

DICOM Correction Proposal Form

Correction Number		CP-207
Log Summary: Retire Unused DICOM Attributes		
Type of Modification	Name of Standard	
Correction	PS 3.6 - 2001	
<p>Rationale for Correction:</p> <p>There are a couple of DICOM Attributes which can be found only in Part 6 (DICOM Dictionary) of the Standard:</p> <p>Therapy Type (0018,0037) – introduced in Supplement 4, presumably for Therapy Module</p> <p>Mask Pointer(s) (0028,6030) – introduced in Supplement 4, presumably for Frame Pointers Module</p> <p>Distance Source to Support (0040,0307) – introduced in Supplement 32, presumably for X-Ray Acquisition Dose Module</p> <p>Referenced Procedure Step Sequence (0040,0330) – introduced in Supplement 17, intent not clear</p> <p>These attributes are not referenced in any other parts of the DICOM Standard.</p>		
Sections of documents affected		
PS 3.6 – 2001		
Section 6 Registry of DICOM Data Elements		
Correction Wording:		

Mark the following entries in PS 3.6 - 2001, Section 6 as retired

Tag	Name	VR	VM	
(0018,0037)	Therapy Type	CS	1	RET
(0028,6030)	Mask Pointer(s)	US	1-n	RET
(0040,0307)	Distance Source to Support	DS	1	RET
(0040,0330)	Referenced Procedure Step Sequence	SQ	1	RET