

DICOM Correction Item

Correction Number	CP-57
Log Summary: Image Position coordinate system units	
Type of Modification Clarification	Name of Standard PS 3.3 - 1993
Rationale for correction The Attribute Description for Image Position (Patient), in Table C.7-8 - Image Plane module attributes, does not specify units for the coordinate system. This makes the spatial relationship of images with the same Frame of Reference UID ambiguous.	
Sections of document affected PS3.3 - 1993, section C.7.6.2, Table C.7-8	
Correction Wording Add the text shown in BOLD , to the description of Image Position (0020,0032): The x, y, and z coordinates of the upper left hand corner (first pixel transmitted) of the image, in mm . See C.7.6.2.1 for further explanation.	