

DICOM Correction Proposal Form

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Log Summary:	Correct VR of Performed Procedure Step ID to (0040,0253) to SH
Type of Modification	Name of Standard
Clarification	PS 3.6
<p>Rationale for Correction</p> <p>Data Element (0040,0253) Performed Procedure Step ID is specified in PS3.6 with a VR of CS. The Attribute Description in PS 3.3 in C.4.14 is: "User or equipment generated identifier of that part of a Procedure that has been carried out within this step".</p> <p>This VR is erroneous and has generally been interpreted in a manner consistent with the attribute description of other IDs of the same class such as Scheduled Procedure Step ID or Study ID which all have a VR of SH. It should be changed from CS to SH.</p>	
<p>Sections of documents affected</p> <p>In PS 3.6, data dictionary entry (0040,0253)</p>	
<p>Correction Wording:</p> <p>In PS 3.6, change the VR value to SH. Current line:</p> <p>(0040,0253) Performed Procedure Step ID CS 1</p> <p>shall be changed into:</p> <p>(0040,0253) Performed Procedure Step ID SH 1</p>	