# SCHARE

# **CDE Adoption**

- Making Data Interoperable (URI Approach)
- Concept Code Mapping (Data Harmonization)



BE A PART OF THE FUTURE OF KNOWLEDGE GENERATION



### **Adopted CDEs to:**

- Standardize data for people & computers (human and machine readable)
- Enable data sharing across studies (data interoperability)
- Enhance data interpretation & analysis (semantically defined and standardized coded)
- Simplify collaboration
- Reduces project start-up & results time

BIG DATA AND AI: REQUIRES NEW APPROACHES FOR COLLECTION, MANAGEMENT, ANALYSIS



Covid revealed the need to have real time data



# Schare "Core" CDE Development

#### **Core Set:**

- Few critical questions required from all studies/sites
- Minimal burden
- Allows for questions to be asked in any way, but reported in a standardized format
- Allows for any number of other questions to be collected as collector chooses

#### **Criteria:**

- PhenX Toolkit first
- Validated source
- Adaptation of a validated source
- Generate new gap area CDE

# Importance of <u>Concept Code</u> <u>Mapping</u> and Interoperability (<u>Uniform Resource Identifier (URI)</u>

**CDE Metadata** NCI Thesaurus C34661 **Terminology Mappings SNOMED CT 2564002 CDE Metadata** 

- CDE unique CONCEPT CODES represent data semantics
  - OHuman readable
  - Machine readable format
- Mapping enables interoperability even if the same standard terminology was not used in another CDE
- CDE Metadata enables searching for concept codes across CDEs to compare data

## Questions become CDEs When Defined and Coded

#### Education

What is the highest level of education you have completed?

#### **Shared Semantics and Concept Code:**

An indication of the years of schooling completed in graded public, private, or parochial schools, and in colleges, universities, or professional schools. C17953

URI approach in data repository uses codes to harmonize data rather than semantics (words).

Human Readable w Shared Meaning

Codes facilitate Machine Readable

# CDES: Words Precisely Defined-Shared Meaning

### Words can be **SEMANTICALLY AMBIGUOUS**.

- Context is important in conveying meaning when using CDEs
  - Words have different meanings depending on words around it and context.
- Some examples:
  - o **Seizure:** uncontrolled electrical activity between brain cells / spiritual experience?
  - Agent: chemical compound or government employee?
  - O Alcohol: disinfecting or drinking?
  - Colon: sentence punctuation or biological organ?
  - O Mole: animal, blemish, unit of measure, or spy?
  - o Probe: examination, investigation, or instrument?



Words can mean different things in different contexts

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Human Readable w Shared Meaning

Machine-Readable format—excel spreadsheet: codes increase interoperability and use of pipes to separate concepts & codes

Per Assible Value (PV) Labels	PV Definitions	PV Concept Identifiers
No formal Schooling	Indicates that a person has never attended an educational program or formal schooling.	C67122
Primary/Grade/Elementary School (approximately grades 1st through 5th)	Indicates that 5th grade potentially is the highest level of educational achievement.	C67127
Middle School/Lower Secondary Education (approximately grades 6th through 8th)	Indicates that 8th grade potentially is the highest level of educational achievement.	C67130

# Some Concept Coding Systems One NOT Better Than the Other

General use....

LoinC Laboratory and Clinical Research

ULMS (CUI) Biomedical

FHIR Electronic Health Records

\*NCIt Cancer

<sup>\*</sup>ScHARe used NCIt because it has several population concepts

## How a Survey Question Became a CDE

Please select the racial category or <u>categories</u> with which you most closely identify. (select all that apply)			
	American Indian or Alaska Native		
	Asian or Asian American		
	Black or African American		
	Hispanic or Latino		
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		
	Middle Eastern or North African (in current reporting tables will be reported as white)		
	White		

# Survey Questions become CDEs when they are:

- semantically defined by a standardized coding system for shared meaning
- in a format that is human and machine readable for ease of reuse

## Making of a CDE from a Protocol/Question

Need a standardized defined concept and related code.

**Source: NCI Thesaurus** 

#### **Race/Ethnicity Self-Identification**

A textual description of a person's race. C17049 | The ethnicity of a person. C16564 | An individual's perspective or subjective interpretation of an event or information. C74528

American Indian or Alaska Native |
Asian or Asian American |
Black of African American |
Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish |
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |
Middle Eastern or North African |
White

URI approach in data repository uses codes to harmonize data rather than semantics. This improves data interoperability.

# Making of a CDE from a Protocol/Question

- A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who
  maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. (OMB) C41259 |
- A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent, including
  for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam. (OMB)
   C41260
- A person having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa. Terms such as "Haitian" or "Negro" can be used in addition to "Black or African American". (OMB) C16352 |
- A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
   The term, "Spanish origin" can be used in addition to "Hispanic or Latino". (OMB) C17459 |
- A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands. (OMB) C41219 |
- Denotes a person having origins in the region of southwest Asia, between the India subcontinent and Europe, including
  Kuwait, Turkey, Lebanon, Israel, Iraq, Iran, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, lands east of Pakistan or the other countries of the Arabian
  Peninsula. Also includes people of Jewish ethnicity including Sephardic and Ashkenazic. C77820:
- Denotes a person whose ancestry is in any of the countries of the northern part of the African continent: Algeria, Egypt,
   Libya, Morocco, Sudan, Tunisia, and Western Sahara. C126529 |
- A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa. (OMB) C41261

## Making of a CDE from a Protocol/Question

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	Code Mapping		
	NCIT	Loinc	UMLS CUI
American Indian or Alaska Native	C41259	LA10608-0	C0282204
Asian or Asian American	C41260	LA6156-9	C0003988
Black of African American	C16352	LA10610-6	C0085756
Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish	C17459	LA6214-6	C0086409
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	C41219	LA10611-4	C1513907
Islander	C43866	Mena no loinc	C1553353
Middle Eastern or North African	C41261	LA4457-3	C0043157
White			

### Matched CDE

Income (Project 1)

Income (Project 2)

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Less than $10,000 | $10,000-$24,999 | $25,000-$34,999 | $35,000-$49,999 | $50,000-$74,999 | $75,000-$99,999 | $150,000-$149,999 | $150,000-$199,999 | $200,000 or more
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## Mappable CDE

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Income (Project 2)

Less than \$10,000 | \$10,000-\$19,999 | \$20,000-\$29,999 \$30,000-\$39,999 \$40,000-\$49,999 \$50,000-\$59,999 \$60,000-\$69,999 \$70,000-\$79,999 \$80,000-\$89,999 \$90,000-\$99,999

\$200,000 or more

Collected this way

Mapped using algorithms

Reported this way