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## Release Notes

### Shared Decision Making Information Standard

#### V1.0

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#### Summary of changes

The standard is published as V1.0 following endorsement by relevant professional bodies, with a few small changes included as described below.

The implementation guidance and a few descriptions have been updated in response to the RC Paediatrics and Child Health looking to make sure it represented children appropriately, including any links to the NICE guidance [Overview | Babies, children and young people's experience of healthcare | Guidance | NICE](#).

The value sets for role and person relationship have been updated to match the latest used across other PRSB standards to maintain consistency.

Some corrections have been made to cardinalities found to be incorrect in V0.6 of the information model.

#### Details of the changes

The changes for children are:

- Shared decision point/Pre-discussion information shared; Implementation guidance updated to add specific reference to children.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/People involved in making the decision; Description and implementation guidance updated to make them specific for children and reference to relevant guidance in the NICE guideline [NG204] Babies, children and young people's experience of healthcare.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/People involved in making the decision/relationship; Description updated to add **parent**, **foster parent** in the examples.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/People involved in making the decision/relationship type; Description updated to add **legal guardian** to the example.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/Shared agenda setting/patient agenda; Implementation guidance updated to add: **In an SDM**

discussion with children, for example, the length of discussion is particularly important to maintain optimum focus throughout and so may require further appointments.

- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/Shared agenda setting/clinician agenda; Implementation guidance updated to add: In an SDM discussion with children, for example, the length of discussion is particularly important to maintain optimum focus throughout and so may require further appointments.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/What matters to the person; Implementation guidance updated to add: For children the NICE Guideline Babies, children and young people's experience of healthcare (<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng204>) states in 1.5.15 "Assume that all children and young people have views and opinions about their own healthcare, and actively encourage them to express what matters to them..."
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/Decision issues cluster/Information withheld or sharing delayed/Information sharing delayed; Implementation guidance updated to add: For children the NICE Guideline Babies, children and young people's experience of healthcare (<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng204>) states in 1.5.2 "Give all children and young people opportunities to express their opinions about their health needs independently, including: • asking them about the extent to which they want their parent or carer to be involved in their healthcare • offering to see them separately from their parents or carers for part of the consultation." It maybe appropriate to record where information sharing was delayed until a private conversation could be held if requested by a child/ young person."

The corrections to cardinality and changes to value sets are:

- Contacts with professionals/ Contacts with professionals record entry/Responsible professional/Name; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/ Contacts with professionals record entry/Responsible professional/Role; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/ Contacts with professionals record entry/Contact type group; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 0...\*), and this has become a group with both coded value and free text elements.
- Contacts with professionals/Contacts with professionals record entry/Audio or video recording of the conversation/Audio or visual recording made; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/Contacts with professionals record entry/Audio or video recording of the conversation/Consent for audio or video recording of the conversation; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/Contacts with professionals record entry/Audio or video recording of the conversation/Copy of video or audio recording; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/Contacts with professionals record entry/Professionals present/Name; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1).
- Contacts with professionals/Contacts with professionals record entry/Professionals present; Cardinality corrected to be 0...1 (not 1...1), and value set updated to the workforce dataset NHS Occupation codes

- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/People involved in the decision/Relationship; Value set updated for consistency with the latest used in other standards to be the FHIR value set: Person relationship type.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/People involved in the decision/Role; Value set updated for consistency with the latest used in other standards to be the workforce dataset NHS Occupation codes.
- Shared decision point/Discussion actions/Decision dialogue (deliberation)/Decision support tool item entry; Cardinality corrected to be 0...\* (was 0...1).