

## DICOM Correction Item

Correction Number	CP-557
Log Summary: Usage of Modality Identification attributes	
Type of Modification	Name of Standard
Clarification	PS 3.3 – 2004
Rationale for Correction  Supplement defines an Enhanced General Equipment Module with a note indicating that the data producing equipment has to be identified and a toolkit or platform that encodes the data into a DICOM SOP Instance.  Proposed is to add that note also to the General Equipment Module.	
Sections of documents affected  PS 3.3 Section C.7.5.1	
Correction Wording:	

### C.7.5.1 General Equipment Module

Table C.7-8 specifies the Attributes that identify and describe the piece of equipment that produced a Series of Composite Instances.

**Note:** The attributes Manufacturer (0008,0070), Manufacturer's Model Name (0008,1090), Device Serial Number (0018,1000) and Software Versions (0018,1020) are intended to be a primary identification of the system that produces the data (e.g., modality or workstation application providing the content of the SOP Instance) and not the identification of the component that encodes the SOP Instance (e.g., a commonly used DICOM encoding toolkit).