

Data Submission Specifications for the LTCH - CARE Data Set (V4.02.0)

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Item ID: ASMT\_SYS\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Assessment system code	Control		Code	10	1-10

Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
LTCH		LTCH iQIES system

Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1009	Format	Fatal	Only the code values listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report may be submitted for this item.

Changes for Version

Type	ID	Description
Format	-1009	[V4.02.0]-Removed mappings to deleted items GG0130A2, GG0130B2, GG0130C2, GG0130D2, GG0170A2, GG0170B2, GG0170C2, GG0170D2, GG0170E2, GG0170F2, GG0170G2, GG0170I2, GG0170J2, GG0170K2, GG0170L2, GG0170M2, GG0170N2, GG0170O2, GG0170P2, GG0170R2, GG0170S2, GG0130D1, GG0130D3. Added mapping to new item O0350.

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**Item ID:** ITM\_SBST\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Item subset code	Control		Code	3	11-13

**Item Subsets**

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

**Item Values**

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
LA		LTCH Admission (A0250 = 01)
LP		LTCH Planned Discharge (A0250 = 10)
LU		LTCH Unplanned Discharge (A0250 = 11)
LE		LTCH Expired (A0250 = 12)
XX		Inactivation record (A0050 = 3)

**Item Edits**

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1009	Format	Fatal	Only the code values listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report may be submitted for this item.
-1034	Consistency	Fatal	iQIES will recalculate the ISC and compare the recalculated value with the value that is submitted in ITM_SBST_CD. If the recalculated value does not match the value submitted in ITM_SBST_CD, a fatal error will result.

**Supplemental Information**

Info ID	Type	Text
-9002	Information	<p>The Item Subset Code (ISC) is a two-character code that indicates the type of record that is being submitted. The set of active items is controlled by the ISC.</p> <p>The ISC is defined as follows:</p> <p>If A0050 = [1,2] and A0250 = [01] then ITM_SBST_CD = [LA] If A0050 = [1,2] and A0250 = [10] then ITM_SBST_CD = [LP] If A0050 = [1,2] and A0250 = [11] then ITM_SBST_CD = [LU]</p>

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If A0050 = [1,2] and A0250 = [12] then ITM\_SBST\_CD = [LE]  
If A0050 = [3] and A0250 = [01,10,11,12] then ITM\_SBST\_CD = [XX]

For a more complete explanation of the meaning and use of the ISC codes, please refer to the documentation that accompanies these data specifications.

***Changes for Version***

Type	ID	Description
Format	-1009	[V4.02.0]-Removed mappings to deleted items GG0130A2, GG0130B2, GG0130C2, GG0130D2, GG0170A2, GG0170B2, GG0170C2, GG0170D2, GG0170E2, GG0170F2, GG0170G2, GG0170I2, GG0170J2, GG0170K2, GG0170L2, GG0170M2, GG0170N2, GG0170O2, GG0170P2, GG0170R2, GG0170S2, GG0130D1, GG0130D3. Added mapping to new item O0350.

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**Item ID:** ITM\_SET\_VRSN\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Item set version code	Control		Code	10	14-23

**Item Subsets**

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

**Item Values**

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
1.00		Initial version of LTCH item set
2.01		First update to LTCH item set (effective 07/01/2014)
3.00		Second update to LTCH item set (effective 04/01/2016)
4.00		Third update to LTCH item set (effective 07/01/2018)
5.00		Fourth update to LTCH item set (effective 10/01/2022)

**Item Edits**

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1031	Format	Warning	The version code submitted should match one of the values listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report. For example, do not submit [1.00.], [1.00.0], [1.00.1], or [1.00.2]. A value of [1.00] should be submitted instead.

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Item ID: SPEC\_VRSN\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Specifications version code	Control		Code	10	24-33

Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX  
Inactive:

Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
1.00		Initial version of data specifications (effective 10/1/2012)
1.01		Second version of data specifications (effective 07/01/2014)
2.00		Third version of data specifications (effective 04/01/2016)
2.01		Fourth version of data specifications (effective 04/01/2017)
2.02		Fifth version of data specifications (effective 12/17/2017)
3.00		Sixth version of data specifications (effective 07/01/2018)
4.00		Seventh version of data specifications (effective 10/01/2022)
4.01		Eighth version of data specifications (effective 10/01/2023)
4.02		Ninth version of data specifications (effective 10/01/2024)

Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1031	Format	Warning	The version code submitted should match one of the values listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report. For example, do not submit [1.00.], [1.00.0], [1.00.1], or [1.00.2]. A value of [1.00] should be submitted instead.

Changes for Version

Type	ID	Description
Item	SPEC_VRSN_CD	[V4.02.0]-Added item value [4.02].

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Item ID: A0055

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Correction number	Control		Number	2	412-413

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
00		Minimum value
99		Maximum value

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1012	Format	Fatal	Only the values listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report may be submitted for this item. The submitted value must be greater than or equal to the minimum value listed in the table and less than or equal to the maximum value listed in the table, or it must match one of the remaining special values (if any) that are listed in the table. The length of the submitted value must not exceed the allowed maximum length for the item. Signed numbers (with a leading plus or minus sign) are
-1013	Format	Fatal	Formatting of Integer Numeric Items: Only integer values and the special values (if any) that are listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report are accepted for this item. Leading zeroes may be included or omitted from the submitted value as long as the resulting length of the string does not exceed the allowed maximum length for the item. A decimal point and decimal values are not allowed.  The following examples are allowable if the value to be submitted is equal to [1] and the maximum length is equal to 2: [1], [01]. The following values are NOT allowed and will lead to a fatal error: [1.], [1.0], [01.], [01.0], [1.1], [01.1], [1.01].
-1025	Consistency	Fatal	For the first record that is submitted to correct or inactivate an existing record, A0055 (correction number) must equal "01". If that correction/inactivation is accepted and if a subsequent correction/inactivation is required A0055 must equal "02", and so on. If the value submitted in A0055 is incorrect, a fatal error will result and the submitted record will be rejected.

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-1026	Consistency	Fatal	If A0050=[1], then A0055 (correction number) must equal [0].
-1036	Consistency	Fatal	If A0050 = [2,3], then A0055 must not be equal to [0].

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Item ID: STATE\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Facility's state postal code	Control		Code	2	34-35

Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
AL		Alabama
AK		Alaska
AZ		Arizona
AR		Arkansas
CA		California
CO		Colorado
CT		Connecticut
DE		Delaware
DC		District of Columbia
FL		Florida
GA		Georgia
GU		Guam
HI		Hawaii
ID		Idaho
IL		Illinois
IN		Indiana
IA		Iowa
KS		Kansas
KY		Kentucky
LA		Louisiana



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ME	Maine
MD	Maryland
MA	Massachusetts
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MS	Mississippi
MO	Missouri
MT	Montana
NE	Nebraska
NV	Nevada
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey
NM	New Mexico
NY	New York
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
PR	Puerto Rico
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VT	Vermont
VA	Virginia
VI	Virgin Islands
WA	Washington

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WV	West Virginia
WI	Wisconsin
WY	Wyoming

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**Item ID:** FAC\_ID

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Assigned facility/provider submission ID	Control		Text	16	36-51

**Item Subsets**

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX  
Inactive:

**Item Values**

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Provider's submission ID

**Item Edits**

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1021	Consistency	Fatal	The value submitted for FAC_ID is inconsistent with the information stored in iQIES. It must match the FAC_ID in iQIES for the provider. The FAC_ID is the provider's submission ID.
-1033	Consistency	Fatal	A user submitting a file for a provider must be authorized to submit for the provider identified by the FAC_ID item in the file.

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Item ID: SFTWR\_VNDR\_ID

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Software vendor federal employer tax ID	Control		Text	9	52-60

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Software vendor federal employer tax identification number
^		Blank (not available or unknown)

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1014	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID=[^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must equal [^].
-1015	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID is not equal to [^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must not equal [^].
-1016	Format	Fatal	Formatting of Numeric Text Items: If this item is not equal to one of the special values (if any) that are listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report, then it must contain a text string. This text string may contain only the following characters: a) The numeric characters: [0] through [9].
-1027	Format	Fatal	The length of the text submitted for a free-form text item must not exceed the maximum length specified for this item.

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Item ID: SFTWR\_VNDR\_NAME

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Software vendor company name	Control		Text	30	61-90

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Software vendor company name
^		Blank (not available or unknown)

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1014	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID=[^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must equal [^].
-1015	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID is not equal to [^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must not equal [^].
-1027	Format	Fatal	The length of the text submitted for a free-form text item must not exceed the maximum length specified for this item.
-1030	Format	Fatal	Formatting of Alphanumeric Text Items That Can Contain Dashes, Spaces, Ampersands, and Other Special Characters: If this item is not equal to one of the special values (if any) that are listed in the Item Values table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report, then it must contain a text string. This text string may contain only the following characters: a) The numeric characters: [0] through [9]. b) The letters [A] through [Z] and [a] through [z]. c) The character [-]. d) The following special characters: [&] (ampersand) [@] (at sign) ['] (single quote) [/] (forward slash) [+] (plus sign)

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[,] (comma)

[.] (period)

[\_] (underscore)

e) Embedded spaces (spaces surrounded by any of the characters listed above). For example, [LEGAL TEXT] is allowed.

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Item ID: SFTWR\_VNDR\_EMAIL\_ADR

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Software vendor email address	Control		Text	50	91-140

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Software vendor email address
^		Blank (not available or unknown)

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1014	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID=[^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must equal [^].
-1015	Consistency	Fatal	If the SFTWR_VNDR_ID is not equal to [^], then SFTWR_VNDR_NAME and SFTWR_VNDR_EMAIL_ADR must not equal [^].
-1020	Format	Fatal	Formatting of email address. Any valid email address is accepted. The text string may contain any printable characters except single-quotes or double-quotes.
-1027	Format	Fatal	The length of the text submitted for a free-form text item must not exceed the maximum length specified for this item.

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Item ID: SFTWR\_PROD\_NAME

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Software product name	Control		Text	50	141-190

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Name of software product used to produce submission file
^		Blank (not available or unknown)

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1027	Format	Fatal	The length of the text submitted for a free-form text item must not exceed the maximum length specified for this item.
-1028	Consistency	Fatal	If SFTWR_PROD_NAME=[^], then SFTWR_PROD_VRSN_CD must be equal to [^].
-1029	Consistency	Fatal	If SFTWR_PROD_NAME is not equal to [^], then SFTWR_PROD_VRSN_CD must not be equal to [^].
-1030	Format	Fatal	Formatting of Alphanumeric Text Items That Can Contain Dashes, Spaces, Ampersands, and Other Special Characters: If this item is not equal to one of the special values (if any) that are listed in the Item Values table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report, then it must contain a text string. This text string may contain only the following characters: a) The numeric characters: [0] through [9]. b) The letters [A] through [Z] and [a] through [z]. c) The character [-]. d) The following special characters: [&] (ampersand) [@] (at sign) ['] (single quote) [/] (forward slash) [+] (plus sign) [,] (comma)



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[.] (period)

[\_] (underscore)

e) Embedded spaces (spaces surrounded by any of the characters listed above). For example, [LEGAL TEXT] is allowed.

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Item ID: SFTWR\_PROD\_VRSN\_CD

Item Label	Item Group	LOINC Code	Item Type	Max Length	Fixed Format Start-End Bytes
Software product version code	Control		Text	20	191-210

#### Item Subsets

Active: LA,LP,LU,LE,XX

Inactive:

#### Item Values

Value	LOINC Code	Value Text
Text		Version number of software product used to produce submission file
^		Blank (not available or unknown)

#### Item Edits

Edit ID	Edit Type	Severity	Edit Text
-1018	Format	Fatal	Formatting of Alphanumeric Text Items That Can Contain Dashes, Spaces, and Special Characters: If this item is not equal to one of the special values (if any) that are listed in the "Item Values" table of the Detailed Data Specifications Report, then it must contain a text string. This text string may contain only the following characters: a) The numeric characters: [0] through [9]. b) The letters [A] through [Z] and [a] through [z]. c) The character [-]. d) The following special characters: [@] (at sign) ['] (single quote) [/] (forward slash) [+] (plus sign) [,] (comma) [.] (period) [_] (underscore) e) Embedded spaces (spaces surrounded by any of the characters listed above). For example, [LEGAL TEXT] is allowed.
-1027	Format	Fatal	The length of the text submitted for a free-form text item must not exceed the maximum length specified for this item.

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-1028	Consistency	Fatal	If SFTWR_PROD_NAME=[^], then SFTWR_PROD_VRSN_CD must be equal to [^].
-1029	Consistency	Fatal	If SFTWR_PROD_NAME is not equal to [^], then SFTWR_PROD_VRSN_CD must not be equal to [^].