

DICOM Correction Proposal Form

Correction Number		CP-350
Log Summary: Addition of phase description in NM IODs		
Type of Modification	Name of Standard	
Enhancement	PS 3.3 and PS 3.6 2003	
Rationale for Correction <p>The NM IOD contains a Phase Information Sequence containing items that define each phase of a dynamic acquisition. It has been suggested that in addition to the existing attributes it would be useful to allow a text description of each phase.</p> <p>Examples are: "Flow", "Washout", "Uptake", "Emptying", "Excretion", etc.</p> <p>This CP defines a new attribute for such a purpose.</p>		
Sections of documents affected PS 3.3 Section C.8.4.14 and PS 3.6 Section 6		
Correction Wording:		

Add the following text to the end of Table C.8-14 in PS3.3.

**Table C.8-14
 NM PHASE MODULE ATTRIBUTES**

Attribute Name	Tag	Type	Attribute Description
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<u>>Phase Description</u>	<u>(0054,0039)</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Description of this phase of the Dynamic image.</u> <u>Defined Terms:</u> <u>FLOW</u> <u>WASHOUT</u> <u>UPTAKE</u> <u>EMPTYING</u> <u>EXCRETION</u>

Add the following attribute to the PS3.6, Section 6

Tag	Name	VR	VM
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(0054,0039)	Phase Description	CS	1
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