

Frailty - GMS/PMS core contract data – January 2024

Emis Enquiry Manager shows the data that is extracted for the core contract, quarterly.

Population Manager> Enquiry manager> click on Globe at bottom of screen in left panel>Click on folder for last Month> Core GP Contract 2023-2024 Snomed CT) > View in search manger (Top Ribbon)>Double click on Core GP Contract Folder 2023-2024> See CCDCMI searches for results as below.

It is a *contractual requirement* for all patients to have an accountable GP. ***All patients*** not only frailty patients should be coded with patients allocated named accountable GP and informing patient of named accountable GP. **Data is extracted > CDCMI01**

Practices are also *contractually* required to identify **moderate and severe frailty** for patients aged 65 years and over on an annual basis. **Data is extracted Moderate CCDCMI31 and Severe CCDCMI32.**

For the frailty service practices will be required to use an appropriate tool, which is Electronic Frailty Index (eFI), or the using the Canadian Study of Health and Ageing frailty scale (Rockwood Frailty Score) to identify patients aged 65 and over who are living with moderate and severe frailty. A diagnostic code of Moderate Frail or severely frail must be added as well if the EFI score is used. NHS England do not recommend adding these as a batch but scoring and coding individually.

[rockwood-frailty-scale .pdf \(england.nhs.uk\)](#)



NHS acute frailty network have developed an app for front line colleagues to clinically frailty score with patients in real time can be downloaded from Apple and android devices. This will calculate a Rockwood score.

Practices may wish to look at patients in CCDCMI38 and CCDCMI39 as these show patients who have been coded since 2017 and patients may not have been coded since April 2023.

Frailty Score	Snomed code
Canadian Study of Health and Aging Clinical Frailty Scale level 6 - moderately frail. (<i>Emis Rockwood Clinical Frailty Scale level 6 – moderately Frail</i>)	1129381000000102
Canadian Study of Health and Aging Clinical Frailty Scale level 7 - severely frail (finding) (<i>Emis Rockwood Clinical Frailty Scale 7- severely frail</i>)	1129391000000100
Electronic Frailty Index score (observable entity)	1084961000000105
Rockwood score (Not a QoF Code)	713636003

Frailty Diagnostic Codes	Snomed code
Moderately Frail	925831000000107
Severe Frail	925861000000102

For those patients identified as living with **severe frailty**, practices will be required to:

- Deliver a clinical review, including providing an annual medication review. **Data Extracted CCDCMI33**
- Discuss and record whether the patient has fallen in the last 12 months **Data Extracted CCDCMI34**
- Record a falls Assessment has taken place. **Data Extraction CCDCMI35**
- Provide any other clinically relevant interventions, a referral to the falls service. **Data extraction CCDCMI36**
- Promote to patients without an enriched Summary Care Record (SCR) the benefits of it, seeking informed patient consent to activate the enriched SCR – (***this only needs to be recorded once not every year***). **Data Extraction CCDCMI37**

For those patients identified as living with **moderate frailty**, practices will be required to:

Keep a register of those are moderately Frail and review the Frailty score as appropriate

	Medication Review Code
Structured medication review (procedure) <u>This is the only medication review code that will count towards the Frailty part of the contract.</u>	1239511000000100

	Falls codes
Falls (finding)	161898004
Fall from wheelchair (event)	17886000
Fall (event)	1912002
Fall from bed (event)	20902002
Fall in train (event)	213912005
Fall on train (event)	213917004
Fall from train (event)	213925002
Fall on stairs in water transport (event)	215634008
Fall while on board aircraft (event)	216131006
Fall on or from stairs or steps (event)	217083007
Fall on or from escalator (event)	217084001
Fall from escalator (event)	217086004
Fall on or from stairs (event)	217088003
Fall from stairs (event)	217090002
Fall on or from steps (event)	217092005
Fall on steps (event)	217093000
Fall from steps (event)	217094006
Accident caused by fall into swimming pool (event)	217121009
Accidental fall into storm drain (event)	217126004
Fall into dock (event)	217130001
Fall from stationary vehicle (event)	217150002
Fall on same level from slipping (event)	217155007
Fall on same level from tripping (event)	217156008
Fall on same level from stumbling (event)	217157004
Fall on moving sidewalk (event)	217158009
Fall from bump against object (event)	217173005
Fell onto outstretched hand (event)	225054009
Fall from stationary railway vehicle (event)	242079006
Fall down stairs of motor bus while boarding or alighting (event)	242109009
Fall from car in street while boarding or alighting (event)	242111000
Fall from car while boarding or alighting due to tripping on seat belt (event)	242112007
Fall on wet deck on board vessel (event)	242185001
Fall due to slipping on ice or snow (event)	242387001
Fall due to wet surface (event)	242389003

Fall due to polished surface (event)	242390007
Fall due to discarded object (event)	242391006
Fall in bath or shower (event)	242392004
Fall due to defective pavement (event)	242393009
Fall due to accidental trip by another person (event)	242394003
Fall due to trip on loose carpet (event)	242395002
Fall due to uneven surface indoors (event)	242396001
Fall due to loss of equilibrium (event)	242398000
Fall due to failure of support (event)	242399008
Fall due to failure of rail (event)	242400001
Fall due to leaning on insecure furniture (event)	242401002
Fall on same level due to accidental impact with another person (event)	242402009
Fall due to impact against pedestrian conveyance (event)	242404005
Fall due to impact against baby buggy (event)	242405006
Fall due to impact against supermarket shopping cart (event)	242406007
Fall due to impact against wheelbarrow (event)	242407003
Fall from stool (event)	242414001
Fall from ambulance stretcher (event)	242417008
Fall from toilet seat (event)	242419006
Fall on same level from impact against object (event)	269699007
Fall on same level due to nature of surface (event)	274918000
Fall on same level due to impact against another person (event)	274919008
Recurrent falls (finding)	279992002
Fall on same level (event)	33036003
Fall in home (event)	40104005
Unexplained recurrent falls (finding)	404911003
Falls caused by medication (finding)	408561005
Fall on stairs (event)	414190009
Fall from chair (event)	83468000

	Assessment using falls risk assessment tool codes
Assessment using Falls Efficacy Scale International (procedure)	1126411000000109
Falls Efficacy Scale International score (observable entity)	1126421000000103
Primary health care team falls assessment (procedure)	408422004
Multidisciplinary team falls assessment (procedure)	408423009

Multidisciplinary team falls assessment done (situation)	408555007
Primary health care team falls assessment done (situation)	408560006
Falls assessment (procedure)	408589008
Assessment using Tinetti falls efficacy scale (procedure)	443573009
Assessment using falls risk assessment score for the elderly (procedure)	443731004
Falls risk assessment score for the elderly (observable entity)	444246003
Community falls risk assessment score for the elderly (observable entity)	444427001
Assessment using short falls efficacy - international scale (procedure)	445036004
Assessment using falls behavioral scale for older people (procedure)	445826008
Assessment using home falls and accidents screening tool (procedure)	445990009
Morse Falls Risk Assessment score (observable entity)	718584002
Assessment using falls risk assessment tool (procedure)	839831000000103
Falls risk assessment tool score (observable entity)	839841000000107
Falls risk assessment complete (situation)	93001000000106

	Referral to falls service codes
Referral to falls service (procedure)	247541000000106
Referral to elderly falls prevention clinic (procedure)	248451000000109
Refer for falls assessment (procedure)	391034007
Referral for falls risk assessment (procedure)	717091000000109

	Express and implied consent for core Summary Care Record (SCR) codes
Express consent for core and additional Summary Care Record dataset upload (finding)	773051000000102

	Declined or descent codes	Data Extraction on Emis Enquiry Manager
Frailty assessment declined (situation)	1086621000000100	CCDCMI30 PCA Count
Invitation for structured medication review declined (situation)	1363191000000100	CCDCMI33 PCA Count
Express dissent for Summary Care Record dataset upload (finding)	777441000000102	CCDCMI37 PCA Count

The link will take you to the guidance for the GMS/PMS core contract data collection. Practices will need to download the Core GP Contract zip folder > Business rule set is the Excel document and the word documents explain the requirements for each indicator.

<https://digital.nhs.uk/data-and-information/data-collections-and-data-sets/data-collections/quality-and-outcomes-framework-qof/quality-and-outcome-framework-qof-business-rules/enhanced-services-es-vaccination-and-immunisation-vi-and-core-contract-components-cc-business-rules-2023-2024>

Things to remember,

- Code all Severe and Moderate patients this has to be done **annually**. **Note: If another entry of the clinical code is entered at any point during the fiscal year and entries of medication review, falls discussions etc. will be cancelled out and need to be entered again**
- Arden's have a template for frailty to ensure you are using the correct codes it would be reasonable to use the template provided. If you are using your own template please ensure you have the correct SNOMED codes. Please refer to Technical Requirements for GMS Contract please go to the link for the most up to date SNOMED codes as above.
- You do not need to recode anyone who has been offered and accepted an Enriched Summary Record each year.

Reference Documents

<https://www.bma.org.uk/advice-and-support/gp-practices/gp-service-provision/identification-and-management-of-patients-with-frailty> (BMA)

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/ourwork/clinical-policy/older-people/frailty/efi/#is-this-just-a-way-to-prevent-people-with-the-most-severe-frailty-getting-to-hospital> (NHSE)