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VERSION 2.1.0

Dear dm+d User,

**2023 dm+d ENHANCEMENT UPDATE NOTES**

**Note 1: Regarding the second item in the table below**

From Monday 13 February, the majority of dm+d VTM content will use the SNOMED IDs for the ‘contains only’ Medicinal Product concepts from the SNOMED CT International data. Details about this change can be seen within the [terminology web pages](https://gbr01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdigital.nhs.uk%2Fservices%2Fdigital-and-interoperable-medicines%2Fuk-medicines-terminology-futures%2Fchanges-to-digital-terminologies&data=05%7C01%7Cguy.jepson%40nhs.net%7Cdfb49b7345c442623a4308db09cd57bd%7C37c354b285b047f5b22207b48d774ee3%7C0%7C0%7C638114549758024991%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=7jnkHTfTsACORznP4XFkPCR3Vjcyt3oxoSgc6Kl%2Fm04%3D&reserved=0). A list of the changes that have been made can be seen within the [supporting resources](https://gbr01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fnhs-prod.global.ssl.fastly.net%2Fbinaries%2Fcontent%2Fassets%2Fwebsite-assets%2Fservices%2Fdigital-and-interoperable-medicines%2Fuk-medicines-terminology-futures%2Fchanges-to-digital-terminologies%2Ffile-vtm-content-to-link-to-contains-only.xlsx&data=05%7C01%7Cguy.jepson%40nhs.net%7Cdfb49b7345c442623a4308db09cd57bd%7C37c354b285b047f5b22207b48d774ee3%7C0%7C0%7C638114549758024991%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=MjNC1ahk0VS6mKNYF8XKYJWZR9%2FigW1pERBZAuRfEvw%3D&reserved=0).

Some VTMs in dm+d still need their IDs to be updated and these will be worked through over the coming months as a second phase.

VTMs with a UK Extension ID where no equivalent “contains only” Medicinal Product concept exists in the SNOMED International data will remain unchanged in dm+d by this work.

**Note 2: Advanced notice of ‘Sample batch’ VMP changes – Monday 27th February 2023**

As part of the shift to use UK extension IDs for all VMP concepts in both dm+d and SNOMED CT UK Drug Extension, the sample batch of VMP ID changes is planned to take place on Monday 27th February 2023. The roll-out plan and list of VMP ID changes can be found [here](https://gbr01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdigital.nhs.uk%2Fservices%2Fdigital-and-interoperable-medicines%2Fuk-medicines-terminology-futures%2Fchanges-to-digital-terminologies%2Fvirtual-medicinal-products-changing-from-snomed-core-code-to-snomed-uk-extension&data=05%7C01%7Cguy.jepson%40nhs.net%7C5b01a0f77d7642ea36cf08db03957939%7C37c354b285b047f5b22207b48d774ee3%7C0%7C0%7C638107712730789802%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=r%2BitBTwSrTsH9RYN8h3LkZara26eVw1RoFU16E7k4V8%3D&reserved=0).

For queries relating to this or any of the other dm+d and SNOMED CT UK Drug Extension changes, please contact [nhsdigital.ukmeds@nhs.net](mailto:nhsdigital.ekmeds@nhs.net).

**Note 3: New supplementary file**

In-line with below, **we are confirming that in the dm+d files from 16th January onwards,** there will also be a supplementary file provided containing all the dm+d historic codes.

Two are being implemented in January and February as follows:

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| **dm+d change** | **What do I need to consider?** | **Go-live date** |
| Addition of dm+d ‘historic codes’ XML file, to dm+d supplementary weekly release | * If your system supplier manages your dm+d data, ask them if and how they plan to use this data * If the Trust manages dm+d data, will you start to use this data? * Which dm+d concepts do you use that contain fields for ‘current’ and ‘previous IDs’   The dm+d historic code file will be a bonus/supplementary file within the weekly TRUD release.  Historic code data files will be found in the ZIP file under a folder named:  HISTORIC\_CODES  XML filename format: f\_history1\_0DDMMYY.xml  XSD filename: history\_V1\_0.xsd | Additional dm+d historic code file will be available in TRUD w/c 16 January 2023 |
| Change current dm+d VTM content to link to “contains only X” Medicinal Products in SNOMED International Edition  **Please see Note 1 above for update** | * Do you use or map to VTM concepts? * If your system supplier manages your dm+d data, ask them how they plan to make these changes in their systems and what impact there may be to end users * How will dm+d updates be managed where you have systems that integrate with each other? * If the Trust manages dm+d data, what will be the process for taking and handling the code changes in dm+d updates? Do you use ‘current’ and ‘previous’ VTM IDs?   The availability of dm+d ‘historic codes’ will support you with these changes. | w/c 13 February 2023 |

For further information about the enhancements, including those above, read [https://digital.nhs.uk/services/digital-and-interoperable-medicines/uk-medicines-terminology-futures](https://gbr01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdigital.nhs.uk%2Fservices%2Fdigital-and-interoperable-medicines%2Fuk-medicines-terminology-futures&data=05%7C01%7Cnicola.quinn1%40nhs.net%7C89bd93921bc7467633ce08dade8c0e57%7C37c354b285b047f5b22207b48d774ee3%7C0%7C0%7C638066990351943987%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=5isqg3cAYw9d80r3wv3ZJjZwNhSrx5gpmLV98lxJPh0%3D&reserved=0)

If you have any queries about these changes email [nhsdigital.ukmeds@nhs.net](mailto:nhsdigital.ukmeds@nhs.net)

**DHSC require these concepts to be made available and visible (similar to licensed medicines) in prescribing and dispensing systems for the time being.**

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| **Specials/Imports added at request of DHSC to mitigate shortages in the supply chain** | | | |
| **AMP Name** | **AMP SNOMED Code** | **Import/Special** | **dm+d extract date** |
| Desmopressin 150micrograms/dose nasal spray | 38955011000001100 | Imported | 14/09/2020 |
| Desmopressin 150micrograms/dose nasal spray | 38996011000001101 | Special Order | 21/09/2020 |
| Cloral betaine 707mg tablets | 39069011000001104 | Imported | 12/10/2020 |
| Gynokadin 0.06% gel | 40714711000001102 | Imported (Germany) | 13/06/2022 |
| Oestraclin 0.06% gel | 40714911000001100 | Imported (Spain) | 13/06/2022 |
| Sandrena 1mg gel sachets | 40715411000001109 | Imported (Italy) | 13/06/2022 |
| Lenzetto 1.53mg/dose transdermal spray | 40715811000001106 | Imported (Poland) | 13/06/2022 |
| Ovestin 1mg cream | 40716111000001105 | Imported (Germany) | 13/06/2022 |
| Promethazine hydrochloride 25mg tablets | 40822911000001101 | Imported | 18/07/2022 |
| Temazepam 10mg tablets | 41082311000001100 | Imported | 03/10/2022 |
| Terizidone 250mg tablets | 41330211000001101 | Imported | 12/12/2022 |
| Cycloserine 250mg capsules | 38961511000001103 | Imported | 12/12/2022 |

**Advance Notice of Invalidations**

None

**Invalidations**

The following packs have been invalidated with immediate effect as we were made aware they were never launched.

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| **Concept to be made Invalid** | **Replacement concepts** |
| **VMP** | **VMP** |
| Citalopram 10mg tablets  (VMP not being invalidated) | n/a |
| **VMP SNOMED ID** | **VMP SNOMED ID** |
| 321989000 | n/a |
| **VMPP** | **VMPP** |
| 250 | n/a |
| **VMPP SNOMED ID** | **VMPP SNOMED ID** |
| 38194711000001106 | n/a |
| **AMP** | **AMP** |
| Citalopram 10mg tablets (Viatris UK Healthcare Ltd)  (AMP not being invalidated) | n/a |
| **AMP SNOMED ID** | **AMP SNOMED ID** |
| 4817511000001102 | n/a |
| **AMPP** | **AMPP** |
| 250 | n/a |
| **AMPP SNOMED ID** | **AMPP SNOMED ID** |
| 38194811000001103 | n/a |

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| **Concept to be made Invalid** | **Replacement concepts** |
| **VMP** | **VMP** |
| Citalopram 20mg tablets  (VMP not being invalidated) | n/a |
| **VMP SNOMED ID** | **VMP SNOMED ID** |
| 321987003 | n/a |
| **VMPP** | **VMPP** |
| 250 | n/a |
| **VMPP SNOMED ID** | **VMPP SNOMED ID** |
| 38195111000001109 | n/a |
| **AMP** | **AMP** |
| Citalopram 20mg tablets (Viatris UK Healthcare Ltd)  (AMP not being invalidated) | n/a |
| **AMP SNOMED ID** | **AMP SNOMED ID** |
| 4817711000001107 | n/a |
| **AMPP** | **AMPP** |
| 250 | n/a |
| **AMPP SNOMED ID** | **AMPP SNOMED ID** |
| 38195211000001103 | n/a |

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