

Changes in the NDF-RT Public Edition

Restored focus on orderable clinical drugs, active ingredients, and descriptive classifications constituting a clinical medication reference terminology (RT).

1. Entities & attributes renamed source-independently, as appropriate
2. Disposable supplies deleted [XA* VA classes and all supplies therein]
3. NDC-level drug concepts deleted [follow RxNorm ID link for NDCs]
4. VANDF ingredient-ingredient interactions restored
5. VANDF VistA entity identifiers restored [VA_File plus VA_IEN]
6. Extraneous entities & attributes deleted, but ID links preserved
7. External terminology entities & attributes deleted, but ID links preserved

Details: ~~Grayed-strikeout~~ items below denote renamed entities in the public release of NDF-RT going forward. Items highlighted in **yellow** represent entities previously removed from the public release that are now restored. Items highlighted in **purple** represent entities previously in the public release that have been deleted entirely from NDF-RT. Most deleted VANDF entities can still be accessed externally in NDF using the VA_FILE and VA_IEN identifier pairs now provided.

	Changed in Public Edition (beginning with Dec. 2008/Jan. 2009 version)
Kinds	NDF_KIND → DRUG_KIND VA_DRUG_INTERACTION_KIND
Associations	VA_Product_Component VA_Secondary_Drug_Class → 2 nd drug parent VA_Ingredient_1 VA_Ingredient_2
Association Qualifiers	VA_Strength VA_Unit VA.FILE VA.IEN
Properties	SNOMED_Mapping_ID → SNOMED_CID UNII → FDA_UNII VA_Class_Description VA_Class_Code VA_CS_Federal_Schedule VA_Print_Name

	<p>VA_Strength</p> <p>VA_Units</p> <p>VA_Severity</p> <p>VA_File</p> <p>Date</p> <p>Included_MeSH_UIs</p> <p>MeSH_Pharmacologic_Action</p> <p>NCI_Preferred_Term</p> <p>RxNorm_Preferred_Translation_Term</p> <p>SPL_Problem_List_Mapping_ID</p> <p>UMLS_Semantic_Type</p> <p>UMLS_Preferred_Translation_Term</p> <p>VA_Class_Type</p> <p>VA_Exclude_Drug_Interaction_Check</p> <p>VA_Manufacturer_Code</p> <p>VA_NDC</p> <p>VA_NDF_Type</p> <p>VA_Product_Code</p> <p>VA_Package_Code</p> <p>VA_RxOtc_Indicator</p> <p>VA_Trade_Name</p> <p>VA_UPN</p>
Property Qualifiers	<p>VA.File</p> <p>VA.IEN</p> <p>Date</p> <p>Status</p>