

Conditions Update for 2018

Taking the lead for system interoperability of cancer diagnoses

In 2013, MolecularMatch integrated SNOMED-CT as our technology's primary condition (disease) dataset. For months and years after, oncologists and scientists at MM added a layer of curation so that it fits with modern cancer diagnoses. This included editing and adding new conditions and synonyms, and creating genetic composite conditions. Since then, SNOMED has improved their oncology terms. Also, several open-source disease datasets have been launched; further improving how cancer diagnoses are described and coded.

Matching patients to clinical trials, targeted drugs, and assertion evidence guidelines depends on an accurate diagnoses and consistent interpretation between healthcare systems.

Therefore in 2018, we upgraded our condition system, accomplishing the goals of:

- 1. Allowing cohesive code-based searching to improve EHR/Payer/LIMS integrations.
- 2. Updating to the most modern data ontologies.
- 3. Data validation and duplicates merging with pathologist oversight.

MolecularMatch NLP entity extraction and search engines run on ontologies. These include our conditions and findings, our in-house developed molecular ontology and our global clinical trial aggregation. As our experience with data aggregation has grown, we've developed a protocol that allows for easy integration of big data to enhance our search engines. This high-level protocol is:

- 1. Acquire datasets in their native form on frequent intervals.
- 2. Identification strategy and merging to allow diverse inputs and avoid duplicates.
- 3. Incorporate into our API and other products for broad use.

Condition Data Incorporated into MM

Condition terms are now searchable by prefix_code (e.g. SNOMEDID_255035007).

Search Prefix	Dataset Name	Records Count
SNOMEDID	Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine Clinical Terms	313,940
ICD10	10th rev. of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases	94,127
DOID	DiseaseOntology open source medical vocabulary	12,498
ONCOTREE	OncoTree curated cancer type ontology by Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center	627

Additional datasets worth integrating are: ICD9 and LOINC. Through DiseaseOntology, we have cross mapping of terms to MeSH, NCI's thesaurus and OMIM as well.

All datasets are easily updated on new releases. The current SNOMED-CT version is v20170901 U.S. edition.

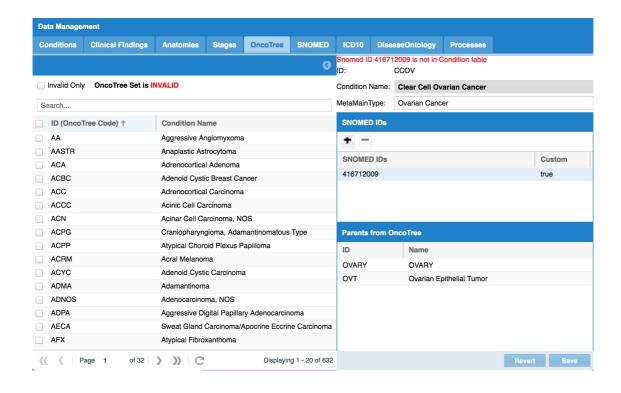
Dataset Mapping

We always design a feedback loop between clinical expertise and software automation. We do this by building easy to use, internal data management tools for training from M.D. and Ph.D. curators. This condition data upgrade required more than 300 M.D. pathologist curation hours.

Mapping efforts:

- ICD10 → SNOMED -- official map file implemented w/ manual adjustment.
- OncoTree → SNOMED -- MolecularMatch pathologist manually mapped.
- DOID → SNOMED -- MolecularMatch pathologist manually mapped.

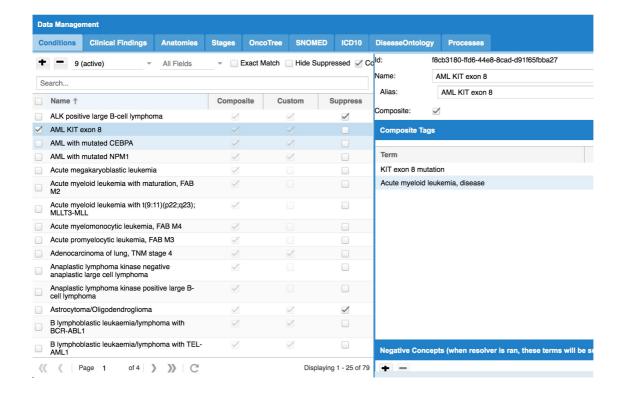
Screenshot of internal MM tools curators use to adjust mappings.



Custom Conditions and Genetic Composites

Only a handful of genetic composite conditions exist in the public datasets, like "EGFR positive NSCLC". At MM, we've created many more composites, which are necessary in our NLP engine for coalescing meaning from medical documents.

Screenshot of internal MM tools for creating composite conditions.



Lets Use It!

These codes can now be used in the whole MM ecosystem. From the application search, to API queries, to EHR integration.

App Search

- ICD10_D45 = Polycythemia vera
- http://app.molecularmatch.com/search/ICD10_D45
- SNOMEDID 363478007 = Thyroid cancer
- http://app.molecularmatch.com/search/SNOMEDID_363478007
- DOID_1781 = Thyroid cancer
- http://app.molecularmatch.com/search/DOID_1781
- ONCOTREE_AML = Acute myeloid leukemia, disease
- http://app.molecularmatch.com/search/ONCOTREE_AML

API Queries

See specs on api.molecularmatch.com

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#################
# Trials Search -- save this as a .sh file
###################
# to run include apiKey as first argument
# $ chmod 777 file.sh
# $ ./file.sh apiKey
curl -X POST 'https://api.molecularmatch.com/v2/search/trials' \
--data "apiKey=$1" \
--data-urlencode 'filters=[ \
                  {"facet":"ICD10","term":"ICD10_D45"}, \
                  {"facet":"STATUS", "term":"Enrolling"}, \
                  {"facet":"TRIALTYPE", "term":"Interventional"} \
                  11
curl 'https://api.molecularmatch.com/v2/search/trials' \
--data "apiKey=$1" \
--data-urlencode 'filters=[ {"facet" : "SNOMEDID", "term" : "SNOMEDID_254626006"}]'
##################
# Condition Search -- used to normalize conditions
# If you have a condition name, or code,
# you can search our conditions table to find the best match.
# This can then be used as a term in subsequent trials and drugs searches.
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curl -X POST 'https://api.molecularmatch.com/v2/search/conditions' \
--data "apiKey=$1" \
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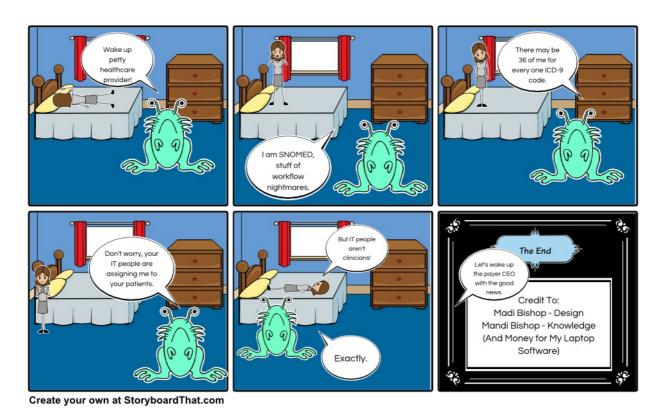
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EHR Integration

Contact Us at info@molecularmatch.com for a demonstration of how to integrate with an EHR, payer system or LIMS.

Mapping Trouble?

No mapping effort is perfect. Work with us to make sure you are getting the results you expect for your patients.



From: http://healthstandards.com/blog/2014/04/21/snomed-problems/