

# Current Release 1

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InfoRMS	Scope
Access	<a href="#">Terminology Gateway</a>
Code System	SNOMED CT CA Edition
Code System Version	September 30, 2022
Release Type	Maintenance

The SNOMED CT Canadian Edition package includes one (1) set of files for referencing the Canadian English (CA EN), Canadian French (CA FR), and Canadian refsets, and International Edition release content up to and including the February 2022 release. All French descriptions translated by the Common French Group are also part of the CA Edition. Package contents have been pre-computed and harmonized based on the module dependency when several extensions are merged.

The package is a .zip file that includes text files in the RF2 format as per the SNOMED International specification. The CA Edition contains two (2) release types: full and snapshot. To align with SNOMED International releases, the package no longer includes a delta release type. Each type of release file includes reference set files and terminology core files.

Release notes for the International Edition and the Common French Extension can be accessed [here](#).

## Release Scope

- Requests for change received from Canadian implementers from March 5 to September 2, 2022 - [InfoRMS SNOMED CT RFC Project](#)
  - Requests to add, change or inactivate content in both English and French.
  - Content corrections (typographical errors, metadata, others).
  - CA EN concepts promoted to the International Edition of SNOMED CT.
  - In the Release Notes, "Issues in progress" refers to requests that were accepted and added to the most recent Canadian Edition, but they also have been submitted to SNOMED International for consideration for core inclusion. If accepted, they are in scope for inclusion in the International Edition and will be assigned to a release by SNOMED International, and will require harmonization with the next CA Edition release.
- Subsets - [InfoRMS Subset RFC Project](#)
  - [Pan-Canadian SNOMED CT subsets in scope](#) for this maintenance cycle include: Immunization, Communicable Disease, Primary Health Care and others.
  - All 41 SNOMED CT subsets (refsets) are published as extensional refsets in the Canadian Edition (Canada Health Infoway Simple Type Reference Set (foundation metadata concept)).
  - 13 of 41 refsets are intensionally defined (i.e. defined using queries). These can be found as members of the Simple query specification reference set (foundation metadata concept). See below printscreen.

Term	Concept Id
Organisation responsible for assigning provider identifier reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22301000087107
Organization responsible for assigning client identifier reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22311000087109
Reason an immunization was administered reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23851000087108
Relationship between the client and a family member reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23891000087104
Reportable discharge designation reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22821000087109
Represents the self-reported ethnic group reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23821000087101
Severity of allergy or intolerance reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23891000087107
Type of nursing service required by client reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22341000087105
Type of other healthcare service required by client reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22351000087108
Type of physician service required by client reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22871000087107
Type of provider identifier reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 22361000087106
Type of service required for the client reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23811000087108
Type of service subset required for the client reference set (foundation metadata concept)	<a href="#">More info</a> 23821000087100

13 members

## New in this release:

- [New vaccine concepts to support the ongoing COVID-19 response.](#)
- The SNOMED CT Canadian Edition package no longer includes Delta files.
- Canadian fluoroscopic concepts remodeled according to the [SNOMED International guidelines](#) (including fluoroscopic angiography, arteriography, venography, lymphogram and fluoroscopy guided vascular procedures).
- Release notes for International releases including the International Edition and the Common French extension are no longer included in the Canadian Edition release package. International release notes can be accessed [here](#).
- Inclusion of concepts that originated in other national extensions and were promoted to core because they also meet Canadian requirements and, as such, meet the international use case (lateral promotion).
- French translation of vaccine content, findings, organisms, specimens, body structures, and content related to the CIHI HHR MDS and ODT programs:
  - The Canadian Edition includes new translation of COVID-19 concepts.
  - It includes the Common French extension which is composed of all descriptions translated by French speaking member countries engaged in the [International French Translation Collaboration](#).
  - The Common French extension of SNOMED CT is available on the [SNOMED CT Browser](#) and may be published as part of a national edition of any of the member countries involved in the production of this translation.

d. SNOMED CT Common French Extension release notes can be accessed [here](#).

Refer to section [5. Questions and Comments](#), for additional information about SNOMED CT or if you have comments.

Refer to section [6. Requests for Change \(RFC\)](#), for additional information on how to request terminology content or subsets.

Refer to section [7. Updates and Publications](#), for dates and times related to publication.