

dConfiguration.09 - EMS Agency Medications

Definition

A list of all medications the agency has implemented and have available for use.

National Element	Yes	Pertinent Negatives (PN)	No
State Element	Yes	NOT Values	No
Version 2 Element	D04_06	Is Nillable	No
Usage	Mandatory	Recurrence	1 : M

Associated Performance Measure Initiatives

Airway Cardiac Arrest Pediatric Response STEMI Stroke Trauma

Constraints

Data Type	minLength	maxLength
string	2	7

Data Element Comment

The medication list is stored as the RxNorm (RXCU) Code. This is associated with the EMS Agency Number (dAgency.02) since each EMS Agency Number may have different capabilities.

The EMS agency should submit "Not Applicable" and "Nil" to the state system for the demographic export. The state EMS system does not need to import this information into their database. It is the responsibility of the state to submit this element to the national EMS database (NEMSIS). Reference the Demographic Dataset Submission Guide for further details.

List of medications based on RxNorm (RXCU) code. Reference the NEMSIS Suggested Lists at:
<http://nemsis.org/v3/resources.html>

RxNorm

Website - <http://uts.nlm.nih.gov>

Product - UMLS Metathesaurus

Website - <http://www.nlm.nih.gov/research/umls/rxnorm/docs/rxnormfiles.html>

Product - RxNorm Full Monthly Release