

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	SCCI0011 Amd 68/2015
Name	Mental Health Services Data Set Version 1.1
Acceptance date	12 February 2016
Approval date	19 February 2016
Publication date	22 February 2016
Standard definition	
Description	The Mental Health Services Data Set (MHSDS) is a patient level, output based, secondary uses data set which will deliver robust, comprehensive, nationally consistent and comparable person-based information for children, young people and adults who are in contact with mental health services. As a secondary uses data set it re-uses 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 information systems and submitted to the Health and Social Care Information Centre (HSCIC).
About this change	
Description	<p>Changes are required to the MHSDS in order to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> enable the reporting of community eating-disorder services for children and young people (CEDS-CYP). A new code for “Community Eating-Disorder Service for Children and Young People” has been added to the following data item code lists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MHS006MHCareCoord - Care Professional Service Or Team Type Association (Mental Health) MHS102ServiceTypeReferredTo - Service Or Team Type Referred To (Mental Health) MHS301GroupSession - Service Or Team Type Referred To (Mental Health). improve the collection of ward details by providing an indication of whether a ward is locked. To collect this information, a Locked Ward Indicator data item has been added to table MHS502WardStay. amend the tab name for MHS006 Mental Health Care Coordinator from MHS006AssignedCareCoOrd to MHS006MHCareCoord to align with the formal table name. <p>The introduction of these changes has an impact on the MHSDS Intermediate Database (IDB). All existing providers will be required to submit in a new MHSDS v1.1 IDB from May 2016. Submissions made from this point onwards using the MHSDS v1.0 IDB will be rejected.</p>

Scope (Health and Social Care Act 2012)	NHS Services
Applies to	<p>The information standard is used across the range of service providers and organisations that provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • specialist secondary mental health • learning disabilities • autism spectrum disorder services. <p>These include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHS Mental Health Trusts • NHS Learning Disabilities Trusts • NHS Acute Trusts • NHS Care Trusts • Independent sector providers offering a service model that includes NHS funded and non-NHS funded patients • Any qualified provider offering specialist secondary mental health, learning disabilities or autism spectrum disorder services • Community providers of mental health, learning disabilities or autism spectrum disorder services for children. <p>Data submission is mandatory for all instances of care that is wholly or partially funded by the NHS.</p> <p>The standard also applies to IT system suppliers for Mental Health Services. Implementation will be subject to any contractual agreements in place between suppliers and care providers using these systems.</p>
Legal authority	<p>This information standard is published under section 250 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012.</p> <p>The data collection is the subject of Directions under section 254 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012, from NHS England to the Health and Social Care Information Centre (HSCIC): https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/455853/Mental_Health_Services.pdf</p> <p>The HSCIC will be issuing a section 259 notification, under the Act, to notify providers of the requirement to supply data. This will be published on the HSCIC corporate pages of the government website: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/data-provision-notices-section-259-health-social-care-act-2012</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/scci0011</p> <p>Further supporting information is available on the HSCIC MHSDS pages: http://www.hscic.gov.uk/mhsds</p>

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Dates	
Implementation date	<p>System Suppliers From 1 April 2016, Mental Health systems MUST be fully conformant with the changes to this information standard.</p> <p>Care Providers From 1 April 2016 providers of NHS-funded Mental Health Services MUST be able to collect the information as defined in the Technical Output Specification for local use.</p> <p>From 1 May 2016, providers of NHS-funded Mental Health Services MUST begin submitting MHSDS submissions in accordance with this change to the information standard.</p>
Full conformance date	20 May 2016
Post Implementation Review date	20 May 2017

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