

To continue advancing the Statewide Health Information Network for New York (SHIN-NY) and adhere to the SHIN-NY Regulation (*Addition of Part 300 to Title 10 NYCRR (Statewide Health Information Network for New York (SHIN-NY)) which was codified on March 9, 2016*), the Department of Health has set an objective to increase the quantity and quality of data contributed to the SHIN-NY by hospitals and other healthcare providers. In doing so, the network can better support statewide efforts to improve healthcare quality, coordination and efficiency of patient care, and reduce medical errors, amongst many other benefits.

Pursuant to the Regulation, Article 28 Hospitals utilizing Certified EHR Technology were to be **participating in** and **contributing data to** the SHIN-NY by **March 9, 2017**. Additionally, the following entities are to participate and contribute data to the SHIN-NY by **March 9, 2018** (if they are utilizing Certified EHR Technology):

- Article 28 nursing homes and diagnostic treatment centers
- Article 36 certified home health care agencies, long term home health care programs
- Article 40 hospices

To meet the objectives stated above, it is the Department of Health’s goal to have all Article 28 Hospitals contributing the **full dataset** below to the SHIN-NY by March 9, 2018; other regulated entities (as above) have the goal of contributing the full data set by March 2019.

Common Clinical Data Set*

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| 1. Patient name | 9. Medications |
| 2. Sex | 10. Medication Allergies |
| 3. Date of birth | 11. Laboratory test(s) |
| 4. Race | 12. Laboratory value(s)/result(s) |
| 5. Ethnicity | 13. Vital signs – height, weight, blood pressure, BMI |
| 6. Preferred language | 14. Care plan field(s), including goals and instructions* |
| 7. Smoking status | 15. Procedures |
| 8. Problem | 16. Care team member(s) |

* Or Plan of Care/Plan of Treatment as alternative

The Department of Health is concerned with increasing the **quantity and quality** of data that is contributed to the SHIN-NY. At this time the DOH is not mandating a specific transport method or mechanism (e.g. HL7 v2, HL7 v3, C-CDA) for contributing data to the SHIN-NY, however C-CDA is strongly encouraged in order to align with various other health care transformation initiatives in NYS. In the future, a specific transport mechanism may be required.

*This list reflects the 2014 Certification Edition (ONC) elements of the Common Clinical Data Set. The 2015 Edition varies slightly. Participants are encouraged to contribute data consistent with the Common Clinical Data Set. The Certification Edition of a Participant’s EHR may determine the exact data elements available. More information can be found online https://www.healthit.gov/sites/default/files/commonclinicaldataset_ml_11-4-15.pdf