

Measurements Communicare Mapping

The most recent qualifier is used for each CAT measurement. The value of the qualifier and the date it was recorded is exported to CAT. Some measurements have an additional flag for service incentive payments. This flag is set if the particular measurement has been recorded in the previous six months and the previous six months before that.

Pathology Results

Pathology Results must be received in atomised HL7 format in order for the results to be picked up by Communicare and processed automatically into qualifiers. 'Atomised' format means that the HL7 results contain the data in predefined coded segments. The test name and LOINC (Logical Observation Identifiers Names & Codes) code are the important data the extraction tool looks for. If an investigation request is matched to a result which is known to have certain qualifiers associated with it, these qualifiers will be linked through to the investigation result. This allows qualifiers that were automatically imported (via LOINC codes) to be reviewed while reviewing the result itself. Numeric and true/false qualifiers are supported. Numeric qualifiers receive the numeric value coded by the laboratory in the result. True/false qualifiers receive the 'Abnormal' flag coded by the laboratory in the result. This means that the qualifier will record whether the lab declared the result to be abnormal, not the actual text returned by the lab.

CAT Measurement	Communicare Qualifier
Waist	'Waist Circumference' or any qualifier with system code WCM
Cholesterol	'Total Cholesterol Level' or any qualifier with system code CHO
HDL	'HDL level' or any qualifier with system code HDL
LDL	'LDL Level' or any qualifier with system code LDL
Triglycerides	'Triglyceride Level' or any qualifier with system code TRG
Creatinine	'Creatinine' or any qualifier with system code CRU
Urinary creatinine	'Urinary creatinine' or any qualifier with LOINC code 14683-7
Microalbumin	'Albumin' or any qualifier with system code ALB
ACR (Microalbumin Creatinine Ratio)	'ACR (Alb/Creat Ratio)' or any qualifier with system code ACR
HbA1c	'HbA1c' or any qualifier with system code HBA
BP - Systolic	'BP - Systolic blood pressure' or any qualifier with system code BPS
BP - Diastolic	'BP - Diastolic blood pressure' or any qualifier with system code BPD
HbA1c	'HbA1c' or any qualifier with system code HBA
INR	'INR (International Normalised Ratio)' or any qualifier with system code INR
Random Blood Glucose	'Blood glucose level - random' or any qualifier with system code BGR
Fasting Blood Glucose	'Blood glucose level - fasting' or any qualifier with system code BGF
Height	'Height' or any qualifier with system code HCM
Weight	'Weight' or any qualifier with system code WKG

CAT Measurement	Communicare Qualifier
Birth Weight	Birth Weight from patient biographics. If this is not recorded, uses qualifier with system code WGK) recorded on day of birth.
BMI	'BMI' or any qualifier with system code BMI
Haemoglobin	'Haemoglobin' or any qualifier with system code HBH
Protein Creatinine Ratio	'PCR (Protein/Creatinine Ratio)' or any qualifier with system code PCR
Chlamydia Test	'Chlamydia result abnormal' or any qualifier with system code XCL
HIV Test	'HIV result abnormal' or any qualifier with system code XHI
Gonorrhoea Test	'Gonorrhoea result abnormal' or any qualifier with system code XGN
Syphilis Test	'Syphilis result abnormal' or any qualifier with system code XSX

Eye Exam	'Eye Exam' or any qualifier with export code of EYEEXAM
Foot Exam	'Foot Exam' or any qualifier with export code of FOOTEXAM
Pap Smear	<p>'PAP smear done' or any qualifier with export code of PAPSMEAR</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Any clinical item with the export code of PAPSMEAR</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Any investigation request with description of PAP SMEAR</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Any investigation result that contains the following words: PAP, CCSR or CYG</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Any investigation result that contains the following phrases: NON SCREENING SMEAR, GYNAECOLOGICAL CYTOLOGY, CYTOLOGY GYNAECOLOGICAL, CERVICAL CYTOLOGY, CERVICAL - CONVENTIONAL SMEAR, CERVICAL SMEAR, CYTOLOGY GYNAECOLOGICAL, CERVICAL SMR</p>
Physical Activity	<p>Dropdown list type qualifiers with system code = 'EXL'. Export codes on dropdown list selected becomes the value exported to CAT.</p> <p>The standard Communicare distribution uses "Exercise Level" as the qualifier. Dropdown list values map:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent >30min mod. most days = 1 = Sufficient (moderate or vigorous physical activity) • Good = 30min mod. most days = 1 = Sufficient (moderate or vigorous physical activity) • Poor < 30min mod. most days = 2 = Insufficient • Sedentary = 3 = Sedentary • Special needs = 9 = Not stated/inadequately described