

Corrigendum

Standard	SCCI1580 Palliative Care Co-ordination: Core Content
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Background

This document provides supplemental information following the recent publication of SCCI1580 Palliative Care Co-ordination: Core Content in relation to the:

- confirmation of the release of terminology codes
- impact of the uplift of SNOMED CT to the international edition
- clarification of interoperability requirements on behalf of NHS England.

1 Terminology codes

This document provides confirmation that the following codes, referred to within the [Requirements Specification](#), were released by the Health and Social Care Information Centre on 17 September 2015 for use from 01 October 2015:

Data item 34: Likely Prognosis (page 90)

Snomed CT

968211000000101 | Last months of life (finding) |

Read CTV3

XacdB | Last months of life |

Read V2

2Jg.. | Last months of life |

Data item 48: Awareness of cardiopulmonary resuscitation decision (page 107)

Snomed CT

975291000000108 | Family member informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision (situation) |

975311000000109 | Carer informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision (situation) |

Read CTV3

XacqM | Family member informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision |

XacqN | Carer informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision |

Read V2

67F2 | Family member informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision |
671E3 | Carer informed of cardiopulmonary resuscitation clinical decision |

2 SNOMED CT

It has been brought to our attention that as a result of being uplifted to the international edition of SNOMED CT, the following code used within Data Item 18 (Is main carer aware of person's prognosis) on page 67 of the Requirements Specification has been superseded.

751961000000104 | Relative aware of prognosis (situation) |

has been replaced with:

473316003 | Relative aware of prognosis |

If you are using a health IT system which includes SNOMED CT codes according to licence, this will have little impact. Other non-standard uses of SNOMED CT may introduce a risk of failure to correctly share the value of this data item and you should seek advice from the Clinical Terminology team at the HSCIC - information.standards@hscic.gov.uk

3 NHS England statement

NHS England has provided clarification around the sharing of information which this standard promotes. This follows enquiries from implementers which have indicated some confusion about Section 3.1 (IT system suppliers) of the requirements specification. NHS England would like to make it clear that the standard is designed to achieve interoperability. As a result, there is the expectation that in implementing the standard, solutions will provide the ability through open structured interfaces (open APIs) for access to and notifications of update to the end of life preferences. This facilitates the sharing of information across multiple systems and multiple care providers to support the care co-ordination process.