

IRSS Information Requirements and Standards Sub Committee	Subject: Data Standards: The implementation of new codes for Source of Admission and Discharge Destination to indicate admissions from and discharges to hospital providers in the same Trust. In line with the new definitions for Provider(Trust) Spell, Hospital Site Spell and Discharge
	Implementation date: 1 st September 2001

DATA SET CHANGE CONTROL PROCEDURE

This paper gives notification of changes to be included in the NHS Wales Data Dictionary.

Summary of change:

The addition of the following codes to SOURCE of ADMISSION and DISCHARGE DESTINATION data fields to indicate patients who are admitted from or discharged to hospitals within the same trust.

Summary of impact:

PAS System Master files for Source of Admission and Discharge Destination will need to be updated locally to include the new codes. This should have minimal impact where master files are locally populated.

<i>Change Proposal Reference</i> <i>No: IRSS 01/01</i>

The Information Requirements and Standards Sub Committee (IRSS), is responsible for approving information standards.

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DATA SET CHANGE NOTICE 30/2001 (W)

- Reference:** IRSS 01/01
WHIMG Sub Group- Hospital Discharges and Information Currencies
- Subject:** Inclusion of codes SOURCE OF ADMISSION 55,56,57 and DISCHARGE DESTINATION codes 55,56,57 for patients who are admitted from or discharged to hospitals within the same trust
- Type of Change:** Changes to NHS Wales Data Dictionary
- Effective Date:** 1st September 2001
- Reason for Change:** In order to be able to aggregate the new reporting currencies from the lowest patient activity level (PEDW).

Background:

To support the NHS Plan for Wales it is necessary to ensure that activity data is collected at the lowest level possible and that aggregated data sets can be formed from this level.

IRSS and WHIMG set up a sub group to investigate the data changes required in order that this need was met.

The IRSS committee (June 2001) agreed this approach and an impact assessment was undertaken regarding the impact on Trust systems and to obtain the views. Agreement was obtained at the IRSS meeting for the inclusion of these additional codes. A copy of the changed definitions is included with this DSCN

Summary:

Add new data codes to PAS system Master-files for Source of Admission and Discharge Destination and introduce the changes in Data Dictionary version 2.3. New codes should be submitted in the APCmds99 extract.

SOURCE OF ADMISSION CODES (PEDW, APCmds 99)

Format: 2-digit numeric

The source from which the patient has come prior to an admission to a hospital site or nursing episode when the patient is in a nursing home.

19- usual place of residence i.e. private dwelling, whether owner occupied, owned by local authority, housing association or private landlord. This includes wardened accommodation but not residential accommodation where healthcare is provided

29- Temporary place of residence, when usually resident elsewhere includes hotel, residential education institution

39- Penal establishment court or police station.

49- Special Hospital*

51- Other NHS Trust Provider- ward for general patients or young physically disabled.

52- Other NHS Trust Provider- ward for maternity patients and neonates.

53- Other NHS Trust Provider- ward for patients who are mentally ill or learning disabilities.

54- NHS run Nursing Home, Residential Care Home or Group Home.

55- Hospital site within the same Trust- ward for general patients or young physically disabled.

56- Hospital site within the same Trust- ward for maternity patients and neonates.

57- Hospital site within the same Trust- ward for patients who are mentally ill or learning disabilities.

65- Local Authority Part 3 residential accommodation i.e. where care is provided.

66- Local Authority foster care but not in Part 3 residential accommodation.

79- Babies born in or on way to hospital.

85- Non-NHS (other than Local Authority) run residential care home.

86- Non-NHS (other than Local Authority) run nursing home.

87- Non-NHS run hospital.

88- Non-NHS (other than Local Authority) run Hospice

DISCHARGE DESTINATION

Format: 2-digit numeric

The destination of the patient on completion of a hospital site spell,

19- usual place of residence i.e. private dwelling, whether owner occupied, owned by local authority, housing association or private landlord. This includes wardened accommodation but not residential accommodation where healthcare is provided

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66- Local Authority foster care but not in Part 3 residential accommodation.

79- ** Not applicable- patient died or stillbirth

85- Non-NHS (other than Local Authority) run residential care home.

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98- Not applicable - hospital provider spell not finished at episode end (i.e. not discharged, or current episode unfinished)

*** derived from section 10 of the Hospital and Health services Yearbook**

**** derived when discharge method = 4or 5**

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (APC mds99, PEDW)

A health care provider providing services of the following:

- a) A separately managed NHS Trust for patients using a hospital bed, or for patients using a nursing home bed under the care of a consultant.
- b) A private hospital, home or clinic registered under section 23 of the Registered Homes Act 1984.

PROVIDER (Trust) SPELL (APC mds99, PEDW)

The total continuous stay of a patient using a bed(s) on premises controlled by one health care provider during which medical care is the responsibility of one or more consultants.

HOSPITAL (Site) SPELL

The period of continuous care for one or more consultants between an admission and discharge on **one** hospital site.

1. Each admission generates a hospital site spell.
2. Each hospital site spell ends with a discharge destination.
3. Each admission as part of a series of regular day/night admissions generates a separate hospital site spell with an intended management code of (4).
4. A patient may take home leave, which does not interrupt the hospital site spell.

DISCHARGE

Discharge is the end of the patient's continuous spell using a bed(s) in one hospital site. If a patient dies this counts as a discharge.

Notes in relation to psychiatric specialties (700- 715)

1. A patient detained in a psychiatric hospital that is sent to another provider unit for treatment should not be discharged from the psychiatric consultant unless released from detention.
2. Patients who are not under detention should be discharged if sent to another provider unit and readmitted on their return.
3. A patient with a mental disorder should be counted as discharged if they leave the hospital for a trial leave. This will apply even if the authority for detention in the hospital is still in force.