

# Cypress™

## Cypress Tech Talk

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# Agenda

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- Software Updates
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    - Guidance for Reason Template Placement
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## Software Updates

# QRDA Cat I R5.1 errata

- **On October 11, 2019 HL7 published an errata update to QRDA Category I R5.1**
  - It is available on the QRDA Category I product page  
[http://www.hl7.org/implement/standards/product\\_brief.cfm?product\\_id=35](http://www.hl7.org/implement/standards/product_brief.cfm?product_id=35).
  - Key updates in QRDA Category I – Introductory Material
    - 6.5.1 – Guidance for Ensuring Data Uniqueness
    - 6.5.2 - Guidance for Reason Template Placement When Specifying “Not Done” with a Reason

## *Software Updates*

# Guidance for Ensuring Data Uniqueness

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- **The presence of duplicated data in a QRDA Category I file not only could potentially lead to increased data processing time, but most importantly, might cause incorrect processing and therefore produce unexpected measure results when calculated by other entities.**
  - Each reported QDM data element contains all of the attributes (e.g., discharge status, facility location, etc.) required by all measures, which are reported in the file, in the same QRDA template for the same instance.

## Software Updates

# Data Uniqueness and Cypress

### ■ Cypress 5.0.1 and prior merged QRDA entries with shared ID's

Encounter, Performed

- ID (root = 1.2.3, extension = 4)
- Code (code = 123)
- Admission date time (2/1/2018 @ 5:00 AM)
- Discharge date time (2/2/2018 @ 10:00 PM)
- **Diagnosis (code = 321)**

Encounter, Performed

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- Discharge date time (2/2/2018 @ 10:00 PM)
- **Discharge Disposition (code = 456)**

Encounter, Performed

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- Code (code = 123)
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- **Diagnosis (code = 321)**
- **Discharge Disposition (code = 456)**

## Software Updates

# Data Uniqueness and Cypress, continued

### ■ Cypress 5.1.0 and beyond

- Will not merge data entries with common IDs.
- Instead, Cypress will treat data entries as duplicative and will pick one entry to use with calculation.
- A QRDA submitter needs to ensure that each reported QDM data element contains all of the attributes (e.g., discharge status, facility location, etc.) required by all measures, which are reported in the file, in the same QRDA template for the same instance.
- As a result, calculations in Cypress 5.1.0 may not match previous calculations in Cypress 5.0.1.
  - If the QRDA files included duplicative QRDA entries.

## Software Updates

# Guidance for Reason Template Placement

- Specifying “Not Done” with a Reason
- “[...] will be nested directly within the element containing the negationInd attribute.”
- When both parent and child template allow negation, should be in **\*parent\*** template
- Example Reason Placement:

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<!-- Communication from Provider to Patient(V4)
-->
<act classCode="ACT" moodCode="EVN"
negationInd="true" >
  <templateId root="2.16.840.1.113883.10.20.24.3.3"
extension="2017-08-01"/>
  ...
  <!-- Reason(V3) for communication not done -->
  <entryRelationship typeCode="RSON">
    <observation classCode="OBS" moodCode="EVN">
      <templateId
        root="2.16.840.1.113883.10.20.24.3.88"
        extension="2017-08-01"/>
      ...
    </observation>
  </entryRelationship>
</act>

```

## *Software Updates*

# Cypress 5.1.0

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- **A 5.1.0 patch release for Cypress is planned for November 7, 2019**
- **The Cypress 5.1.0 patch will:**
  - Address the changes made to the QRDA Category I R5.1 errata
  - Address open ‘Known Issues’
    - “Related To” entries split across files (CYPRESS-1716)
    - ‘View Patients’ page only shows results for a single measure (CYPRESS-1799)
    - Calculation Error for CMS104v8 with patient Z4 N Stroke (CYPRESS-1794)
    - Loading bundle crashes Cypress (CYPRESS-1751)
      - With 2019.1.0 bundle



# *Software Updates*

## **Cypress 2019.1.0 Bundle**

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- **A 2019.1.0 bundle release for Cypress is planned for November 7, 2019**
  - The Cypress 2019.1.0 bundle will:
    - Include precalculated results for all of the Master Patients
    - Include measure highlighting for all of the Master Patients
  - Add diagnosis entries to Z6 VTE, Z13 N VTE, and B GP Peds to help with C4 Problem Filtering (CYPRESS-1790)
  - Add authorDatetime to 1 BH Infant to address calculation issue with CMS82v7

## Recent Issue

# Cypress Known Issues Dashboard

- <https://oncprojecttracking.healthit.gov/support/secure/Dashboard.jspa?selectPageId=18000>
- The Dashboard collects all labeled known issues in one place, sorted by Cypress version
- Easily navigate to the dashboard from the Cypress summary page

Cypress Known Issues Add gadget Edit layout ...

**Cypress Known Issues** + ↗ ...

Cypress Known Issues

Below are tables that list known issues for the most recent Cypress Versions

Release Notes for Cypress Versions can be found [here](#)

**Filter Results: Cypress Known Bugs 5.0.1** + ↗ ...

Summary	2020 Reporting Period EH eQMs	2020 Performance Period EP/EC eQMs	Solution ↑	Links
<a href="#">fulfills entry extension lookup in separate file</a>		CMS50v8/NQF374	If you run into this issue during a certification test, please have your Test Proctor refer to this ticket and regenerate a test deck for CMS50.	
<a href="#">Measure Validation engine</a>	CMS108v8/NQFna, ... (1)		On QRDA import, Cypress shifts all times to UTC±00:00.	
			If calculation errors due to timezone shifting during a certification, have	

# Cypress Versions

Version	Dates	Measures Supported
V4.0.3	May 2, 2019	
V4.0.4	October 3, 2019	Latest version supporting eCQMs for the 2019 Reporting/Performance Period and CQL. Fixes QRDA and other 4.0.3 bugs.
V5.0.0	July 25, 2019	
V5.0.1	August 29, 2019	Latest version supporting eCQMs for the 2020 Reporting/Performance Period and CQL. Contains performance improvements and fixes for bugs found in Cypress v5.0.0
V5.1.0	*November 7, 2019	Support for QRDA Category I R5.1 errata

Bundle Version	Dates	Features
2018.1.0	October 11, 2018	<b>Cypress v4 only</b> CQL-based measures released in 2018 for the 2019 reporting year eCQM Value Sets as of 9/17/2018.
2019.0.1	July 25, 2019	<b>Cypress v5 only</b> CQL-based measures released in 2019 for the 2020 reporting year eCQM Value Sets as of 5/10/2019.
2019.1.0	*November 7, 2019	<b>Cypress v5 only</b> Precalculated results Updates to Z6 VTE, Z13 N VTE, B GP Peds and 1 BH Infant

# OPEN DISCUSSION

# Next Cypress Tech Talk

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- Tuesday, November 5, 2019 at 1pm ET
- To join online, visit: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/529898157>
- To join via phone, dial: 1-646-749-3122
- Meeting Number: 529 898 157
- Meeting link, as well as a calendar event file, available at:
  - <https://www.healthit.gov/cypress/techtalks.html>

# Notes

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- **Completed Webinars will be posted on the Cypress website on the Tech Talks tab**
  - <https://www.healthit.gov/cypress/techtalks.html>
- **Send questions and feedback to the Cypress Talk List at**
  - [project-cypress-talk@googlegroups.com](mailto:project-cypress-talk@googlegroups.com)
- **Report bugs and issues to the Cypress JIRA at**
  - <https://oncprojecttracking.healthit.gov/support/browse/CYPRESS>