

Type: Change Request
Reference: 1713
Version No: 1.0
Subject: Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set Update
Effective Date: Immediate
Reason for Change: Change to Information Standards
Publication Date: 21 March 2019

Background:

The Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set was approved by the Information Standards Board for Health and Social Care (ISB) as [ISB 1593 Amd 27/2012](#).

A number of changes have been identified since the last version, and the updated version of the data set includes:

- The data set now covers patients aged 16 or over.
- From April 2017 NHS Improvement became responsible for publishing the official statistics for the Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set.
- The Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set will be submitted centrally to the Strategic Data Collection Service. This replaces Unify2 that was previously used.
- Changes to Organisation and Organisation Site Code Data Items to reflect changes to organisation reference data maintained and published by the Organisation Data Service, as defined by [SCCI0090: Health and Social Care Organisation Reference Data](#).

To support the Information Standard, this Change Request updates the NHS Data Model and Dictionary to introduce the changes to the Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set.

To view a demonstration on "How to Read an NHS Data Model and Dictionary Change Request", visit the NHS Data Model and Dictionary help pages at: https://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/Flash_Files/changerequest.htm.

Note: if the web page does not open, please copy the link and paste into the web browser.

Summary of changes:

Data Set

[VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENT DATA SET](#)

Changed Description

Supporting Information

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Changed Description

[VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL](#)

Changed Description

Data Elements

[ADMITTED PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL](#) renamed from [ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL](#)

Changed Description, Name

[ADMITTED PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL](#) renamed from [ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL](#)

Changed Description, Name

Date: 21 March 2019

Sponsor: Kathy McLean, Executive Medical Director, NHS Improvement

Note: New text is shown with a blue background. Deleted text is crossed out. Retired text is shown in grey. Within the Diagrams deleted classes and relationships are red, changed items are blue and new items are green.

VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENT DATA SET

Change to Data Set: Changed Description

~~This data set is out of date therefore the information should not be used.~~

For further information, see the [NHS Improvement](#) website at: [Venous thromboembolism \(VTE\) risk assessment](#) - Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set Overview

[Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set Overview](#) Click [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set](#) for a "Full Screen" view.

In the "Full Screen" view, to return to the "Data Set" view, click the browser "back" button.

The Mandatory (M) column indicates the recommendation for the inclusion of data.

- M = Mandatory: this data element is mandatory and the technical process (e.g. submission of the data set, production of output etc.) cannot be completed without this data element being present.

Data Set Data Elements	
Organisation and Reporting Period	
ORGANISATION CODE (CODE OF PROVIDER)	
REPORTING PERIOD START DATE	
REPORTING PERIOD END DATE	
Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessments: To carry the numbers of Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessments carried out in the month and the total patients admitted:	
ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL	
ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL	
SUBMISSION IDENTIFIER	

To carry the submission identifier details. One occurrence of this group is required.	
M	Data Set Data Elements
M	ORGANISATION IDENTIFIER (CODE OF PROVIDER)
M	REPORTING PERIOD START DATE
M	REPORTING PERIOD END DATE

VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENTS

Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessments: To carry the numbers of Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessments carried out in the month and the total patients admitted.	
M	Data Set Data Elements
M	ADMITTED PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL
M	ADMITTED PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL

VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENT DATA SET OVERVIEW

Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

This data set is out of date therefore the information should not be used.

For further information, see the [NHS Improvement website](#) at: [Venous thromboembolism \(VTE\) risk assessment](#). The purpose of the Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set is to quantify the number of PATIENTS (aged 16 and over) admitted to hospital, who are risk assessed for Venous Thromboembolism using the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#) to allow appropriate preventative treatment based on guidance from the [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence \(NICE\)](#).

The purpose of the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set](#) is to quantify the number of adult PATIENTS (aged 18 and over) admitted to hospital, who are risk assessed for Venous Thromboembolism using the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#) to allow appropriate preventative treatment based on guidance from the [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence](#). **Collection and submission:**

Collection and submission of the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set](#) All providers of NHS funded acute hospital care (including [NHS Foundation Trusts](#) and [Independent Providers](#) of acute NHS services) must complete this data collection.

All providers of NHS funded acute hospital care (including foundation trusts and [Independent Providers](#) of acute NHS services) must complete this data collection. Data on Venous Thromboembolism risk assessments is uploaded onto the Strategic Data Collection Service (SDCS) each month no later than 20 working days after the month end. Revisions to the data set before the cut off date are allowed, however revisions made after the cut off date must be made in liaison with [NHS Improvement](#).

Data on Venous Thromboembolism risk assessments is uploaded onto [Unify2](#) each month no later than 20 working days after the month end. Revisions to the data set before the cut off date are allowed however, revisions made after the cut off date must be made in liaison with the [Department of Health and Social Care](#). **Further guidance:**

For further guidance on the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Data Set](#), see the:

- [NHS England website](#) at [Venous Thromboembolism \(VTE\) Risk Assessment](#)
- [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence website](#) at [Venous thromboembolism – reducing the risk](#).
- [NHS Improvement website](#) at [Venous thromboembolism \(VTE\) risk assessment](#)
- [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence website](#) at: [Venous thromboembolism in over 16s: reducing the risk of hospital-acquired deep vein thrombosis or pulmonary embolism](#).

VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL

Change to Supporting Information: Changed Description

The [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#) is a type of [ASSESSMENT TOOL](#).

The [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#) assesses adult PATIENTS (aged 18 or over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#), for the risk of Venous Thromboembolism. The [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#) is used to assess PATIENTS (aged 16 or over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#), for the risk of Venous Thromboembolism.

For further guidance on the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#), see the: For further guidance on the Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool, see the [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence \(NICE\) website](#) at: [Venous thromboembolism in over 16s: reducing the risk of hospital-acquired deep vein thrombosis or pulmonary embolism](#).

- [NHS England website at Venous Thromboembolism \(VTE\) Risk Assessment](#)
- [National Institute for Health and Care Excellence website at Venous thromboembolism – reducing the risk.](#)

ADMITTED PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL_ renamed from ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Name

Format/Length:	max n7
National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

Notes:

~~[ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL](#) is the total number of adult [PATIENTS](#) (aged 18 and over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#) in the month, for all [PATIENT CLASSIFICATIONS](#). [ADMITTED PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL](#) is the total number of [PATIENTS](#) (aged 16 and over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#) in the month.~~

ADMITTED PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL_ renamed from ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS IN MONTH TOTAL

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Name

- Changed Description
- Changed Name from Data_Dictionary.Data_Field_Notes.A.Ad.ADMITTED_ADULT_PATIENTS_IN_MONTH_TOTAL to Data_Dictionary.Data_Field_Notes.A.Ad.ADMITTED_PATIENTS_IN_MONTH_TOTAL

ADMITTED PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL_ renamed from ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Name

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National Codes:	
Default Codes:	

Notes:

~~[ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL](#) is the total number of adult [PATIENTS](#) (aged 18 and over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#) in the month, for all [PATIENT CLASSIFICATIONS](#), who are risk-assessed using the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#). [ADMITTED PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL](#) is the total number of [PATIENTS](#) (aged 16 and over) admitted to a [Hospital Provider](#) in the month, who are risk assessed using the [Venous Thromboembolism Risk Assessment Tool](#).~~

ADMITTED PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL_ renamed from ADMITTED ADULT PATIENTS RISK ASSESSED FOR VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM IN MONTH TOTAL

Change to Data Element: Changed Description, Name

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- Changed Name from Data_Dictionary.Data_Field_Notes.A.Ad.ADMITTED_ADULT_PATIENTS_RISK_ASSESSED_FOR_VENOUS_THROMBOEMBOLISM_IN_MONTH to Data_Dictionary.Data_Field_Notes.A.Ad.ADMITTED_PATIENTS_RISK_ASSESSED_FOR_VENOUS_THROMBOEMBOLISM_IN_MONTH TOTAL

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