

Summary of Changes to the Data Dictionary – Adult v3.0

This summary provides an overview of the changes made from version 2.1.2 to 3.0 of the Adult Sepsis and COVID-19 Data Dictionary. This update addresses issues identified during previous data submission periods. In addition, we made corrections and clarifications based on feedback we received via the helpdesk and during code sharing meetings. Finally, because the information in the appendices and csv file is duplicative, appendices will no longer be made available. With the removal of the Appendix document, the applicable ICD-10/NDC codes are found in the csv file of the corresponding version of the data dictionary.

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Data Dictionary

- Added language clarifying that for patients who are not admitted to the hospital (i.e., ED/Observation only), the patients' age at arrival should be used to determine reporting to the adult or the pediatric database.
- The following variables were changed from mandatory variables to mandatory variables allowing for blanks. This will prevent file rejection by the portal in rare instances where data are truly unattainable from the EHR.
 - *Demographic Variables*
 - *ICD-10-CM (POA) Indicator (n)*
 - *Insurance Number*
- Notes for Abstraction for the *Payer* variable in *Demographic Variables* were updated for clarification.
 - If the patient has no insurance prior to admission and is pending Medicaid approval during hospitalization, please report the payer as Medicaid.
- Descriptions of chronic conditions were updated for several *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables*.
- Notes for Abstraction regarding POA reporting were updated for several *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables*.
- Additional clarification and correction to notes of abstraction.

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Data Dictionary

- The following variables were **added**:
 - *Demographic Variables*:
 - *Inclusion Septic Shock*
 - *Inclusion Severe COVID*
 - *Inclusion Severe Sepsis*
 - *Patient City*
 - *Patient County Code*
 - *Patient Street Address Line 1*
 - *Patient Street Address Line 2*
 - *Patient State*

- Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables:
 - *Skin Disorders/Burns*
- The following variables were **removed**:
 - Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables:
 - *Altered Mental Status (POA)*
 - *Medication Anticoagulation (POA)*
 - Treatment (in hospital) Variables:
 - *During Hospital Anticoagulation*
 - Outcome (at discharge) Variables:
 - *Cardiovascular Outcomes at Discharge*
 - Outcome (in hospital) Variables:
 - *PE/DVT*
- Data Element and Template Variable names were updated for the following *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables* to remove references to POA indicators:

AIDS/HIV Disease	Dementia	Lymphoma/Leukemia/Multiple Myeloma
Asthma	Diabetes	Medication Immune Modifying Pre-Hospital
Chronic Liver Disease	History of COVID-19	Metastatic Cancer
Chronic Kidney Disease	History of COVID-19 Datetime	Obesity
Chronic Respiratory Failure	History of Other Cardiovascular Disease	Pregnancy Comorbidity
Congestive Heart Failure	Hypertension	Smoking Vaping
COPD	Immunocompromising	

- Modified variable name of *Chronic Renal Failure (POA)* in the *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables* section of the data dictionary to: *Chronic Kidney Disease*.
- Updated Description and Notes for Abstraction for *History of COVID-19* in the *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables* section of the data dictionary to indicate specified timeframe:
 - Description
 - Indicates that the patient has a history of a positive COVID-19 test within 12 weeks prior to admission/arrival to the hospital
 - Notes for Abstraction
 - Report “1” when the patient has a history of positive COVID-19 test within 12 weeks prior to arrival to the hospital. If there is a positive test, even if later followed by a negative test, then report the positive test date.
- Updated Codes and Values and Notes for Abstraction for *ICD-10-CM POA Indicator (n)* in the *Demographic Variables* section of the data dictionary:
 - Codes and Values
 - Replaced “E = Exempt from POA reporting” to “1 = Unreported/Not used. Exempt from POA reporting”

- Notes for Abstraction
 - **ICD-10-CM POA Indicator (n)** is not applicable to emergency department (ED)/Observation only cases. For ED/Observation only cases, report as blank.

ICD-10 codes

- The following ICD-10 codes were **added**:
 - Dialysis Treatment [dialysis_treatment_code_VerDX.X.csv]

3E1M39Z	Peritoneal Dialysis
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- The following ICD-10 codes were **removed**:
 - Dialysis Treatment [dialysis_treatment_code_VerDX.X.csv]

5A1D00Z	Performance of Urinary Filtration Single
5A1D60Z	Performance of Urinary Filtration Multiple

NDC codes

- NDC codes were updated for the following variables:
 - *Comorbidity/Risk Factor Variables*:
 - **Medication Immune Modifying Pre-Hospital**
 - *Treatment (in hospital) Variables*:
 - **During Hospital Immune Modifying Medication**