008, 20081001.
- To indicate 1:20 pm on May the 31st, 1999 for a time zone which is 5 hours behind Coordinated Universal Time (UTC): 19990531132000-0500.



Duration

(ISO 21090: PQ.TIME) The period of time during which something continues. Consists of a value and a unit which represents the time value, e.g. hours, months. Compound durations are not allowed, e.g. 10 days 3 weeks 5 hours.

Usage/Examples

- 3 hours
- · 6 months
- 1 year



Any

(ISO 21090: ANY) Represents a data element where the data type to be used is conditional upon another data component. The values that can be required will vary considerably depending on the context. Note that this is an abstract data type that is the basis for all data types and **SHOULD NOT** be used in an actual implementation.



EncapsulatedData

(ISO 21090: ED)

Data that is primarily intended for human interpretation or for further machine processing outside the scope of this specification. This includes unformatted or formatted written language, multimedia data, or structured information as defined by a different standard (e.g., XML signatures).

Usage/Examples

- · JPEG images
- · HTML documents
- [RFC1521] MIME types



Integer

(ISO 21090: INT)

The mathematical data type comprising the exact integral values (according to [NEHT2010c]).

Usage/Examples

- 1
- -50
- 125



Link

(ISO 21090: TEL) This is a general link, reference or pointer to an object, data or application that exists logically or is stored electronically in a computer system.

Usage/Examples

- URL (Uniform Resource Locator) the World Wide Web address of a site
 on the internet, such as the URL for the Google internet search engine –
 'http://www.google.com'.
- An absolute or relative path within a file/directory structure e.g. in the Windows® operating system, the "link" or absolute path to a particular letter could be C:\Documents and Settings\GuestUser\MyDocuments\letter.doc



Quantity

(ISO 21090: PQ)

Used for recording many real world measurements and observations. Includes the magnitude value and the units.

Usage/Examples

- · 100 centimetres
- 25.5 grams



QuantityRatio

(ISO 21090: RTO) The relative magnitudes of two *Quantity* values (usually expressed as a quotient).

Usage/Examples

- 25 mg/500 ml
- · 200 mmol per litre



QuantityRange

(ISO 21090: IVL)

Two *Quantity* values that define the minimum and maximum values, i.e. lower and upper bounds. This is typically used for defining the valid range of values for a particular measurement or observation. Unbounded quantity ranges can be defined by not including a minimum and/or a maximum quantity value.

Usage/Examples

- -20 to 100 Celsius
- 30-50 mg
- >10 kg



RealNumber

A computational approximation to the standard mathematical concept of real numbers. These are often called floating point numbers.

(ISO 21090: REAL)

Usage/Examples

- 1.075
- -325.1
- 3.14157



Text

(ISO 21090: ST)

Character strings (with optional language). Unless otherwise constrained by an implementation, can be any combination of alpha, numeric or symbols from the Unicode character set. Sometimes referred to as free text.

Usage/Examples

"The patient is a 37 year old man who was referred for cardiac evaluation after complaining of occasional palpitations, racing heart beats and occasional dizziness."



TimeInterval

(ISO 21090:TS)

An interval in time, with (optionally) a start date/time and (optionally) an end date/time and/or a duration/width.

Usage/Examples

- 01/01/2008 31/12/2008
- 1:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m., duration/width = 16.5 hours



UniqueIdentifier

A general unique value to identify a physical or virtual object or concept.

(ISO 21090: II)

In using this data type, the attributes of the UniqueIdentifier data type **SHOULD** be populated from the identifiers as defined in AS 4846 (2006) [SA2006a] and AS 5017 (2006) [SA2006b] as follows:

root: a globally unique object identifier that identifies the combination of geographic area, issuer and type. If no such globally unique object identifier exists, it **SHALL** be created.

extension: a unique identifier within the scope of the root that is directly equivalent to the identifier designation element.

identifierName: a human readable name for the namespace represented by the root that is populated with the issuer or identifier type values, or a concatenation of both as appropriate. The content of this attribute is not intended for machine processing and **SHOULD NOT** be used as such.

identifierScope: the geographic span or coverage that applies to or constrains the identifier. It is directly equivalent to the geographic area element. The content of this attribute is not intended for machine processing and **SHOULD NOT** be used as such.

Also, the following constraints apply on the Uniqueldentifier data type:

The root attribute SHALL be used.

For an entity identifier the *root* attribute **SHALL** be an OID that consists of a node in a hierarchically-assigned namespace, formally defined using the ITU-T's ASN.1 standard.

For an entity identifier the *root* attribute **SHALL NOT** be a UUID.

The extension attribute SHALL be used.

Usage/Examples

IHIs, HPI-Is, HPI-Os and patient hospital medical record numbers are examples of identifiers that **MAY** be carried by this data type.

Table 3: Data Types Legend

Keywords Legend

Where used in this document and in DCMs and SCSs, the keywords **SHALL**, **SHOULD**, **MAY**, **SHALL NOT** and **SHOULD NOT** are to be interpreted as described in [RFC2119].

The following table defines these keywords

Keyword	Interpretation	
SHALL	This word, or the terms 'required' or 'must', means that the definition is an absolute requirement of the specification.	
SHOULD	This word, or the adjective 'recommended', means that there MAY exist valid reasons in particular circumstances to ignore a particular component, but the full implications SHALL be understood and carefully weighed before choosing a different course.	

This word, or the adjective 'optional', means that a component is truly optional. One implementer MAY choose to include the component because a particular implementation requires it, or because the implementer determines that it enhances the implementation while another implementer MAY omit the same component. An implementation which does not include a particular option SHALL be prepared to interoperate with another implementation which does include the option, perhaps with reduced functionality. In the same vein, an implementation which does include a particular option SHALL be prepared to interoperate with another implementation which does not include the option (except of course, for the feature the option provides).
This phrase, or the phrase 'must not' means that the definition is an absolute prohibition of the specification.
This phrase, or the phrase 'not recommended' means that there MAY exist valid reasons in particular circumstances when the particular behaviour is acceptable or even useful, but the full implications SHOULD be understood and the case carefully weighed before implementing any behaviour described with this label.

Table 4: Keywords Legend

B.4 Information Model Specification Parts Legends

This section illustrates the format and parts used to define each Section, Data Group and Data Element within NEHTA's information model specifications and identifies when each part is applicable.

Data Hierarchy

The top-level component contains a data hierarchy. Each row contains information about a single data component. The entries are nested to represent inclusion of one component in another. Each entry contains three occupied cells. One contains an icon to indicate its data type. One contains the label and description of the component (if the label is different from the name, the name is displayed in brackets after the label). One contains the multiplicity range for the data component.

In a SCS a component may be prohibited, that is it occurs in the referenced DCM but it **SHALL** not be included in documents created according to the SCS. This is represented by a multiplicity range of 0..0, the text of the entry is also in a strike through font and it has a grey background.

Chapter Name

Each section, data group, data element, value domain or choice has its own eponymous chapter. The chapter name is used in all data hierarchies.

Identification Section Legend

The following table illustrates the layout of the Identification section and describes the various parts of the section.

Metadata Type	The metadata type of the component, e.g. section, data group or data element. (Source NEHTA.)	
Identifier	A NEHTA assigned internal identifier of the concept represented by the component. (Source NEHTA.)	
OID	An object identifier that uniquely identifies the concept represented by the data component. (Source NEHTA.)	
External Identifier	An identifier of the concept represented by the data component which is assigned by an organisation other than NEHTA. (Source NEHTA.)	

Table 6: Identification Section Legend

Definition Section Legend

The following table illustrates the layout of the Definition section and describes the various parts of the section.

Definition	The meaning, description and/or explanation of the data component. (Source NEHTA.)		
	For data groups used in a particular context the definition MAY be a refinement of the generic data group definition.		
Definition Source	The authoritative source for the Definition statement.		
Synonymous Names	A list of any names the data component MAY also be known as. (Source NEHTA.)		
	Implementers MAY prefer to use synonymous names to refer to the component in specific contexts.		
Scope	Situations in which the data component may be used, i.e. the extent and capacity within which this data component may be used, including the circumstances under which the collection of specified data are required or recommended.		
	For example, Medication Instruction (data group) has a scope which includes all prescribable therapeutic goods, both medicines and non-medicines.		
	This attribute is not relevant to data elements or value domains. (Source NEHTA.)		
Scope Source	The authoritative source for the Scope statement.		
Context	The environment in which the data component is meaningful, i.e. the circumstance, purpose and perspective under which this data component is defined or used.		
	For example, Street Name has a context of Address. (Source NEHTA.)		
Assumptions	Suppositions and notions used in defining the data component. (Source NEHTA.)		
Assumptions Source	The authoritative source for the Assumptions statement.		
Notes	Informative text that further describes the data component, or assists in the understanding of how the data component can be used. (Source NEHTA.)		
Notes Source	The authoritative source for the Notes statement.		
Data Type	The data type of the data element, e.g. DateTime or Text. (Source NEHTA.)		

	The Data type is applicable only to data elements.	
	The valid data types are specified in the Data Types Legend.	
Value Domain	The name and identifier of the terminologies, code sets and classifications to define the data element value range, or a statement describing what values to use in the absence of a defined value domain for the related data element.	
	In the absence of national standard code sets, the code sets used SHALL be registered code sets, i.e. registered through the HL7 code set registration procedure with an appropriate object identifier (OID), and SHALL be publicly available.	
	When national standard code sets become available, they SHALL be used and the non-standard code sets SHALL be deprecated. (Source NEHTA.)	
	The Value Domain is applicable only to CodedText and CodeableText data elements.	

Table 7: Definition Section Legend

Value Domain Section Legend

The following table illustrates the layout of the Value Domain section and describes the various parts of the section.

Source	The name of the terminology or vocabulary from which the value domain's permissible values are sourced, e.g. SNOMED CT-AU, LOINC.	
Version Number	Version number of the value domain source.	
Permissible Values	List of permissible values in the value domain.	

Table 8: Value Domain Section Legend

Usage Section Legend

The following table illustrates the layout of the Usage section and describes the various parts of the section.

Examples	One or more demonstrations of the data that is catered for by the data element. (Source NEHTA.)
	Where a data element has an associated value domain examples representative of that domain are used where possible. Where the value domain is yet to be determined an indicative example is provided.
	Implementation guides MAY contain specific examples for how data elements SHALL be populated and how they relate to each other.
	The Value Domain is applicable only to CodedText and CodeableText data elements.
Conditions of Use	Prerequisites, provisos and/or restrictions for use of the component. (Source NEHTA.)

Conditions of Use Source	The authoritative source for the Conditions of Use statement.		
Misuse	Incorrect, inappropriate and/or wrong uses of the component. (Source NEHTA.)		
Default Value	A common denomination, or at least a usable denomination, from the Value Domain where available and/or applicable, typically assigned at the creation of an instance of the component. (Source NEHTA.)		

Table 9: Usage Section Legend

Relationships Section Legend

The Relationships section specifies the cardinality and conditionality between parent and child data components.

The following table illustrates the layout of the Children relationships table.

Data Type	Name	Occurrences	Condition
Icon illustrating the Metadata type or Data type	Component Name	The maximum and minimum number of instances of this child component that SHALL occur.	The conditions that SHALL be met to include this child data element. Only applicable for elements with a Conditional obligation.

Table 10: Children Legend

The following table illustrates the layout of the Parent relationships table. Note that the relationships described by this table are from the parent to the child component.

Data Type	Name	Occurrences	Condition
Icon illustrating the Metadata or Data type	Component Name	The maximum and minimum number of instances of the component described on this page that SHALL occur.	The conditions that SHALL be met to include the data element. Only applicable for elements with a Conditional obligation.

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