

Use of SNOMED CT in the Swedish National Medication List









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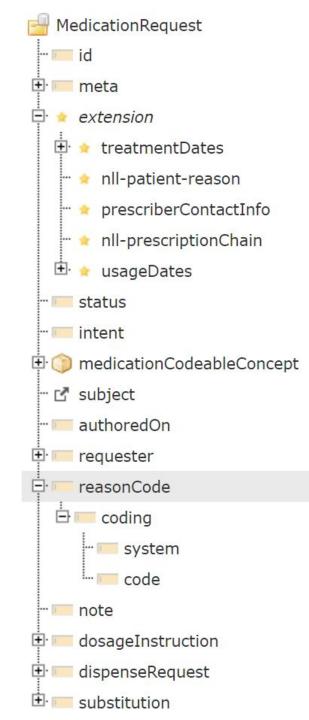
Background

- One structured medication list per citizen
- Uses include
 - Patient care
 - Pharmacy systems
 - Billing
 - Follow-up and research
- One repository with multiple clients
 - Typically EHRs



Background

- FHIR is used for communication
- Routine use starts June 1 2020-2022



Value sets for the medication list

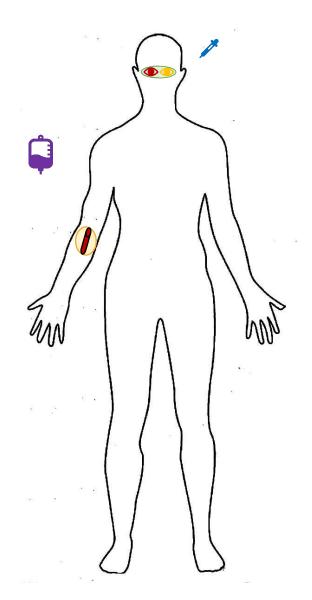
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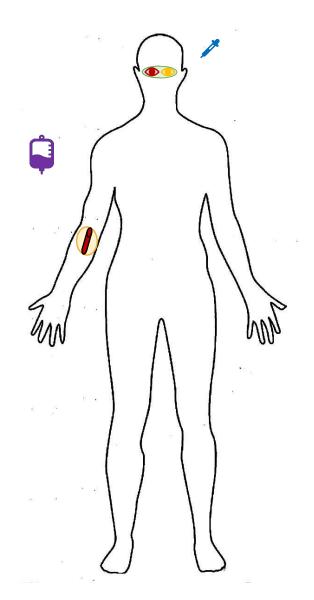


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Additional information

- Dose unit
- Reason for prescription
 - Existing SNOMED CT subset

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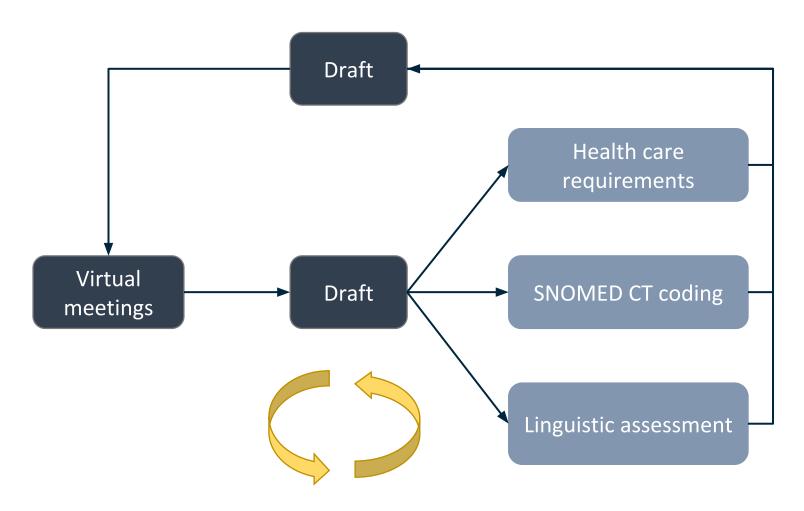


EDQM and SNOMED CT

- Medicinal product data from EU MPAs will use EDQM
- EDQM has relevant terminology for
 - Route of administration
 - Administration method
 - Intended site
- ...but built for regulatory use (intended or registered use) not clinical use
 - Extension is necessary



Development process





Results

- Mappings from EDQM to SNOMED CT for route of administration
- SNOMED CT was used for 6 value sets
 - Five value sets for means of administration
 - One value set for dose units
- Terms for professionals and patients



Results

	Total concepts	Added	Not in EDQM
Route of administration	73	9	1
Administration method	26	11	10
Medical device	26	2	-
Site	43	0	-
Site specification	12	0	-
Dose unit	58	15	-



Thanks!

