

Information Standards Notice – Mandatory Collection

Following recommendation by the Standardisation Committee for Care Information (SCCI), NHS England has approved a change to an information standard.

You must comply with the change to this information standard by the full conformance date specified below.

Standard details	
SCCI unique identifier	SCCI1510 Amd 2/2015
Name	Community Information Data Set (CIDS) Version 2.7
Acceptance date	20 July 2015
Approval date	13 August 2015
Publication date	19 August 2015
Standard definition	
Description	<p>CIDS is a patient level, output based, secondary uses data set which will deliver robust, comprehensive, nationally consistent and comparable person-based information on patients who are in contact with Community Services. As a secondary uses data set it intends to re-use clinical and operational data for purposes other than direct patient care. It defines the data items, definitions and associated value sets to be extracted or derived from local systems.</p> <p>CIDS is closely aligned with SCCI1069 Children and Young People's Health Services (CYPHS) data set, which is intended to collect the same information from Community Services but only for patients aged 0 up until their nineteenth birthday.</p> <p>Please note that CIDS is an existing standard and remains for local data collection and data extraction only. The central flow of adult community data will be the subject of a future ISN; the intention is for the CYPHS data set and CIDS to be combined to reduce the burden on care providers and system suppliers of collecting two separate data sets.</p>
About this change	
Description	<p>The amendment to this standard provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greater alignment with the CYPHS data set Information Standard, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ incorporation of clinical terminology ○ addition of perceived and diagnosed disabilities ○ addition of scored assessments ○ support for Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) referrals ○ inclusion of onward referrals ○ renaming of data items to conform to the NHS Data Model and Dictionary

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ inclusion of additional data items to support validity of the data set and develop improved data quality metrics ○ removal of inpatient/urgent care data items. ● An updated definition of Community Services. ● Updated referencing to the Allied Health Professional Referral to Treatment (AHP RTT) guidance.
Scope (Health and Social Care Act 2012)	NHS Services
Applies to	<p>All activity previously covered by the NHS Standard Contract for Community Services, including variations to this which support services that have been impacted by the Transforming Community Services policy. This may include the following organisation types (both Foundation Trust and Non-Foundation Trusts):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Acute Trusts ● Mental Health Trusts ● Community Healthcare Trusts ● Care Trusts ● Social Enterprises ● Integrated Care Organisations ● Any Qualified Providers (AQPs) ● Independent Sector Providers (including Third Sector). <p>The standard also applies to suppliers of IT systems used by Community Services.</p>
Legal authority	This information standard is published under section 250 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012.
Impact	<p>CIDS is closely aligned with the approved SCCI1069 Children and Young People's Health Services (CYPHS) data set, which collects the same information from Community Services but only for patients until their nineteenth birthday. It should be noted that there is not currently any data item in the CIDS that is not also present in CYPHS; CIDS is essentially the CYPHS data set with a small number of data tables specific to children and young people removed.</p> <p>As there is no central funding for CIDS, it is recommended that both care providers and system suppliers use work carried out for the mandated CYPHS data set to underpin any work on CIDS. The expectation is that any changes made to systems or processes to support the creation and submission of CYPHS data set extracts will also support CIDS, because all data items that exist in CIDS are also included in the CYPHS data set.</p>
Link to further documentation	<p>The specification and implementation guidance documents are available on the HSCIC SCCI website: www.hscic.gov.uk/isce/publication/scci1510</p> <p>Further supporting information is available on the HSCIC CIDS page:</p>

	http://www.hscic.gov.uk/comminfodataset
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Dates	
Implementation dates	<p>System Suppliers</p> <p>From 1 September 2015, community systems should be adapted to enable full conformance no later than 1 March 2016.</p> <p>Care Providers</p> <p>From 1 September 2015, providers of NHS-funded community services should start recording data in line with the changes and should be fully conformant no later than 1 March 2016.</p>
Full conformance date	1 March 2016
Post Implementation Review date	1 September 2016

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