

Briefing Note for the Member Forum, Content Manager Advisory Group and Clinical Leads Group 5 October 2022

Proposed Inactivation of 272426002|Specific site descriptor (qualifier value)| and Subtypes

Purpose

The purpose of this note is to inform the Member Forum (MF), Content Manager Advisory Group (CMAG) and Clinical Leads Group of the proposed inactivation of 272426002|Specific site descriptor (qualifier value)| and subtypes - approximately 101 concepts.

Issues

272426002|Specific site descriptor (qualifier value)| and subtypes contain a set of concepts that are mainly represented in the body structure hierarchy. Concepts such as 264010009|Gastric (qualifier value)| represent the adjectival form of the body structure. Some of these concepts duplicate descriptions for new concepts that are required for the drug maintenance project. The concepts can be reviewed [here](#)

Next Steps

Subject to approval for this proposal, 272426002|Specific site descriptor (qualifier value)| and subtypes will be inactivated with inactivation reason 'non conformance to editorial policy' and association target 'alternative' with a target concept that is a subtype of 123037004|Body structure (body structure)| where appropriate.

Recommendations

It is recommended that MF, CMAG and Clinical Leads Group representatives give advance warning to users who may be affected by these concept inactivations.



| Approvals | Date | Name |
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